

Niddah after childbirth

Posted by Icanbreakfree - 07 Nov 2022 03:36

Hey,

My wife and I are expecting a baby (not our first)!

Very Exciting! BH!

But also VERY nervousing!

8 weeks! (probably more) is a long time to know that I cant even get close to my wife!

after the birth we will be moving into inlaws who have unfiltered internet and full cable TVs.

last time was really bad. i was P***ing and M***ing in middle of the night even though I was OVER exhausted!

I have had challenges with P**** and M**** for some time now....

recently my wife found out... thats a whole story on its own...

only difference this time around is I'm 90 days clean and my wife knows, but I'm scared!!

What are your thoughts?

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Re: Niddah after childbirth

Posted by eyes - 07 Nov 2022 03:47

First of all b'sha'a tova

www.chabad.org/theJewishWoman/article_cdo/aid/537403/jewish/Do-You-Wish-Mazal-Tov-to-a-Pregnant-Woman.htm

Second, im sure there are many like you in the same situation.

Please post your fear and maybe your story and we will all try to give chizzuk on this.

Personally I would suggest you speak to HHM.

Also if you have an accountability chaver, that might help as well.

By posting regularly and staying on this site will help as well.

I had the same issue after one of my kids. I totally understand how you feel.

Possibly spend more time with your wife leading up to the birth. During the 8 weeks, show her how much you care and connect with her on an emotional level, which will bring to much closeness and a willingness to go the the mikvah afterwards.

YOu mentioned that she found out. Well by connecting with her it can help as well

Again We are hear for you, so please stay connected

and may we share good news soon

EYES

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Re: Niddah after childbirth

Posted by Icanbreakfree - 07 Nov 2022 04:55

Amen! Thank you!

Thanks for helping me clarify.

I am scared that I'm going to fall right back to where i was just a short 90 days ago.

P**** and M**** behind my wifes back. and living this terrible double life, of Kollel Avreich/
Maggid Shiur on one hand and selfish addict on the other.

My Story (in very short): I'm almost 30, married with 2 kids (expecting 3rd). i've had ups and
downs of all kinds in areas of P*** and M****. sometimes did some foolish desperate things in
order to satisfy my desires.

I'm an Avreich, and a big member of my community. I come from a healthy loving family.

(here's the shocking thing though:) I never had an issue with p*** or anything until I was 4 years
out of high school!!!

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another and I was hooked on watching things I shouldnt. and eventually M**** with my hands.

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putting up a facade of Tatte/avreich.

I always wanted to get out of it. i didnt think I needed GYE for a while. thought I could get free
alone. so I dropped out of the site for a LONG time.

Until my wife found out! so i cant keep fooling myself! Change has to be made! so i need you
guys!

I am now almost 100 days clean!!

but I know that i can fall right back to where i was before (or even further) if I'm not careful

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Re: Niddah after childbirth

Posted by Geshmak! - 07 Nov 2022 05:06

Shulim alaychem! There is an amazing guy that really helps and helped thousands R' eyes mentioned him and I also highly recommended you reach out to him to he's called Hhm you can email him at

michelgelnier@gmail.com

he really helped me with real help I was on this site for like 3 months till I finally reached out to him... why should you have to wait so long to get the real help u need get help before you brake your beautiful record c'v!

hatzlachah rabbah!!

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Re: Niddah after childbirth

Posted by Icanbreakfree - 07 Nov 2022 05:17

What does HHM stand for?

I will definetly contact him. based on your Haskama

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Re: Niddah after childbirth

Posted by Geshmak! - 07 Nov 2022 05:23

It's short for hes user name- Hashem help me

thx for your haskumah on my haskumah:wink:

btw hope Hhm has more than 24 hours in he's day cause if not were all in trouble...

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Re: Niddah after childbirth

Posted by trying11211 - 07 Nov 2022 05:38

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Love this!! Your so right.... I wrote abt this a few times in my post on the bal habatem forum check it out. But you wrote it so clear! Amazing!!

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Posted by i-man - 07 Nov 2022 07:18

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Thank you for sharing your experience, and no need to be scared we can all disagree and still respect one another.

With that being said , I would point out from what I've heard from over the years on this forum, it's not always a good idea for the wife to be the chaver and it's sometimes a very bad one. Remember no wife or relationship are the same.

You should continue to have Hatzlacha

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Posted by Geshmak! - 07 Nov 2022 15:48

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Btw we see from here how important it is to protect our own kids!! First and most important thing abt being a good tatte and mommy is that you should never ever have a unfiltered device in your home and the filter should be the best ... like I have netfree which is hell for my wife she can't shop etc. but she's maskim to go to kiosk (in bp there are many bh) so she can show H') and h' will do the rest bhy! Cause u can't really protect today but if you show ur doing urs(even if it's hard or uncomfortable etc.) H' will do he's bhy and ull have happy erlichah kindrlach that don't have to go through what we had to...

like? Maskim? Hit the thank you please!

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Re: Niddah after childbirth

Posted by Icanbreakfree - 08 Nov 2022 01:13

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Re: Niddah after childbirth
Posted by Icanbreakfree - 08 Nov 2022 01:16

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atleast not if Chas Vishalom I'm Nichshal

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Re: Niddah after childbirth
Posted by trying11211 - 08 Nov 2022 03:58

[Icanbreakfree wrote on 08 Nov 2022 01:16:](#)

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As I wrote i don't tell anybody to take his wife as a chaver, since it can harm the relationship more than help, in some situations, therefore you need a lot of seyate dishmaye and be very careful how and when to share it with her.

the only thing I wrote that in my situation, this is the waway I see it by me, and for me this was the biggest help.

of course thi is only since our relationship is a healthy relationship, not build on having sex together, only on a real inner loving relationship and feeling each other, that brings to a feeling that no matter what's going on she is always here for me, just like I'm always here for here, no matter how hard it will be

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Re: Niddah after childbirth
Posted by Misgaber96 - 08 Nov 2022 04:20

Hi,

I hope you are doing well, Have you got a boundary list set up of things you can't do? This is very important, when you break a barrier it is for sure that you are starting on that path to falling, for me, my barriers are that I can't watch TV, others say that they can't watch TV alone, not staring at people on the street, not standing idle on the street, not going on a website for the purpose of lust only for work...

If you notice you cross a boundary report it to this forum or a chaver/Rebbi. NOT YOUR WIFE.

Then if you are experiencing any resentments, fears, lusts, share with us the situation in a sentence whether it may be actually or potentially effecting your ego, parnassah, relationship with spouse or other,

Then pray for the person/s involved,

note why you may be to blame for the situation

Pray and subjugate yourself to HaShem.

This is a program by the 12 steps, Works wonders, just look up step ten proforma

All the best

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Re: Niddah after childbirth

Posted by Misgaber96 - 08 Nov 2022 04:48

This is the official one, Behatzlacha

*Step 10**Name:**Situation* _ (upto 19 words)_ *My was affected***x** _Ambitions_ -**x** _Personal relations_ -**x** _Sex_ -**x** _Security_ (Emotional/Physical/Financial)**x** _Self -Esteem_ -**x** *Prayer*God, perhaps _____ is spiritually sick, just like me.Grant me the power to show them the same patience, tolerance and mercy I would happily show a sick friend.How can I help them?*Save me from anger and resentment, Thy will be done.**Where am I wrong?:***x** _Self-centeredness_ -**x** _Fear_ -**x** _Selfish gain _ -**x** _Dishonest_ -_(Share with another, request feedback/defects i missed)___Am I entirely ready for God to remove from me all my defects of character?_God, I am ready for you to take all good and bad from me.I pray that you remove from me all defects of character which prevent me from being of benefit to You and my fellows.Thy will be done.

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