## **ORDER FORM**

## Diabetes Self-Management Education & Support (DSMES) and Medical Nutrition Therapy (MNT)

**MEDICARE COVERAGE**: Diabetes self-management education and support/training (DSMES/T) and medical nutrition therapy (MNT) are separate and complementary services to improve diabetes self-care. Individuals may be eligible for both services in the same year. Research indicates MNT combined with DSMES/T improves outcomes. DSMES and DSMT are the same thing: DSMT is the name of the Medicare Benefit.

**DSMT**: 10 hours initial DSMES in 12-month period from the date of first encounter, plus 2 hours follow-up per calendar year with signed referral from the treating qualified provider (MD/DO, APRN, NP or PA) each year.

MNT: 3 hrs initial MNT in the first calendar year, plus 2 hours follow-up MNT annually. Additional MNT hours with change in medical condition, treatment and/or diagnosis with signed referral from any physician (MD/DO).

## **PATIENT INFORMATION:**

Last Name	First Name	Middle	Date of Birth
Address	City	State	Zip Code
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email Address	
DIABETES DIAGNOSIS:			
☐ Type 1	☐ Type 2	$\square$ Gestational	Diagnosis Code:
<b>DSMES ORDERS:</b>			
If # of hours are not specified, DSMES team will default to number of hours allowed per benefit.			
☑ Initial DSMES	hours	☐ Follow-up DSMES _	hours
DSMES CONTENT	T AREAS:		
$\square$ ALL content as related to diabetes care plan and agreed upon by the Patient and DSMES team			
OR only specific content areas:			
	X Healthy Coping		☑ Taking Medication
[	X Healthy Eating	☑ Reducing Risk	☐ Injection Training
]	X Being Active	☑ Problem Solving	☐ Other:
SPECIAL NEEDS (OPTIONAL)   MEDICARE BENEFICIARIES			
Please check reason <b>if</b> more than 1 of 10 hours of INITIAL DSMT are being requested individually instead of in a group setting.			
☐ Vision	☐ Hearing	☐ Language	☐ Cognitive
☐ Physical	☐ Psychosocial	☐ Transportation	☐ Other:
MEDICAL NUTRI	TION THERAPY		
☑ Initial MNT	☐ Follow-up MNT	Follow-up MNT	
	□ medical condition □ treatment □ diagnosis		
SIGNATURE OF QUALIFIED PHYSICIAN OR ADVANCED PRACTICE PROFESSIONAL:			
Signature and NPI# of qualified provider certify that they are managing the beneficiary's diabetes care for DSMT referrals.  Date of signature:			
Practice Name and Contact	t Info		