

**Ponca Tribe Diabetes Education Recognition Program
Educational Needs Assessment**

Today's Date: _____

Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Height: _____ **Weight:** _____

List all the medications and vitamins you are currently taking:

Name: _____ Dose: _____ Name: _____ Dose: _____
Name: _____ Dose: _____ Name: _____ Dose: _____
Name: _____ Dose: _____ Name: _____ Dose: _____

Do you have any of the following? (Check all that apply)

- High blood pressure Heart Problems Kidney Problems Eye Problems
- Numbness/pain, burning in feet or hands Sore feet Slow healing
- Impotence Frequent infections (urinary/vaginal) Feeling of fullness after eating; bloating

Family Members with Diabetes: Parents Brother/Sister Grandparents Grandchildren
(Check all that apply) Spouse Children Aunts/Uncles

**Do you have any special cultural or religious dietary needs? _____
or observances? _____**

Do you follow a special diet? Yes No If yes, explain: _____

Do you feel you have enough money to buy an adequate amount of food for your household?
 Yes No

Have you ever met with a dietitian? Yes No

Do you smoke/use tobacco? Yes No
If yes, how many a day? _____ Type? _____

Do you use alcohol? Yes No
If yes, how much? _____ Type? _____ How often? _____

Do you work? Yes No

Do you get any exercise other than the usual days routine? Yes No
If yes, what kind? _____ How often? _____
How many minutes/week? _____

Is your physical activity limited? Yes No
If yes, explain _____

Do you have any of the following problems: (Check all that apply)

- Vision Problems Hearing Problems Mobility Problems Loss of Sensation
- Speak other Language besides English Difficulty Reading
- Other _____

What education tools help you learn? (Check all that apply)

- Reading Listening Doing things (*hands on*) Learning with a group
- Slides or videos One on One Talking asking questions Have someone show you

What stage of change would you say you are in? (Check one)

- Pre-contemplation: not considering making changes Contemplation: uncertain about making changes
- Preparation: are currently trying to make changes Action: have been making changes for 3-6 months
- Maintenance: have made commitment to sustaining new behavior for past 6 months to 5 years

Do you have diabetes? Yes No **If you checked no, you can skip the following section and sign at the bottom.**

When did you get diabetes? _____

Circle any of the following which describe your feelings about learning how to take care of your diabetes?

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| Angry | Frightened | Optimistic | Not Necessary |
| Not Concerned | Overwhelmed | Puzzled | |

How would you rate your willingness to learn new ways to taking better care of yourself and your diabetes on a scale of 1 to 10? _____ (1 being not willing, 10 being very willing)

Do you check your blood sugar at home? Yes No If yes, how often? _____

What are your normal blood sugar results? (Circle One) 70-120 121-160 161-200 200-Over

Have you ever had a low blood sugar? Yes No If yes, how did it make you feel? _____

Have you ever been hospitalized because of your diabetes? Yes No

Check the topics you would like to learn more about in regards to your diabetes:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> What is diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Nutrition |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Coping with diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes Medications |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Monitoring blood sugars | <input type="checkbox"/> Lab Tests (<i>Cholesterol, A1C,</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exercise | <input type="checkbox"/> Footcare |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Complications | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes and Pregnancy |

Other Comments: _____

Patient Signature: _____