



الرابطة المغربية لمحاربة داء السكري
Moroccan League for the Fight against Diabetes



15th International Conference on Diabetes and Nutrition

« Diabetes Morocco 2026 »

International University of Rabat

May on 8 and 9, 2026

Amphitheater 14, Building 6



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Dear Friends,

The Moroccan League for the Fight Against Diabetes is organizing the 15th International Conference on Diabetes and Nutrition, "**Diabetes Morocco 2026**" on May 8 and 9, 2026, at the International University of Rabat (**Amphitheater 14, Building 6**).

This symposium will be organized in collaboration with:

- The Ministry of Health and Social Protection
- The Ministry of Higher Education, Scientific Research, and Innovation
- The National Council of the Order of Physicians
- The International Diabetes Federation
- The Moroccan Society of Medical Sciences (SMSM)
- The Moroccan Society of Nutrition, Health, and Environment (SMNSE)
- The Knowledge to Policy (K2P) Center – American University of Beirut

- and the International University of Rabat.

This Conference will bring together international and national experts from various sectors (academic, public, and private). As is customary, it will be organized under the auspices of the Ministry of Health, Higher Education, Scientific Research and Innovation, and the National Council of the Physicians.

Under the Honorary Presidency of **Professor Peter Schwarz, President of the International Diabetes Federation**, and thanks to the active and ongoing collaboration of the **International University of Rabat**, we are organizing this event at this prestigious international university. A very big thank you to **Professor Houda Hsaini, Dean of the Higher School of Paramedical Sciences**, and her team for their invaluable support.

The Congress program, spanning two days, will bring together Moroccan and international experts from various countries. It will allow participants to stay up-to-date on the latest developments in Diabetology and Nutrition through several sessions dedicated to these fields.

The new 2026 guidelines in Diabetology and Nutrition, along with updates on Diabetes and Obesity, will be discussed. This year, an entire afternoon is dedicated to the elimination of Trans Fats in the context of World Obesity Day. It will be organized in collaboration with the **Knowledge to Policy (K2P) Center at the American University of Beirut**.

We firmly believe that the multi-partner and multi-sectoral approach we have always championed, and the program for these days, which is a prime example of this, remains the cornerstone for improving the management of diabetes and nutritional diseases and strengthening prevention.

Finally, we would like to reiterate our sincere thanks to all those, and particularly our partners, who continue to provide their support for the success of the League's activities in the fight against Diabetes and Non-Communicable Diseases.