



Influencing Policy Around Diabetes

Diabetes Alert!

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Diabetes Canada

VISION

To have a world free of the effects of diabetes

**END
DIABETES**

MISSION

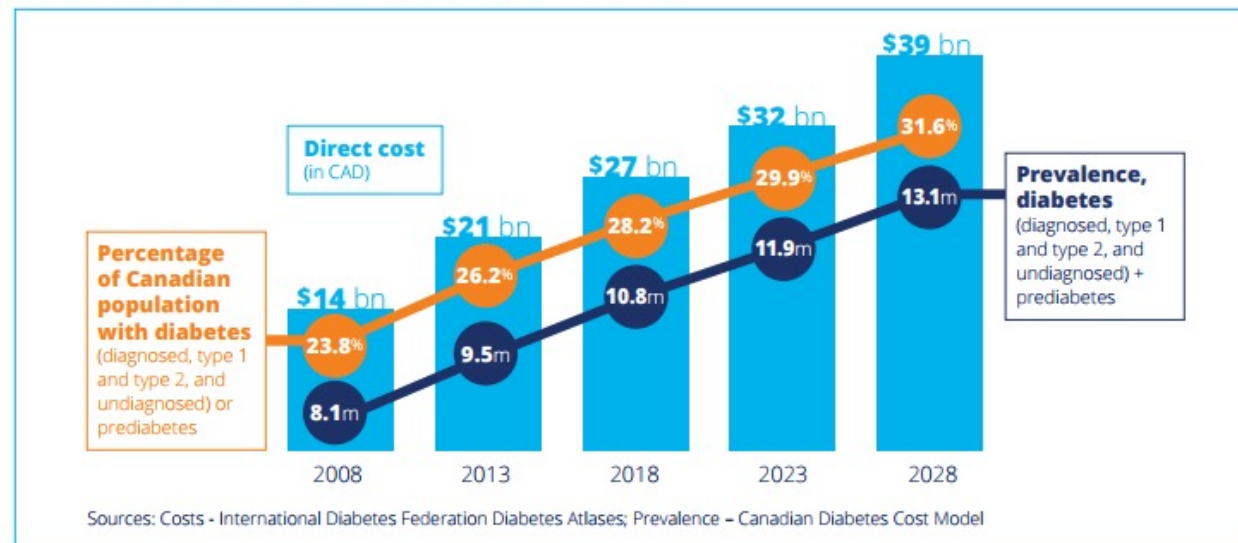
To lead the fight against diabetes by:

- ❖ Helping those affected by diabetes live healthy lives
- ❖ Preventing the onset and consequences of diabetes
- ❖ Discovering a cure

Diabetes is a problem getting markedly worse

- Directly affects 1 in 3 Canadians
- Growing at a rate of more than 40% per decade

Economic Impact of Diabetes in Canada



EVERY
24
HOURS...



More than **20 Canadians** die
of diabetes complications

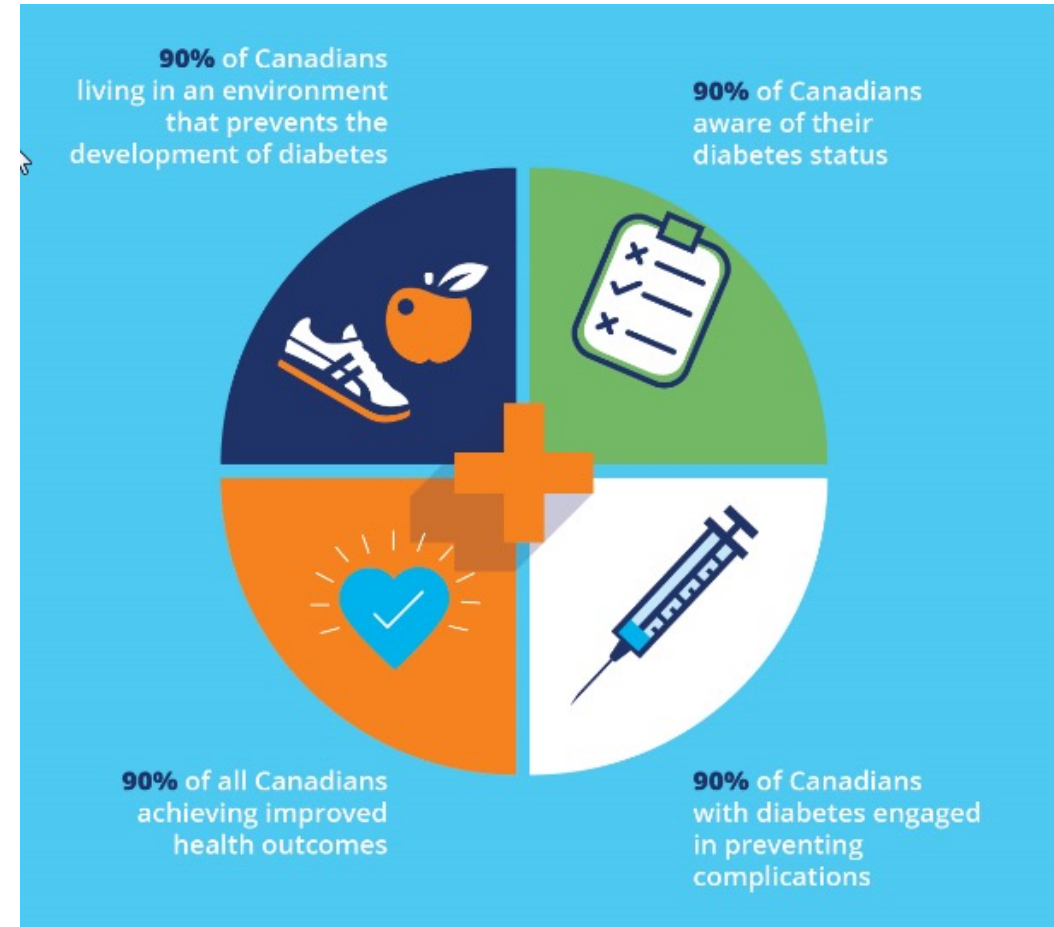
620 receive a diagnosis of diabetes

14 have lower limb amputations

Our health care system spends
\$79 million treating diabetes

Diabetes 360°: A comprehensive solution

- A comprehensive framework to prevent and manage not only diabetes but *all* chronic diseases.
- Based on the successful 90/90/90 target used in HIV/AIDS
- An improvement on previous strategies because of its strong foundation of data on patient health outcomes
- Diabetes is an excellent disease to “test” with this framework because it can be empirically measured at all stages of the disease.



Diabetes 360° is a framework for our policy and advocacy work

In progress City project

Cities Changing Diabetes Programme

Type 2 diabetes is affecting a growing number of residents in Mississauga at an alarming rate. This programme will provide us with tools, resources and partners to prevent the rise of Type 2 diabetes in Mississauga.



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Accessible Insulin Pump Roundtable

On May 19, 2021, organizations representing Canadians with sight loss, Canadians living with diabetes, government, academia and insulin pump manufacturers, met to discuss the inaccessibility of available devices that help people manage their diabetes effectively.

Diabetes, Biologic Drugs, and Biosimilar Insulins

Position statement

Thank you