

## Cycle of Change

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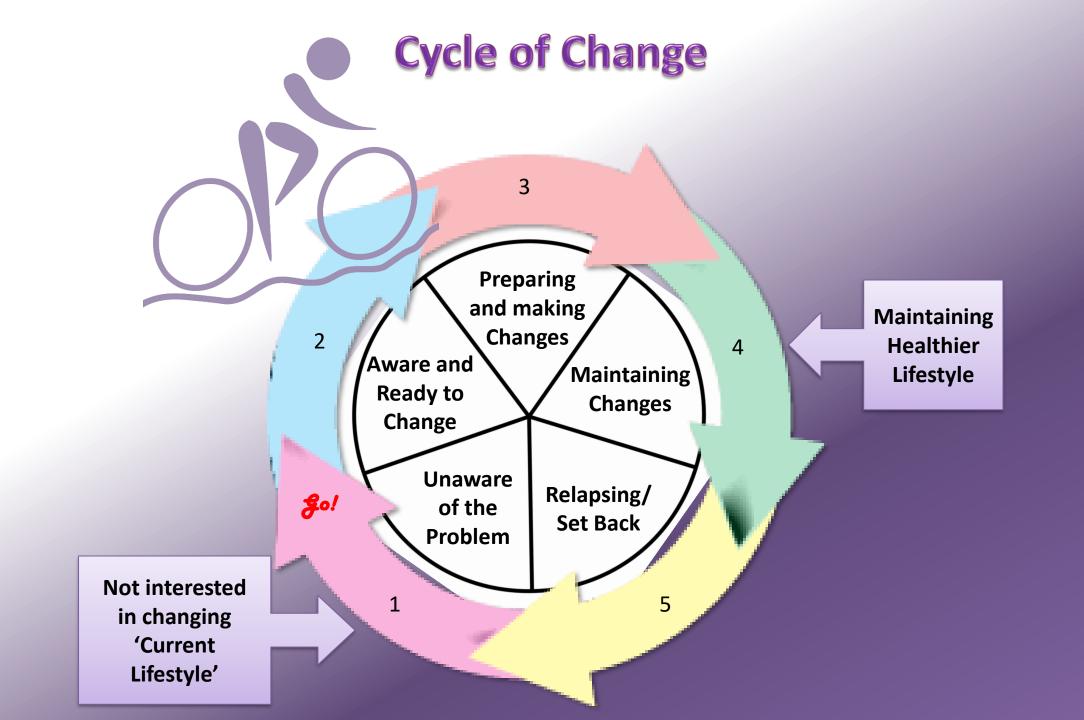


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#### Cycle of Change — Unaware!

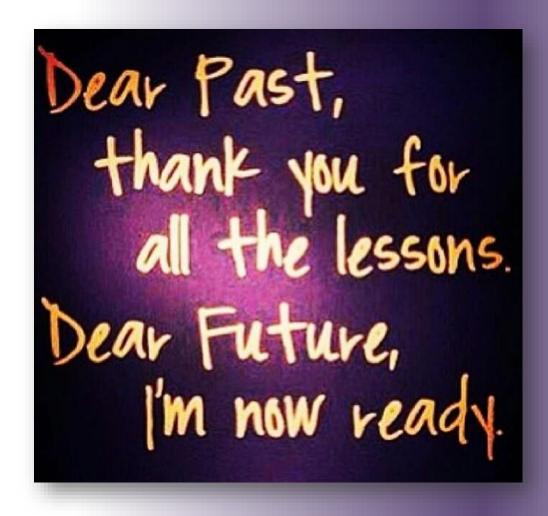


Research has shown that there are different stages involved in the way people make changes.

At first, people may not even be ready to change. They may be not interested in change or are thinking about change, but not quite sure.

These people may need to see some relevant information about why change is a good idea. They may need time to think about the pros and cons involved in changing.

### Cycle of Change – Aware and Ready!

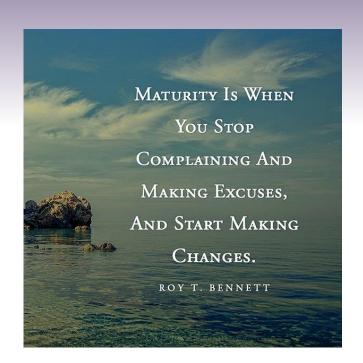


Now's the time to prepare yourself for change









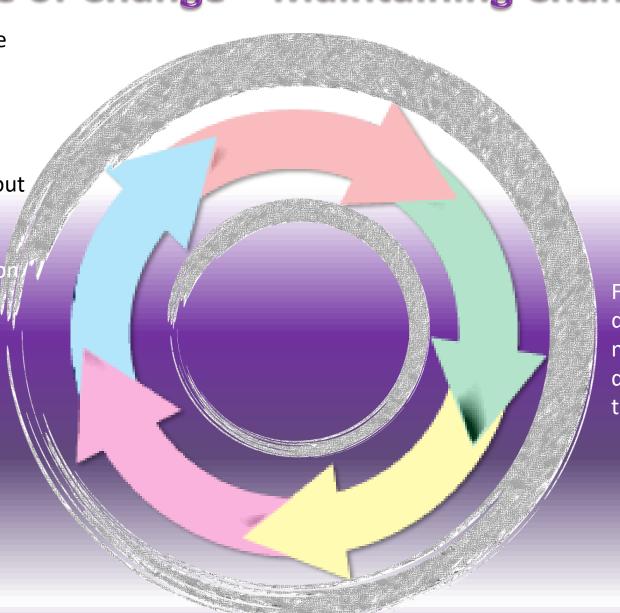
#### Cycle of Change – Preparing and Making Changes!

#### **Cycle of Change – Maintaining Changes!**

You might need to go around the wheel a few times.

You will find that once you have maintained changes for many months you'll eventually swing out of the cycle.

That's when you become a person/'/
who has permanently changed.



For this person, the new way of doing things feels absolutely normal and they know without a doubt that they'll not return to their old ways. Praise God!

## "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness."

2 Corinthians 12:9

If for some reason you failed to keep to your action plan, it doesn't mean it's a permanent failure!

People can use a relapse as a learning experience, think about why things went wrong and work out whether and how they will prepare to take action again.

## Cycle of Change – Relapse/Setback!