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**LIST OF AGENCIES AND PHONE NUMBERS FOR DIABETES
EDUCATORS**

Truman Medical Center
2301 Holmes
Kansas City, MO 64108
816-404-1422, Pager 816-771-6933
connie.kleinbeck@tmcmed.org

Updated 5/15/03. This list is a representative of resources available, but does not include all. Feel free to add your favorites or additional resources. Many of these companies offer free samples or demo models. These were compiled from magazines, books, internet, and offers at AADE National Conferences.

❖ ORGANIZATIONS

American Diabetes Association (ADA)

1660 Duke Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
Membership information 800-232-3472
To order publications 800-232-6733
Kansas City: 10580 Barkley
Suite 40016
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-383-8210 or 1-800-676-4065 Fax: 913-383-2319
www.diabetes.org

**American Association of Diabetes Educators (AADE) *Find an educator near you
information.**

100 W. Monroe 4th floor
Chicago, IL 60603
1-800-338-3633
www.aadenet.org

American Dietetic Association

216 W. Jackson Blvd
Chicago, IL 60606-6695
800-366-1655
800-745-0775 orders

American Heart Association

7272 Greenville Avenue
Dallas, TX 75231
214-373-6300
Kansas City Area: 913-648-6727 9401 Reeds Overland Park, KS 66207
www.americanheart.org

American Academy of Ophthalmology

800-628-6733
www.aao.org

American Optometric Association

800-262-3947
www.aoanet.org

Alphapointe Association for the Blind

7501 Prospect
Kansas City, Mo 64132
816-421-5848
www.umkc.edu/stulife/volagents/vol002.html

Center for Blindness and Low Vision

816-237-2340

Kansas Division of Services for the Blind

300 Southwest Oakley
Topeka, Kansas 66606
(913) 296-4454

KS National Federation

913-339-9341

Kansas Rehabilitation for Blind and Visually Impaired

1119 N 5th St.
Kansas City, KS 66101-2305
913-279-7410

Kansas Talking Book Services

Kansas State Library
Emporia State University
Memorial Union
1200 Commercial
Emporia, Kansas 66801
(316) 343-7124 or (800) 362-0699

Missouri Rehabilitation Services for the Blind

3418 Knipp Drive
Jefferson City, MO 65109
(800) 592-6004
Jackson County: 816-929-7171 South Office 4900 Swope Parkway
Independence and North 616 E. 13th Street 816-889-2677
www.dss.state.mo.us/dfs/rehab.htm

National Kidney Foundation of Kansas and Western Missouri (offers free screenings)

1900 47 Pl
Westwood, KS 66205
913-262-1551
www.kidney.org

*Note: Call National Kidney Foundation to order quantities of brochures. Local NKF can no longer send out quantities of brochures. They can be printed from web site and copied. Local NKF can only mail patient brochure.

National Diabetes Information Clearinghouse

Box NDIC
Bethesda, MD 20892
301-654-3327

National Institute of Diabetes & Digestive & Kidney Diseases

1 Diabetes Way
Bethesda, MD 20892-3560
800-GET-LEVEL
www.niddk.nih.gov/health/diabetes/ndic.htm

◆ SUPPLIES/PRODUCTS/PRINTED MATERIALS

Abbott Laboratories Medisense Products (Precision meters)

4A Crosby Dr.
Bedford, MA 01730
800-527-3339
www.abbott.com

Aventis Pharmaceuticals (Amaryl, Lantus, Carb Counting booklet)

399 Interpace Parkway
Parsippany, NJ 07054
800-981-2491 x6000
www.aventispharm-us.com

Bayer Corporation (Glucometer Elite, Dex meters, ketone strips)

511 Benedict Avenue
Tarrytown, NY 10591
800-348-8100
www.glucometer.com

Becton Dickinson (Syringes, Patient education material)

One Becton Drive
Franklin Lakes, NJ: 07417-1883
800-237-4554
www.bd.com/diabetes

Roche Pharmaceuticals (Accucheck Advantage, Induo, meters VOICEMATE (talking meter + reads Lilly Insulin vials))

Diabetes Customer Service
9115 Hague Road
P.O. Box 50457
Indianapolis, IN 46250-0457
800-428-5074
www.roche.com www.accu-chek.com

Bounty SCA Worldwide 312-799-7000 The Diabetes Care Guide (Free sample pkts)

Bristol-Meyers-Squibb Company (Glucovance, Glucophage)

1350 Liberty Avenue
Hillside, NJ 46285
800-332-2056
www.bms.com

Inverness Medical Technology, Inc.

Cimetra Industrial Park Box 98
Chazy, New York 12921-0098
800-461-7448

www.invernessmedical.com

(Dex 4 tabs, Monoject syringe, finger
lotion, Monolet Lancets samples)

Matria/ Diabetes Self Care (Free meter training in home, insurance verification/billing, 24 hr/day)

Diabetes Management Services and supplies
800-928-8220 Fax: 800-944-1255

**Eli Lilly and Company (Insulin, patient education materials,
Pharmaceutical Division pictorial instructions)**

Lilly Corporate Center
Indianapolis, IN 46285
800-545-5979

www.lillydiabetes.com

Health Literacy Project

311 South Jupiter Street, #308
Philadelphia, PA 19107-5803
215-546-1276

ICN Pharmaceuticals

3300 Hyland Ave.
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
800-548-5100

www.instaglucoze.com

(Insta-Glucose Gel , Nitebite Free samples available with
letterhead request.)

Lifescan

(ONE TOUCH Meters, SURE STEP Meters, Profile, Ultra)

Johnson & Johnson
Milpitas, CA 95035
800-524-7226
Technical Service 800-227-8862
HCP/Order Services 800-524-7226

www.lifescan.com

Missouri PRO

(Passports to Health, other free brochures, and staff ed material)

3425 Constitution Court, Suite E
Jefferson City, MO 65109
800-735-6776
Fax: 573-893-5827

www.mpcrf.org

Novo Nordisk

(Novulin Insulin, Patient education materials,
Novo Pen and supplies)

100 Overlook Center
Princeton, NJ 08540
609-987-5800 or 1-800-727-6500

www.Novo-Nordisk.com

Owen Mumford (Lancing device, lancets, pen)

849 Pickens Industrial Drive Suite 14
Marietta, GA 30062
800-421-6936 Fax:770-426-5365
www.owenmumford.com

Paddock Laboratories, Inc (Instant glucose gel-Free samples available)

3940 Quebec Avenue N.
Minneapolis, Minn 55427
800-328-5113
www.paddocklabs.com

SmithKline Beecham Pharmaceuticals (Avandia)

One Franklin Plaza
P.O. Box 7929
Philadelphia, PA 19101
www.sb.com

Takeda Pharmaceuticals (Actos)

Millbrook Business Center
475 Half Day road, Suite 500
Lincolnshire, IL 60069
877- 582-5332
www.takedapharm.com

✓ FOOT CARE INFO**Footsaver (long handed mirror)**

2391 Circadian Way
Santa Rosa, CA 95407
1-877-379-2638
Fax 707-546-4720
www.sonic.net/~footsave/products.html

Thera Sock

301 10th Street NW Suite E-106
Conover, NC 28613
888-466-0001

Lower Extremity Amputation Prevention Program (Free sample monofilament and video)

Bureau of Primary Health Care (BPHC)
Division of Programs for Special Populations
4350 East West Hwy., 9th Floor
Bethesda, MD 20814
888-275-4772
www.bphc.hrsa.dhhs.gov/leap

North Coast Medical, Inc Free instructional video and information packet on use of North Coast Semmes-Weinstein Monofilament

187 Stauffer Blvd
San Jose, CA 95125-1042
800-821-9319 Fax: 408-283-1950

Optiscan-2000 (Illuminated wand, magnifies, use with mobility/visual impairment)
COST approx. \$250 plus Shipping/handling
800-801-5600

P.W. Minor Extra Depth shoes, will mail list of dealers in your area, video available on foot care, also have TREADEASY Socks
3 Treadeasy Ave. P.O. Box 678
Batavia, NY 14021-0678
716-343-1500
www.pwminor.com

- **INSULIN PUMP INFO**

Disetronic Medical Systems, Inc
5201 East River Rd, Suite 312
Minneapolis, MN 55421-1014
800-280-7801
www.disetronic-usa.com

Medtronic Minimed Insulin pump/supplies/training
18000 Devonshire Street
Northridge, CA 91325-1219
800-933-3322
www.minimed.com

Animas Insulin Pump
Corporate office
590 Lancaster Avenue
Frazer, PA 19355
877-YES-PUMP (1-877-937-7867)
Patient Administration Fax 877-331-7300
www.animas.com

➤ **MEDICAL ALERT INFO**

Apothecary Products, Inc.
11750-12th Avenue South
Burnsville, MN 55337-1295
800-328-2742

Goldware Medical ID Jewelry (14Kt Gold/Sterling Silver)
P.O. Box 22335
San Diego, CA 92192
800-669-7311
www.goldware-id.com

ID Technology
117 Nelson Road
Baltimore, MD
410-602-1911 inquiries, 1-877-IDBANDS (Orders only)
www.id-technology.com

Life Alert

P.O. Box 68527
Portland, OR 97268
800-223-6332

MediCheck International Foundation, Inc

800 Lee Street
Des Plaines, IL 60016
847-299-0620
www.medicool.com

Medic Alert

2323 Colorado Ave.
Turlock, CA 95382
209-668-3333 800-432-5378
www.medicalert.org

Med-I-Dent

800-942-7555

Scorpio Concepts

15537 E M-134 Box 66
DeTour Village, MI 49725
906-297-6506

SOS America, Inc.

Massapequa, NY
516-795-3960

You Name It (Interchangeable Medical ID bracelets) (*Willing to come to fairs for demo/sales)

800-360-8680 Kansas City; 816-746-4097 or 816-468-5997

□ MOUTH CARE**National Institutes of Health National Institute of Dental Research**

Bethesda Maryland 20892

Diabetes and Periodontal Disease, A Guide for Patients NIH pub. No. 97-2946 Reprinted Jan. 1997

Dental Tips for Diabetics prepared by Office of Communications

Laclede Research

15011 Staff Court
your
Gardena Ca 90248
800-922-5856

Mouthcare products for xerostomia, Biotene toothpaste,
mouthwash, gum Oral Balance moisturizing gel, How Healthy is
mouth brochure.

✓ ORGANIZERS for Carrying Supplies**MEDport Direct Wallet, Daily, or Travel Organizer, shoulder or waist belt**

23 Acorn Street

Providence RI 02903

800-299-5704

www.medportinc.com**▪ SKIN CARE PRODUCTS****Calgon Vestal**

Merk Skin products

800-523-1735

Carrington Laboratories, Inc. (DiaB products)

800-358-5205

Curel Lotion

Bausch and Lomb

Personal Products Division

1400 N. Goodman St. PO Box 450

Rochester NY 14692-0098

Dermal Therapy (contains urea Heal cream, body lotion)

Ontario Canada N5X 2N9

800-268-7200

DiabetiDerm moisturizing lotion

800-899-3116

Diapedic foot cream or Diabetic Pure Skin Therapy

Anastasia Marie Laboratories, Inc.

800-479-5232

Eucerin Cream, Lotion, and Soap

Beiersdorf Inc

301 Henry St.

Lindenhurst NY 11757

631-661-8884

MI Skin, Inc **MAY NOT be safe if have peanut allergy, ask manufacturer.

3645 Warrensville Center Road, Suite 321

Shaker Heights, OH 44122

800-754-6066

www.mifineskin.com

PureTek Corp (D-Care skin care products)

200 Parkside Drive,
San Fernando, CA 91340
(818) 361-3316 Fax: (818) 361-8722
www.d-care.com
800-754-6066

Smith and Nephew United (Skin care and wound care products)

800-876-1261
<http://wound.smith-nephew.com/us/wound/>

Swiss-American Products, Inc. (Elta lite cream, lotion, and sunscreen)

800-828-2844
www.eltalproducts.com

◆ **VISUALLY IMPAIRED/ASSISTIVE DEVICES**

ALoud (Digital Audio Labeling System for Pharmaceuticals)

ASKO Corporation

2 South Street
Stamford, NY 12167
607-652-3315

Braille Knobs and Overlays

General Electric Answer Center provides free Braille overlays and special knobs for visually impaired customers with GE, Hotpoint or post 1988 RCA major appliances. **NEED MODEL/SERIAL NUMBER** of appliance.

FREE 800-626-2000 24hr/day.

Count-a-Dose Enterprises Device to draw insulin using clicks. Audiotaped instruction

Medicool Incorporated
23520 Telco Ave. #6
Torrance, CA 90505
800-433-2469

IDENT-A-CAP Color coded Insulin vial identification cap

800-433-1477

Talking Meters require detailed forms for Medicare to provide. Must have original letter from ophthalmologist regarding visual impairment.

Lifescan METERS ONE TOUCH PROFILE has plug in voice adaptor from:

The Lighthouse 800-829-0500

LS&S 800-468-4789

Science Products for the Blind 800-888-7400 **Also has Sure Drop a teflon coated device that fits snugly over the top of the meter with a frame to scrape finger on after lancing to place drop of blood correctly Cost approx. \$30.

Muna Corporation 508-768-9000

***** Also can make raised test strip holder by using fabric puff paint around test strip area so can feel where to apply drop of blood.**

Voice attachments \$200-250

VOICEMATE (Roche)

Uses Advantage Comfort Curve Strip. Has cassette tape made especially for visually impaired as well as large print instruction book. Also has vial reader for Lilly insulin only.

Can use battery or plug in

Diabetes Customer Service

9115 Hague Road

P.O. Box 50100

Indianapolis, IN 46250-0100

800-544-7471 Voice Mail ID 5579

Customer Service 800-858-8072

Medication boxes of 28 bins for week of medications**Apothecary Products**

800-328-2742

Maxi Aids

800-522-6294

Palco Labs, Inc. **800-346-4488** **Inject-ease, Auto lancet, Loadmatic, Insul-eze magnifier**
 8030 Soquel Ave. **holds insulin vial and syringe, *can add strip of magnetic tape to**
 Santa Cruz, CA 95062 **adapt for one handed use *Can request 1 free sample for demo.***

Syringe Support Uses 100 unit syringes

Lighthouse

800-829-0500

STAT QWIK-LET Multicolor lancing device, INSUL-GUIDE colored funnel

North Miami, Florida

888-STAT-911

adaptor for insulin vials, helpful if tremors/
problems seeing port of insulin**Unicalaid Uses 50-100 unit syringes, dosing preset by sighted person**

Cleveland Sight Center

216-791-8118

➤ Other Visual/Physical Impairment Resources:

Voice of the Diabetic: Free Newsletter/tape for people who live with diabetes and visual
 573-875-8911 impairment, National Federation of the Blind, Diabetes Action Network

Cleveland Sight Center, Taping Service

216-791-8118

Dynamic Living

(Products for visual/physical disabilities. Catalog and newsletter)

www.dynamic-living.com

(888) 940-0605

Hadley School for the Blind. You, Your Eyes, and Your Diabetes

800-323-4228

Course in basic diabetes education on audiotape and in large print. Open to visually impaired and
 blind people, their immediate family members, and the people who work with them.

National Eye Health Education Program (Don't Lose Sight of Diabetic Eye Disease brochure)

2020 Vision Place
Bethesda, MD 20892-3655
301- 496-5248
www.nei.nih.gov/ (order brochures on line)

**National Federation of the Blind, Materials Center
410-659-9314**

Has American Diabetes Association Exchange Lists on audiotape and in Braille. Also has "Resource List of Aids and Appliances" on audiotape and in large print and Braille.

National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped of the Library of Congress (Talking Books)

Service available to everyone in the United States whose ability to read print is impaired. Access through any local public library. Has number of diabetes books available on audiotape. Delays may occur if a book must be ordered from another area.

Prevent Blindness America (Statistics and other information)

www.diabetes-sight.org/

Prana Publications, The Diabetic Reader (Contains ordering information for diabetes education

800-735-7726 audiotapes)

Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic

20 Roszel Road
Princeton, NJ 08540
800-221-4792
www.rfbid.org

A Guide to Making Documents Accessible to People Who Are Blind or Visually Impaired

By: Jennifer Sutton (2002)
www.acb.org/accessible-formats.html

◆ **COUGH/COLD MEDICATIONS Sugar Free/Alcohol Free**

Diabetic Tussin

800-899-3116

Scott-Tussin "Kosher" No dye, alcohol, sugar-free

Pharmaceutical Co., Inc.
Cranston, R.I. 02920-0217
800-638-7268

Safe Tussin 30 Cough Medicine

800-824-4891

● **FOOD INFORMATION**

Butter Buds Hotline

800-231-1123 M-F 9-5 Eastern Time

CHOICE DM

Mead Johnson & Co.
800-247-7893 NutriLine

Liquid or nutrition bar products for diabetes

Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.

Estee

800-34-ESTEE

Sugar Free Cookies and products Not necessarily Fat Free**Equal**

1-800-323-5316
Fax 201-804-5530

Sends Equal Educational Kit. Each kit contains materials for 50 Patients**Nitebite**

ICN Pharmaceuticals
3300 Hyland Drive
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
United States of America
(800) 556-1937

Natra Taste Sugar Substitute

800-628-7211

Sweet'N Low Hotline

800-221-1763

SWEET ONE HOTLINE

800-544-8610

• FOOD MODELS**National Dairy Council**

6300 North River Road
Rosemont, IL 60018-4233
708-696-1860-ext. 220

NASCO

901 Janesville Avenue
Ft. Atkinson, WI 53538-0901
800-558-9595

Wisconsin Dairy Council

999 Oakmont Plaza Drive, #510
Westmont, WI 60559
800-993-2479

✓ SHARPS CONTAINERS**B-D Sharps Container**

800-237-4554

Med-Safe Insulin and Lancet Disposal System

800-268-4894

▪ **OTHER JOURNALS, MAGAZINES, NEWSLETTERS, and other information**

Diabetes Interview Research, business, product updates

3715 Balboa St.
San Francisco, CA 94121
800-488-8468 Fax: 800-3241-9434

Diabetes Forecast (monthly magazine)

American Diabetes Association; subscription included with ADA membership
800-806-7801

Diabetes Advisor (bimonthly newsletter)

American Diabetes Association
800-806-7802

DIABETES Self-Management bimonthly magazine

P.O. Box 51125
Boulder CO 80323-1125

The Diabetes Educator Journal of the American Association of Diabetes Educators

800-338-3633

The Diabetes Spectrum quarterly publication of American Diabetes Association

800-232-3472

Diabetes in Control –Weekly email. Education on products, diabetes, Free CEU's available
www.diabetesincontrol.com

www.DiabetesWATCH.com/carbrefill for additional information on counting carbohydrate

GlaxoSmithKline www.DesMatter.com 1-800-345-1809 for membership information. Diabetes Education Free Patient education tools. Flip charts and information wheels in English and Spanish for diabetes, eye, foot, and heart. English or Spanish Understanding diabetes, Foot Care and Nutrition/exercise tear pads come with kit.

Diabetes Australia Multilingual Internet Resource

www.multilingualdiabetes.org/multilingualdiabetes/index.htm

Ethnic Medicine Information

www.ethnomed.org/

Food Pyramids in other languages

www.multiculturalhealth.org/

Health Literacy info

www.healthypeople.gov/

Pictograms

www.usp.org/

Prevent Blindness

www.diabetes-sight.org/