

The University of Oklahoma's Harold Hamm Diabetes Center serves as a catalyst for eradicating the diabetes epidemic through cuttingedge research focused on progress toward a cure for diabetes and its complications, dramatically improved patient care for those suffering from the disease, and programs aimed at preventing people from developing the disease before it starts. The center has facilities in Oklahoma City and Tulsa as well as affiliated sites across the state.







RESEARCH

Our coalition of diabetes researchers is one of the most diverse and topfunded in the world, leading to new discoveries.

- ► National leader in the TODAY Study advancing the treatment of children with type 2 diabetes
- ▶ Training the next generation of diabetes researchers through our NIH-funded Institutional Development Award
- ► Examining the origins of childhood diabetes, obesity, and metabolic diseases
- ► Substantial, lasting partnerships with tribal nations across Oklahoma
- ► Custodian of the world's largest prize for diabetes research

PATIENT CARE

HHDC's team of adult and pediatric endocrinologists, educators, and other multidisciplinary specialists is among the nation's largest for diabetes care.

- ▶ Clinical care for adults and children with all types of diabetes
- ▶ Clinics in Oklahoma City and Tulsa, with satellite partnerships statewide
- ► Wavelengths program for young adults transitioning to self-managed diabetes care
- ► Multiple clinical trial opportunities for patients of all ages
- ► Gestational diabetes care for pregnant women and their babies
- ► Support groups for adults, children, and families

EDUCATION & PREVENTION

HHDC leads the charge to curb the epidemic and effects of diabetes through a variety of programs.

- ► Camp Blue Hawk welcomes kids with type 1 diabetes every summer
- ▶ Our annual Diabetes Care Summit provides up-to-date continuing medical education to hundreds of physicians and other professionals
- ► Free diabetes screenings, lectures, and educational outreach at community events across the state
- ▶ Partnering with businesses to encourage diabetes awareness and prevention among employees
- ► PreventT2 lifestyle intervention program is proven to cut diabetes risk in half for adults with prediabetes

DIABETES IN OKLAHOMA

1 IN 3 Oklahomans has type 2 diabetes or is prediabetic | 389% rise in diabetes incidence since 1994 **\$4.3 BILLION:** Annual cost to the state for type 2 diabetes | **4th:** Oklahoma's national ranking for diabetes deaths

Sources: Diabetes in Oklahoma Fact Sheet, Oklahoma State Department of Health, 2014; and U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

For more information on Harold Hamm Diabetes Center programs and activities, visit





