



DPAC Mission: To provide statewide leadership to prevent and control diabetes and reduce its impact in Michigan.

DPAC Vision: DPAC is an active, unified collaboration in Michigan to prevent and reduce diabetes and its complications.

DPAC Guiding Principles: We believe every adult and child in Michigan deserves access to a healthy environment, affordable, appropriate and timely care and support that minimizes the risk of developing diabetes and its complications.

Coalition Values

- Exchange information and promote awareness of programs;
- Identify needs of our partners;
- Maintain a diverse membership; and
- Encourage honest and open communication.

Organization Structure to support Coalition Values

- **Coalition Membership is open** to any organization or individual whose mission aligns with DPAC.
- The Coalition will convene an expert **Advisory Panel** when needed. DPAC Members will be invited to serve on the panel. The panel could be activated to address changes in science, guidelines or communication needs.
- MDHHS will support and convene an **Annual Planning Team** to include DPAC members. This team will coordinate an **Annual Forum** (conference).
- MDHHS will support the DPAC **website** with current information, educational opportunities and connections with other programs.
- MDHHS will facilitate **Coalition Communications** through email updates, Forum topics and evaluation tools.