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The purpose of this guide is to help patients and families find sources of information and support. This list is not meant to be comprehensive, but rather to provide starting points for information seeking. The resources may be obtained at the Mardigian Wellness Resource Center located off the Atrium on Floor 2 of the Cardiovascular Center. Visit our website at

<http://www.umcvc.org/mardigian-wellness-resource-center>

and online Information guides at <http://infoguides.med.umich.edu/home>

### Brochures, Fact sheets

- University of Michigan Health Adult Diabetes Education Program
  - **Diabetes 101: Taking Charge**  
<http://www.med.umich.edu/pdf/Diabetes-101-Taking-Charge.pdf>
  - **Diabetes: High Blood Sugar**  
<http://www.med.umich.edu/1libr/MEND/Diabetes-Hyperglycemia.pdf>
  - **Diabetes: Insulin - The Basics**  
<http://www.med.umich.edu/1libr/MEND/Diabetes-Insulinbasics.pdf>
  - **Diabetes: Low Blood Sugar**  
<http://www.med.umich.edu/1libr/MEND/Diabetes-Hypoglycemia.pdf>
  - **Diabetes: Understanding the Basics**  
<http://www.med.umich.edu/1libr/MEND/Diabetes-Basics.pdf>

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- **How Does Diabetes Effect the Feet**  
<http://www.med.umich.edu/1libr/MEND/Podiatry/HowDiabetesEffectFeet.pdf>
  
- **Foot Care for Diabetics**  
<http://www.med.umich.edu/1libr/MEND/Podiatry/FootCareForDiabetics.pdf>
  
- **National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive Kidney Diseases (NIDDK)**
  - **4 Steps to Manage Your Diabetes for Life**  
<https://www.niddk.nih.gov/health-information/diabetes/overview/managing-diabetes/4-steps>
  
  - **Choose More than 50 Ways to Prevent Type 2 Diabetes**  
<https://tinyurl.com/36uam7je>
  
  - **Know Your Blood Sugar Numbers**  
<https://www.niddk.nih.gov/health-information/diabetes/overview/managing-diabetes/know-blood-sugar-numbers>
  
  - **Diabetes and Foot Problems**  
<https://www.niddk.nih.gov/health-information/diabetes/overview/preventing-problems/foot-problems>

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- **Diabetes, Heart Disease & Stroke**  
<https://www.niddk.nih.gov/health-information/diabetes/overview/preventing-problems/heart-disease-stroke>
- United States Department of Agriculture
  - **Food Safety: For Older Adult and People with Cancer, Diabetes, HIV/AIDS, Organ Transplants and Autoimmune Diseases**  
<https://www.fda.gov/media/83744/download>

### Books

- American Diabetes Association. **American Diabetes Association Complete Guide to Diabetes**. 5th ed. Alexandria, VA: American Diabetes Association, 2011.
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### Audiovisual Resources

- American College of Physicians
  - **How to Examine Your Feet (for people with diabetes)**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qXUcqVnqnYM&feature=share&list=U UZ3SSRxKDE9vI7FRfhrKk2Q>  
Easy-to-follow information about how to examine your feet, for people with diabetes.
- **Centers for Disease Control (CDC): Diabetes Videos**  
<https://www.cdc.gov/diabetestv/index.html>  
19 videos available on prediabetes, risk factors, managing diabetes, preventing or delaying type 2 diabetes, and more.
- National Diabetes Prevention Program Videos  
<https://www.cdc.gov/diabetes/prevention/videos.html>

### Web Resources

- **Association of Diabetes Care & Education Specialists: Resources for People Living with Diabetes**  
<https://www.diabeteseducator.org/living-with-diabetes>  
This site has resources to help making living with Diabetes more manageable.

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- **American Diabetes Association**

<http://www.diabetes.org>

This site offers specific sections for recently diagnosed, diet and nutrition, diabetes prevention, treatment and research.

- **Centers for Disease Control (CDC): Diabetes**

<https://www.cdc.gov/diabetes/home/index.html>

Provides information on diabetes including videos, data and programs.

- **National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK): Diabetes**

<https://www.niddk.nih.gov/health-information/diabetes>

This site includes health information on Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases.

- **Nutrition.gov: Diabetes**

<https://www.nutrition.gov/subject/nutrition-and-health-issues/diabetes>

Includes information on diabetes nutrition and health issues.

### Michigan Medicine Resources

- **Michigan Medicine Division of Metabolism, Endocrinology & Diabetes (MEND)**

<https://www.uofmhealth.org/conditions-treatments/endocrinology-diabetes-and-metabolism>

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This comprehensive clinic allows patients with diabetes, diabetes complications and other hormone-related issues to receive state-of-the-art care and the option of participating in local and national diabetes research studies.

- **University of Michigan Diabetes Education Classes**

<http://www.uofmhealth.org/medical-services/diabetes-classes>

The University of Michigan has excellent diabetes education classes to teach adult, pediatric and adolescent patients how to care for and manage their disease. Classes are offered for all types of diabetes and cover topics such as nutrition, exercise, preventing sugar lows and highs, complications and other vital information.

### **University of Michigan Diabetes Support Groups**

<http://www.uofmhealth.org/medical-services/diabetes-support-groups>

Free support groups are available for adults and seniors living with type 1 and type 2 diabetes, as well as those who deal with complications from diabetes. The groups are led by the Diabetes Education Program staff and other affiliated U-M Health System staff, such as certified diabetes educator nurses and dietitians.



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- **Tobacco Consultation Service**

Group and individual quit-smoking programs.

For more information access:

<http://hr.umich.edu/mhealthy/programs/tobacco/> or call (734) 998-6222 or email [quitsmoking@med.umich.edu](mailto:quitsmoking@med.umich.edu)

### **Apps**

- **Diabetes: Glucose Buddy by Azumio Inc.**

- Cost: Free
- Features: Diabetes management. Tracks glucose readings you enter four times a day, plus food consumed, exercise, medication. Can set alarms to remind you to take glucose readings. You can write notes to explain unusual circumstances, such as high-carbohydrate meals. Data can be uploaded to [glucosebuddy.com](http://glucosebuddy.com) for more detailed analysis.
- Available for iTunes and Android

- **OnTrack Diabetes**

- Cost: Free
- Features: This helpful app tracks your blood sugar, food intake, medication, blood pressure, pulse, activity, and weight. You can customize categories like medicine and exercise type and export your data in several formats.
- Available for Android

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### Patient Support Organizations

- American Diabetes Association

<http://www.diabetes.org>

1-800-342-2383

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