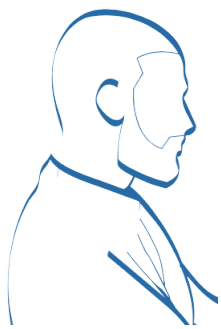


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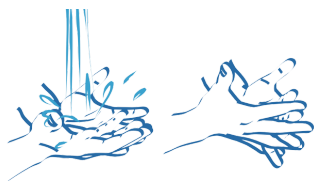
# LEARN TO PERFORM WUDU (WASH FOR PRAYERS)



## **Bismillah**

(IN THE NAME OF ALLAH)

**BEFORE WUDU:** Intention of making wudu' should be done in the heart, then say:



**Completely wash the hands, including the wrists and between the fingers**

REPEAT 3 TIMES



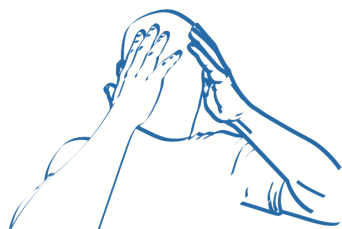
**Rinse the mouth. Using the right hand put a small amount of water into the mouth, swirl around, then expel.**

REPEAT 3 TIMES



**Sniff water into the nostrils as far as possible with the right hand, and then sniff it out with left hand.**

REPEAT 3 TIMES



**Wash the face from forehead to chin, left earlobe to the right earlobe making sure the whole face is washed.**

REPEAT 3 TIMES



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**Wash the two arms up to and including the elbows, hand and between the fingers.**

REPEAT 3 TIMES

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**Wipe the head with wet fingers starting at the fringe to the back hairline and back the same way all in one movement.**

ONLY ONCE

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**Simultaneously wipe the insides of both ears with index finger, and the back of the ears with the thumbs**

ONLY ONCE

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**Wash the feet including the ankles and between the toes.**

**Begin with the right foot.**

REPEAT 3 TIMES



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## AFTER WUDU, SAY:

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**Ash-hadu anllaa ilaaha illallaah wa ash-hadu anna  
Muhammadan 'abduhu wa rasooluh**

(I BEAR WITNESS THAT THERE IS NO GOD  
WORTHY OF WORSHIP EXCEPT ALLAH. AND I  
BEAR WITNESS THAT MUHAMMAD IS HIS SLAVE  
AND MESSENGER.)

**Allahuma ij-'alnee minat-tawabeen waj-'alnee  
minalmutatahireen**

(OH ALLAH, MAKE ME AMONG THOSE WHO TURN  
IN REPENTANCE TO YOU AND MAKE ME AMONG  
THOSE WHO PURIFY THEMSELVES)



# ACTIONS WHICH NULLIFY THE WUDU

THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS NULLIFY THE WUDU - I.E. IT HAS TO BE PERFORMED AGAIN IN ORDER TO PRAY. THESE ARE IN REGARDS TO BOTH MEN AND WOMEN:

1. **PASSING WIND.**
2. **PASSING URINE OR FAECES**
3. **FULL MOUTH VOMITING**
4. **FLOWING OF BLOOD OR PUS FROM ANY PART OF THE BODY.**
5. **DEEP SLEEP, WHEREBY ONE LOSES AWARENESS.**
6. **UNCONSCIOUSNESS OR INTOXICATION**
7. **TOUCHING THE PRIVATE PARTS WITH THE HAND AND FINGERS WITHOUT A BARRIER.**
8. **INTIMATE RELATIONS\***

## **Tip - Forgetfulness**

IF A PERSON FORGETS WHETHER THEY HAVE NULLIFIED THEIR WUDU' OR NOT, **THEN THIS DOES NOT NULLIFY THEIR ABLUTION**, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THE PERSON IS PRAYING OR NOT, UNTIL THEY ARE CERTAIN THAT THEY HAVE NULLIFIED THEIR ABLUTION.

## **Tip - Menstruation**

A MENSTRUATING OR POST NATAL WOMAN MUST NOT PRAY AS LONG AS BLOOD IS VISIBLE AND HER MISSED PRAYERS DO NOT HAVE TO BE MADE UP.

## **Tip - Intimate Relations**

\*IT IS MANDATORY FOR A PERSON TO TAKE A FULL BATH/ SHOWER AFTER HAVING INTIMATE RELATIONS WITH THEIR HUSBAND/ WIFE IN ORDER TO BE IN A STATE OF PURITY FOR PRAYER.

