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# SMALL STEPS FOR BIG CHANGES

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### **About the Program**

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### **How can I participate?**

This free program is offered at participating community centres.

#### **Program intake**

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 6 sessions of 1-on-1 exercise and dietary change counselling with a trained coach over 4 weeks

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 Accountability check-ins with your coach at 12-, and 24-months following completion of the program

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- Are you inactive?
- Are you overweight?
- Do you have high blood pressure?
- Do you have a parent or a sibling with type 2 diabetes?
- Were you diagnosed with diabetes during pregnancy?

If you answered 'yes' to any of the above questions, you could be at risk for type 2 diabetes.

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