

**The YMCA's Diabetes Prevention Program** 

If you are at risk for type 2 diabetes, you can make small, measurable changes in a group setting that will reduce your risk and help you live a healthier, happier life.

## Type 2 diabetes can often be prevented!

You can make small, manageable lifestyle changes, such as maintaining a healthy weight, increasing physical activity, and making nutritious food choices—can help many people with prediabetes prevent the progression to Type 2 diabetes.

To qualify for the Y's Diabetes Prevention Program, individuals need to meet specific criteria based on a risk quiz or blood test values.

YDPP is covered by most insurance (contact your insurance provider to verify coverage).

To get started there is a non-refundable registration fee of \$25.00\*

### Contact us if you're ready to transform your life!

302-572-9622 or communityhealth@ymcade.org www.ymcade.org/preventdiabetes/

\*Exclusions may apply to the registration fee - University of Delaware employees are exluded from the registration fee

## CHARACTERISTICS OF THE PROGRAM

- 26 classes taught during one year,
   16 weekly session, 3 bi-weekly session, then 7 monthly session.
- Taught by trained healthy living coaches
- Group support that offers motivation and support
- Access to all the Delaware YMCAs



# Prediabetes Risk Test



| 1.How old are you?  | Write your score in the boxes below | Height | Weight (lbs.)                                      |          |          |
|---|-------------------------------------|--------|--|----------|----------|
| Younger than 40 years (0 points)  | the boxes below                     | 4'10"  | 119-142  | 143-190  | 191+     |
| 40–49 years (1 point)<br>50–59 years (2 points)   |                                     | 4'11"  | 124-147  | 148-197  | 198+     |
| 60 years or older (3 points)  |                                     | 5'0"   | 128-152  | 153-203  | 204+     |
| 2 Are vell a man er a weman?  |                                     | 5'1"   | 132-157  | 158-210  | 211+     |
| 2.Are you a man or a woman?   |                                     | 5'2"   | 136-163  | 164-217  | 218+     |
| Man (1 point) Woman (0 points) ———  |                                     | 5'3"   | 141-168  | 169-224  | 225+     |
| 3.If you are a woman, have you ever been diagnosed with gestational diabetes?   | een                                 | 5'4"   | 145-173  | 174-231  | 232+     |
|   |                                     | 5'5"   | 150-179  | 180-239  | 240+     |
| Yes (1 point) No (0 points) ————  |                                     | 5'6"   | 155-185  | 186-246  | 247+     |
|   |                                     | 5'7"   | 159-190  | 191-254  | 255+     |
| 4.Do you have a mother, father, sister, or brother with diabetes?   |                                     | 5'8"   | 164-196  | 197-261  | 262+     |
| Yes (1 point) No (0 points)   |                                     | 5'9"   | 169-202  | 203-269  | 270+     |
| res (1 point) No (0 points)   |                                     | 5'10"  | 174-208  | 209-277  | 278+     |
| 5.Have you ever been diagnosed with high blood pressure?  |                                     | 5'11"  | 179-214  | 215-285  | 286+     |
|   |                                     | 6'0"   | 184-220  | 221-293  | 294+     |
| Yes (1 point) No (0 points)   |                                     | 6'1"   | 189-226  | 227-301  | 302+     |
| 6.Are you physically active?  |                                     | 6'2"   | 194-232  | 233-310  | 311+     |
|   |                                     | 6'3"   | 200-239  | 240-318  | 319+     |
| Yes (0 points) No (1 point)   |                                     | 6'4"   | 205-245  | 246-327  | 328+     |
| 7.What is your weight category?   |                                     |        | 1 Point  | 2 Points | 3 Points |
| (See chart at right)  |                                     |        | You weigh less than the 1 Point column  (0 points) |          |          |
| Adapted from Bang et al., Ann Intern Med 151:775-783, 2009. Original algorithm was validated without gestational diabetes as part of the model. |                                     |        |  |          |          |

#### If you scored 5 or higher

You are at increased risk for having prediabetes and are at high risk for type 2 diabetes. However, only your doctor can tell for sure if you have type 2 diabetes or prediabetes, a condition in which blood sugar levels are higher than normal but not high enough yet to be diagnosed as type 2 diabetes. **Talk to your doctor to see if additional testing is needed.** 

If you are African American, Hispanic/Latino American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian American, or Pacific Islander, you are at higher risk for prediabetes and type 2 diabetes. Also, if you are Asian American, you are at increased risk for type 2 diabetes at a lower weight (about 15 pounds lower than weights in the 1 Point column). Talk to your doctor to see if you should have your blood sugar tested.

### You can reduce your risk for type 2 diabetes

Find out how you can reverse prediabetes and prevent or delay type 2 diabetes through a

CDC-recognized lifestyle change program https://www.cdc.gov/diabetes/prevention/lifestyle-program.



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