

# LifeHelp Nutrition and Diabetes Center

## Patient Assessment Form

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Insurance Carrier: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever received diabetes education before? No  Yes  When? \_\_\_\_\_ Where? \_\_\_\_\_

### Health History

When were you diagnosed with diabetes? \_\_\_\_\_ What type do you have? 1  2  I don't know

Please list any medical conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

When was your last eye exam? \_\_\_\_\_ Last foot exam? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you smoke? Yes  (Packs Per Day \_\_\_\_\_) Never  Quit  (When?) \_\_\_\_\_

### Social History

Does anyone provide you with practical or emotional support for your diabetes? Yes  No

Do you have any possible barriers to learning? Yes  No

Hearing:  Visual:  Language:  Education:  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have financial concerns that affect your health care? Yes  No

Do you have any cultural or religious customs that may affect your diabetes care? Yes  No

### High and Low Blood Sugar

Have you had any episodes of hyperglycemia (blood sugar > 350)? Yes  No

Have you had any episodes of low blood sugar (blood sugar < 70)? Yes  No

Do you have warning signs of low blood sugar? Yes  No

Do you wear a medical ID that states you have diabetes? Yes  No

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## Blood Sugar Testing

Do you test your blood glucose at home? Yes  No  How often? \_\_\_\_\_

What type of meter do you use? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have problems testing your glucose? \_\_\_\_\_

## Nutrition History

Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any recent change in your weight: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you following any meal plan at this time? Yes  (explain) \_\_\_\_\_ No

Who is responsible for most of the food shopping? \_\_\_\_\_

Who is responsible for most of the cooking? \_\_\_\_\_

How often do you eat out? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you drink alcohol? Yes  No

Type/Frequency: Beer  Wine  Liquor  Rarely  1-3/ wk  1-2/ day  3+/ day

## Exercise Habits

Do you exercise? Yes  No

What type(s)? Walking  Bicycling  Swimming

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

How many times per week do you exercise? 1-2  3-4  5-6  More than 6

Do you have hypoglycemia (low blood sugar) during or following exercise? Yes  No

Do you have any conditions that prevent you from exercising? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any chest discomfort when exercising? Yes  No

## Behavior Change

What areas of diabetes management would you like to work on first? Nutrition  Exercise

Monitoring  Medications  Coping with it  Preventing complications  Other \_\_\_\_\_

What do you think you can do to help control your diabetes? \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewed with patient by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_