



Adult Body Mass Index (BMI) Chart



WEIGHT	95	100	105	110	115	120	125	130	135	140	145	150	155	160	165	170	175	180	185	190	195	200	205	210	215	220	225	230	235	240	245
5'0"	19	20	21	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48
5'1"	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	43	44	45	46
5'2"	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45
5'3"	17	18	19	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	43
5'4"	16	17	18	19	20	21	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	39	40	41	42
5'5"	16	17	17	18	19	20	21	22	22	23	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30	31	32	32	33	34	35	36	37	37	38	39	40	41
5'6"	15	16	17	18	19	19	20	21	22	23	23	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30	31	31	32	33	34	35	36	36	37	38	39	40
5'7"	15	16	16	17	18	19	20	20	21	22	23	23	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30	31	31	32	33	34	34	35	36	37	38	38
5'8"	14	15	16	17	17	18	19	20	21	21	22	23	24	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30	30	31	32	33	33	34	35	36	36	37
5'9"	14	15	16	16	17	18	18	19	20	21	21	22	23	24	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30	30	31	32	32	33	34	35	35	36
5'10"	14	14	15	16	16	17	18	19	19	20	21	22	22	23	24	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	29	30	31	32	32	33	34	34	35
5'11"	13	14	15	15	16	17	17	18	19	20	20	21	22	22	23	24	24	25	26	26	27	28	29	29	30	31	31	32	33	33	34
6'0"	13	14	14	15	16	16	17	18	18	19	20	20	21	22	22	23	24	24	25	26	26	27	28	28	29	30	31	31	32	33	33
6'1"	13	13	14	15	15	16	16	17	18	18	19	20	20	21	22	22	23	24	24	25	26	26	27	28	28	29	30	30	31	32	32
6'2"	12	13	13	14	15	15	16	17	17	18	19	19	20	21	21	22	22	23	24	24	25	26	26	27	28	28	29	30	30	31	31
6'3"	12	12	13	14	14	15	16	16	17	17	18	19	19	20	21	21	22	22	23	24	24	25	26	26	27	27	28	29	29	30	31
6'4"	12	12	13	13	14	15	15	16	16	17	18	18	19	19	20	21	21	22	23	23	24	24	25	26	26	27	27	28	29	29	30

Obese III: BMI ≥ 40
 Obese II: BMI 35-39.9
 Obese I: BMI 30-34.9

Under healthy weight: BMI <18.5 Healthy weight: BMI 18.5-24.9 Overweight: BMI 25-29.9

Weight Loss Recommendations

- For people with a BMI ≥30, weight loss is recommended
- For people with a BMI between 25 and 29.9, or who have a waist circumference greater than 40" in men and 35" in women, and who have additional risk factors, weight loss is recommended
- For people with a BMI between 25 and 29.9 who have no risk factors and do not want to lose weight, prevention of further weight gain is recommended

Risk Factors

Disease conditions:

- Established CHD, other atherosclerotic diseases
- Type 2 diabetes
- Sleep apnea
- Gynecological abnormalities
- Osteoarthritis
- Gallstones & their complications
- Stress incontinence

Cardiovascular risk factors:

- Cigarette smoking
- Hypertension
- High LDL cholesterol (≥160 mg/dl)
- Low HDL cholesterol: Men <40 mg/dl; Women <50 mg/dl
- Impaired fasting glucose (110-125 mg/dl)
- Family history of premature CHD
- Men ≥45 years; Women ≥55 years (or postmenopausal)

Other risk factors:

- High serum triglycerides (>150 mg/dl)
- Physical inactivity

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5'0"	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
5'1"	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76
5'2"	46	47	48	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	69	70	71	72	73
5'3"	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	66	67	68	69	70	71
5'4"	43	44	45	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	64	65	66	67	68	69
5'5"	42	42	43	44	45	46	47	47	48	49	50	51	52	52	53	54	55	56	57	57	58	59	60	61	62	62	63	64	65	66	67
5'6"	40	41	42	43	44	44	45	46	47	48	48	49	50	51	52	52	53	54	55	56	56	57	58	59	60	61	61	62	63	64	65
5'7"	39	40	41	42	42	43	44	45	45	46	47	48	49	49	50	51	52	52	53	54	55	56	56	57	58	59	60	60	61	62	63
5'8"	38	39	40	40	41	42	43	43	44	45	46	46	47	48	49	49	50	51	52	52	53	54	55	55	56	57	58	59	59	60	61
5'9"	37	38	38	39	40	41	41	42	43	44	44	45	46	47	47	48	49	49	50	51	52	52	53	54	55	55	56	57	58	58	59
5'10"	36	37	37	38	39	39	40	41	42	42	43	44	44	45	46	47	47	48	49	49	50	51	52	52	53	54	55	55	56	57	57
5'11"	35	36	36	37	38	38	39	40	40	41	42	43	43	44	45	45	46	47	47	48	49	50	50	51	52	52	53	54	54	55	56
6'0"	34	35	35	36	37	37	38	39	39	40	41	41	42	43	43	44	45	45	46	47	47	48	49	49	50	51	52	52	53	54	54
6'1"	33	34	34	35	36	36	37	38	38	39	40	40	41	42	42	43	44	44	45	46	46	47	47	48	49	49	50	51	51	52	53
6'2"	32	33	33	34	35	35	36	37	37	38	39	39	40	40	41	42	42	43	44	44	45	46	46	47	48	48	49	49	50	51	51
6'3"	31	32	32	33	34	34	35	36	36	37	37	38	39	39	40	41	41	42	42	43	44	44	45	46	46	47	47	48	49	49	50
6'4"	30	31	32	32	33	33	34	35	35	36	37	37	38	38	39	40	40	41	41	42	43	43	44	44	45	46	46	47	47	48	49

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Obese II: BMI 35-39.9
Obese III: BMI ≥ 40

V Codes for Billing by Body Mass Index (BMI) Category					
Under Healthy Weight	BMI	V Code	Overweight	BMI	V Code
	<19	V85.0		25	V85.21
Healthy Weight				26	V85.22
	19-24	V85.1		27	V85.23
				28	V85.24
				29	V85.25
Obese I	BMI	V Code	Obese II & III	BMI	V Code
	30	V85.30		35	V85.35
				36	V85.36
				37	V85.37
				38	V85.38
				39	V85.39
				40	V85.40

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