Helping to carry the health of our community forward

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Full Circle Diabetes Program

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Building Community Supports for Diabetes Care

The Minneapolis American Indian Center—Ginew / Golden Eagle Program in collaboration with the Native American Community Clinic received funding from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation to plan, foster and expand community supports for diabetes care.

Through sharing their wisdom and visions for a healthier future, the Diabetes Community Council leads this initiative. The council is made up of Elders, young adults and others who are passionate about a new awakening to empower our community to overcome diabetes. During our planning phase, we:

- Shared challenges of living with diabetes
- Explored current resources to encourage community collaborations
- Created a testimonial video to raise awareness of diabetes
- Developed the Full Circle Diabetes Program activities to support our loved ones living with diabetes and to prevent diabetes among our children

Full Circle Diabetes Program

Diabetes Education
Join us for our monthly Diabetes Breakfasts and Dinners

Supportive Talking Circles
"We need to help each other live"
Gain strength from the life stories of our people

Physical Activities
Active steps towards a healthier future

Intergenerational Sharing Events
Celebrating the strength of our community

Medical Case Management
Advocacy at Native American Community Clinic
Promotion of timely medical care and follow-up
Support in goal-setting for exercise & nutrition

Advocacy for Resources
Assistance with diabetes supplies

Transportation to Activities
Rides available within South Minneapolis

Diabetes Community Council

The Diabetes Community Council continues to build supports for diabetes care by reaching out to our community, sharing the wisdom of their years of living with diabetes, and advocating for systemic change.

"By providing support, we will help others fight diabetes"

Supportive Outreach
Providing Encouragement & Connectedness
Referrals to Full Circle Diabetes Program

Community Sharing
Testimonial Video
School & Conference Presentations
Informational Booths

Advocacy
Creating broader support through policy and environmental recommendations
Collaborating with community agencies