## **CONTRAST BATH** Hot and Cold Tub

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SLEEP & NUTRITION Optimizing consistent sleep and nutrition habits should be the

foundation of all recovery efforts



WHAT DOES IT DO: Improves recovery and reduces fatigue and soreness <sup>1-8</sup>

NATIONAL CHAMPION Caliber Protocol:

Alternate between 1 minute in cold water and 1-2 minutes in hot water for a total duration of 6-15 minutes <sup>7</sup>

BEST TIMES: Before a training session or within 60 minutes of a light- or moderate-intensity training session

TIMES TO AVOID:

Within 90 minutes of a high-intensity training session or heavy strength training session

OTHER SIMILAR OPTIONS: Cryotherapy, cold water immersion

