

New Horizons Award in Diabetes Education

The mission of the Lions Clubs International Diabetes Awareness and Action Program is:



“To conduct and support local and large-scale effort leading to the control and treatment of diabetes and its complications through education, prevention and research.”

The award certificate should be presented to the (one) outstanding **Lions club in the district** who has been the most active in promoting diabetes education, control and prevention within the club’s community and/or district.

Examples of diabetes educational activities may include:

- Organizing and conducting a ***Strides: Lions Walk for Diabetes Awareness*** event
- Participating in the Lions Eye Health Program (LEHP)
- Providing support to local health care professionals in organizing and conducting diabetes screening events
- Participating in special events such as Diabetes Awareness Month (November) and World Diabetes Day (November 14)
- Distributing diabetes information at community health fairs or Lions events
- Providing support to a recreation camp for adults and/or children with diabetes
- Presenting a diabetes awareness program to members of the community
- Donating diabetes educational books to the local library, schools, adult centers, or other community locations
- Utilizing resources and information gathered from the country’s official diabetes associations

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