# The Lifestyle Change Program

Help prevent or delay type 2 diabetes!



### ARE YOU AT RISK FOR GETTING DIABETES?

1 out of 3 Americans has prediabetes and most don't know they have it!

## What is a Lifestyle Change Program?

CDC-recognized lifestyle change programs nationwide teach participants to make lasting lifestyle changes, like eating healthier, adding physical activity into their daily routine, and improving coping skills.

Participating in a year-long lifestyle change program can cut your risk of type 2 diabetes in half.

Interactive education and weekly goal-setting activities help participants build healthy lifestyle skills.

#### Eligibility to participate:

- Be at least 18 years old <u>and</u>
- Be overweight (body mass index ≥25; ≥23 if Asian) and
- Have no previous diagnosis of type 1 or type 2 diabetes and
- Have a blood test result in the prediabetes range within the past year:
  - Hemoglobin A1C: 5.7%–6.4% or
  - Fasting plasma glucose: 100–125 mg/dL or
  - Two-hour plasma glucose (after a 75 gm glucose load): 140–199 mg/dL or
  - o A1c of 5.7 to 6.4 or
- Be previously diagnosed with gestational diabetes or
- A positive screening for prediabetes based on the CDC Prediabetes Screening Test

#### AREA AGENCY ON AGING

of Northwest Michigan ———

#### **Lifestyle Change Program**

to be held at the

### Area Agency on Aging of Northwest Michigan

1609 Park Drive, Traverse City, MI 49686

#### **Informational meeting:**

Monday, April 2, 2018 10:00-11:00 AM

#### **Program Time Commitment:**

Mondays, 10:00-11:00 AM The program runs for 1 year starting April 9, 2018

- First 6 months: 16 sessions
  Held 2-4 times per month (weekly at first)
- Last 6 months: 6 sessions, held monthly

No cost to attend. Donations appreciated. Registration is required.

Register with Sharon at **1-800-442-1713** 

Or online at www.aaanm.org/workshop-registration

For programs offered statewide, visit http://www.mihealthyprograms.org/dpp-class-search.aspx

For a listing of other partners offering this program in northern Michigan, visit www.aaanm.org/lifestyle-change-program