

Current NADC Projects

Accreditation of diabetes centres

Development of online interactive National Diabetes Care Course

Development of National Clinical Pathways promoting integration and collaboration

NADC Foot Network: a national coordinated project creating standards and accreditation for high risk foot services in Australia

Quality improvement and benchmarking: Further development & sharing of audit tools. Benchmarking of audit results between services

Australian National Diabetes Strategy (ANDS) 2016-2020: the NADC is working with key stakeholders to implement relevant ANDS goals

Diabetes service mapping: an important resource outlining all NADC centres and the services they provide

NADC App provides information on NADC centres, projects, current guidelines, conference programs and much more...

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Promoting Excellence in Diabetes Care



National Association of Diabetes Centres

Supporting diabetes services across Australia to provide high-quality care for people with, and at risk of, diabetes

The NADC Difference

The National Association of Diabetes Centres (NADC) was founded in 1994 and is a national collective of organisations that provide diabetes services and care.

NADC's goal is to ensure the highest standard of care is delivered to people with diabetes through our member centres.

NADC Member Centres are a collaborative of diabetes centres passionate about improving diabetes care across Australia.



The NADC is the bridge and linchpin between primary care services and the hospital and this model is underpinned by the philosophy of shared care. This is achieved through:

- Increased access to information and networking opportunities
- Promotion of higher standards of care through benchmarking, quality improvement, research and accreditation opportunities
- Enabling collaboration between specialist diabetes services and non-diabetes specialist health professionals to lift standards of care
- Support to smaller diabetes services in regional, rural and remote communities as well as in primary care

Member Benefits

Members have access to a range of resources and opportunities to assist them in achieving best practice in service delivery and care through:

1. Diabetes specific Accreditation Standards (also suitable for primary care)
2. National Diabetes Care Course – Diabetes education tool providing current knowledge of diabetes clinical management and self care recommendations
3. Opportunity to be invited to The Best Practice in Diabetes Centres (BPDC) Symposium
4. Reduced registration fee to the ADS/ADEA Annual Scientific Meeting which includes GP education streams
5. The opportunity to participate in the annual Australian National Diabetes Audit (ANDA)
6. Access to diabetes resources and tools in the 'member only' section which includes video presentations and webinars
7. Support in working with the NADC to achieve goals under the Australian National Diabetes Strategy
8. Tips for quality improvement and generating funding
9. Collaboration and integration with diabetes services across the care spectrum



NADC Membership

Membership with the NADC is open to any group of healthcare professionals who have an active involvement in diabetes care, are committed to the goals and objectives of the NADC and to monitoring the outcomes of their services.

At a minimum an NADC member service must consist of a medical practitioner involved in diabetes care, and a Credentialed Diabetes Educator or Registered Nurse who has completed the NADC National Diabetes Care Course or a graduate certificate in diabetes education. Within the group there must be a coordinated approach to diabetes care with inter-disciplinary communication, consultation and cross-referral and the group must hold regular meetings.

NADC has six levels of membership, based on the functions of the service and its staffing including:

- Centres of Excellence
- Tertiary Care Diabetes Services
- Secondary Care Diabetes Services
- Primary Care Diabetes Services
- Pharmacy Diabetes Services
- Network Membership

NADC memberships are broad and can include centres and services in:

- Primary care - General Practice centres, community health centres, allied health providing diabetes services
- Major hospitals
- Private practice
- Pharmacies
- Rural and remote areas

For information about the types of NADC membership, or how to apply, please visit:

www.nadc.net.au/membership/