PPOD-related Organizations List

This section includes links to pharmacy, podiatry, optometry, and dentistry (PPOD)-related organizations to give you a starting point for networking, making connections across specialties, and finding relevant resources. This list includes only a sampling of the many excellent organizations doing important work in PPOD areas and diabetes prevention, care, and education.

Pharmacy Organizations

- Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy
- American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists
- American College of Clinical Pharmacy
- American Pharmacists Association
- American Society of Consultant Pharmacists
- American Society of Health-System Pharmacists
- Association of Black Health System Pharmacists
- National Alliance of State Pharmacy Associations
- National Association of Chain Drug Stores
- National Community Pharmacists Association

Pharmacy benefit management organizations such as Express Scripts and Caremark all conduct diabetes education.
Podiatry Organizations

- American Academy of Podiatric Practice Management
- American Association of Colleges of Podiatric Medicine
- American Association of Hospital & Healthcare Podiatrists
- American Board of Podiatric Medicine
- American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons
- American College of Foot & Ankle Orthopedics & Medicine
- American Podiatric Medical Association
- American Society of Podiatric Dermatology
- American Society of Podiatric Medical Assistants
- American Society of Podiatric Surgeons
- National Podiatric Medical Association

Optometry and Ophthalmology Organizations

- American Academy of Ophthalmology
- American Academy of Optometry
- American Optometric Association
- American Society of Retina Specialists
- Association of Schools and Colleges of Optometry
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Vision Health Initiative
- Lions Clubs International
- National Institutes of Health, National Eye Institute
- National Optometric Association
- Prevent Blindness America
Dentistry Organizations

- Academy of General Dentistry
- American Academy of Oral Medicine
- American Academy for Oral Systemic Health
- American Academy of Periodontology
- American Association of Public Health Dentistry
- American Dental Association
- American Dental Education Association
- American Dental Hygienists’ Association
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Division of Oral Health
- Hispanic Dental Association
- Indian Health Service Division of Oral Health
- National Dental Association
- National Dental Hygienists’ Association
- National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research
- Oral Health America

National Organizations and Associations—General

- Alliance of Independent Academic Medical Centers
- American Diabetes Association
- American Psychological Association
- Association for the Advancement of Wound Care
- Association of Academic Health Centers
- Indian Health Service
- International Diabetes Federation
- National Kidney Foundation
Medical Associations

- American Academy of Family Medicine
- American Academy of Family Physicians
- American Academy of Physician Assistants
- American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists
- American Association of Nurse Practitioners
- American College of Physicians (Internal Medicine)
- American Medical Association
- Association of American Indian Physicians
- The Endocrine Society
- National Hispanic Medical Association
- National Medical Association

Nutrition and Diabetes Education Organizations

- Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
- American Association of Diabetes Educators
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Community Health Workers/Promotores de Salud
- Community Health Worker National Education Collaborative
- Visión y Compromiso (from Promotores and Community Workers)