

Diabetes Prevention & Control Program (DPCP) – Maine CDC
HIGHLIGHTS – FEBRUARY 2010

- DPCP has submitted its application for continued funding from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) in Atlanta for funding for the grant year March 29, 2010 – March 28, 2011
- A copy of the ME DPCP 2010-2011 Annual Work Plan can be requested from the DPCP. Objectives and Strategies are outlined in the Annual Work Plan related to the following initiatives and activities:
 - Partnering with MaineGeneral Prevention Center, and Maine Cardiovascular Health Program to pilot an intervention at Gardiner Family Practice to identify patients with elevated blood pressure and pre-diabetes and insure that patients are referred and have access to self-management resources to assist in managing their blood pressure and pre-diabetes
 - Marketing of the Ambulatory Diabetes Education and Follow-up (ADEF)/Diabetes Self-Management Training (DSMT) Program and the Stanford Chronic Disease Self-Management Program
 - Provide technical assistance and training to the following: Maine’s Native American Tribes, Healthy Maine Partnerships (HMPs), Telephonic Diabetes Education & Support (TDES) Program, State of Maine’s Department of Adult Mental Health , diabetes educators statewide including offering of the 3 – day ADEF/DSMT New Instructor Training Program twice per year, partnering with the Maine Association of Diabetes Educators (MeADE) to offer the statewide Diabetes Annual Conference for Health Professionals
 - Collaboration with other Maine CDC Chronic Disease and Health Promotion Programs in partnership with HMPs to identify and promote utilization of chronic disease community self-management resources & supports; and to help worksites statewide to assist employees with information and supports to manage their chronic conditions
 - Facilitate production of Diabetes & Cardiovascular statewide Strategic Plan 2010 – 2015
 - Monitor and analyze diabetes data for program planning
 - Partnering with Maine CDC’s Cardiovascular Health Program and Partnership for Tobacco Free Maine (PTM) Program to develop a health communication campaign to population of persons with diabetes who use tobacco about the risks associated for cardiovascular disease and lower extremity amputations.