Prevention

# **Exercise and Diabetes Management**

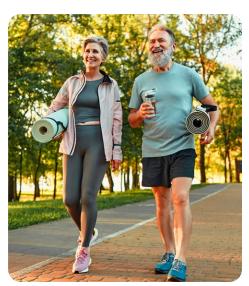
Regular physical activity can help improve blood sugar control, reduce the risk of complications, and boost overall health.

### **Benefits of Exercise for People with Diabetes**

- Improved Blood Sugar Control: Exercise helps your body use insulin more effectively.
- **Weight Management:** Physical activity can help you maintain a healthy weight, which is crucial for diabetes management.
- **Reduced Risk of Heart Disease:** Regular exercise can lower your risk of heart disease, stroke, and other cardiovascular complications.
- Boosted Mood: Exercise can help reduce stress and improve your mental health.
- Better Sleep: Physical activity can improve sleep quality, which is important for overall health.

## **Tips for Incorporating Exercise into Your Routine**

- Start Slowly: Begin with low-impact activities like walking or swimming and gradually increase the intensity and duration of your workouts.
- Choose Activities You Enjoy: Find activities that you find fun and motivating, such as dancing, biking, or hiking.
- Consult Your Doctor: Before starting a new exercise program, consult with your healthcare provider to ensure it's safe for you.
- Monitor Blood Sugar Levels: Check your blood sugar levels before, during, and after exercise to avoid hypoglycemia.
- Stay Hydrated: Drink plenty of water before, during, and after your workout.
- Listen to Your Body: If you experience pain or discomfort, stop and rest.



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