



Issues and Events

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

The American Diabetes Association offers a variety of continuing education opportunities and materials for health care professionals. Educational offerings include live and free online programs. For more information, including a complete list of American Diabetes Association programs, please visit professional.diabetes.org/ce.

SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

The 78th annual American Diabetes Association Scientific Sessions will be held in Orlando, Florida, on 22–26 June 2018, at the Orange County Convention Center. The largest of its kind, this meeting brings together scientists and health care professionals from around the world who are involved in diabetes research and care. Attendees choose from over 3,000 original presentations given by leading experts in the field. For more information, please visit scientificsessions.diabetes.org.

DIABETES IS PRIMARY

Diabetes is Primary will be held in Orlando, Florida, on 22 June 2018. The American Diabetes Association will bring together health care professionals interested in the clinical management of diabetes and its complications for an innovative educational initiative developed specifically for the primary care community. This initiative will offer information and tools needed to improve patient outcomes through patient engagement. For more information, please visit professional.diabetes.org/ce.

33rd ANNUAL CLINICAL CONFERENCE ON DIABETES

The 33rd Annual Clinical Conference on Diabetes will be held in Naples, Florida, on 24–27 May 2018 at the Naples Grande Hotel. It will provide a comprehensive update on the treatment of diabetes, cardiovascular disease, obesity, and comorbidities. The ADA Clinical Conference is developed specifically to provide current clinical information utilizing different teaching methods, including didactic general sessions and small-group, interactive learning opportunities. For more information, please visit professional.diabetes.org/ce.

STANDARDS OF MEDICAL CARE IN DIABETES—2018

American Diabetes Association “Standards of Medical Care in Diabetes” are based on a complete review of the relevant literature by a diverse group of highly trained clinicians and researchers. After weighing the quality of evidence, from rigorous double-blind clinical trials to expert opinion, recommendations are drafted, reviewed, and submitted for approval to the American Diabetes Association Executive Committee. To see the 2018 Standards, please visit professional.diabetes.org/SOC.

DIABETES STANDARDS OF CARE 2018 WEBCAST

Presented by William T. Cefalu, MD, Chief Scientific, Medical & Mission Officer of the American Diabetes Association, this webcast presents the key updates and highlights from the “Standards of Medical Care in Diabetes—2018.” To access the webcast, please visit professional.diabetes.org/SOC.

DIABETES CORE UPDATE PODCASTS

Diabetes Core Update is a monthly audio podcast devoted to presenting and discussing the latest clinically relevant articles from the American Diabetes Association’s scholarly journals. *Diabetes Core Update* audio podcasts are free and can be accessed through iTunes or RSS feed. For more information, please visit diabetesjournals.org/content/diabetes-core-update-podcasts.

DIABETES CARE ONLINE COLLECTIONS

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