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**Ambulatory Referral to ADA Recognized Program for
 Diabetes Self-Management Training/Education**

****Send recent labs and last chart note for eligibility and outcomes measuring: A1C, Lipids, Microalbumin/ACR, OGTT, CBC, CMP**

Patient Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	DOB	Insurance write in or provide front/back copy of card(s)
Phone	Diagnosis (Fill in ICD-10 Code and Description) _____			Description: _____

Exercise: Patient is medically cleared to exercise Exercise restrictions: _____

Referral Reason(s): New diagnosis Gestational Diabetes Pregnancy & Diabetes Preconception Pre-DM At Risk for DM
 Annual Needs Assessment Hyperglycemia Hypoglycemia High risk for complications from diabetes New complicating factors
 Change in treatment Transitions in Care Surgical Clearance Other _____

Reason patient not able to learn in a group: NA Vision Physical Hearing Dexterity
 Cognitive/Memory Language _____ Check if Interpreter Required: Other _____

Comprehensive Diabetes Self-Management Training, Education & Support (DSMT)

Non-Medicare: Individual or Group DSMT provided based on coverage and patient's individualized need(s) *Coverage varies*

Medicare initially allows 10 hrs of education in a group within 12 months. 1 hr may be an individual visit. *A Medicare compliant reason must be indicated on referral if more than 1 hr will be individual instead of in a group. 2 hrs/yr of follow-up education is then allowed in a group or individual format.*

Initial 10hrs: **Group** **Individual:** *Must indicate reason (above) individual visits are required* **Follow-up** 2 hrs can be group or individual
 Or Initial _____ hrs Or Follow-up _____ hrs

Medicare requires record of lab values to cover DSMT ****If patient has Medicare the following must be included with initial DSMT referral order:**

- Fasting blood glucose (BG) ≥ 126 mg/dl on 2 separate occasions OR Result #1 _____ (date): _____ Result #2 _____ (date): _____
 - 2 hr post glucose challenge ≥ 200 mg/dl on 2 separate occasions OR Symptoms with Result _____ (date): _____
 - Random BG ≥ 200 mg/dl with symptoms of uncontrolled diabetes Symptoms _____
- Medicare does not accept A1C as valid diagnostic criteria**

All Core Topics covered in class &/or individually in comprehensive, follow-up/ annual, & 'Additional Services' diabetes education visits.
 Training Content (curriculum options) to be delivered per patient's individual need as assessed by Diabetes Educator.
 OR Specify Content (**optional, not generally recommended**): Describe diabetes disease process and treatment options Develop strategies to promote health & behavior change
 Use medications safely & for maximum therapeutic effectiveness Incorporate physical activity into lifestyle Develop personal strategies to address psychosocial concerns
 How to prevent, detect, & treat chronic complications How to prevent, detect, & treat acute complications Monitor, interpret, & use results for self-management decisions
 Incorporate nutritional management into lifestyle Other _____

Diabetes Prevention Program (DPP): Coverage varies. Pre-Diabetes education or Diabetes Prevention Program based on pt's diagnosis and program availability

DSMT and medical nutrition therapy (MNT) are individual and complementary services to improve diabetes care. Both services may be ordered in the same year.
Research indicates MNT combined with DSMT improves outcomes. Consider also referring for MNT using the MNT referral form.

As the physician or qualified practitioner, I hereby certify that I am managing this beneficiary's diabetes condition and that the above prescribed training is a necessary part of the management plan to ensure therapy compliance and/or to provide the beneficiary with the skills and knowledge to manage the beneficiary's diabetes.

Signature (No stamped signatures) _____ **Time:** _____ **Date:** _____ **Phone:** _____
Printed Provider Name _____ **NPI:** _____

