



eing an entrepreneur can be one of the most rewarding things, and at the same time be one of the most daunting – especially in the highly competitive health club industry. Between taking care of your members and staff you also have to concentrate on growing your business. It can get overwhelming at times. Try these 5 tips to save you time and increase revenue in your club.



AUTOMATE

Accepting cash and check for membership dues has gone the way of dodo bird. It's a dinosaur mentality that eats up time and ultimately costs you money. Any health club in today's world MUST have their billing automated.

Imagine no more wasting time chasing down members for cash.

Imagine accurate financial forecasting so you can budget and plan for the following month.

Imagine not worrying if you can pay your bills and know that the money will be there.

Automated billing does all of this for you.

Communication in a health club is imperative. Holiday closures, special promotions and offers. All of this needs to be communicated to your members and potential members. An email and SMS application is essential for this. One that can send email blasts to all or just a specific group. This will allow your promotion to reach thousands with the click of a button. A good email and SMS application will also have automated blasts based on when a set criteria is met.

Here is a good example: when a member's payment doesn't go through the member will automatically be notified via email or text message. You'll no longer waste time with collection calls. The application should do the work for you.





DIVERSIFY

Why limit your revenue stream to just membership dues and proshop sales. It's time to get online. Online sales for health clubs are literally exploding in North America. Missing out on this opportunity means you're simply losing money. Why let your competitors get the leg up on you? Online membership sales are all the rage right now. Online clothing sales can boost revenue and help you brand your business. People are literally paying you to advertise your club! You just need a system that makes it easy to get it out there.





MONITOR

You can't manage what you don't measure. Accurate reporting is a fundamental need for any health club. You need to know how much revenue is coming in and from where. You need to know your inventory in order to determine what products need to be reordered. And most importantly, at the end of the day, you need to know if you're business is succeeding. Is it up? Or worse, is it down? A proper reporting system will do this for you. When it comes to financials and the overall growth of your business you simply can't be left in the dark.

About PerfectMind:

PerfectMind helps businesses create deeper relationships with their members. PerfectMind software simplifies running your health club by automating your day-to-day tasks, like billing, administration and marketing. By streamlining your business operations, PerfectMind allows you to spend more time doing what you love – training your members.

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