

FREE FOR STAFF!



If you're at risk for type 2 diabetes, you can make small, measurable changes that can reduce your risk and help you live a happier, healthier life. For more information, please contact 202–329–7524 or Anita.Dandeker@ymcadc.org.

Virtual Class Begins Saturday, 1/24 at 10am



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ONLY \$35 A MONTH!

Program Description

This program is a 12-month program carried out in a classroom group setting.

- Sessions 1-16 meet once per week (4 months).
- Sessions 17-19 meet every other week (2 months).
- Session 20–26 meet once per month (remaining 6 months).

Program Qualifications

Participants must be:

- At least 18 years old
- Overweight with a Body Mass Index of 25 or higher, or 23 or higher for Asian individuals
- At high risk for developing type 2 diabetes

Risk is confirmed by a blood test, a previous diagnosis of gestational diabetes, or a qualifying risk score when there is no access to a blood test.

Please Note: Individuals who have already been diagnosed with either type 1 or type 2 diabetes do not qualify for this program. Individuals with normal blood values also do not qualify for this program.

Blood Values

- A1c between 5.7 6.4
- Fasting Plasma Glucose between 100-125 mg/dL
- 2-Hour (75 gm glucola) Plasma Glucose (must be 140-199 mg/dL)

Other

Your risk is greater if:

- You have a parent or sibling with diabetes
- You are 65 years of age or older
- You are younger than 65, but lead a sedentary lifestyle

Program Goal

To help reduce your risk for diabetes, your goal in the YMCA's Diabetes Prevention Program is to reduce your body weight by 7% and increase your physical activity by at least 150 minutes per week within the first half of the program.

Classes are available to ALL individuals in the community. A YMCA membership is not required for participation in this program. Financial assistance is also available to those who qualify.

Program Cost

\$429 per person.

Please Note: Most insurance companies reimburse for the cost of the program. Please check with your provider. Reduced rates and financial assistance are available.