Feeling too stressed? Learn techniques to relax with these resources [1]

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According to the American Institute of Stress, stress-related ailments such as loss of sleep and anxiety cost the nation roughly $300 billion every year in medical bills and lost productivity. Physically, stress can cause a 40 percent increased risk of heart disease, 25 percent increased risk for a heart attack and a 50 percent increased risk of stroke.

With resources from Skillsoft and Lynda.com, you can learn techniques to combat harmful stress.

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