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## The International Diabetes Federation (IDF)

The International Diabetes Federation is the only global advocate for people with diabetes. IDF is a non-governmental organization associated with the Department of Public Information of the United Nations and is in official relations with the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO).

Its mission is to promote diabetes care, prevention and a cure worldwide. Since it first took up the diabetes cause in 1950, IDF has evolved into an umbrella organization of over 200 national diabetes associations in over 160 countries

The IDF World Diabetes Congress combines top-level science with programme sessions aimed at helping IDF member associations to influence policy, increase public awareness and encourage health improvement. The congress is the ideal platform to promote the exchange of high-quality information about diabetes, and provide education for people with diabetes and their healthcare providers.

The World Diabetes Congress will be organized in partnership with the Emirates Diabetes Association. The chosen setting for this event is Dubai, the trading and commercial hub of the Middle East. Dubai has a diverse and multicultural society, and offers an exceptional blend of modern city and timeless desert. Courtesy and hospitality are among the most highly prized of virtues in the Arab world. You will be charmed by the warmth and friendliness of the people in one of the world's most exciting and dynamic cities.



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### Organization

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### Dates & Congress Venue

The World Diabetes Congress 2011 will be held from Sunday 4 to Thursday 8 December 2011 at:

Dubai International Convention and Exhibition Centre (DICEC)  
Sheikh Zayed Road  
Dubai, United Arab Emirates

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