



## Spread the word about how diabetes camp can change lives

Here at DECA (Diabetes Education & Camping Association), we aim to spread awareness about diabetes camps and just how valuable they can be for kids and families. Whether you're from an advocacy organization or you're a healthcare provider or school nurse, we have materials that can help you have helpful conversations with parents about camp.

### Together, we can unlock a world of fun and learnings for kids with diabetes



**"Why Camp?" Postcard:** Share a quick overview of the benefits of diabetes camps



**"Why Camp?" Brochure:** Show parents what diabetes camps are all about, in greater detail



**"Why Camp?" Presentation:** Educate HCPs and school nurses with an in-depth look at diabetes camps



**"Share Your Story" Guide:** Provide tips and guidance for former camp attendees to film a testimonial of their experience, that can be used to promote camps



### Learn more about diabetes camps to help spread the word



**FAQ Guide:** Become a diabetes camp expert with detailed answers for the most frequently asked questions





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## Diabetes camps by the numbers\*:

**99%** of kids who went to camp were able to independently achieve at least one diabetes management skill after camp. These include:

- Measuring their blood sugar levels
- Rotating sites for injections, pumps, and continuous glucose monitors (CGMs)
- Drawing up insulin and filling insulin pump cartridges
- Giving their own injections and inserting their own pump and CGM devices
- And more!

**63%** of campers were always or often able to solve diabetes management problems after attending camp

**61%** of parents and caregivers stated that their campers' confidence to interact with their peers was "above average" or "very high" by the end of camp

\*According to a survey by the American Diabetes Association—Camps Team

Every child with diabetes deserves to feel like they belong. We are so grateful for your support in spreading the word about diabetes camps, to make that mission possible.

If you would like to create your own materials to help share the value of diabetes camps, we're here to help! Any messages included in materials above can be leveraged to share further. We've also designed images that can be shared on social media to help start the conversation about camps.

**See the  
social media  
images**



**We thank you for your continuous support!**