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Diabetes Snacks List

Patient Information Leaflet

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Dacă aveți nevoie de această broșură într-o altă limbă sau într-un format accesibil, vă rog să discutați cu un membru al personalului să se ocupe de acest lucru pentru dumneavoastră

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Snacking news

Snacks provide energy for your activities through the day and they can provide valuable nutrients such as vitamins, minerals, protein and fibre.

They may also stop you overeating at the next meal by preventing you from becoming too hungry.

On the downside, some snack foods can be a source of extra fat, sugar and salt, so choose carefully and keep portion sizes sensible.

Below are examples of various snacks which typically have 10-15g of carbohydrate per serving.

Keeping snacks to less than 15-20g of **total** carbohydrate can usually help to keep your blood glucose levels under control. The carbohydrate free options are highlighted.

- Fibre one 90 calorie snack bar
- Sugar free jelly pot (carb free)
- 7 strawberries
- Small fun size/kids banana
- Naked peanut butter delight bars x135g
- 1 small slice of wholegrain toast with a scraping of low fat spread or extra light cheese spread
- Lettuce roll-ups fill with chopped egg, tuna and low fat mayo, cottage cheese, cooked meat (leftovers from bolognese), well cooked prawns (carb free)
- Small pot diet yoghurt (ensure per 100g the sugar content is close to 5g per 100g)

- x2 high fibre Ryvita or oatcakes with or without a scraping of low fat spread or extra light cheese spread
- 20g popcorn (unsalted/unsweetened)
- ½ a small tin of tinned fruit in natural juice
- 1 apple/pear/peach or 2 small tangerines/plums/kiwi
- 2 plain sweet biscuits e.g. nice/ rich tea/ ginger nut
- 10 grapes (could try frozen!)
- 1 cereal bar containing at least 4g of fibre e.g. Alpen light/ Special K chewy delight/ Kellogg's fibre plus
- Cold boiled eggs (carb free)
- Olives (carb free)
- Graze peanut butter & chocolate protein oat bite x130g
- 70% cocoa solids chocolate 30g weight e.g. 3 squares Tesco version
- 150g (1/3 of large 450g pot) natural yoghurt, sprinkle of seeds/ unsalted nuts & handful of blueberries
- Handful of unsalted nuts (carb free)
- Nature Valley protein peanut & chocolate bars x140g
- A handful of vegetable sticks e.g. carrot sticks/ raw pepper sticks/ cucumber/ celery sticks with or without a low fat dip – humus, salsa, cream cheese, cottage cheese, peanut butter, guacamole
- Sugar free squash frozen to make ice lollies.

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