We relentlessly combat diabetes, aiming to prevent, cure, and enhance the lives of those affected. With over 133 million Americans impacted, our urgent vision strives for a diabetes-free existence.

Our extensive network of

| 565,000 VOLUNTEERS | 12,000 HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS | 350 STAFF MEMBERS | 1.3M MONTHLY WEBSITE USERS |

drives this vital mission

The American Diabetes Association® (ADA) is dedicated to ensuring equitable access to healthcare, breaking barriers, and fostering innovation in diabetes prevention and care.

RESEARCH

Research fuels our fight against diabetes. Since 1952, the ADA’s research program has empowered brilliant scientists, translating discoveries into clinical practice.

171 ACTIVE RESEARCH GRANTS

52 NEW RESEARCH PROJECTS

Our Pathway research program has spawned

15 STARTUPS

45+ PATENTS

300 PUBLICATIONS

The ADA’s Standards of Care in Diabetes play a pivotal role in shaping clinical diabetes management by providing evidence-based guidelines that improve patient care, influence global practices, promote health equity, and serve as a cornerstone for education and training in the healthcare community. Our trusted publications distill cutting-edge research, including the Standards of Care, reaching millions of professionals worldwide.
ADVOCACY
The ADA drives groundbreaking policies championed by over 400,000 ADA advocates nationwide. From Capitol Hill to state legislatures, we relentlessly pursue impactful reforms for the diabetes community.

Expanded CGM access to 6.47M people
Achieved $35 insulin price caps
Addressed 25,000+ cases of diabetes discrimination

COMMUNITY
Our community programs and initiatives exist to serve the diabetes community by promoting healthy lifestyle changes, fostering connections, and advancing health equity for all.

~50,000 people annually through our Center for Information
11,000+ attendees at the ADA's 83rd Scientific Sessions
100,000+ campers, families, and volunteers in 74 years of ADA Camp

Delivered 1M+ lbs. of healthy food