## WHY YOUR BODY LOVES SLEEP

## Stage 1



## Stage 2



## Stage 3



**REM** 

- Easily Awakened
- Muscles Relax, May Twitch
- Slow Eye Movements
- Breathing, Heart Rate Regular
- Body Temperature Drops
- Lose Sense of Place
- Slower Brain Waves
- Eye Movement Stops
- Blood Pressure Drops
- Muscle Relax
- Tissue Grows & Repairs
- Energy is Restored
- Hormones are Released
- Even Slower Brain Waves
- Brain is Active, Dreaming
- Eyes Dart Rapidly
- Muscles are Paralyzed
- Irregular Breathing/ Heart Rate

