## Questions to ask my doctor about taking my diabetes medication

Please print this page and discuss the following questions with your doctor.

Questions	Doctor response
What is the goal for my blood sugars and A1c?	
What may happen if I don't take my diabetes medication as ordered?	
Are there any lab tests that I need to have? How often should I be tested?	
Are there any side effects that I should watch for?	
What other things can I do besides take medication to control my blood sugars?	
What complications may I experience if my blood sugars are not well managed?	

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