Understanding Your Normal Blood Pressure:

127

Systolic BP Level:

This top number shows the pressure in the arteries when the heart is contracted.

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Diastolic BP Level:

This bottom number shows the pressure in the arteries when the heart is resting and refilling with blood.

This BP would be read as **127 over 68 mmHg** (millimeters of mercury)

According to the AHA, **normal blood pressure** for Americans **ages 20 and over is 120/80 mmHg.**

1 in 3 Americans (33.5%) have Hypertension.

Use this chart below to track your vital signs for the next week and then observe the trends to determine what your normal limits are.

Date Checked:	Systolic BP:	Diastolic BP:	Pulse:
Day 1:			
Day 2:			
Day 3:			
Day 4:			
Day 5:			
Day 6:			
Day 7:			

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