Fatty Acids - Functions and Deficiency



- Omega 3 and 6: needed throughout the body especially development of brain and eye
- Omega 3: Regulate and normalise cholesterol and triglyceride levels; reduce risks of developing heart diseases
- Omega 6: Stimulate skin and hair growth; maintain bone health; stimulate cell growth therefore essential to muscle and brain development; production of hormones

Deficiency of Omega 3	Deficiency of Omega 6
Fatigue	Dry Skin
Poor Memory	Excess Water Loss
Dry Skin	Hair Loss
Heart Problems	Drying Eyes
Depression	Arthritis (Joint Inflammation)
Poor Circulation	High Cholesterol