

Burnout Busters:

Everyday Tips for Social Media Pros

Social media never stops, but you can. Use these strategies to protect your time, creativity, and your quality of work.





Find Balance

Set boundaries for accounts and/or clients.

Define clear work hours in your calendar or SLAs, so expectations are set before burnout hits.

Manage notifications and expectations.

Centralize every account in one inbox. Mute native alerts. Check DMs twice a day, not constantly.

Pro Tip: Block your calendar for post writing and scheduling. Protect your focus like it's part of your job (because it is).



Protect Your Mental Health & Creativity

Spot burnout early. If you're dreading checking Slack, overchecking apps on your phone, or losing focus, that's your signal. Don't push through it.

Take digital recovery breaks. Step away from your devices. Set a real logout time and keep it.



Repurpose & Automate

Repurpose with intent. Turn top-performing posts into repeatable plays. Rewrite, resize, and remix. Do not duplicate; remix.

Automate the boring stuff. Put the busywork on autopilot. Schedule reports and engagement tracking, then focus on strategy.

Pro Tip: Tag high-performing posts as you go. Build your next campaign from what's already working.



Build Smarter Workflows

Standardize your process. One shared calendar, one consistent content creation workflow, one clean approval process. Less chaos, fewer meltdowns.

Stay organized in real time. Leave notes inside posts instead of in Slack threads. Tag DMs with custom labels Crisis, Customer, or Idea on the spot.

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