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I've worked hard, and now I'm at my ideal weight. But what can I do now to maintain



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Weight maintenance is all about the balance between the calories you take in, and the ones you use. Mavis Chung, Personal Trainer from Amore Fitness gives us some tips on keeping your weight steady.

"Basically when the amount of calories you take in equals the amount you use, then your weight stays the same. You can do this either by reducing the amount of cardio you do each week or increasing your food consumption," Mavis says, "but be sure to keep doing your resistance training in order to keep off the fat."

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How can I trim my stomach without losing weight?



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You can have a trimmer stomach without losing the body weight, and here's how you can do it through thorough proper exercise and nutrition.

Firstly, you'll need to up the amount of cardio exercise that you're doing. "This will help your body to lose overall fat loss. At the same time, incorporate specific abdominal exercises to firm up the stomach muscles," says Mavis Chung, Personal Trainer at Amore Fitness. Very often, a big stomach is a result of weak abdominal muscles. At the same time, you should also increase your resistance training to build up lean mass.

"We know that muscles weigh more than fats. As you burn fat, you'll also lose muscle mass, meaning your body weight would reduce. To maintain the muscles mass (and your body

weight), you need to do some weight training," Mavis says. Together with a balanced diet, you'll be able to have that flat stomach in no time!

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