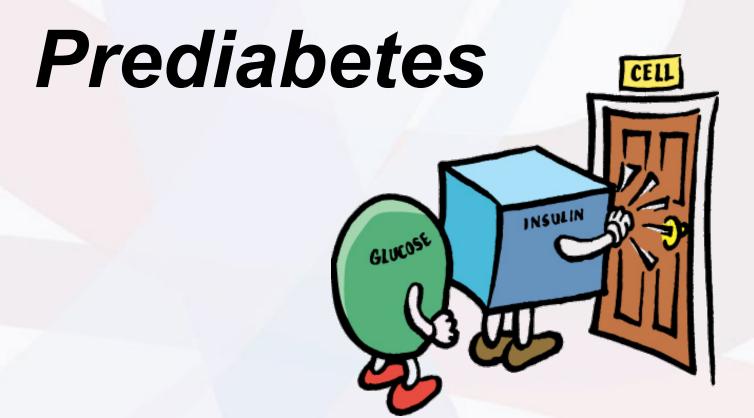
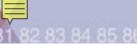
#### What this program is about ...

## Preventing or delaying diabetes



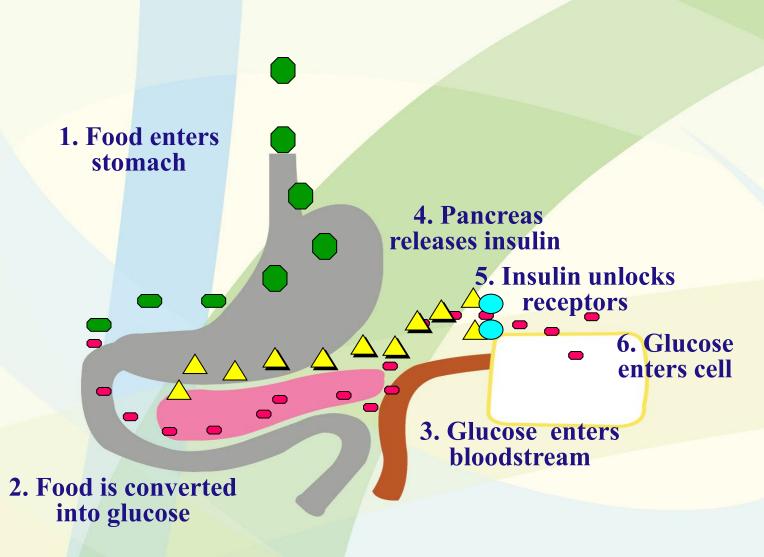


#### What are the numbers? ...

Normal: fasting blood glucose below 100

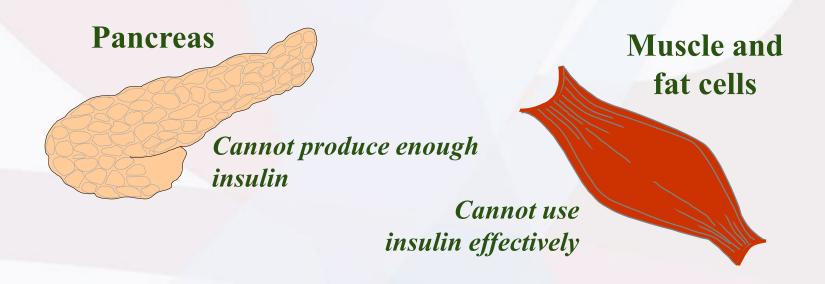
Prediabetes: fasting blood glucose between 100 and 125

Diabetes: fasting blood glucose 126 or above



#### Diabetes ...

# Body lacks insulin or is unable to use insulin effectively



#### The bad news ...

- A lot of people have Prediabetes
- The symptoms are not obvious you may not know that you have them
- It often goes untreated

## Are you at risk?

Lack of physical activity

#### Poor nutrition

Too many calories

- High-fat
- Low-fiber

 Not enough fruits, vegetables or whole grains

## Being overweight/obese

Body Mass Index (BMI) >25
 Waist circumference >40 inches



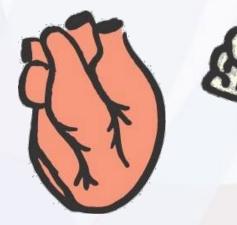
#### Other risk factors ...

- Family history of Type 2 diabetes
- History of diabetes during pregnancy
- Non-Caucasian background
- Over age 40

#### Complications of uncontrolled diabetes ...

- Cardiovascular disease
  - heart attack
  - stroke
- Blindness
- Kidney disease
- Amputation

Erectile dysfunction









#### The good news...

- Diabetes can be prevented in many people.
- Changes in lifestyle can prevent or delay the development of type 2 diabetes in 58% of those with prediabetes

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#### The good news ...

You can <u>prevent</u> or <u>delay</u> type 2 diabetes through:

More nutritious eating



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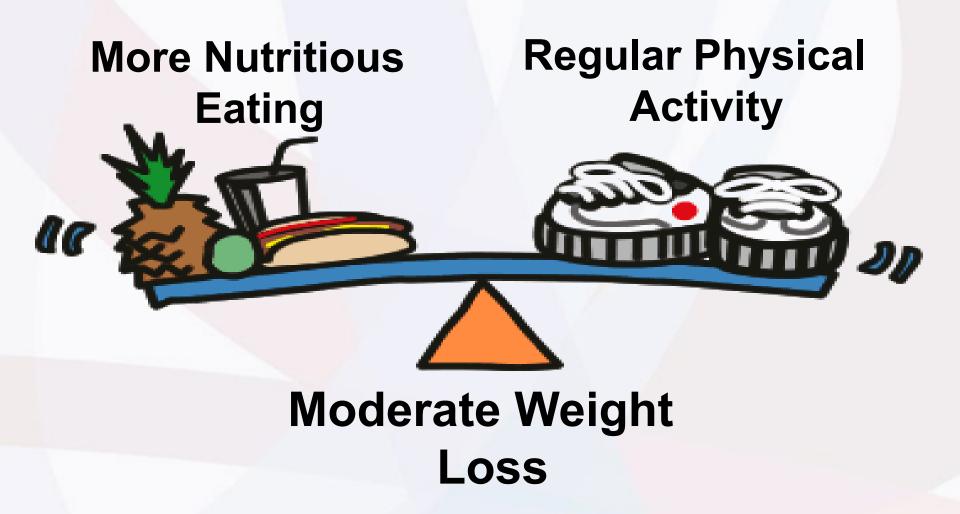
Moderate weight loss

(7% of body weight)



(150 minutes a week)

#### Balance is the cornerstone of prevention



## What is *nutritious* eating?

- Limit saturated fats (butter, cheese, fatty meats)
- Cut back on total amount of fat you eat (less oils, salad dressing, fried foods)
- Try to eat more fiber each day
- Eat fruits and/or vegetables at each meal
- Try to eat smaller meals at regular times
- Balance your total calories with your energy needs

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## **Smaller portions ...**



... Make a **BIG** difference

## What is regular physical activity?

 Brisk walking, bicycling, swimming or jogging

Start with 5-10 minutes a day,
3-5 days a week

Shoot for a total of 150 minutes a week





## What is regular physical activity?

 Purchase a pedometer to record steps

Aim for 10,000 steps a day



#### What are the benefits of exercise?

- Lowers blood glucose and blood pressure and controls cholesterol
- Strengthens heart, lung and circulatory systems
- Promotes weight loss
- Strengthens bones, increases muscle tone and stamina
- Improves quality of sleep



#### More benefits of exercise...

- Decreases stress, increases enthusiasm and optimism
- Improves blood flow to the brain
- Improves the way you feel about yourself!



## Key concepts of successful weight loss

- Weight loss happens when energy <u>output</u>
   (activity) is greater then energy <u>input</u> (calories)
- You have to burn 3,500 calories to lose 1 pound of fat
- Reducing calories and increasing physical activity must go hand-in-hand

Here's your Game Plan ...

## 1. Set your weight loss goal

- Go slowly ... set realistic goals
  - Lose 1-2 pounds a week
  - Lose 7% of total body weight in 6 months
- Use waist measurements to track abdominal fat loss
- Use total body weight to track overall weight loss

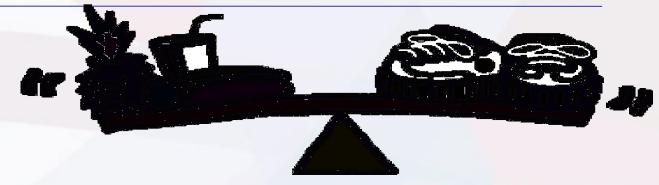
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## **Determine your daily calories...**

165 X 12 = 1,980

Current/Desired Weight Activity Factor Calories Per Day

Activity Factor	Female	Male
Sedentary	12	13
Light Active	14	15
Active	16	17
Very Active	18	20





## Daily calories needed to lose weight ...

$$1,980$$
Current Daily -  $500 =$ 
Calories

Target Daily Calories

<u>Food</u>	<u>Calories</u>	
1 glazed donut	=	210
1 12 oz. reg. soda	=	140
1 slice cheese pizza	=	200
1 cheeseburger	=	350
1 med. fries	_	400

#### And the results ...

- Calories reduced
  - -500 calories X 7 days = 3,500
- Calories burned
  - -200 calories burned x 5 days = 1,000 4,500 calories

4,500 calories = 1.3 lbs/week 1.3 lbs x 4 weeks = 5.2 lbs/month



## 3. Work your *GAME PLAN* ...

## Keep a diary ...

- Eating
  - Write down what, when and how much you eat
    - 500 calories less a day?
    - More fiber and less fat?
- Activity
  - Write down what you did and for how long
    - 150 minutes a week?
    - 10,000 steps a day?





#### 4. Monitor your success ...

Even if you haven't lost all the weight you want, monitor your other successes ...

- Are you exercising according to your plan?
- Have you improved your nutrition?
- Do you feel better about yourself?



#### Pulling it all together ...

- Set reasonable goals
- Start eating more nutritious meals
  - Reduce fat
  - Increase fruits, vegetables and whole grains
  - Reduce calories for weight reduction
- Start exercising
  - Work up to 150 minutes per week of brisk walking
- Monitor your success!
  - Keep a diary of your eating and exercise
  - Track your weight loss, fat loss and other factors
- Be patient and don't give up