

# Prediabetes & Type 2 Diabetes Prevention

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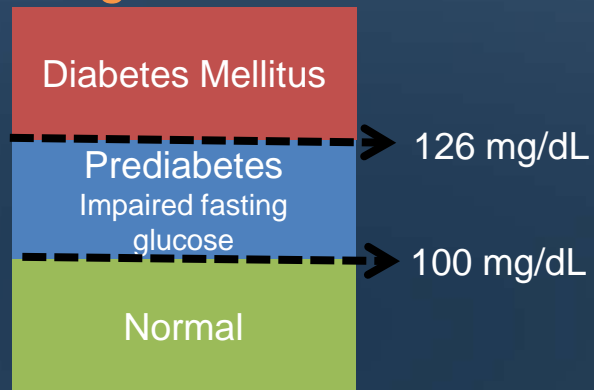
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# Learning Objectives

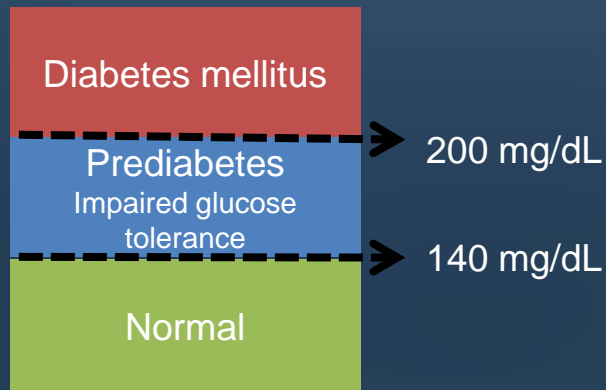
- List risk factors and clinical signs in individuals at risk for type 2 diabetes
- Identify interventions to modify risk factors to preventing type 2 diabetes
- Develop a strategic management plan to proactively screen, assess, follow-up and evaluate patients with prediabetes
- Discuss benefits of referrals to achieve target goals and objectives

# What is Prediabetes?

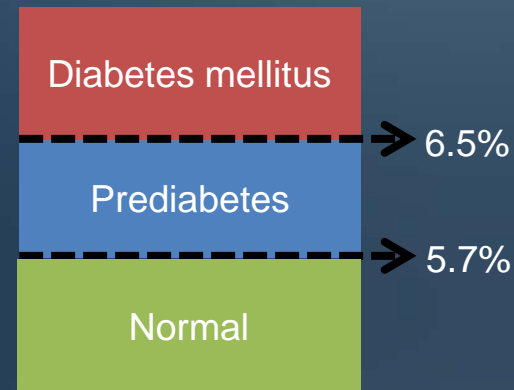
## Fasting plasma glucose



## 2-hour plasma glucose on OGTT



## Hemoglobin A1C



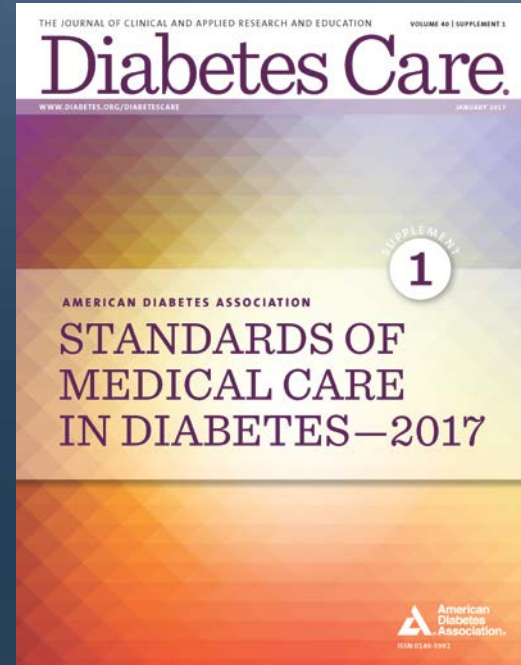
Any abnormality must be repeated and confirmed on a separate day

The diagnosis of diabetes can also be made based on unequivocal symptoms and a random glucose >200 mg/dL

# Guidelines

- Full version
- Abridged version for PCPs
- Free app
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# Prediabetes

- An important risk factor for future diabetes and CV disease
- Risk for prediabetes is a continuum
- Important to identify early and begin intervention immediately
- Interventions can reduce the rate of progression from prediabetes to diabetes
  - Healthy diet
  - Physical activity
  - Weight loss
  - Pharmacotherapy

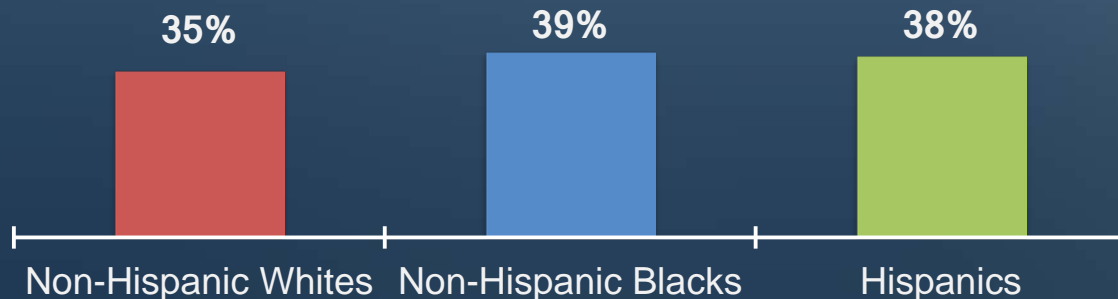
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# Prediabetes

- Not clinical entity but rather risk factors for diabetes and cardiovascular disease
- Associated with:
  - Physical inactivity
  - Obesity (especially abdominal or visceral)
  - Dyslipidemia
  - High triglycerides and/or low HDL cholesterol
  - Hypertension

# Prediabetes (NHANES 2012)

- 37% of (86 million) U.S. adults aged 20 years or older have prediabetes.<sup>1</sup>
  - Percentage was similar by race.



- 51% aged  $\geq 65$  years
- Only 11% were aware they had it.<sup>2</sup>
- In adolescents aged 12 to 19 years, prevalence of prediabetes and diabetes increased from 9% to 23%.<sup>3</sup>

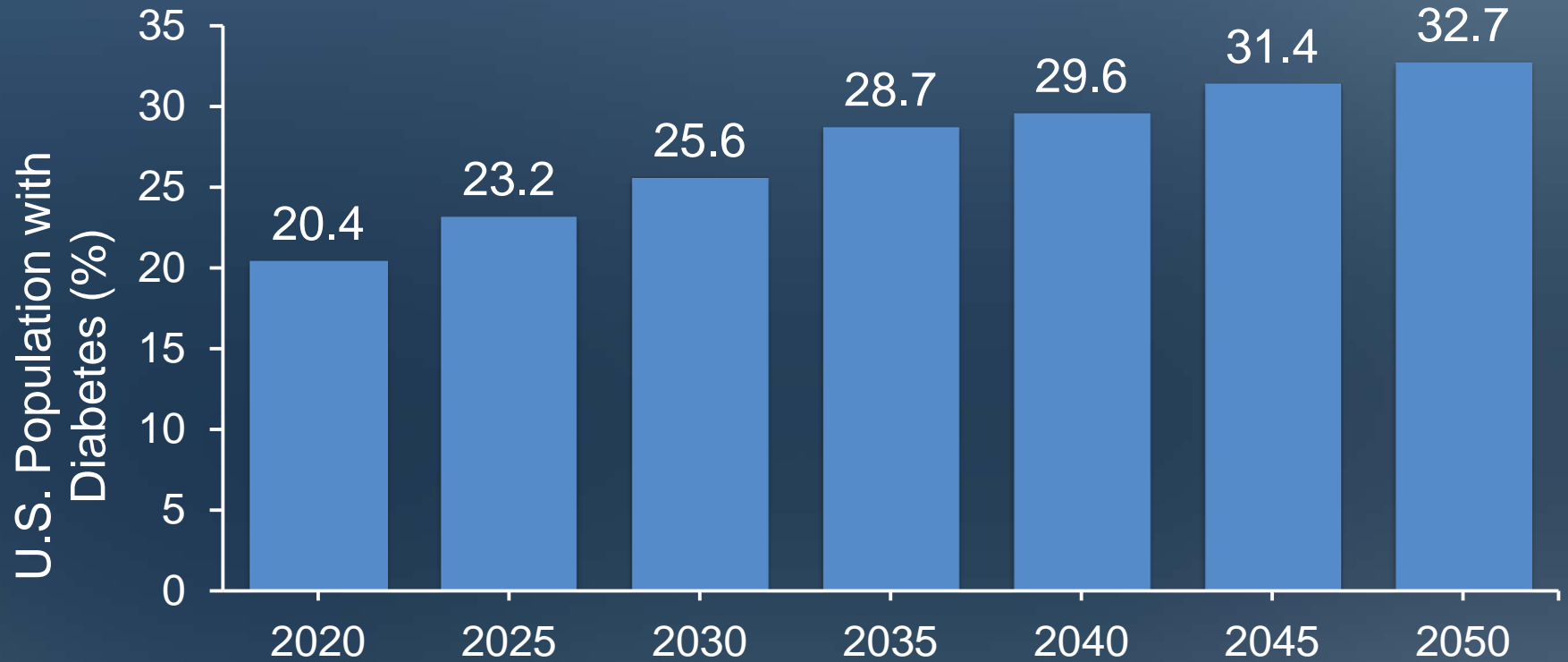
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# Projecting the Future Diabetes Population: It Is Growing



# ASSESSMENT

# Case Study

## Introduction

- Mr. N is an Asian male who just turned 45 years old. He comes in for a routine checkup a week after his birthday. He has mild asthma and is a-pack-a-day smoker but is considering quitting. He has no other health complaints and hasn't had a checkup in 3 years.
- **Physical exam:** height, 5'9" (175 cm); weight, 180 lbs (82 kg); BMI, 26.7 kg/m<sup>2</sup>; BP, 130/80 mmHg
- He is an investment banker and spends long hours at the office on his computer. He claims that he has no time to exercise. No one in his immediate family has had diabetes but his father has hypertension.



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# Case Study (cont'd)

## Diabetes Risk Test

**1** How old are you?

- Less than 40 years (0 points)
- 40—49 years (1 point)
- 50—59 years (2 points)
- 60 years or older (3 points)

Write your score  
in the box.

1

**2** Are you a man or a woman?

- Man (1 point)    Woman (0 points)

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**3** If you are a woman, have you ever been diagnosed with gestational diabetes?

- Yes (1 point)    No (0 points)

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**4** Do you have a mother, father, sister, or brother with diabetes?

- Yes (1 point)    No (0 points)

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**5** Have you ever been diagnosed with high blood pressure?

- Yes (1 point)    No (0 points)

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**6** Are you physically active?

- Yes (0 points)    No (1 point)

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**7** What is your weight status?  
(see chart at right)

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5' 5"	150-179	180-239	240+
5' 6"	155-185	186-246	247+
5' 7"	159-190	191-254	255+
5' 8"	164-196	197-261	262+
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5' 10"	174-208	209-277	278+
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6' 3"	200-239	240-318	319+
6' 4"	205-245	246-327	328+
	(1 Point)	(2 Points)	(3 Points)
You weigh less than the amount in the left column (0 points)			

If you scored 5 or higher: You are at increased risk for having type 2 diabetes.

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# Case Study (cont'd)

## Discussion Question

Should Mr. N be screened for type 2 diabetes?

- A. Yes
- B. No

# Criteria for Screening for Prediabetes in Asymptomatic Adults


## DIABETES RISK FACTORS

- Physical inactivity
- First-degree relative with diabetes
- High-risk race/ethnicity
- Women diagnosed with GDM
- Hypertension ( $\geq 140/90$  mmHg or on therapy for hypertension)
- HDL-C  $< 35$  mg/dL and/or a TG  $> 250$  mg/dL
- A1C  $\geq 5.7\%$ , IGT, or IFG on previous testing
- Other clinical conditions associated with insulin resistance, such as severe obesity, acanthosis nigricans, PCOS
- History of CVD

- Consider testing (screening) all adults with a BMI  $\geq 25$  kg/m<sup>2</sup> ( $\geq 23$  in Asian Americans) and additional risk factors
  - If no risk factors, consider screening no later than age 45 years
- If normal results, repeat testing (screening) at  $\leq 3$ -year intervals
  - More frequently depending on initial test results and risk factors
  - Test yearly if prediabetes

# Risk Assessment for Diabetes

- Be proactive in an effort to improve outcomes.
- Find out who might have risk factors.
- Ask patients to take the ADA Diabetes Risk Test.\*
- Depending on results, invite them into the office to be tested.
- If diagnosed with diabetes/prediabetes, follow up and evaluate.



## ARE YOU AT RISK FOR TYPE 2 DIABETES?

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Add up your score.

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**If you scored 5 or higher:**  
 You are at increased risk for having type 2 diabetes. However, only your doctor can tell for sure if you do have type 2 diabetes or prediabetes (a condition that precedes type 2 diabetes in which blood glucose levels are higher than normal). Talk to your doctor to see if additional testing is needed.

Adapted from Bang et al., Ann Intern Med 151:775-781, 2009. Original algorithm was validated without gestational diabetes as part of the model.

**Lower Your Risk**

The good news is that you can manage your risk for type 2 diabetes. Small steps make a big difference and can help you live a longer, healthier life.

If you are at high risk, your first step is to see your doctor to see if additional testing is needed.

Visit [diabetes.org](http://diabetes.org) or call 1-800-DIABETES (1-800-342-2383) for information, tips on getting started, and lower your risk.

Visit us on Facebook  
[Facebook.com/AmericanDiabetesAssociation](https://www.facebook.com/AmericanDiabetesAssociation)

\* Available at: [www.diabetes.org/risktest](http://www.diabetes.org/risktest)

# Identify and Treat CV Risk Factors in People with Prediabetes

## Non-modifiable

Age

Race/ethnicity

Gender

Family history

## Modifiable

Physical inactivity

Overweight/obesity

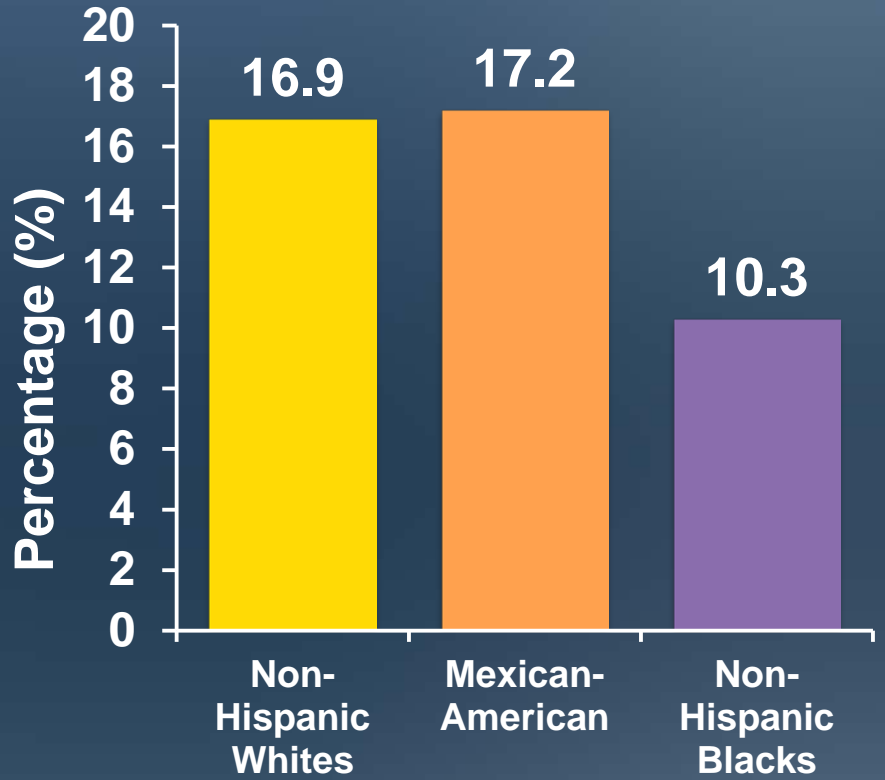
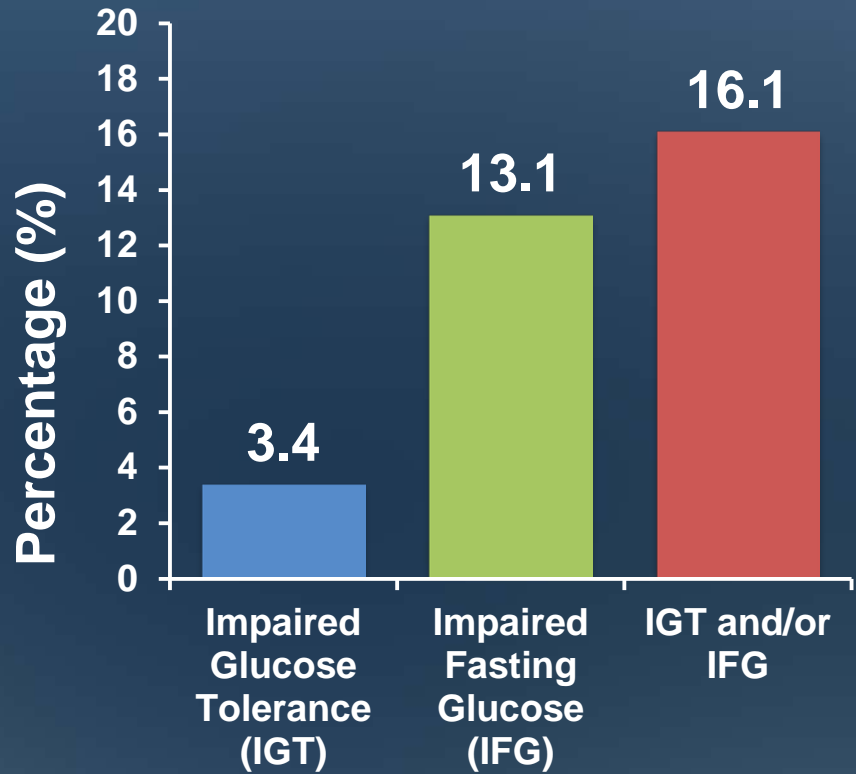
Hypertension

Smoking

Abnormal lipid levels



# Children/Adolescents – Prevalence of Prediabetes in the U.S.



Li C, et al. *Diabetes Care*. 2009;32:342-347.

# Think-Pair-Share

Mr. N mentions that he has a 15-year-old son who is overweight and his wife had GDM when she was pregnant with him.

- What are his son's risk factors?
- What steps would you recommend to Mr. N concerning his son?

# Criteria for Testing for T2DM in Children & Adolescents

- Overweight plus any 2 :
  - Family history of type 2 diabetes in 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> degree relative
  - Race/ethnicity
  - Signs of insulin resistance or conditions associated with insulin resistance
  - Maternal history of diabetes or GDM
- Age of initiation 10 years or at onset of puberty
- Frequency: every 3 years
- Test with FPG, OGTT, or A1C

# PREVENTING OR DELAYING TYPE 2 DIABETES

# Overview of Type 2 Diabetes Prevention Trials: Lifestyle Modification Intervention

- Lifestyle intervention continues to have an effect, even after 20 years

Study		n	Intervention	Treatment	Risk reduction
Da Qing <sup>1,2</sup>	IGT	577	Lifestyle	6 years 20 years	34% - 69%
Finnish DPS <sup>3,4</sup>	IGT	523	Lifestyle	3+ years 7 years	58%
Diabetes Prevention Program (DPP) <sup>5,6</sup>	IGT	3,324	Lifestyle	3 years 10 years	58% 34%

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# Diabetes Prevention Program

- Reduced type 2 diabetes by 58% over 3 years
  - 7% weight loss
  - 150 minutes of physical activity/week (brisk walking)
- Metformin as effective in participants with BMI  $\geq 35$  kg/m<sup>2</sup> and women with history of GDM

# Lifestyle Modification: *Facilitating Weight Loss*

- Initial target: 1-2 pound/week weight loss
- Long-range goal: 7% loss of body weight
- Increase physical activity to at least 150 min/week
- Individualized medical nutrition therapy

# Lifestyle Modification: *Physical Activity*

## Adults

- $\geq 150$  minutes/week of moderate-intensity aerobic activity
  - Spread over 3 or more days every week
  - No more than 2 consecutive days without exercise
- Resistance training  $\geq 2$  times/week
- Break up extended periods of sedentary time (every 30 minutes)

## Children

- $\geq 60$  minutes/day of physical activity
- For children with diabetes and prediabetes



# Achieving Healthy Eating Habits: *Plate Method*

## Non-starchy vegetables

- Spinach
- Carrots
- Lettuce
- Greens
- Cabbage
- Green beans
- Broccoli
- Cauliflower
- Tomatoes

## Grains and starchy foods

- Whole grain breads
- whole wheat or rye
- Whole grain
- High-fiber

## Protein

- Chicken/turkey without skin
- Fish (tuna, salmon, cod, catfish)
- Tofu, eggs, low-fat cheese
- Lean cuts of beef and pork



# Technology Tools for Prevention

Technology-assisted tools may be useful elements of effective lifestyle modification to prevent diabetes.

- Internet-based social networks
- Distance learning
- DVD-based content
- Mobile Applications

# Diabetes Prevention Program: 10-Year Cost-Effectiveness

- Lifestyle cost-effective, metformin marginally cost-saving vs. placebo
- Investment in lifestyle, metformin interventions for diabetes prevention in high-risk adults provides good value

# DEPLOY Pilot Study: Diabetes Prevention in the Community

- Adults BMI  $\geq 24$  kg/m<sup>2</sup>,  $\geq 2$  diabetes risk factors, blood glucose 110-199 mg/dL
- Randomized to group-based DPP lifestyle intervention or brief counseling (control)

Outcome, 4-6 months	Control (n = 38)	Intervention (n = 39)	P value (vs. control)
% change in weight	-2.0 (-3.3, -0.6)	-6.0 (-7.3, -4.7)	< 0.001
% change BMI	-2.3 (-3.7, -0.8)	-5.8 (-7.3, -4.4)	0.001
Change total cholesterol	+6 mg/dL (-2.8, 14.8)	-21.6 mg/dL (-29.9, -13.3)	< 0.001

# Overview of Prediabetes Trials: Pharmacologic Intervention

- Pharmacologic intervention provides benefit but with increased adverse effects with some drugs

Study		n	Intervention	Treatment	Risk reduction
Diabetes Prevention Program (DPP) <sup>1,2</sup>	IGT	3,324	Metformin	3 years 10 years	31% 18%
DREAM3	IGT	5,269	Rosiglitazone	3 years	60%
STOP-NIDDM <sup>4,5</sup>	IGT	1,429	Acarbose	3 years	21%
ACT NOW <sup>6</sup>	IFG	~600	Pioglitazone	3 years	81%

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# Metformin For Prediabetes

Consider metformin therapy for prevention of type 2 diabetes in those with prediabetes, especially for those with

- BMI  $\geq$  35 kg/m<sup>2</sup>
- Age < 60 years
- Prior gestational diabetes
- Rising A1C despite lifestyle intervention

# Referrals

- National Diabetes Prevention Program
- Team-based approach to care
  - Physician
  - Nurse practitioner/physician assistant
  - Certified diabetes educator
  - Registered dietitian
  - Pharmacist
  - Exercise physiologist
  - Social worker/psychologist

# Follow-up Counseling

- Shown to be important to success
- Provide follow-up screenings for the development of diabetes
  - At least every 12 months for those with prediabetes
  - At least every 3 years if screening is negative
- On a regular basis, search EHR to determine who needs to be screened/rescreened
- Continually screen for modifiable risk factors at each interaction

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# Evaluating Progress – *What to Do*

- Assess patient's concerns
- Reconcile their medications and lifestyle
- Revise the management plan as needed
  - If it doesn't work in the patient's life, it doesn't work
- Ask the patient to identify one strategy/goal they would like to accomplish
- Provide information about materials available to achieve goals, such as weight loss or physical activity log

# Follow-up Assessment Materials – *Documentation Logs*

- Use a log to track different parameters:
  - Weight
  - Calorie intake
  - Hours of sleep
  - Exercise time
  - Daily fitness and strength training

**EXERCISE LOG**      GOAL B: \_\_\_\_\_  
Track your fitness and strength training progress.

EATC: \_\_\_\_\_      WEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_      SLEEP HRS: \_\_\_\_\_      CALORIES: \_\_\_\_\_      EATC M T W T F S S

EXERCISE	HRM	SETS	REPS	WT	ECGT	TIME	EST	HR	B.T.	NOTES

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\*EATC - One Rep Max (1RM) record only      \*\*Intensity: 1140-1180 bpm is a good target for EATC  
Copyright © 2009 by Vertex42 LLC. All rights reserved.      <http://www.vertex42.com/ExcelTemplates/exercise-log.xls>  
You may make copies of this exercise log for personal use.

# Conclusions

As a member of the healthcare team,  
*YOU* can make a difference.

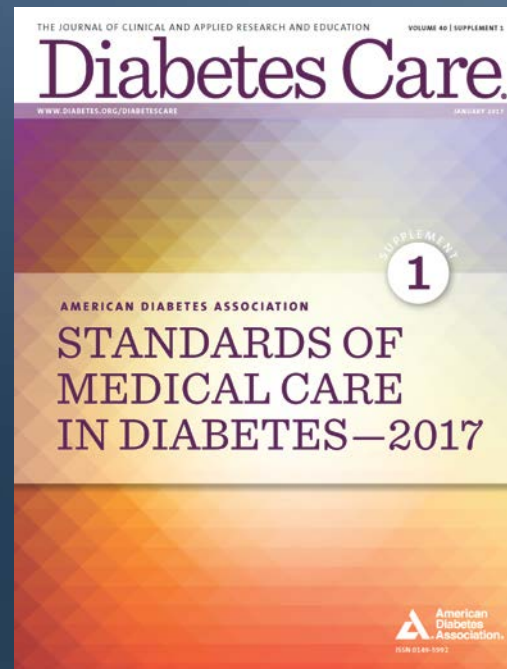
- *Only* 11% of people with prediabetes are aware they have it
- Identify those at risk for diabetes:
  - Proactively assess risk and screen/rescreen
  - Assess/advise with management strategies
  - Refer to Diabetes Prevention Program
  - Continually follow-up and evaluate
- Collaborate with other members of the healthcare team

# Helpful Resources

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# Professional Education

- Live programs
- Online self-assessment programs
- Online webcasts



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# Diabetes Self-Management Education

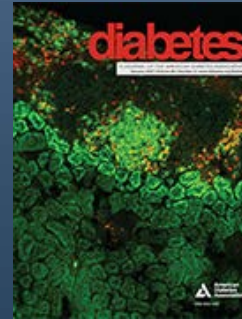
- Find a recognized Diabetes Self-Management program
- Become a recognized DSME program
- Tools and resources for DSME programs
- Online education documentation tools



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# Professional Membership

- Journals
- Meeting, book and journal discounts
- Career center
- Quarterly member newsletter



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Thank You!

# ICD-10 Codes for Prediabetes Testing

ICD-10 Code*	Procedure/documentation
R73.01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Impaired fasting glucose/<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Has yet to be diagnosed with diabetes</li></ul></li></ul>
R73.02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Impaired glucose tolerance test/<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Has not been diagnosed with diabetes</li></ul></li></ul>
R73.03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Evidence of other impairment of glucose metabolism/<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Has not been diagnosed with diabetes</li><li>- Make sure abnormal glucose levels has been documented when using this code</li></ul></li></ul>
E88.81	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● 3 of the 5 components of cardiometabolic syndrome (e.g., obese, hypertension, elevated triglycerides)/<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Must report which manifestation of the cardiometabolic syndrome the patient has</li></ul></li></ul>