# Can I Simply Fast on My Own for These Health Benefits?

Water fasting for extended periods of time can be difficult to complete on your own. ProLon® Professional contains a scientifically-researched combination of micro- and macronutrients. This unique nutritional formulation nourishes your body—while still enabling it to enter a fasting state that provides metabolic and cellular benefits. ProLon Professional also helps promote healthier eating habits, including reduced food cravings and better portion control.

# How is ProLon Professional Different from Intermittent Fasting (IF) or Time-Restricted Eating (TRE)?

Intermittent fasting (reducing calories on certain days in a week) and time-restricted eating (limiting eating to certain hours in a day) can help reduce fat and promote metabolic balance. But prolonged fasting—as enabled by ProLon Professional—can actually affect your body on a cellular level by inducing cellular clean-up and rejuvenation of old, worn-out cellular components through a process known as autophagy.

#### **ProLon® Professional Includes:**



A 5-day supply of the ProLon Professional Fasting Mimicking Diet® (FMD®) that includes meals, snacks, and teas



Access to educational materials that include tips on how to successfully use ProLon

#### ProLon Professional is based on decades of research



Over \$36M in NIH/EU funding to support many ongoing FMD trials have been provided to date.

#### Ask your healthcare provider about ProLon Professional





## **Professional**

## **Promoting Metabolic Health**



# A Nutritional Intervention to Reset Your Metabolic Balance

**Only 5 days** each month of 5-day Fasting Mimicking Diet® (FMD) provides many of the benefits of an **every day** heart-healthy diet when done over a few months¹

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- Helps support metabolic health
- Helps support cardiovascular health as part of a healthy lifestyle
- ✓ Helps with weight loss and visceral fat burning
- Supports healthy aging and cellular rejuvenation
- Designed for sensitive gut



#### What is ProLon® Professional?

ProLon Professional is a groundbreaking nutritional intervention that includes 5 days worth of convenient, tasty, plant-based foods. These foods are specially formulated to put your body in a fasting state—even though you're eating.

The benefits of multiple cycles of fasting are well-documented. 5-day FMD has been clinically studied to help support<sup>1</sup>:

- Metabolic Wellness
- ✓ Weight Loss of 5 to 8 pounds
- ✓ Reduced Waist Circumference (average 1.6 inches)
- ✓ Lean Body Mass Preservation and Body Fat Reduction
- ✓ Lower Body Mass Index (BMI)
- Healthy Aging: Brought on by weight loss, metabolic wellness, and cellular rejuvenation

Because ProLon Professional is formulated without nightshades, and with fewer grains and inulin, it supports milder digestion for individuals with a sensitive gut.

## What Exactly is Cellular Clean-Up and Renewal?

During prolonged fasting, your body starts a **self-cleaning process** known as **autophagy** (or **cellular clean-up**), the subject of the 2016 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine. Think of this process of autophagy as a biological vacuum that cleans up old and worn-out cellular components to make room for newer, fresher ones.

### What Happens to Your Body on ProLon® Professional?



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1 FASTING STATE	The body transitions into a fasting state & fat-burning mode so it can begin cellular clean-up.
2 FAT BURNING & KETOGENESIS	Fat-burning ramps up, contributing to the initiation of ketogenesis (ketone production). By the end of this day (48 hours), ketosis may occur.
3 AUTOPHAGY	Cellular clean-up (autophagy) begins. Fat-burning and ketone production/utilization continues and increases.
4 CELLULAR REJUVENATION	Cellular cleaning and rejuvenation continue. Fat-burning and ketosis continue.
5 RENEWAL	Sustained cellular recycling and rejuvenation. Sustained fat burning and ketone burning.
EXPERIENCE THE BENEFITS <sup>1</sup>	Weight loss, greater energy levels, mental clarity & focus, better relationship with food, and fewer cravings.