

Diabetes
Educator Section

Annual Report 2011





Mission

The Diabetes Educator Section, a multidisciplinary professional section of the Canadian Diabetes Association, leads, advocates for and supports excellence in diabetes education for healthcare professionals and people living with diabetes.

DIABETES EDUCATOR SECTION (DES) EXECUTIVE 2009 to 2010

Position	Name	Member/Liaison to Council/Committee
Chair	Aileen Knip RN BScN CCHN(c) CDE Ontario	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Canadian Diabetes Association National Board • Canadian Diabetes Association Health and Safety Committee • DES Leadership Forum Committee • Publications Working Group • Executive Committee, <i>2013 Clinical Practice Guidelines</i> • Professional Conference Planning • Expert Advisory Committee, Canadian Association of Wound care
Chair-Elect	Jan Cochrane RN BSN CDE Saskatchewan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional Conference National Program Committee • DES Leadership Forum Committee
Treasurer	Sharon Young RN British Columbia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DES Leadership Forum Committee • DES National Nominations Committee
Director, Communications	Carol Fawcett BSc RD CDE British Columbia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair, DES Leadership Forum Committee • DES Liaison to <i>The Diabetes Communicator</i> • DES Liaison to Publications Working Committee • DES Liaison to Website Committee
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Director, Quality	Rita Fitzgerald PDt CDE Nova Scotia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Recognition Program Committee • DES Expert Advisory Council 2010 Diabetes Progress Report Expert Advisory Committee • DES Leadership Forum Committee

A Message From The Chair To Diabetes Educator Section Members

Greetings on behalf of the National Executive. Welcome to the 14th Canadian Diabetes Association (CDA) / Canadian Society of Endocrinology and Metabolism (CSEM) Professional Conference and Annual Meetings in Toronto. I find it hard to believe that my tenure as Chair of the Diabetes Educator Section (DES) and as a CDA Board Director will come to a close after this AGM. I started as Director of Quality on the National Executive in 2004, I then moved into the Chair-Elect position in 2007 and the Chair position in 2009. It has been a busy seven years (especially the last two years), but years where I have learned a wealth of knowledge in leadership, governance, and definitely time management skills.

As an organization for health professionals involved in diabetes education and management, DES has a rich history. We began as the Professional Health Workers Section (PHWS) in 1971. The PHWS was renamed DES in late 1980. The *PHWS Newsletter* evolved to *Diabetes Quarterly* and, currently, *Diabetes Communicator*. *Beta Release*, the professional journal of the PHWS, was launched in 1976. This has now evolved into the *Canadian Journal of Diabetes*. The first PHWS annual conference in 1972 had 40 attendees. In mid 1997, DES and C&SS gathered for the first time as a joint meeting with 1,200 attendees. The Canadian Society of Endocrinology and Metabolism partner was added in 1999 to become the CDA/CSEM Professional Conference and Annual Meetings. Last year, the CDA/CSEM conference in Edmonton had approximately 2,000 attendees.

Presently, DES has 2,700 active members and 42 active Chapters across Canada. The expertise our volunteers give us in managing these Chapters is, as always, greatly appreciated. Each year, we have a Leadership Forum for our volunteer Chapter Chairs. I think all of our Chapter Chairs would agree that this year's Leadership Forum was quite amazing in the aspect that we were able to host it at Banting House in London, Ontario. For many, this was a first-time experience and having Grant Maltman give the history of Banting and the discovery of insulin tour was a truly fantastic opportunity.

DES continues to move forward with many projects, all reflecting our strategic plan 2010-2015. Our pillars of Self-Management and Education; Advocacy; Research and Education; and Partnerships and Collaborations continue to be strategically aligned with CDA. I encourage you to read our 2011 DES Annual Report found on your table or available on our website.

This year, we have been actively involved with creating interest groups. As a member, you are now able to join one or several interest groups, ranging from Zoomers (a.k.a. retired but still really interested in diabetes) to Long-Term Care/Home Nursing and/or Camp Nursing. As you are aware, you are now able to obtain your membership online as the DES database is now fully integrated in-house at CDA which makes communication with members much more streamlined.

Our many volunteers continue to offer us great expertise for the many projects and partnerships with which we are presently involved. The National Nutrition Committee, working with Sharon Zeiler, Senior Manager, Diabetes Education and Nutrition, continues to do much work in developing healthy eating resources for our many multicultural communities across Canada, this year specifically focusing on the Latino and Aboriginal populations.

We are also very appreciative of the countless hours the Conference Planning Committee, under the direction of Kathryn Arcudi, has provided for us. Once again, the Planning Committee has been able to pull together a great conference. I hope you have all had a chance to attend some of the wonderful presentations. This is Kathryn's last year as conference Co-Chair and we welcome Arlene Kuntz as the 2012-13 new conference Co-Chair.

A thank you also to our publication volunteers under the direction of Colleen Rand, Editor of the *Diabetes Communicator*. As many of you are aware, our three publications, the *Diabetes Communicator*, the *Canadian Journal of Diabetes* and *Canadian Diabetes*, developed the Publications Working Group to look at amalgamating all three publications so we will be successful in the indexing of the new journal in the upcoming year. The Publications Working Group has been moving forward and has, most recently, obtained the services of Elsevier Publications to help us develop and move our amalgamated journal to the next level and, ultimately, med line indexing. The projected date for our first combined journal is February 2012.

We have so many volunteers who give up their time to work with us on our many DES projects. I am truly amazed how many times I have sent an email to a potential DES volunteer and how readily they step up to the challenge of volunteerism. Thank you.

There is one person, in particular, who I would like to single out and thank. I could not have done this role without her unending support with the numerous teleconferences and meetings I have had to attend. My work colleague, Patricia Baker. Patricia and I have worked together for 11 years and, during my tenure, she has been very supportive and has always been there for me to bounce ideas off. Thank you.

Of course, I would be remiss in not thanking the CDA staff who have so diligently worked with our DES membership. A big thank you goes out to Carolyn Gall Casey, Director of Professional Education; Sharon Zeiler, Senior Manager, Diabetes Education and Nutrition and, of course, Jennifer Belding, Coordinator of Professional Sections and Membership. As many of you are aware, Jennifer is retiring December 23, 2011. Thank you, Jen, for keeping your promise to stay on until my term was complete. It has been fantastic working with you and thank you for keeping me on track. Thank you to the DES Executive for your time and wonderful contributions to your roles. You each have made so many contributions and I will truly miss working with all of you. Of course, I will have a place to visit now in each province and will definitely pick July, Anne, to visit you in Nunavut! Jan, I look forward to working with you and your new Executive. Make sure to have fun!

I have been greatly honoured to be Chair of such a hardworking organization. Over the years, I have appreciated all the support I have received from the DES membership, Board of Directors and CDA staff. I would encourage each of you to look at the leadership potentials within DES and CDA. I can truly say it has been a wonderful experience and one I will definitely miss. Thank you.

Aileen Knip RN BScN MN CCHN(c) CDE

Chair, Diabetes Educator Section

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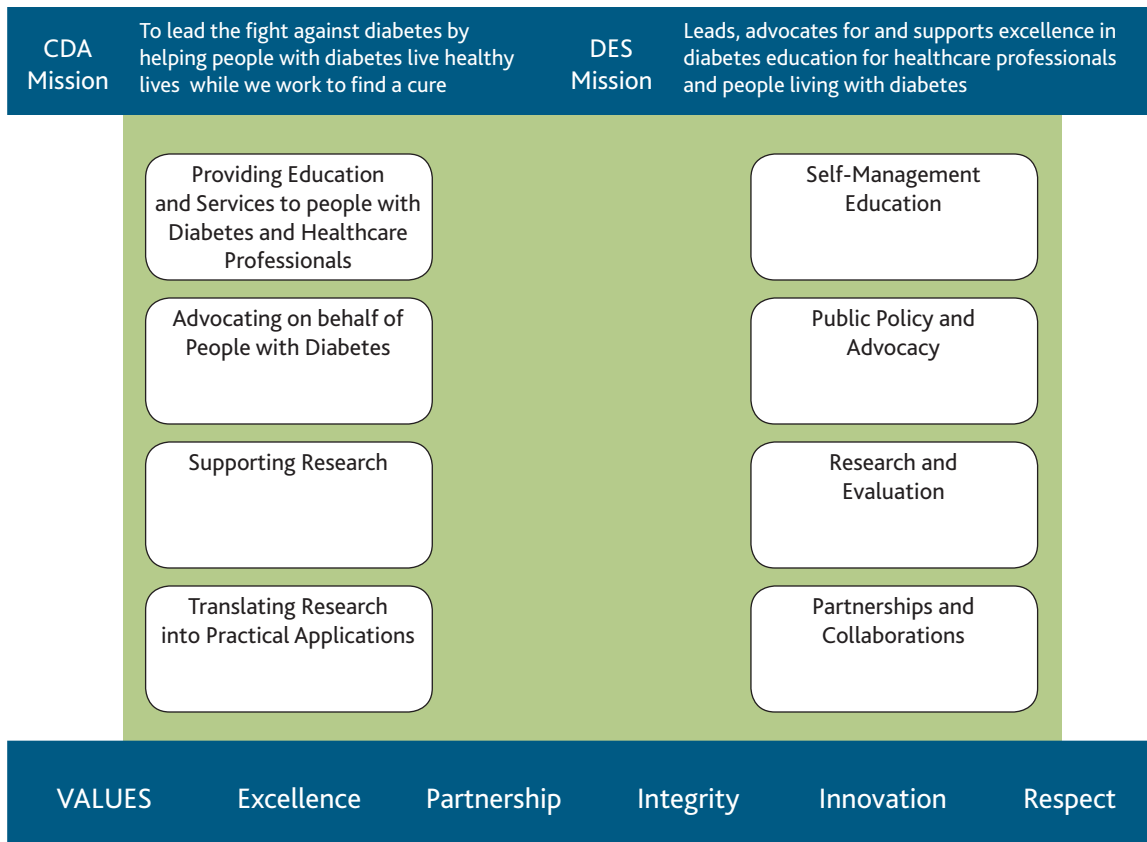
CDA and DES Alignment: Mission, Priorities and Values

In the fall of 2009, the Canadian Diabetes Association (CDA) adopted a new mission “to lead the fight against diabetes by helping people with diabetes live healthy lives while we work to find a cure.”

The Diabetes Educator Section (DES) strategic plan was created to align with the mission of the Association. Diabetes education is integral to the goals of the CDA strategic plan, and is articulated in the following DES Mission:

“The Diabetes Educator Section, a multidisciplinary professional section of the Canadian Diabetes Association, leads, advocates for and supports excellence in diabetes education for healthcare professionals and people living with diabetes.”

To meet with success, the 5-year DES strategic plan requires effective integration of the DES and its activities with other key functions of the Association: research, marketing and communications, public policy and advocacy, and fund development.



DES Strategic Priorities

To strengthen the DES, its mission and its contribution to the Association, these priorities were approved as the four strategic pillars of the DES:

1. Partnerships and Collaborations
2. Public Policy and Advocacy
3. Research and Evaluation
4. Self-Management Education (SME)

During the 2009 to 2010 fiscal year, the DES Executive and its members supported the advancement of the four strategic pillars, and are pleased to share these accomplishments.

1. Partnerships and Collaborations

Partnerships can be an effective means of enabling DES participation in diabetes-education-related initiatives for which DES may not be able to assume the lead role. It is recommended that DES strengthen its relationships within the Association as well as with strategic partners that share common goals, evaluate outcomes of current and recent partnerships, and define partnership principles, policies and processes.

- **Insulin Starts and Adjustment Working Group:** This joint committee of DES and C&SS members are working to develop a study framework for healthcare professionals who want to become better informed and experienced at starting and adjusting insulin for people with diabetes, under medical directives of a physician. The study framework will include approved study materials and resources and will feature an online exam to assess level of learning. This will be an online program.
- **Professional Publications:** Aileen Knip, Arlene Kuntz, Colleen Rand and Carol Fawcett continue to be active members of the Publications Working Committee (PWC). Throughout the year, they have worked to define the path for the merger of *CJD*, *CD* and *DC*, ensuring that the needs of researchers, clinicians and diabetes educators are met with the new publication.
- **Self Monitoring of Blood Glucose:** Lori Berard, Donna Hagerty and Aileen Knip have been involved in the development of a briefing document for healthcare professionals on SMBG, in the wake of government pressure to limit test strip use. The paper is published in the September issue of *CJD*. In addition, a healthcare provider recommendation tool, along with two patient tools, are set to launch at the conference this year.
- **2013 CPGs:** Aileen Knip participated as the DES lead on the 2013 CPG Executive Committee. Throughout this past year, over 100 volunteers have reviewed all of the evidence to develop draft chapters that will be further developed in 2012 into the 2013 CPGs.

2. Public Policy and Advocacy

To increase access to and support for diabetes education, priorities for diabetes-education-related advocacy efforts will be identified, and champions will be trained and developed as advocacy leaders. Strategies and tactics will be identified for increasing broader public and political awareness of the benefits of diabetes education for Canadians. Advocacy efforts will be flexible to enable a quick response to emerging issues that may adversely impact diabetes education. These efforts will be coordinated with the Vice President, Public Programs and Government Relations, of the CDA.

- **Diabetes Day on the Hill:** The Diabetes Day on the Hill advocacy event, organized by the National Advocacy Council (NAC) and the Association took place in December 2010. Volunteers from across Canada met with more than 50 members of parliament to urge political action on key issues affecting Canadians living with diabetes. Michelle Corcoran and Carrie Henderson attended the Prairies Advocacy Leadership forum in Edmonton on September 2011 as DES representatives.
- **Diabetes: Canada at the tipping point. Charting a New Path** was launched by the Association in 2011. This report addresses how to: 1. Reduce the burden of diabetes; 2. Enhance access to quality care; and 3. Strategically invest in diabetes. Rita Fitzgerald was the DES member on the Advisory Committee who helped guide and advise the Association on the development, review and launch of this important report.

3. Research and Evaluation

In order to gain public and government support, and to gain increased funding for diabetes education, diabetes educators need to validate diabetes education practices with evidence-based outcomes.

- **2013 Clinical Practice Guidelines:** The planning process for revising and updating the 2008 Clinical Practice Guidelines (CPGs) has begun for the 2013 evidence-based CPGs. Alice Cheng (C&SS) is the Chair of the 2013 Executive Committee, and Aileen Knip is a member of this Executive Committee. DES members contribute to the CPGs on the Executive Committee, Steering Committee and Expert Committee. The experience, insight and knowledge of Diabetes Educators will be invaluable to the success of the 2013 CPGs.
- **Best and Promising Practices in Diabetes Education:** This year, the diabetes education resource Best and Promising Practices was updated with ten new diabetes education practices. The compilation of diabetes education practices in this publication gathers leading education programs and practices for our diabetes educators to learn from. The new publication was launched in May 2010 and is available at www.diabetes.ca/.

4. Self-Management Education (SME)

To increase awareness regarding the need for evidence-based, patient-focused SME, it is recommended that a needs assessment related to SME be conducted with people with diabetes, that practice-based evidence regarding SME be peer reviewed, and resulting recommendations be prepared. Furthermore, an evaluation and validation framework to support ongoing assessment of SME practices should be developed and incorporated into the DES Standards Recognition Program.

- **DES Leadership Forum:** The DES leadership forum was held in London, Ontario this year, with tours and learning about Banting House National Museum as the main event. Chapter Chairs from across Canada were delighted to have a tour of the museum with Grant Maltman, the museum's curator, and learn about the life of Banting and experience the emotion of the birthplace of insulin.
- **Just the Basics:** In August 2011, Sharon Zeiler (DES member and CDA Senior Manager, Diabetes Education and Nutrition), along with her working group, launched the Association's second and third sets of culturally-specific nutrition tools: Aboriginal Just the Basics and Latin American Just the Basics. Responding to the Aboriginal and Latin American high-risk communities in Canada, these tools help these cultural groups learn how to incorporate healthy food and beverage choices, plus physical activity, into their lifestyles. The Aboriginal tool is currently available in English, French and three Aboriginal languages, with two more to come, and will be supported by oral recordings.
- **Building Competency in Diabetes Education: The Essentials:** The Essentials was launched this year in collaboration with an online continuing health education provider. This new format provided value-added video content and interactive components.

Canadian Diabetes Association/Diabetes Educator Section Diabetes Education Standards Recognition Program

The Diabetes Education Standards Recognition Program (SRP) grants recognition to Diabetes Education Centres that successfully meet the *Standards for Diabetes Education in Canada (2005)*. Participation in the SRP is voluntary. Centres complete a self-evaluation tool, which is then submitted to the CDA/DES SRP Review Committee for consideration.

To attain recognition status, a Diabetes Education Centre must demonstrate achievement of a minimum of 80% of the *Standards for Diabetes Education in Canada (2005)* within each of the Outcome, Process and Structure categories. The DES would like to recognize the following Diabetes Education Centres who met the standards for diabetes education in 2011 and will continue to be recognized until 2016:

- Youville Diabetes Centre
- William Osler Health Centre Diabetes Education Centre
- Grand Bend Area Community Health Centre Diabetes Education and Management
- Seabird Island Diabetes Education Centre

Both the *Standards for Diabetes Education in Canada (2005)* and the “Standards for Education Self Evaluation” tool were reviewed by the SRP Review Committee in 2009. You may purchase these tools at <https://orders.diabetes.ca/cda/>.

Rita Fitzgerald (chair), Nola Kornder, Lee McNiven and Lorraine Samis are recognized for their unique and professional contributions to the SRP program this year.

Diabetes Educator Section Awards 2011

The DES awards and grants represent excellence and celebrate the outstanding contributions of members in the areas of volunteerism, manuscript development and chapter activities. The DES believes in investing in the development of its members, as evidenced by its scholarship and continuing education awards. Many of these awards would not be possible without the generous support of industry sponsors. Thanks to all sponsors for their support over the past year, and their continued recognition and celebration of the value of the Association's activities.

Diabetes Educator of the Year

Sponsor: LifeScan Canada Ltd. **\$1,000**

2011 Recipient: *Michelle Corcoran BSc BScN RD CDE*

This award is presented to an active DES member in good standing who has demonstrated outstanding effort and achievement as a Diabetes Educator.

Honorary Lifetime Membership

Sponsor: Diabetes Educator Section

2011 Recipients: *Anna Brundage RN BHSc(N) CDE,
Peggy Dunbar MEd PDt CDE,
Marcia Frank RN MHSc CDE*

The DES grants honorary lifetime membership to recognize active DES members whose longstanding excellence in practice and significant contributions have improved the quality of life for people affected by diabetes.

Outstanding DES Chapter of the Year

Sponsor: Pfizer Canada Inc. **\$1,000**

2011 Recipient: *River Valley New Brunswick Chapter*

This award recognizes a DES chapter that has demonstrated leadership and support of the goals of the DES and the CDA.the DES and the CDA.

Diabetes Educator Section Awards 2011

Graduate Scholarship

Sponsor: Eli Lilly Canada Inc. **\$5,000**

2011 Recipient: *Joanne McKay RD CDE*

This scholarship is awarded to enable active DES members to pursue graduate or postgraduate studies in a diabetes-related field.

Brian Dufton Memorial Manuscript Award

Sponsor: *Canadian Journal of Diabetes* **\$1,000**
Diabetes Educator Section

2011 Recipient: *Christopher A. Shields PhD*

This award recognizes an outstanding original manuscript published in the *Canadian Journal of Diabetes*

Camp Educator Award

Sponsor: Abbott Diabetes Care **\$750**

2011 Recipient: *Beverley Harris PDt CDE*

This award is presented to an active DES member who has shown commitment and dedication to helping children with type 1 diabetes experience summer camp.

Practical Diabetes Resource Award

Sponsor: Abbott Diabetes Care **\$750**

2011 Recipient: *Health Nichol RN BScN MScN CDE*

This award is presented to active DES members who have developed a culturally sensitive educational tool for use in their practice.

Accu-Chek Public Service and Education Award

Sponsor: Roche Diagnostics **\$2,000**

2011 Recipient: *Donna Hagerty RN BEd CDE*

This award recognizes the efforts of active diabetes educators who have done exceptional work in promoting awareness of diabetes and who have developed programs to assist people living with diabetes.

Novo Nordisk Conference Scholarship Awards

Sponsor: Novo Nordisk Canada Inc. **\$5,000**

2011 Recipients: *Karen Davis RD CDE*
Pamela Soley PDt CDE
Amy Leung Hui RD CDE
Farah Ahmad RN CDE

Scholarships of up to \$1,000 each are offered to active DES members to attend the CDA/CSEM Professional Conference and Annual Meetings for professional development.

Length of Service Awards

2011 Recipients: *15 Years: Arlene Kuntz BSP CDE*
15 Years: Sharon Young RN
20 Years: Doreen Hatton RN BSN MSN

The DES Length of Service Award is instituted for DES volunteers. They must work on their own time, and not as part of a job description or expectation.

DES Recipients of Canadian Diabetes Association Regional Awards 2011

National Volunteers of the Year

Marcia Forman RD CDE

Karen Kemp, Diabetes Resource Manager

Regional Volunteer of the Year

Maureen Anderson RN CDE

Outstanding Health Professional Award

Judy Lowcay RD

Karen Kieper RD CDE

Randy Howden, Pharmacist CDE

Bev Kernohan RN CDE

Chris Everhardus RN

Sharon Fernandez RN CDE

Tino Montopoli, Pharmacist CDE

Christine Wellington RD

Jo-Ann Koster RN CDE

JoAnne Sullivan RN CDE

Inspiration Award

Karen Kemp

Diabetes Resource Manager

Camp Award

Jone Barry RN

Shannon Cassar RN CDE

Sheilagh Crowley RN CDE

Diabetes Educator Section Chapters

There are 40 active DES chapters that offer their members the opportunity for networking, continuing education and volunteerism. Thank you to all DES Chapter Chairs and Executives for their time, energy and leadership in maintaining the vital chapter network across Canada.

Yukon Territory

Co-Chairs: Sharlene Clarke RD CDE
Liz Walker RD

British Columbia

Northeast BC

Chair: Louise LeFebvre RDN BSc

Northwest BC

Co-Chairs: Shelley Irvine RN
Wendy Marion-Orienti RD BSc HEC

Thompson Okanagan

Chair: Lisa Thompson RN BScN CDE

Vancouver Island

Co-Chairs: Carol Fergusson RN BTSN CDE
Beena Kashyap RN CDE

Vancouver Lower Mainland

Co-Chairs: Jasvir Bhupal BScPharm
Ellen Kirk-Macri RN CDE

West Kootenay

Chair: Karen Cappelletto RN CDE

Alberta

Alberta BC Peace River

Chair: Michelle Wark RD CDE

Calgary

Chair: Ann Longair RD CDE

Edmonton District

Chair: Karen Johnston RN CDE

Central Alberta

Chair: Sharon Wiens RN

Saskatchewan

Northern Saskatchewan

Chair: Carlene Schmaltz RN BScN CDE

South Saskatchewan

Chair: Adine Enns RD

Manitoba

Westman

Chair: Kim Smith RD

Winnipeg

Chair: Amy Leung Hui RD MSc CDE

Ontario

Central Ontario

Chair: Pauline Stewart RN BScN CDE

Durham Region

Co-Chairs: Christine McCleary RD CDE

Essex Kent

Chair: Sandra Dennison RN BScN CDE

Grand River

Chair: Diana Sherifali RN CDE

Grey Bruce

Co-Chairs: Dale Murdoch RD
Nancy Kline RN CDE

North West Ontario

Chair: Lauri Ann Marshall RN

Huron Perth

Chair: Megan Johnston RD

Hamilton Niagara Chapter

Co-Chairs: Lisa Orasanin RN CDE
Melody Malkiewich RD CDE

Kawartha

Chair: Ceilia Ayotte RN CDE

London & District

Chair: Amanda Mikalachki RN BScN CDE

Ottawa

Chair: Kimberly Twyman RN BScN CDE

St. Lawrence

Chair: Douglas Clark R.Ph

Bay of Quinte

Chair: Ashley Armstrong RD

Toronto

Chair: Gail MacNeill RN BNSc Med CDE

Toronto West

Chair: Judy Fiala RD MA CDE

Quebec

Mavis Verronneau Montreal

Co-Chairs: Joyce Arsenault RN BScN CDE
Patricia Urrico PDt CDE

New Brunswick

Section des Édicateurs du Nord NB

Chair: Linda Austin RN

Southwestern NB/Region 2 New Brunswick

Co-Chairs: Robert Roscoe NBPhS CDE
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Chair: Andrea Woodward RN CDE

South Eastern New Brunswick

Chair: Shelley Jones RD CDE

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Chair: Wendy Christoff RN MScN CDE

Central Nova Scotia

Chair: Tabitha Palmer BScHN PDt CCRP
CDE

North Eastern Nova Scotia

Co-Chairs: Marilyn Snell RN CDE
Shelley LeBlanc PDt CDE

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Chair: Marsha Arnburg PDt CDE

Newfoundland & Labrador

Newfoundland Eastern

Chair: Darlene Witherall RD BSc CDE

Newfoundland Western

Chair: Sharon Lahey RDt

Central Newfoundland

Chair: Mary Cheeseman RD CDE

Diabetes Educator Section Committees

Awards Selection Committee

Kim Twyman RN BScN CDE (Chair)
Tracy Everitt RD MAdEd CDE
Cynthia Keith BSc PDt CDE
Janice Knapp RN BN CDE
Louise LeFebvre RDN BSc CDE
Rhea Lounsberry RN CDE

Diabetes Education Standards Recognition Program Committee

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Nola Kornder RN BSN CDE
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Leadership Forum Committee

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Canadian Journal of Diabetes

Lori Berard RN CDE

Canadian Diabetes Educator Certification Board

Sylvie Jacques RD CDE

CDA/CSEM Professional Conference and Annual Meetings

Jan Cochrane RN BSN CDE (DES Liaison)

National Advocacy Council

Donna Hagerty RD BEd CDE

National Nomination Committee

Sharon Young RN

National Nutrition Committee

Anne Garrett RD MEd BAsc CDE

National Research Council

Aileen Knip RN BScN CCHN(c) CDE

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Tammy Cooper RD CDE

Kelly Grebenc RD CDE

The Diabetes Communicator

Carol Fawcett BSc RD CDE

Diabetes Educators Section of the Canadian Diabetes Association

Statement of Revenue and Expenses

Year Ended August 31, 2011

(thousands of dollars)

(unaudited)

	Budget Draft	
	2011	2012
Revenue		
Membership fees	\$ 237	\$ 258
Literature sales	273	206
Self-assessment and recognition	4	5
Chapters and other revenue	118	55
	<u>632</u>	<u>524</u>
Expenses		
Membership	15	10
Literature: cost of goods sold	43	40
Self-assessment and recognition	7	10
Chapter events (of which \$24 (F'11) is funded by CDA)	124	75
Leadership forum	58	67
Professional development awards	12	8
Diabetes Communicator	36	45
Awareness campaign	8	18
Annual general meetings	15	23
National executive	40	37
Administration	181	186
	<u>539</u>	<u>519</u>
Excess of (expenses over revenue) revenue over expenses	<u>93</u>	<u>5</u>

Acknowledgement

The accomplishments of the DES would not be possible without the generous contributions of our network of volunteers and the staff at the Association's national office, all of whom provide countless hours of support. It is through the dedication and commitment of many people across Canada that we will reach our goals and continue to improve the quality of life for all people affected by diabetes.

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