



Prof. Jamal BELKHADIR

President of the Moroccan League for the Fight against Diabetes
Former President of the International Diabetes Federation MENA Region

Dear colleagues and friends,

I am pleased to announce that the **Moroccan League for the Fight against Diabetes, in collaboration with the Council of Ulemas of Rabat**, will celebrate the **World Diabetes Day** on November 15, 2023 in Rabat at the headquarters of the Council of Ulemas.

The theme this year is: “**Access to diabetes care**” with a focus on “**Education to protect tomorrow?** »

This event, hosted by national diabetes experts and specialists, will be organized as usual, in collaboration with:

- the Ministry of Health and Social Protection;
- the Ministry of National Education, Vocational Training, Higher Education and Scientific Research;



- the National Council of the National Order of Physicians;
- WHO, CNOPS, ANAM;
- the Moroccan Society of Endocrinology, Diabetology and Nutrition;
- the Moroccan Society of Nutrition, Health and Environment;
- the “AVIESAINE” Association;
- the AFRA/IAEA Designated Regional Nutrition Center (Ibn Tofaïl University – CNESTEN);
- The Council of Ulemas of Rabat.

The program for this celebration includes several activities:

- Presentations on diabetes and its complications
- Education and awareness activities
- Screening activities for diabetes, obesity and high blood pressure.

Intended for health professionals, diabetics and the general public, this celebration will take place in dialectal Arabic.

The fight against diabetes is everyone's problem. A big thank to all those who work tirelessly against this national and global epidemic.