

If you have been diagnosed in the past four years with type 2 diabetes that is inadequately controlled with diet, exercise, and metformin, the SURPASS-EARLY Study may interest you.

Talk to your doctor to learn more.



What you should know about clinical research studies.

Clinical research studies aim to answer specific questions about how medicines work in the volunteers who take them. You should feel fully informed about what to expect from participation in a clinical research study.

Researchers use clinical research studies to:

- Answer specific health questions
- Learn about the effects and safety of investigational drugs
- Find new ways of using approved medications

Regulations and policies have been developed to help protect the rights, safety, and well-being of people who take part in clinical research studies and to help ensure that these studies are conducted according to strict scientific and ethical principles. Before a clinical research study can begin, an institutional review board (IRB) or ethics committee (EC) must review the study.

Participation in any clinical research study is completely voluntary, and you may withdraw from the study at any time for any reason. Before volunteering for a clinical research study, it is important to weigh the potential risks and benefits of participation, which the study team will inform you of, as well as possible side effects. To make an informed decision, gather as much information as possible and talk to your healthcare providers about any questions you may have.

Thank you for considering the SURPASS-EARLY Study!



What's missing from your type 2 diabetes management?



Searching for your missing piece.

Since your diagnosis with type 2 diabetes, you’ve started making healthier choices. You’ve tried to stay active on the weekends and have added vegetables to every meal. But managing diabetes just isn’t that simple. While you’ve gained a certain level of control, you’re still in search of a better way to manage your disease.

As you know, type 2 diabetes is a chronic condition that affects the way your body metabolizes sugar. Your body either resists the effects of insulin – a hormone that regulates the movement of sugar into your cells – or doesn’t produce enough insulin to maintain a normal glucose level. For some, this makes medication necessary, in addition to diet and exercise.



Finding the treatment that’s just right for your life can be difficult – you may have had trouble with effectiveness or side effects, and it may feel like something’s missing from your regimen – so if you want to move beyond your current obstacles, it may be worth exploring your options. Right now, research is underway on a once-weekly injectable study treatment option for adults with type 2 diabetes, and you may be able to take part.

About the SURPASS-EARLY Study.

We are looking for adults ages 18 and older who have been diagnosed with type 2 diabetes within the past four years and are currently being treated with stable doses of metformin to take part in this clinical research study. The purpose of the SURPASS-EARLY Study is to evaluate the long-term safety and effectiveness of a once-weekly injectable study drug compared with intensified conventional care



(your usual care with close follow-up) with defined follow-up schedules and treatment plans (modified if needed) when initiating treatment early in the course of type 2 diabetes.

Individuals will be evaluated to determine their eligibility to participate in this study. Each participant who qualifies will receive either the study drug or intensified conventional care, as well as study-related medical exams, study-related laboratory tests, and study-related medications, all at no cost. Compensation for travel may also be available.

Talk to your doctor to learn more or contact the participating research site listed here.

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