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Oregon Diabetes Coalition Quarterly Newsletter

The Oregon Diabetes Coalition Quarterly Newsletter is designed to keep partners and others working in the field of diabetes informed about resources, activities, and opportunities in a collective effort to improve the health and quality of life of Oregonians affected by diabetes.



Newsletter Features

American Diabetes Association

Diabetes EXPO

FREE to Attend!

**Oregon's Largest Event for People with Diabetes
Saturday, February 23, 2008, 9am – 4pm
Oregon Convention Center: Portland, OR**

Diabetes EXPO offers many activities and opportunities for people with diabetes, those at risk for the disease, friends and family members. This free education event offers:

- Access to over 70 exhibits featuring the latest products and services.
- Cooking demonstrations.
- Family area for kids with type 1 diabetes.
- El Mundo Latino features all sessions and materials in Spanish.
- One-on-one consultations with diabetes educators and pharmacists.
- Speakers addressing research, nutrition and management of diabetes.
- Screenings for blood glucose, blood pressure, hearing and sight.
- Free immunizations.
- Opportunity to purchase the latest cookbooks, menu planning guides and books about diabetes at discount prices.

Almost 4,000 people took advantage of the education and services provided by EXPO in 2007. Help inform members in your community about Diabetes EXPO by distributing brochures and placing posters in key traffic areas. Or to increase access to this event, work together with local groups to provide transportation to the Convention Center. Currently, buses are scheduled to leave from Salud Medical Center in Woodburn and Virginia Garcia in Hillsboro. Sponsors include Safeway, PacificSource Health Plans, KPTV and La Pantera radio. For promotional materials, bus schedule and additional information contact Danielle Lindsay Yoder at (888) 342-2383 ext. 7297 or via e-mail dlindsay@diabetes.org.

Important: Volunteers are needed to help with youth activities. NOTE: all adult volunteers will be required to complete a background check. For more information please contact Bev Bromfield, Program Manager at (888) 342-2383 ext. 7294 or bbromfield@diabetes.org

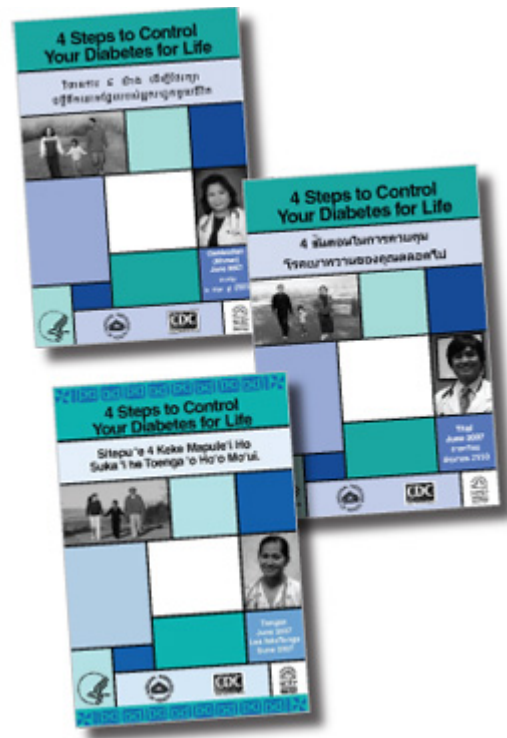
National Diabetes Education Program

4 Steps to Control Your Diabetes. For Life. Brochure

Now Available in Eight Asian American/Pacific Islander Languages!

Written for people newly diagnosed with diabetes as well as for those living with diabetes for years, the *4 Steps* brochure is now available in Cambodian, Chinese, Korean, Samoan, Tagalog, Thai, Tongan and Vietnamese.

Presented in a simple format, *4 Steps* helps people understand, monitor and manage diabetes and become active partners in their own care. It is also an invaluable resource for healthcare professionals serving Asian American/Pacific Islander communities to help educate diabetes patients about vital self-care principles.



Be sure to visit NDEP at our new Web address, www.YourDiabetesInfo.org, or call our new toll-free number, 1-888-693-NDEP (6337), to download or order free copies of the Asian American/Pacific Islander language 4 Steps brochures today!

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Coalition News

(1) Diabetes Caucus forming in Oregon

Efforts are underway to establish a legislative Diabetes Caucus in Oregon. In conjunction with World Diabetes Day, an initial meeting was held November 14th by the American Diabetes Association to introduce the concept to key Oregon legislators. The purpose of the Caucus is to form a bipartisan, cohesive and dynamic political force to address issues and development of policy that impact people with diabetes. Oregon is the second state in the US to pursue development of a Diabetes Caucus. Other diabetes caucuses exist in Colorado and at the federal level.

If you have an interest in advocacy efforts and would like to join the coalition's policy work group contact Sally Norby, Executive Director, American Diabetes Association at (888) 342-2383 ext. 7290 or by e-mail snorby@diabetes.org. To become a diabetes advocate and stay aware of policy related issues of interest to people with diabetes, sign up at <http://advocacy.diabetes.org>.

(2) Submit your success story!

This years *Oregon Progress Report* will feature success stories from partners around the state in approaching the goals in *Oregon's Action Plan for Diabetes* (find it online here: <http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/ph/diabetes/docs/2005plan.pdf>). These success stories are intended to be informal, accessible bits of information to highlight the work of the ODC. If you have a success story to report, please contact Chondra Lockwood, chondra.m.lockwood@state.or.us.

(3) Multnomah County Diabetes Coalition Update

The MCDC came together "To improve the health of all people in Multnomah County with a special emphasis on diabetes through policy, awareness, prevention, and treatment that is culturally appropriate and accessible." Volunteers and representatives from a variety of health and social service organizations meet once a month to exchange information and coordinate efforts.

The MCDC recently completed an education and resource guide for individuals seeking diabetes support – available in Spanish/English and Chinese/English. This resource has been distributed to community partners around Multnomah County. Paper copies are still available and downloadable PDF versions will soon be on the MCDC website that is currently under construction (www.mcddiabetes.org). The MCDC website will also feature a searchable database containing the information in the guide. For more information on the resource guide, contact Siobhan Maty, maty@pdx.edu. The MCDC also recently completed a survey to evaluate health knowledge about diabetes among Spanish and Chinese speaking populations. Results are forthcoming.

If you are interested in becoming involved with the MCDC, please contact Bernadine Delaney at bdelaney@ohsu.edu. The next meeting for the Coalition is February 26th from 9-11am (location to be announced).

(4) The Childhood Diabetes Database (CDD) project continues its development. State law now requires schools and physicians to report cases of type 1 and type 2 diabetes in children 18 years or younger. The goals of the project are to help determine the prevalence and incidence of diabetes among Oregon children, as well as increase research opportunities.

Statewide school reporting for the 2007-2008 school year is progressing well, with 66 public school districts and 16 private schools having already reported to the database. Implementation of the practitioner reporting process began with Oregon pediatric endocrinologists and a limited number of other practitioners. Currently 14 practitioners or clinics are actively reporting to the database. We anticipate contacting the remaining practitioners throughout the state during winter 2008.

We are seeking help to market the CDD project. Please let us know if you are willing to share information about the CDD with your partners or clients. Specifically, we want to get the word out about the CDD to health care practitioners and parents of children with diabetes. You may contact us by email at childhood.diabetes-database@state.or.us, or at 971-673-0984.

General information, reporting forms, the law, rules, etc. are available on the Web site at www.healthoregon.org/cdd. School forms and informational materials have been translated into Spanish, Russian, Vietnamese and Traditional Chinese and are available on the Web site. If you have questions or need further information you may contact Kam Delaney or Kim Carter at 971-673-0984.

(5) 2008 Diabetes EXPO, February 23rd, Portland Convention Center volunteers needed

The Oregon Diabetes Coalition and Oregon Adult Immunization Coalition (OAIC) have teamed up to bring free vaccinations to attendees at the Diabetes EXPO. This annual event, put on by the American Diabetes Association, draws more than 4,000 visitors.

The clinic will run from 9am to 4pm on February 23rd. We welcome volunteers interested in staffing the outreach booth, helping with paperwork, or doing vaccinations. We will have a pharmacy preceptor so pharmacy students can immunize. We also welcome currently licensed RPhs, RNs, NPs, NDs, MDs, DOs, and PAs. Nursing students are also welcome but to vaccinate they must have a professor from their college present. We will be offering pneumococcal shots, adult/pediatric flu shots, and Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis) shots. Refreshers on outreach or vaccine administration will be provided to those interested.

If you are interested, please contact Bryan Goodin to find a schedule that works for you. Attendance at the EXPO is free. This is a great event with many fun activities and great exhibits.

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971-673-0472

(6) On January 24th, the American Diabetes Association (ADA) released a report in the *Diabetes Care* on the economic costs of diabetes in the U.S. The report finds that the burden of diabetes will likely exceed \$174 billion annually, an increase of 32 percent since 2002. – Visit <http://care.diabetesjournals.org/misc/econcosts.pdf> for the 'Diabetes Care' report.

The findings suggest that out of the \$174 billion, \$116 billion is spent on medical expenditures and \$58 billion in reduced national productivity, such as work-related absenteeism, reduced productivity at work and at home, unemployment from chronic disability and premature mortality. The largest cost for care under medical expenditures includes:

- Hospital inpatient care (50% of cost);
- Diabetes medication and supplies (12%);
- Retail prescriptions to treat diabetes complications (11%); and
- Physician costs (9%).

Individuals with diabetes have medical expenditures at about 2.3 times higher than among those without diabetes. The average cost incurred among individuals with diabetes is \$11,744 per year, of that \$5,649 is attributed directly to diabetes.

The authors note that the burden falls primarily on insurers as payers of medical costs, employers who experience productivity loss, and individuals and their families who may experience reduced earnings and employment opportunities as well as incur higher out-of-pocket costs. Ultimately the cost burden affects all of society through an increase in higher insurance premiums and taxes, reduced earnings, and lower quality and standard of living. The ADA notes that \$1 in \$5 health care dollar in the U.S. is spent on caring for individuals diagnosed with diabetes. The study did not analyze health care system administrative costs, over-the-counter medications, research and infrastructure development, and physician training.

To see an estimated cost of diabetes in your state, visit <http://www.diabetes.org/advocacy-and-legalresources/cost-of-diabetes.jsp>

(7) For Safety, NHLBI Changes Intensive Blood Sugar Treatment Strategy in Clinical Trial of Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease – Visit <http://www.nih.gov/news/health/feb2008/nhlbi-06.htm> for full press release.

The National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) of the National Institutes of Health has stopped one treatment within a large, ongoing North American clinical trial of diabetes and cardiovascular disease 18 months early due to safety concerns after review of available data, although the study will continue.

Statement from the American Diabetes Association Related to ACCORD Trial Announcement: Visit http://professional.diabetes.org/News_Display.aspx?CID=60440&TYP=9

Diabetes Study Partially Halted After Deaths – The New York Times (February 7, 2008): Visit <http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/07/health/07diabetes.html?ex=1360126800&en=3e2a7bb1438805da&ei=5124&partner=permalink&expod=permalink>

(8) HB 3486 Update: An HB 3486 Advisory Committee has been developed; their task is to develop policy and funding recommendations and a strategic plan to slow the rate of diabetes caused by obesity in Oregon. The recommendations and plan need to be completed in early 2008 to be ready for the legislative session in 2009. Visit <http://www.leg.state.or.us/07reg/measpdf/hb3400.dir/hb3486.a.pdf> to see the copy of the Bill.

The following has been taken from the ODC Administrative Committee 2/1/08 meeting summary:

Three meetings have been held since the end of November and two more sub-committee meetings will be held in February before the group comes together in March and May. The group split into two subcommittees; (1) evidence-based screening and redesigning primary care, and (2) prevention and cultural competency. The strategic plan will cover obesity, pre-diabetes, and diabetes, and address prevention, early detection, management, and the social determinants of health. It has been suggested that the strategic plan focus on physical activity and nutrition as separate issues, in addition to the topics listed above. The 3486 committee will present a strategic plan, policy recommendations, and funding recommendations back to the 2009 Legislature.

For more information, contact Jean Anderson at 971-673-0984 or jean.r.Anderson@state.or.us.

ODC Workgroup Updates

(1) Access to Diabetes Data

The goal of the Access to Data Workgroup is to ensure that accurate diabetes data are integrated, accessible, and used. The workgroup members have been assisting in compilation of data sources for the ODC *Oregon Progress Report on Diabetes*. This year the plan is to issue a separate report on *The Burden of Diabetes in Oregon*, allowing the progress to be the focus of the *Progress Report*. The next meeting of the workgroup will focus on preparing a work plan for the upcoming year – identifying new data sources, creating new and updated fact sheets, and identifying the needs for the web-based data center. If you are interested in learning more about the Access to Data Workgroup, please contact Chondra Lockwood, Research Analyst, Oregon Diabetes Program, chondra.m.lockwood@state.or.us.

(2) Awareness & Education

This Workgroup worked with the Quality Health Systems Workgroup in revising the ODC Care Cards. The revised cards have been printed, and will be available to order on-line soon. The card is currently being translated into Spanish. This Workgroup has also been working with McGee and Evers Consulting, Inc. in developing the Diabetes Resource Bank (a collection of easy-to-understand, low-literacy diabetes education materials). Five patient education handouts have been developed, and three more are currently underway. To view the Diabetes Resource Bank, visit: <http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/ph/diabetes/resourcebank/index.shtml> The Workgroup looks forward to determining priority projects for 2008 at the ODC Workday on 3/9/08. All are welcome to join this fun and interactive group!

(3) Policy & Advocacy

See 'Diabetes Caucus forming in Oregon' and 'House Bill 3486 Update' under 'Coalition News'.

(4) Quality Health Systems

Since mid-2007 on the ODC Quality Health Systems Committee workgroup has been active to improve the diabetes care card. Those efforts stemmed from input from: providers, health plans, IPA, county healthcare, ADA, and diabetes educators. Also, we'd partnered with Oregon Diabetic Coalitions Awareness and Education workgroup. The next QHSC meeting is being planned for February 2008 with the focus of reviewing the State Diabetes Plan and the Process Improvement Plan (PIP) all toward the orchestration of the workgroups efforts. Then on March 7th the ODC Workday Planning Session will convene to frame this years overall diabetes goals and the steps to achieve them. The work of electronic tracking systems, continuity of care, ease of access, and P4P are our current objectives. For questions or interest in joining this workgroup please contact, Brad Hall at bhall@acumentra.org or 503-382-3935.

Resources

(1) Safe At School Program

The American Diabetes Association offers free education for school staff about diabetes and its management needs in the school setting. Education addresses what is diabetes, low and high blood sugar, management needs and a new addition - pump management tools, benefits and cautions. In 2007, the American Diabetes Association provided 57 school trainings reaching 617 school staff in Oregon and SW Washington. To access such services, see the attached flyer for more information about services for schools and parents of children with diabetes. To schedule a training or for questions contact Bev Bromfield, Program Manager, American Diabetes Association at (888) 342-2383 ext. 7294 or bbromfield@diabetes.org.

(2) Diabetes Council, References and Resources: January 2008 (National Association of Chronic Disease Directors) - see attached pdf.

(3) Diabetes Atlas, 3rd Edition (International Diabetes Federation) – visit <http://www.eatlas.idf.org/>

A unique resource on diabetes. Covering 215 countries, the Diabetes Atlas provides data on a wide spectrum of topics, from epidemiology to economics.

"The Diabetes Atlas firmly confounds what many have believes for so long; once thought of as a disease of affluent counties, type 2 diabetes is now a growing burden on developing economies." – Prof. Martin Silink, IDF President

(4) Food Marketing Resources

Prevention Institute Food Marketing Policies

A chart listing media company policies on food marketing to children is posted at:

http://www.preventioninstitute.org/sa/documents/cmp_licensed_characters.pdf

Model State Legislation on Food Marketing in Schools

The Center for Science in the Public Interest has posted model state legislation on food marketing in schools at:

<http://www.cspinet.org/nutritionpolicy/>

(5) Need more information? Join the Living Well listserv!

Living Well maintains a statewide listserv for Trainers, Leaders, health professionals, and those interested in self-management. Members share information, announcements, and tips for implementing Living Well, Tomando, and PSMP programs. Stay connected for information on upcoming trainings, useful data, and media trainings.

To sign up for the Living Well listserv, visit http://listsmart.osl.state.or.us/mailman/listinfo/livingwell_or

(6) New Eat Well Website Launched!

The Oregon Public Health Division's Fruits and Vegetables Program now has a website! Visit <http://www.healthoregon.org/eatwell> to find resources, read the latest news and discover ways to promote fruits and veggies wherever you are.

Events & Trainings

(1) Jim Hansen Memorial Symposium
(Program for families with children with type 1 diabetes)

The American Diabetes Association and the Children's Diabetes Network present the *Jim Hansen Memorial Symposium* in conjunction with Diabetes EXPO on February 23rd from 10am – 12pm at the Oregon Convention Center. Featured speaker is Desmond Schatz, MD, Professor and Associate Chairman of Pediatrics, University of Florida in Gainesville. Youth activities will also be provided. For registration information and additional details contact Bev Bromfield, Program Mgr, American Diabetes Association at (888) 342-2383 ext. 7294 or by e-mail bbromfield@diabetes.org.

(2) You can now register for the March 4 statewide Annual Living Well Forum in Eugene!

This year's Forum will be held from 8am -4 pm on Tuesday, March 4 at the Valley River Inn in Eugene. Learn more about the Forum and planned agenda, as well as registration information, at www.healthoregon.org/livingwell - under the section for "Statewide Annual Forum". There is no cost for attending the Forum, and travel reimbursement is available for active Leaders and coordinators of Living Well programs (including Tomando and PSMP). The deadline for registering and making a hotel reservation is **February 18**.

We're looking forward to another great day of networking, sharing success stories, and learning. We're particularly excited to have Dr. Halstead Holman as our keynote speaker this year, sharing his experience and insights into how self-management programs interconnect with health care and health systems.

Please feel free to forward this information to other Leaders and to key partners that you think might benefit from participating. And we'll hope to see you in Eugene!

(3)

2008 ODC Annual Workday
Friday, March 7th
8:30 - 3:30pm
Holiday Inn, Wilsonville

Registration required by February 18, 2008
See attached documents for registration form and Workday Agenda

Agenda topics include an introduction to Oregon's Action Plan for Diabetes, Workgroup updates and development of yearly work plans (Awareness & Education, Policy & Advocacy, Data and Quality Health Systems), Coalition member updates and networking.

This is your opportunity to help determine the focus of Coalition activities for the next year. All are encouraged to participate.

Please contact Kam Delaney at kathryn.m.delaney@state.or.us or 971-673-0984 for more information.

(4) Volunteer Group Leader Training: Living Well with Chronic Conditions

The United Way of Lane County 100% Access Coalition will be conducting a training for volunteer group leaders to facilitate the Stanford Chronic Disease Self-Management Program, "Living Well with Chronic Conditions"

The training will consist of 4 days; all materials and lunch are provided. There is no charge to attend. Anyone attending must be associated with an organization licensed by Stanford to provide the Living Well program. Training is conducted by Master Trainers certified by the Stanford University Patient Education Research Center who have extensive experience facilitating the program in the community.

Dates and times: Monday and Tuesday, March 10 and 11, 2008, 9 am to 4 pm And Monday and Tuesday, March 17 and 18, 2008, 9 am to 4 pm

Location: PeaceHealth RiverBend Annex, 123 International Way, Springfield, 97477

Upon successful completion of the training, volunteer group leaders will be qualified to co-facilitate, "Living Well with Chronic Conditions." Volunteers with the 100% Access Coalition will receive a stipend and mileage for facilitating programs.

For more information contact:

Beverly Cridland, Program Coordinator and Master Trainer
Gerontology Institute at Sacred Heart Medical Center
541-687-6234 (press 2)
Voice mail 541-349-7274

(5) Webconference Workshop: The Obesity Challenge in Public Health: Integrating Best Practices into Culturally Competent, Family-Centered Solutions

An Interdisciplinary Distance Learning Workshop

10 or more continuing education credits for your professions!

(RD, RN, OT, PT, SLP, social work, case managers, educators, psychologists, physicians, and others)

Register Now for March 13-14, 2008 Workshop!

Time: 7 – 2:30pm; Location: OHSU, Shriner's Hospital; Cost: Free (\$20 lunch fee)

For the workshop flyer, visit:

<http://www.utmemo.edu/bcdd/training/community/Obesity%20Challenge%20Files/Obesity%20Conference%20brochure%20page%201.pdf>

For registration information, visit: <http://www.utmemo.edu/bcdd/training/community/Obesity%20Challenge.htm>

For questions about attending the Portland site, contact Liz Adams, PhD, RD.

Oregon Health & Science University

phone: 503-494-0981

email: adamse@ohsu.edu

(6) The Women's Health Network Steering Committee is pleased to announce our 2008 lecture series, Nourishment: Exploring the Many Facets of Food - How local, state and national food policy affects what we eat

Visit <http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/ph/wh/docs/whnflyer08.pdf> for more information.

(7) Interested in offering Living Well at your organization? Need more trained leaders? Sign up now for one of the upcoming 2008 trainings!

To offer a Living Well program, organizations must have a license from Stanford University (see <http://patienteducation.stanford.edu/licensing/>) and provide two trained Leaders for each workshop. It is strongly recommended that Leaders be individuals living with a chronic condition and that at least one individual be a peer Leader (i.e., not a health or social service professional). It is also very helpful if Leaders have completed a Living

Well program as a participant prior to being trained as a Leader. Participants must attend a full Leader Training and facilitate a program to become a Leader.

Upcoming Leader Trainings:

Newport: March 17-25th, 2008 from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Lincoln County Health and Human Services. To register or for more information, contact Jennifer Loyd at 541-265-6611 ext. 2432 or email jloyd@co.lincoln.or.us

Portland: May 5 and 6, 12 and 13, 2008, Portland (location TBA), 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. To register or for more information go to www.healthoragon.org/livingwell/ or contact Tammy Pierce at 971-673-0984 or email tammy.j.pierce@state.or.us

(8) Focus on Prevention of Diabetes -
American Diabetes Alert, March 25, 2008

The American Diabetes Alert brings national attention to diabetes risk factors and its impact when left undiagnosed or untreated. At the center of the Alert is the American Diabetes Risk test, a seven question written test used to assess the risk for type 2 diabetes and the need for additional evaluation by a health care provider. The goal of this event is to reach the 6.2 million Americans who are unaware they have diabetes as well as the 54 million Americans with pre-diabetes. Activities to conduct in your community include distribution of the risk test (available in English, Spanish, Chinese and Korean), use of prepared displays or newsletter articles, e-mail banners that link to the risk test at <http://www.diabetes.org/risk-test.jsp>, proclamations by the mayor or lighting of local buildings in red to signify American Diabetes Alert Day. To follow-up on risk test results, be sure to have information about local resources available should treatment be indicated. Supporting materials (including public service announcements for radio and TV) are available by contacting Bev Bromfield, Program Manager, American Diabetes Association at (888) 342-2383 ext. 7294 or bbromfield@diabetes.org.

(9) Oregon Diabetes Educators Association will hold their Annual spring conference, ODE On The Move, on April 18 and 19 in Portland at the historic Embassy Suites Hotel in downtown Portland. This year ODE has gathered an outstanding group of speakers to address a variety of areas of interest to people working with those touched by diabetes. There are locally and nationally known speakers providing fun, information-packed, sessions.

Link to the brochure and registration form at: http://www.odenet.org/default.asp?pg=about_general

(10) Save the Date: Upcoming Continuing Education Opportunities for Health Care Providers

- June 6-10, 2008 American Diabetes Association 68th Scientific Sessions, San Francisco, CA http://professional.diabetes.org/Congress_Display.aspx?TYP=9&CID=58000
- October 24, 2008 American Diabetes Association, Annual Diabetes Practice Update, Oregon Convention Center, Portland, OR. Look for more information in the spring or call 1-888) 342-2383 x7294.

E mail: bcriland@peacehealth.org

For questions about the Newsletter, the Oregon Diabetes Coalition, the Oregon Diabetes Program, or Oregon's Action Plan for Diabetes, please contact Carrie Washburn Beck at 971.673.0984 or carrie.l.washburn@state.or.us. To view Oregon's Action Plan for Diabetes, visit <http://egov.oregon.gov/DHS/ph/diabetes/docs/2005plan.pdf> To view the most recent Progress Report on Diabetes, visit <http://egov.oregon.gov/DHS/ph/diabetes/docs/progrpt06.pdf>.

Would you like to join the ORDiabCoalition listserv? Sign up at:
<http://listsmart.osl.state.or.us/mailman/listinfo/ordiabcoalition>

If you have items to be included in the next newsletter (scheduled for release April 21, 2008), please forward this information to Carrie Washburn Beck at carrie.l.washburn@state.or.us.

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