

# SECRETS & SOLUTIONS



As diabetes rates and associated costs rise, Roche Diabetes Care commissioned **Secrets & Solutions**, a survey of benefits decision-makers, to learn their perceptions of the impact of diabetes in the workplace.

## DIABETES DOESN'T QUIT

**81%**

of benefits decision-makers believe **employees keep their condition a secret**

**2/3**

believe their employees with diabetes find that **management of their condition is a second full-time job**

Finding solutions to the human and financial burden of diabetes in the workplace **keeps 70% of benefits decision-makers up at night.**



## TOLL ON PRODUCTIVITY AND ABSENTEEISM

Of all the health-related issues facing their workforce, most benefits decision-makers surveyed say diabetes management **has the highest impact on productivity** in their company vs. obesity, smoking and mental health

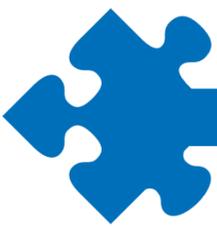
**2** out of **3**

believe diabetes is a **significant financial burden**

**86%**

of these believe difficulty managing **diabetes is responsible for absenteeism**

## Solution: A company-supported program that simplifies diabetes management at work



**Almost all**

surveyed believe it's important to provide a diabetes support package to ease this burden

**Nine out of ten** benefits decision-makers agree that a company-supported **diabetes management program could lead to higher quality of life and reduced sick time**

**83%**

say such a program **would result in more company loyalty and less turnover.**

Benefits decision-makers surveyed believe a company supported diabetes management program like **RocheDiabetes Health Connection** will lead to...



**45%** increased productivity



**39%** fewer sick days



**42%** better morale



**37%** less stress

RocheDiabetes Health Connection provides personalized, digital coaching, automatic blood sugar tracking via the mySugr app and unlimited Accu-Chek® testing supplies.

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Survey of 201 benefits decision-makers at self-funded companies conducted in July 2019 by Opinion Research Corporation and commissioned by Roche Diabetes Health Connection, part of Roche Diabetes Care, Inc.