# TIPS FOR A MASTER ATHLETE



### **SELF CONTROL**

We are growing older and our bodies are no longer as capable as they once were, so don't demand too much of yourself. Wear your age with pride!



## DIET

Take good care of your diet because certain foods become more difficult to digest with each passing year. A varied diet is essential.



#### TAKE YOUR TIME

It is important to take time for **breaks**, warm-ups and stretches.

## **BE CAREFUL**

Remember that you are an active athlete before seeking any prescriptions from your doctor.

### PREVENTION

Do a stress test to make sure you're fit and in good form. Do not skip any medical check-ups!



#### SAFETY

Take care of the surfaces on which you run and keep your sports equipment -your shoes in particularin perfect condition.



#### HEALTH

Avoid prohibited medications! With age, the liver and kidneys lose their efficiency.



## INTENSITY

Training and exercise change according to your age. **Consult a coach** who will personalise your workout.



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