#### Welcome to the Community Diabetes Education Program of Ottawa



#### **The Wellness Wheel**

The 7 Ways to Living a Long and Healthy Life with Diabetes



> Meeting the targets lowers your risk of complications

## Healthy Eating: Getting Started

1.75 hrs

- •Learn how healthy eating can improve your health and your blood glucose
- •Learn about balanced meals and how to manage portions





## Healthy Eating: Carb Counting

1.75 hrs

- •Learn which foods have carbs and how to count them
- ·Learn about food labels
- •Practice how to make healthy food choices







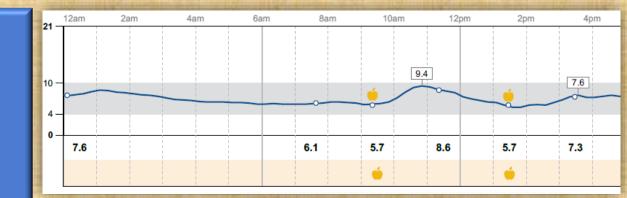
## Meters & Meds

1.5 hrs

- •Learn about diabetes medications
- •Learn what your blood glucose numbers mean for you

•Practice how to prevent and treat low blood glucose





#### **Passport to Health**

1.75 hrs

•Learn what your lab results mean

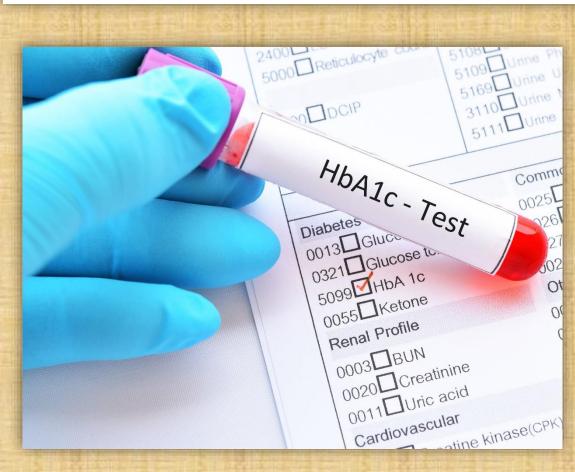
•Learn how to prevent problems from high blood glucose

•Discuss how to partner with your health care providers



#### Hemoglobin A1 C

	Name						Result		Flag	
Hemoglobin A1C/Total Hemoglobin; Blood								7.4		н
	(An age-based population)									
	NON-DIABETIC:		<	6.0	동					
	PREDIABETES:	6.0	-	6.4	髩					
	DIABETIC:		>	6.4	髩					
	OPTIMAL CONTROL:		<	7.0	髩					
	SUB-OPTIMAL CONTROL:	7.0	-	8.4	동					
	INADEQUATE CONTROL:		>	8.4	髩	(Gamma-Dynacare Medical Laborat	ories) (Lak	5552)		



## **Being Active**

2 hrs

I will not

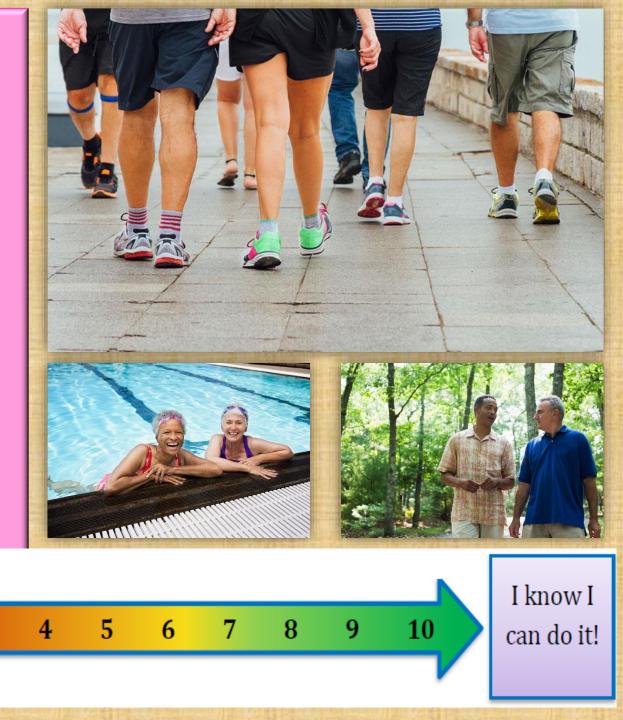
be able

to do it.

- •Learn how exercise can help you
- •Make a personalized plan
- •Try using resistance bands

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# Stress & Diabetes

•Learn about the emotional impacts of diabetes

 Discover tips & ideas for handling stress and difficult situations

•Learn how to get more support



**Tiny Habits** (7 - 14 Day Program) 40 min self-guided learning 5 min daily practice

 Learn a very useful way to start a healthy habit

 No Class! Email-based coaching

 Optional 7 days: Start habits for managing diabetes





#### **Q&A Drop-in** <sup>1 hr</sup>

- Bring your diabetes-related questions
- Learn from diabetes experts
- Connect to other helpful resources and services





#### Wellness Support 1.5 hrs

- Reflect on your health and wellness goals
- Connect, learn and share with peers in a safe and supportive environment

 Learn tips and strategies to support your journey





"I'm not alone on this journey"

"We share ideas and learn from each other"

## It's Easy to Register: Call 613-233-6655 or sign up after class!

### View Workshop Schedules Online: <u>www.diabeteseducation.ca</u>

