



#### Impact of Diabetes in Washington State Understanding Diabetes Management and Prevention

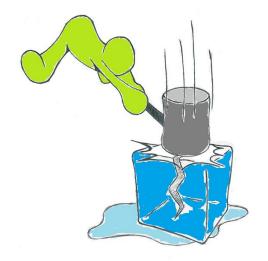
Heart, Disease, Stroke, and Diabetes Prevention Program, Community Based Prevention Section



### Introductions

#### Name

• What you would like to accomplish today?



### Objectives

- Understand and describe basic information about diabetes and prediabetes
- Understand and describe diabetes and prediabetes screening methods
- Learn how to address diabetes as a Community Health Worker
  - Prediabetes risk test
  - Diabetes Prevention Program
  - Diabetes Self-Management Education
  - Problem solving & goal setting





- Fold the paper inward following the lines.
- Write a sentence about diabetes, fold it, and pass it to the person sitting on your right
- Read the sentence and draw a picture that represents the sentence and fold it
- The next person will write a sentence from the image they have in front of them



- Diabetes is caused by eating too much sugar
- People with type 2 diabetes who need to use insulin are in serious trouble
- An ultra low carb diet is the best for people with diabetes
- The main problem with prediabetes and diabetes is blood glucose
- Prediabetes isn't serious

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Most overweight people never develop type 2 diabetes, and many people with type 2 diabetes are at a normal weight or only somewhat overweight.

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# FALSE

While a diet high in sugar may put someone at a higher risk for type 2 diabetes, it is not the only factor. Type 1 diabetes is caused by genetics and other unknown causes.

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Type 2 diabetes is often a progressive disease. As time goes on, lifestyle change and oral medicine may not be enough to keep blood sugar levels in range.

### Key Words

#### • A1C

A test that measures a person's average blood glucose level over the past 2 to 3 months. Also know as hemoglobin A1C

#### • Beta Cell

Cell in charge of making insulin. Beta cells are located in islets of Langerhans which are in part located in the pancreas

#### Insulin

Hormone responsible for regulating glucose (sugar) levels

#### Glucose

Main source of energy for metabolic processes



#### • Hyperglycemia

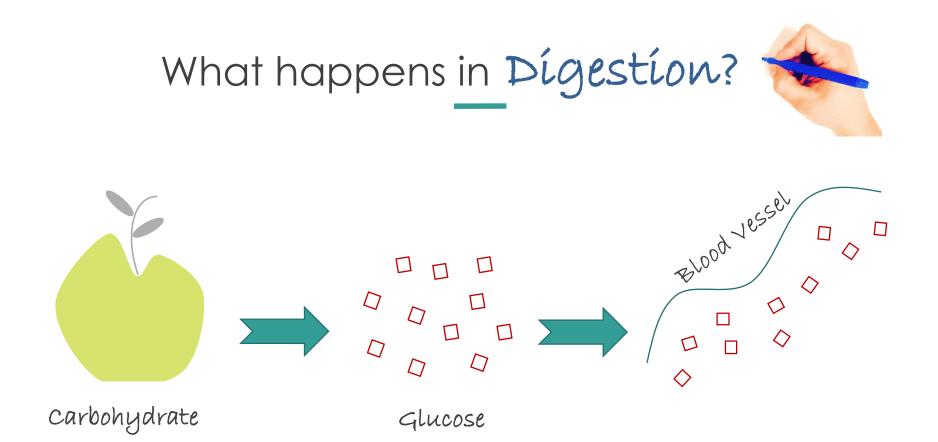
High glucose levels in the blood stream that could lead to health complications

#### • Hypoglycemia

Low glucose levels in the blood stream that could lead to health complications

#### Self-Management

In diabetes, the ongoing process of managing diabetes (Includes meal planning, planned physical activity, blood glucose monitoring, taking diabetes medication, handling episodes of illness and of low and high blood glucose, managing diabetes when traveling, etc.)



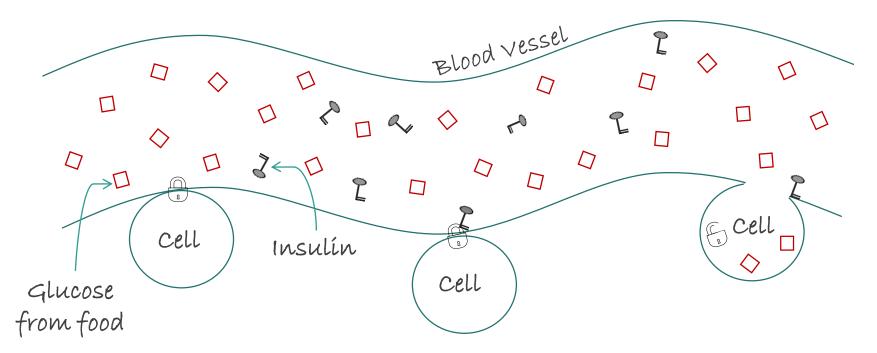
Carbohydrate gets eaten and broken down ínto glucose

Glucose enters the blood stream





Normal Process:



As glucose levels íncrease, ínsulín goes up

Insulín attaches to cell Insulín opens cell and glucose gets used as energy



- Glucose levels are elevated, but not high enough to diagnose Diabetes
- If not controlled, this can lead to Type 2 Diabetes
- <u>11 out of 12 people do not know</u> they have Prediabetes

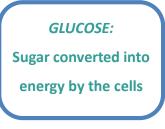
Prediabetes puts you at risk!

## What is diabetes?



- Chronic condition where the body is unable to regulate blood glucose levels
- Three different types of diabetes:

   Type 1: Body produces little to no insulin
   Type 2: Body does not make enough insulin or does not use it properly
  - Gestational Diabetes: Women may develop it during pregnancy



INSULIN: Hormone that helps glucose into the cell

## What is diabetes?



#### • Type 1: Body produces little to no insulin

#### Immune-Mediated Diabetes

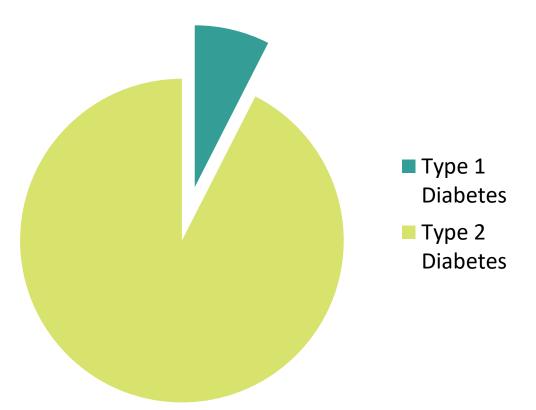
- Previously known as insulin dependent diabetes or juvenile-onset diabetes.
- Cellular mediated autoimmune destruction of the pancreatic beta cells.
- Idiopathic Type 1 Diabetes
  - Cause is unknown.
  - Have inadequate insulin secretion but have no evidence of beta cell autoimmunity

*GLUCOSE:* Sugar converted into energy by the cells

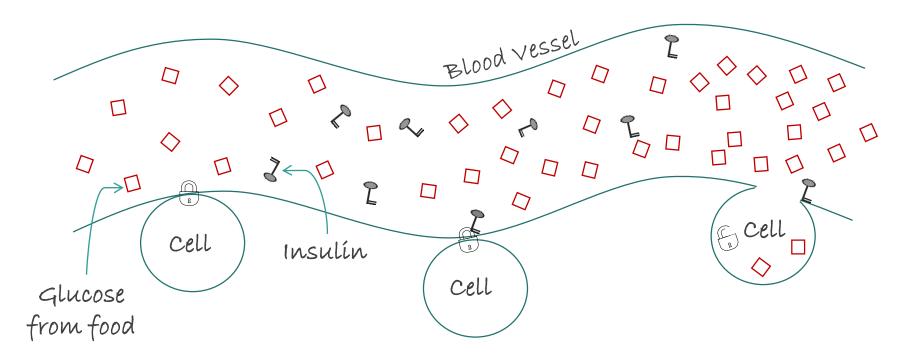
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### What percentage of people have which type?

Percent of people with diabetes by type



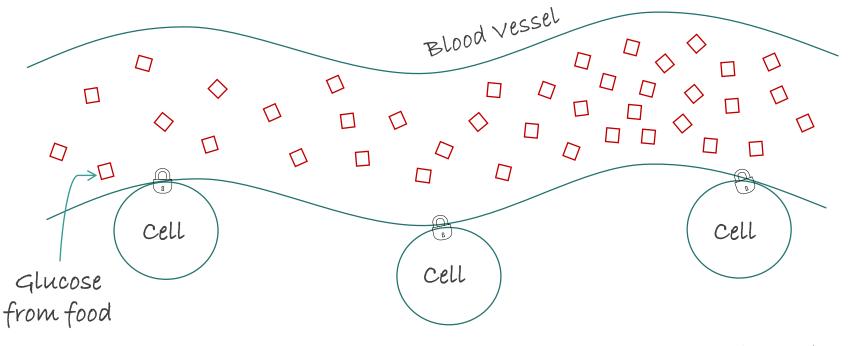
### Prediabetes



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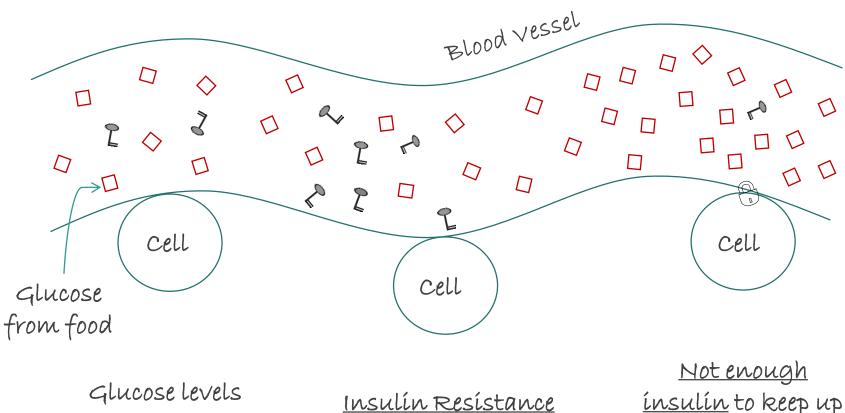
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Type 1 Diabetes



Glucose levels íncrease <u>No Insulín</u> attaches to cell Glucose ís <u>unable</u> <u>to enter cell</u> to be used as energy

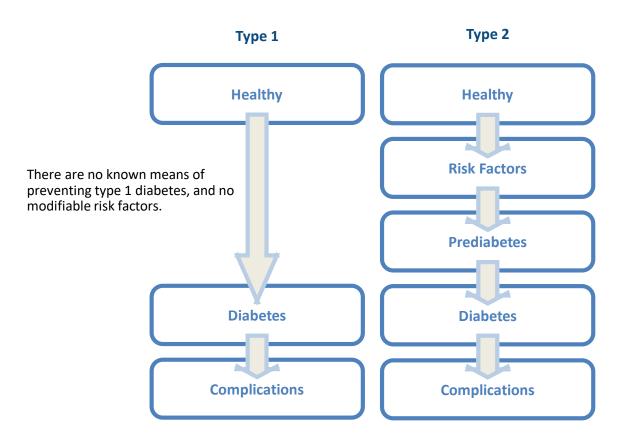
Type 2 Diabetes



increase

insulin to keep up with demand

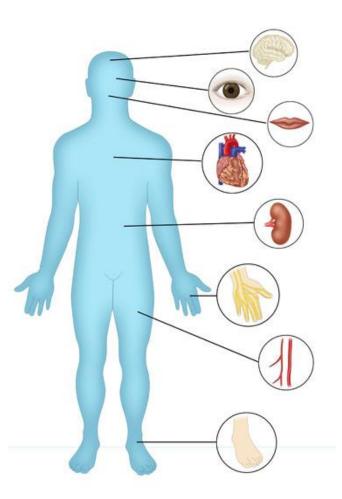
### The Progression of Diabetes



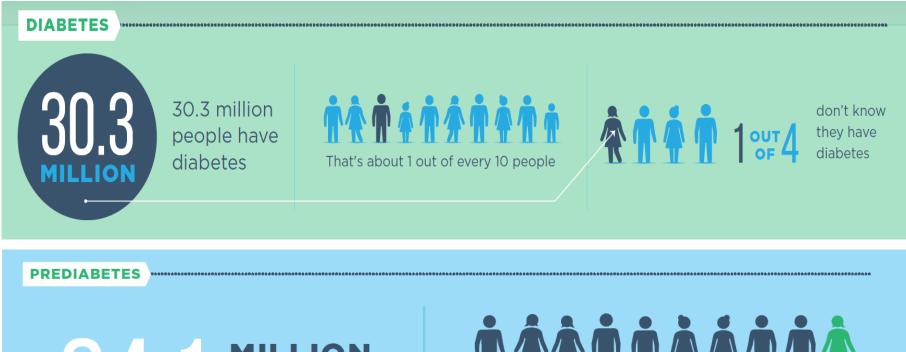
At every step, preventive treatment, including healthy eating and active living, can stop the further progression of diabetes.

### Diabetes Can Affect.....

Diabetes can affect many different organs in our body increasing the chance for many serious health problems

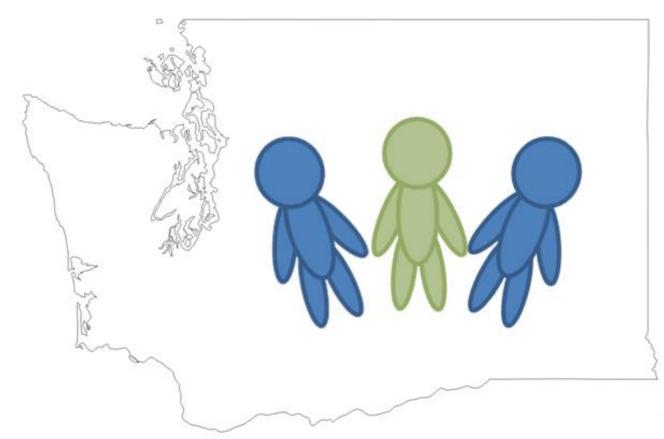


### Diabetes & Prediabetes in the United States



MILLION adults have prediabetes **G** OUT 10 People with prediabetes don't know they have it

### Prediabetes in Washington

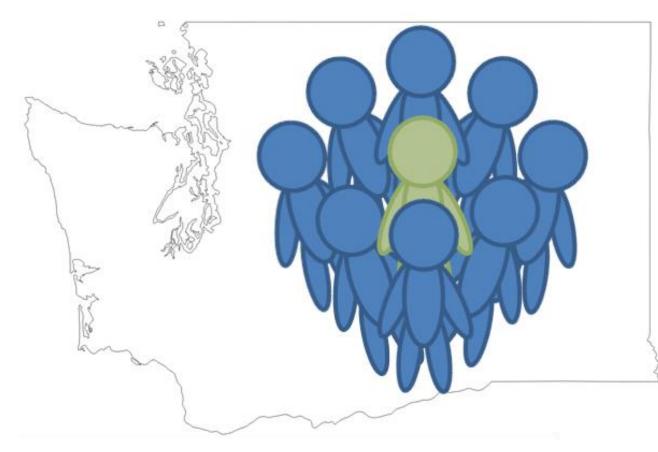


2 million

Adults in Washington have prediabetes

That is about 1 out of 3 people

### Diabetes in Washington

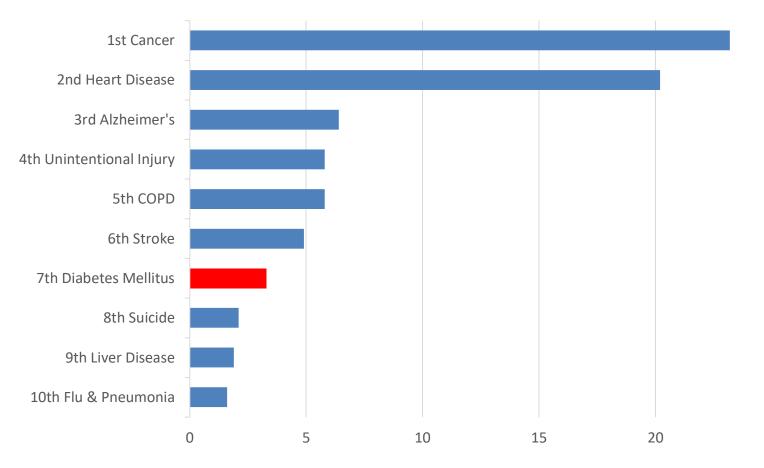


686,000

People in Washington have diabetes

That is about **1** out of **11** people

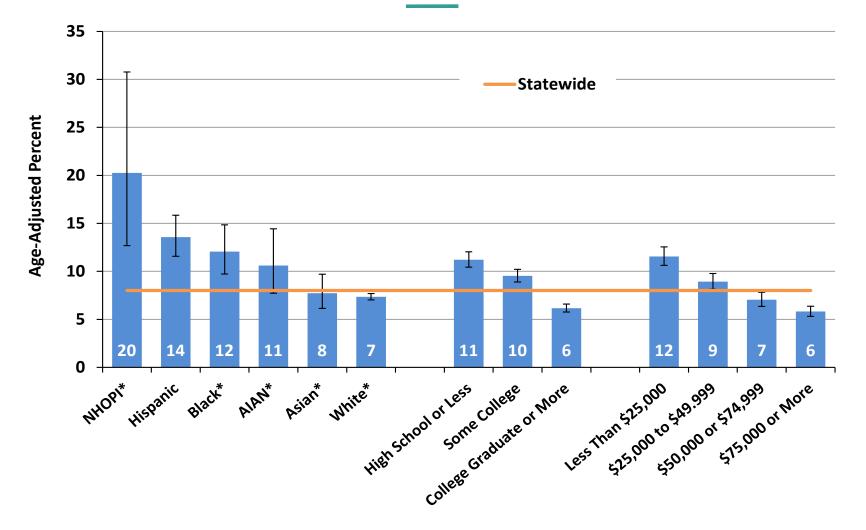
## 2015 Washington State 10 Leading Causes of Death



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### Differences in Diabetes Burden



## Risk Factors for Type 2 Diabetes

#### Non Modifiable

- o Age
- o Ethnicity
- Gender
- Family History
- History of Gestational Diabetes
- Polycystic Ovary

(but there are things that can be done to manage them)

#### Modifiable

- Weight gain
- Tobacco use
- High blood pressure
- High cholesterol
- Sedentary lifestyle
- Overweight or obesity

## Additional Risk Factors for Diabetes

#### Socially Determined

- Lower education
- Lower socioeconomic status
- Psychosocial stressors

#### Other Conditions

- Cardiovascular disease
- Acanthosis nigricans

#### • Associated

- Presence of damaging immune system cells
- Chronic glucocorticoid Exposure
- Antipsychotic therapy for schizophrenia and/or severe bipolar disease

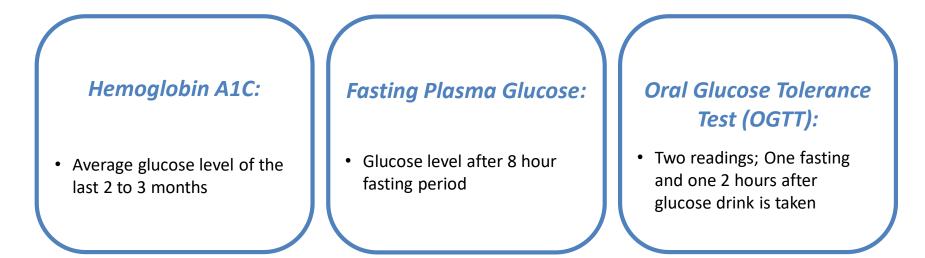
## Testing Methods



### Blood Test Values

Test	Normal	Prediabetes	Type 2 Diabetes
Hemoglobin A1C	<5.7	5.7 – 6.4	≥6.5
Fasting Plasma Glucose Levels	70-99	100-125	≥126
2-h Oral Glucose Tolerance Test	<140	140 – 199	≥200

If result is positive, a second test is needed to confirm diagnosis



## Testing for Type 1 Diabetes

Patients with type 1 diabetes often present with acute symptoms of diabetes and very high glucose levels.

- Several studies indicate that measuring islet autoantibodies in relatives of those with type 1 diabetes may identify individuals who are at risk for developing type 1 diabetes.
- Persistence of two or more autoantibodies predicts clinical diabetes.

## Managing Diabetes

Possible treatments include:
Healthy Eating, Active Living
Medication

Oral
Injectable (Insulin)

Blood glucose testing

ANYONE with diabetes should routinely see their health care provider to monitor their diabetes and help them learn to self manage their diabetes

Health care providers who specialize in diabetes care include: Primary Care Providers Endocrinologists Ophthalmologists Podiatrists Dietitians Diabetes Educators

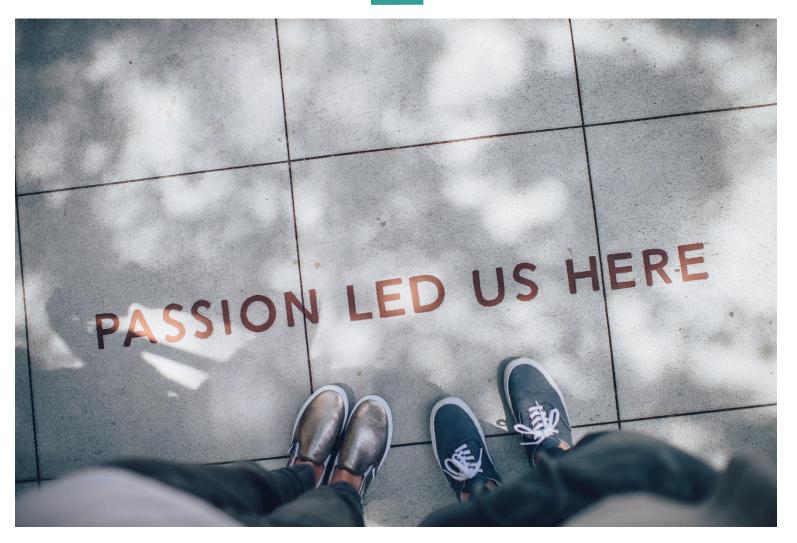
### Diabetes Treatment and Self-Management

# Clinical management <.02% of a patient's life!</li> Tests, labs, exams

- Patient self-management
  - o 98.98% of a patient's life
  - Blood glucose testing, nutrition, physical activity, taking meds, coping etc
  - Hugely determines diabetes outcome
  - Impacts quality of life
  - We as health professionals can help people gain efficacy and confidence in diabetes self-management



#### Community Health Worker Support





# 7 Self-Care Behaviors

- Healthy eating
- Being active
- Monitoring
- Taking medication
- Problem solving
- Healthy coping
- Reducing risks

### Healthy eating

- Eating a variety of nutrients
- Understand food labels
- Develop an eating plan

#### Active Living

- Think of things you like to do
- Keep track of your activity
- Mix it up



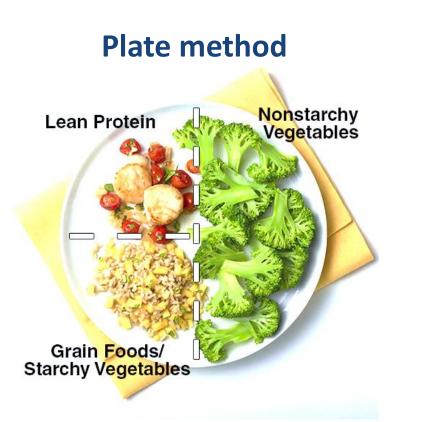


### Healthy Eating



- Meals based on:
- Lean proteins
- Non-starchy vegetables
- Whole grains
- Healthy fats
- Fruit
- Most food should be:
- Low in fat
- Low to moderate in salt and sugar

### CHWs Supporting Management



#### **Physical Activity Types**

#### 1. Aerobic Exercise

- ✓ Also known as cardio
- $\checkmark$  Helps your heart and bones get stronger
- ✓ Recommended 30 minutes a day

#### 2. Strength Training

- ✓ Also known as resistance training
- ✓ Helps maintain and build strong muscles
- ✓ Use of free weights, resistance bands or your own body weight





### Physical Activity



- Aerobic exercise: 30 minutes 5x per week
- Strength training: Twice per week
- Stretching: As often as possible
- Balance exercises: 3 or more days per week



### Monitoring

- Check glucose levels regularly
- Follow a monitoring schedule
- Monitor health status
  - o AIC
  - Cardiovascular health
  - o Kidney
  - o Eye
  - o foot

### Monitoring Diabetes

Blood glucose targets are individualized based on:

- duration of diabetes
- age/life expectancy
- comorbid conditions
- known CVD or advanced microvascular complications
- hypoglycemia unawareness
- individual patient considerations

### Self Monitoring of Blood Glucose (SMBG)

patients on multiple insulin injections or pumps should perform self-monitoring of blood glucose (SMBG) prior to meals and snacks, at bedtime and occasionally postprandial, prior to exercise, when low blood glucose is suspected, after treating low blood glucose until they are normal, and prior to critical task (driving)

#### ADA SMBG Targets

Fasting 80-130 mg/dl
Peak postprandial 1- 2 hours < 180</li>
Individualize

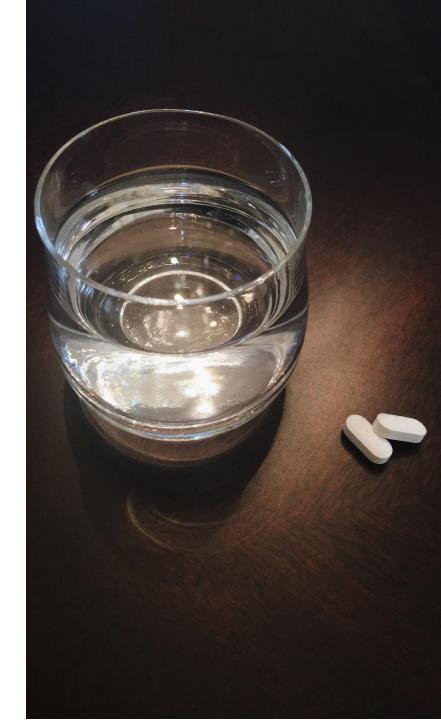
Source: American Diabetes Association, 2016

### Taking Medication

 Increase taking medications on time

• Ask:

- Why I am taking these medications?
- o What will they do for me?
- How should I fit them into my schedule?
- Will they cause side effects?
- If so, What should I do?
- Take medications as prescribed







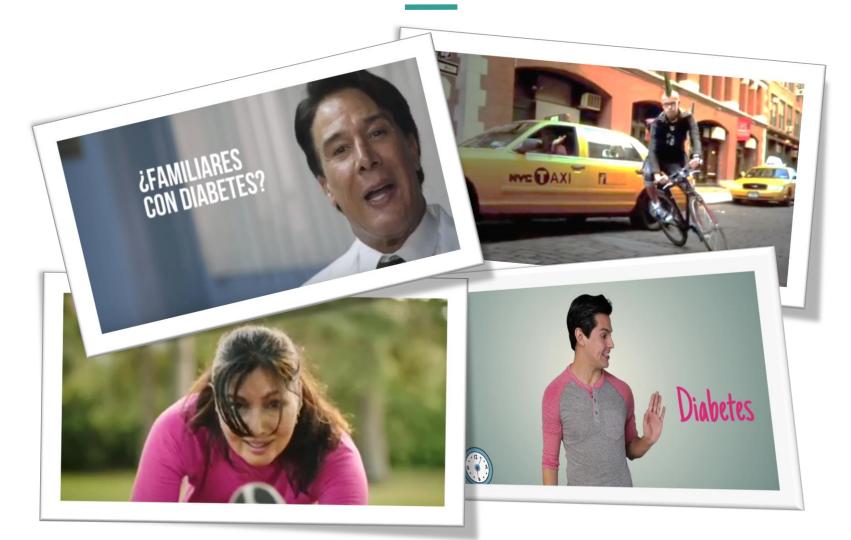
### Reducing Risks

 Understand the risks can help you take steps to lower your chance of developing diabetes or diabetes related complications

### Healthy Coping

• There are stressors that can affect you physically and emotionally. The important thing is to recognize them and take steps to reduce the negative impact



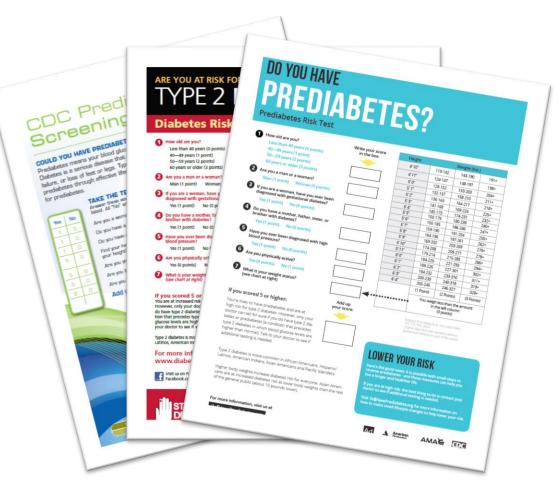


#### Awareness Campaigns



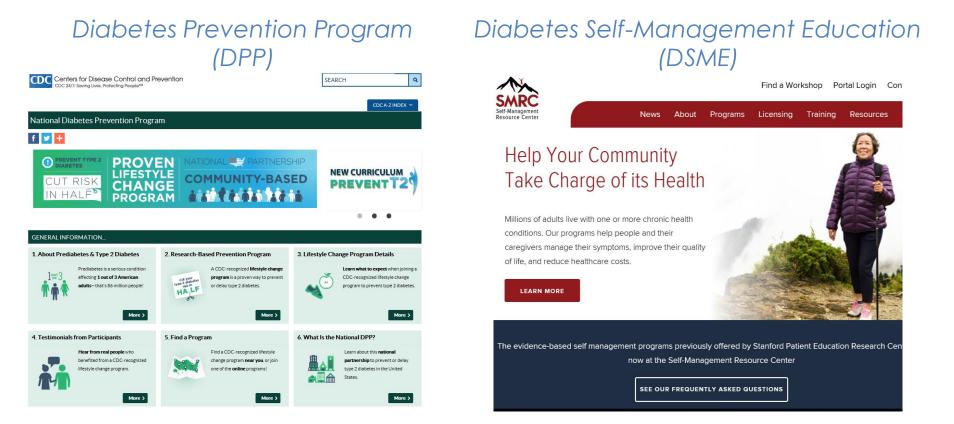
#### **CHWs Supporting Prevention**

 Encourage prediabetes screening by sharing these questionnaires with your community



#### CHWs Supporting Self-Management

Encourage participation in DPP and DSME programs

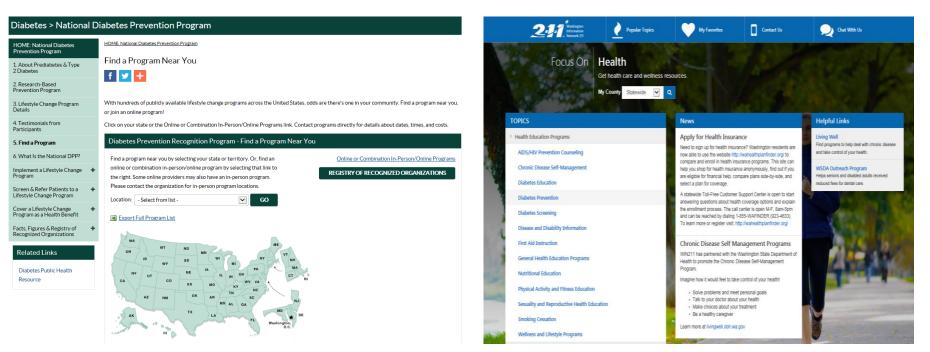


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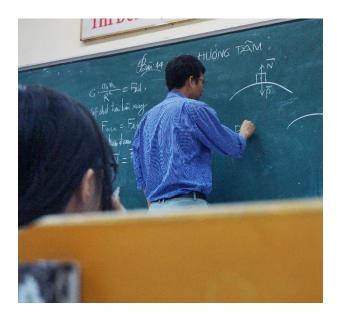
Program locators (and visits to healthcare providers!) can help guide community members to local Diabetes Prevention Programs (DPP) and Diabetes Self Management Education (DSME)

#### Center for Disease Control and Prevention

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#### Lecturing vs motivating





 Lecturing: delivering information to the patient about how to change  Motivating: eliciting information from the patient about their motivations to change



#### • Five Basic Motivational Interviewing Skills:

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### Goal Setting

- Chronic Disease Self-Management Program Self-Management Resource Center
  - 1. Something you want or decide to do
  - 2. Achievable
  - 3. Action specific
  - 4. Answer the following questions
    - What?
    - How much?
    - When?
    - How often?
  - 5. Confidence Level

#### ADA Ambassadors Initiative

- Support people with diabetes in their communities by connecting people with education and resources from the ADA
- Serve as a bridge between their communities and the ADA by communicating local needs and gaps to the ADA to inform our work
- For more information about the ADA Ambassador Training contact Kelsey Stefanik-Guizlo at <u>kstefanikguizlo@diabetes.org</u>

#### In Summary...

- Community Health Workers are a trusted member of their community and can help prevent diabetes and complications by:
  - Educating the community about diabetes
  - Encouraging community members to get screened for prediabetes and diabetes
  - Share resources about diabetes management and prevention



## **Questions?**

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