



Diabetes Education Fund

Memorial Health System provides access to a Diabetes Education Center for resources, education, and management of both Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes. The program partners with your provider to give you the knowledge and skills necessary to achieve and maintain optimal health. This service is available to our community free of charge. Donors to the Diabetes Education Fund help adults and children reduce the risk of both short and long-term complications that may develop from diabetes.

The Sweet and Sour Support Group gives children the opportunity to bond with other kids who know what it's like living with diabetes. Through this group, funding is provided to send kids to various diabetes camps where they learn valuable skills on how to manage their disease, have fun and make lifelong friends.

Nichole Neigler, Practice Management Supervisor for the Department of Endocrinology said, *"The impact the Diabetes Education Fund has on our patients and our community is amazing. We have used the fund to help patients pay for insulin pumps, continuous glucose monitors, medications, and we have also been able to send kids from the Sweet and Sour Youth Support Group to diabetes camp. Additionally, the fund supports our annual Diabetes Fair where community members can come to learn more about diabetes for free."*



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