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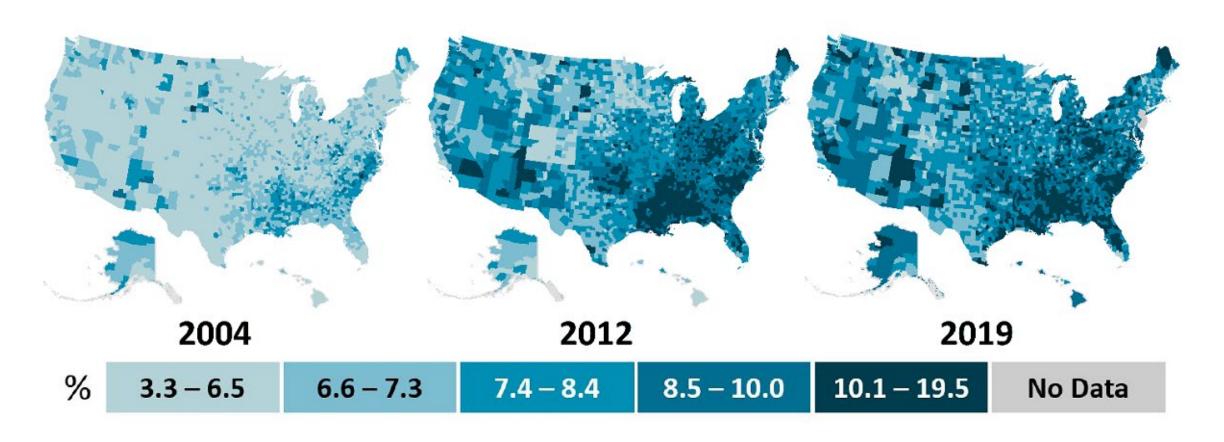
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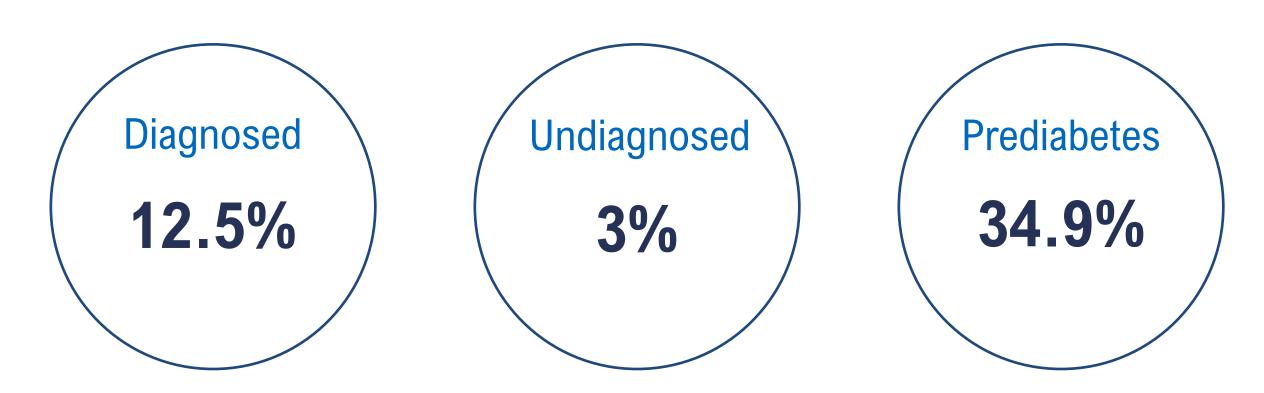


### Age-adjusted, county-level prevalence of diagnosed diabetes among adults aged 20 years or older, United States, 2004, 2012, and 2019



US Diabetes Surveillance System; Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System

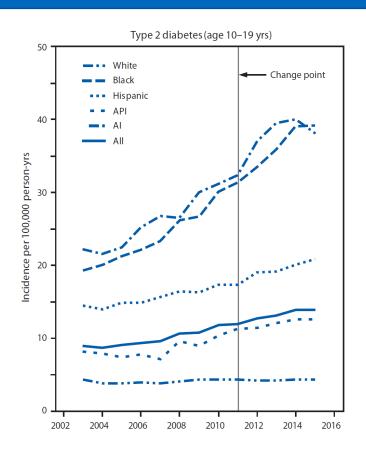
### Diabetes in South Carolina



Over half of South Carolinians are living with diabetes or prediabetes

### **Equity, Early Intervention, Statewide Reach**

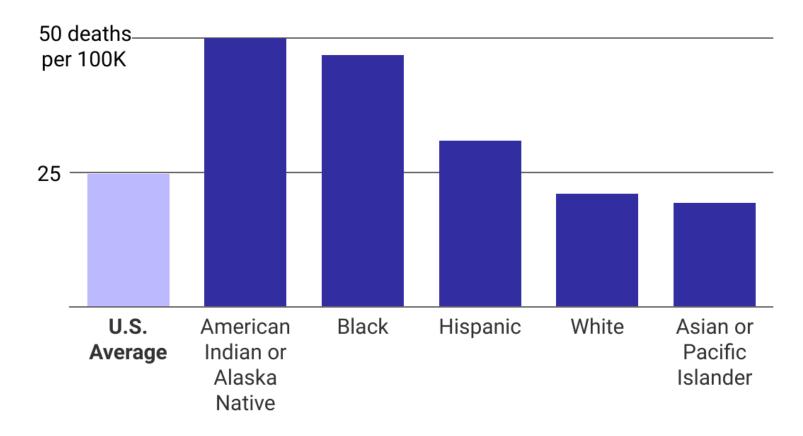
Type 2 diabetes has risen dramatically among Black, American Indian and Hispanic teenagers



SEARCH Study. Divers et al. MMWR 69:161-165, 2020



### Indigenous and Black Americans have highest diabetes death rates



Data source: Kaiser Family Foundation analysis of CDC data from 2020





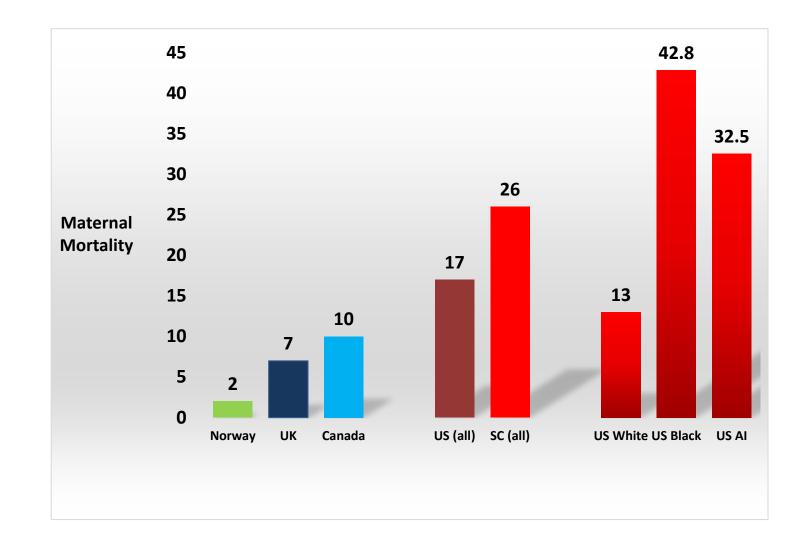
Maternal Diabetes

<u>Doubles or Triples the</u>

<u>Risk of All Adverse Birth</u>

<u>Outcomes</u>

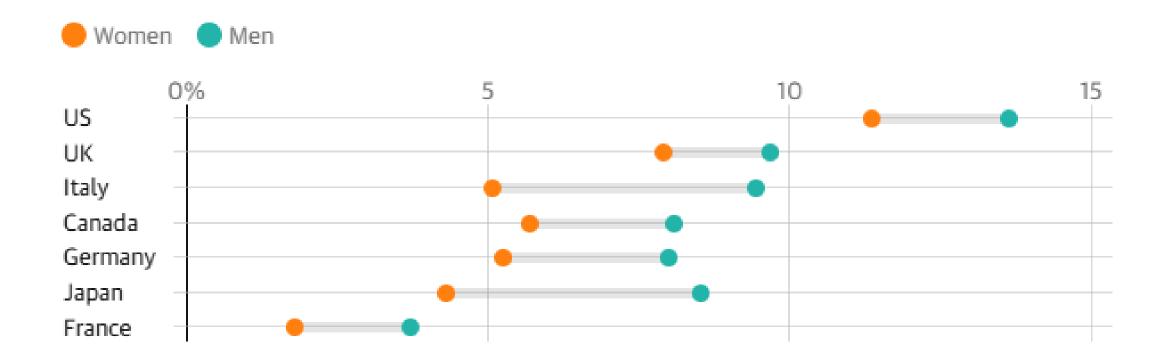
The human and financial consequences persist for decades for baby, mother, family, society







#### Percentage of Adults with Diabetes, G7 Countries, 2022



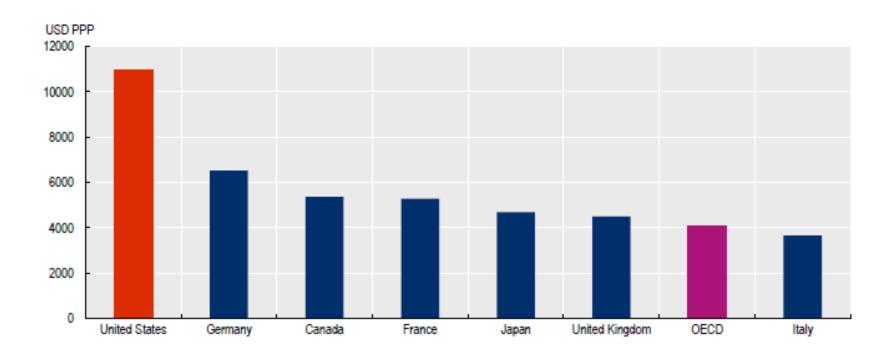
Non-Communicable Disease Risk Factor Collaboration, Lancet

### Some Health Outcomes, G7 countries, 2021

	Effective cancer care		Effective primary care	
	Breast cancer survival		Avoidable diabetes admissions	
	(Age-standardised five-year		(per 100 000 people, age-sex	
	net survival percentage)		standardised)	
OECD	84.3		127	
Canada	88.6	•	96	•
France	86.7	⊚	151	•
Germany	86.0	•	206	•
Italy	86.0	⊚	41	✓
Japan	89.4	✓		
United Kingdom	85.6	•	81	•
United States	90.2	✓	226	×

Source: OECD Health at a Glance 2021, https://doi.org/10.1787/ae3016b9-en.

### Per Capita Health Spending, G7 countries, 2019



(Administrative costs are 8-fold higher in US)

### Diabetes Free SC, 2020-present

### **Vision**

Winning the fight against diabetes

### **Mission**

To align and advocate for actions against diabetes - engaging South Carolinians to lead healthier lives

### Diabetes Free SC, Guiding Principles

- Alignment (Connections, Communications)
- Health equity
- Data/outcome analysis
- Sustainability
- Early intervention (early in life; early in disease)
- Statewide reach

### Diabetes Free SC, Strategic Directions

To improve pregnancy outcomes and the health of women with or at risk for diabetes

To reduce lifelong risk of diabetes in children

To prevent diabetes and its complications in adults

### Connections for a Diabetes-Free South Carolina





### **Essential Connections:**

- Multidisciplinary Teams
- Implementation of Existing Knowledge
- Pyramid of Care
- Statewide Cohesion
- Whole person, whole community approach: physical, mental, and spiritual health
- Efficient, Excellent Healthcare, not Wasteful Mediocrity



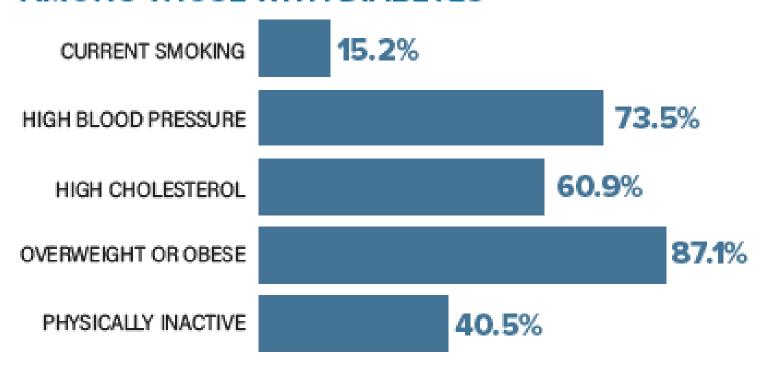


Multidisciplinary Teams



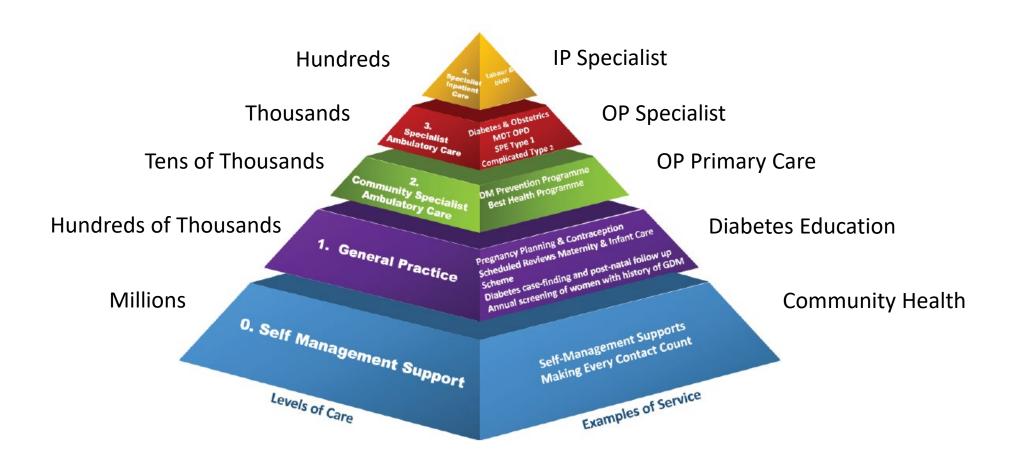
### Other health concerns

#### AMONG THOSE WITH DIABETES



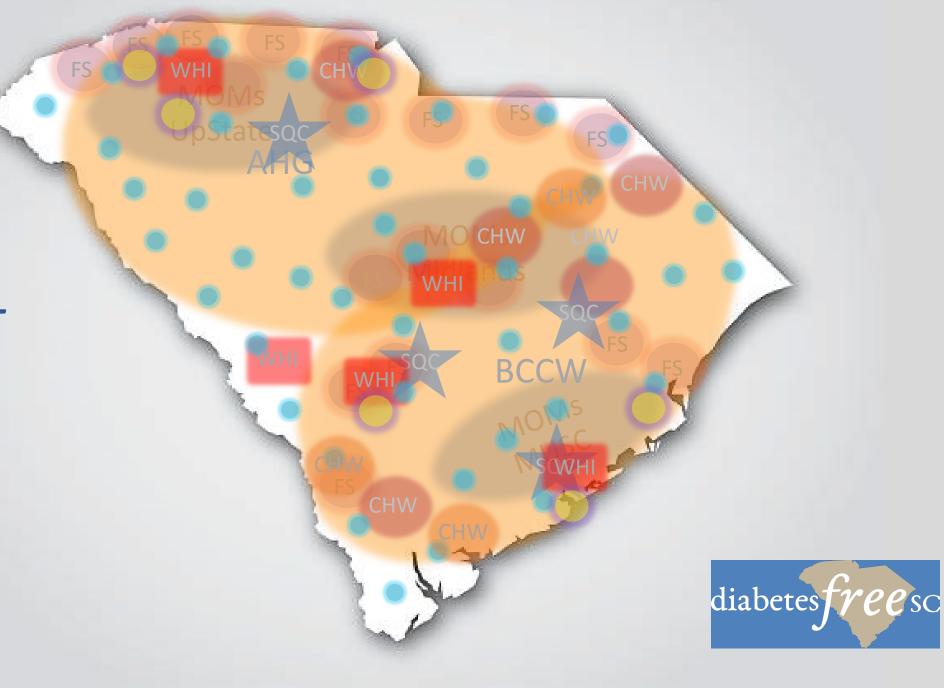
#### The "Pyramid of Care"

#### Every level working to top of skills



Statewide Cohesion:

Aim for a statewide, interdisciplinary interactive collaborative program to defeat diabetes



#### Equity, Whole person, Whole community

"Tragically, little progress has been made in addressing racial and ethnic inequities in health care: movement has been slow, uneven and inconsistent"

"The US health care system has failed to adopt or bring to scale many of the evidence-based solutions for improving health...."

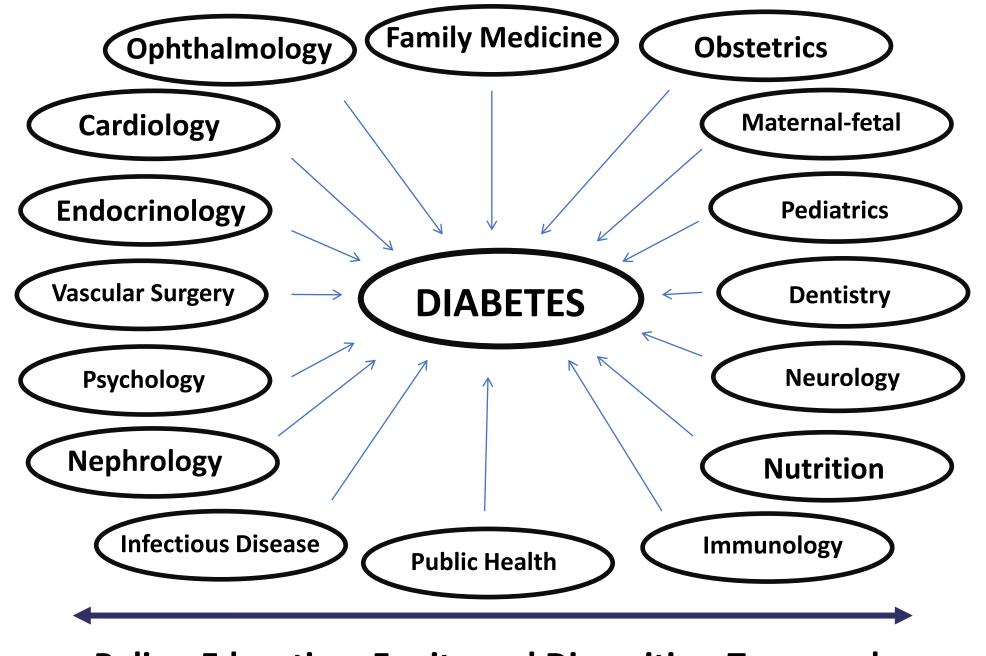
Benjamin GC et al. J Am Med Soc. 332:1143, October 2024

"Failure to **elicit the patient's story** and benefit from the clinical discoveries and human connections these stories can foster results in immeasurable suffering and excess health care costs"

Schillinger DD. Telltale Hearts. BBS Publications, New York, 2024.

#### Efficient, Excellent Healthcare, not Wasteful Mediocrity

- Alignment (Connections, Communications)
- Health equity
- Data/outcome analysis
- Sustainability
- Early intervention (early in life; early in disease)
- Statewide reach: Pyramid of Care



Policy, Education, Equity and Disparities, Teamwork

## "The problem with communication is the assumption that it has occurred"

George Bernard Shaw

### **DFSC: Future Strategy**

- Sustain, develop, integrate meritorious current programs
- Ensure accountability, meaningful outcome metrics
- New investments to align, connect, complement
- Maintain focus on Guiding Principles and Strategic Directions
- Community Engagement: A Faith-Based Initiative
- College, University, HBCU Initiative





### Thank you!







Aundrea Loftley, MD

Keynote Speaker

