

Hand Reflexology to improve sleep

For many of my clients, sleeping soundly at night takes a lot of effort. With a million things swirling in our minds, it's challenging to lull ourselves to sleep without relying on medications.

But there's a safer way: By stimulating the pituitary gland, our body can release melatonin, a hormone that induces sleep and prevents insomnia.

What To Do: Find the pituitary/pineal reflex at the centre of the thumb's upper portion and in the middle of the fingerprint swirl (see diagram below). Press this reflex point using the thumb, nail or finger knuckle of the other hand.

Try to work as deeply as you can and keep the pressure on for 3 to 5 seconds.

Repeat on the other thumb.

