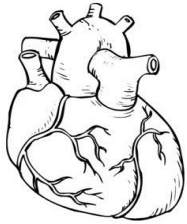


HARRY'S HEART



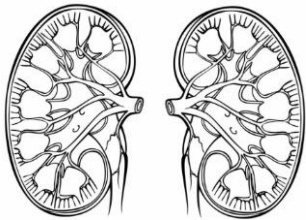
Hello! I belong to a 65 years old retired teacher. We were really invested in his career of teaching junior high school for 30 years, but now we spend our time playing bingo and cards with his friends at the senior center. He's had type two diabetes for almost ten years now. When he first found out I had diabetes, he weighed too much and needed to lose weight. Neither of us got much exercise either which was making my job pretty hard. With our doctor's approval, we began an exercise program and started losing weight. His blood sugar began to come down the more he exercised, and all we did was walk around his neighborhood four days a week for 30 minutes! We both feel so much better that we've been teaching an exercise class once a week at the senior center! Can you guess who I am?

EARL'S EYES



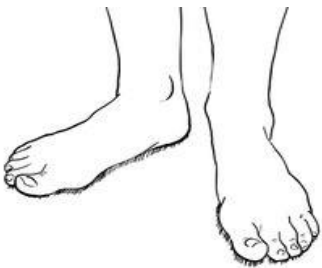
Hello! We belong to a fella that just moved here from California, and let's just say we're 40-something. He's had diabetes for around 15 years. We've recently had problems reading, but other than that our owner thinks he's in super health. He's never followed a diabetic diet and says he feels just fine and doesn't understand what the big deal is about diabetes. He's never used a glucose monitor or anything but just take his pill every morning. This morning we were trying to read the newspaper and the page was a bit blurry and hard to make out. It kind of surprised us and him, because we've have never had a problem seeing. Maybe it's just the new reading glasses he bought for us. Can you guess our name?

KEVIN'S KIDNEYS



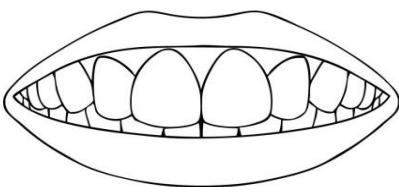
Hi! We belong to a 63-year-old migrant worker. He has diabetes and high blood pressure, and he usually has his blood pressure checked at clinics in migrant worker camps. We think he really wants to take charge of his disease, but he lives alone, doesn't cook much and tends to grab whatever food is around. He eats a lot of salty foods like potato chips, processed deli meats, and fast food. The doctor tells him that these foods have a lot of salt, which can increase his high blood pressure and makes it really hard on us to filter waste and balance his body fluids. His doctor says that if he doesn't control his blood pressure, we could end up on dialysis some day!! We surely don't want that. What is our name?

FRANK'S FEET



Hello! We belong to a 70-year-old retired postman. He was diagnosed with diabetes two years ago. He woke up one day and noticed that we felt very tingly all over. Every time he goes to the doctor now he takes his shoes off and the doctor checks us for sores, ulcers and other wounds. He's already lost some feeling in parts of us. The doctor usually goes over with him how to properly care for us, and we're glad because one time we had blisters that he didn't even know were there! His doctor said it could have gotten worse and caused him to amputate one of us!! Thank goodness the doctor checks us out. Can you guess our name?

GUS'S GUMS



Hello! We belong to a 50 year old who was just diagnosed with diabetes last week. He wants to learn as much as he can about diabetes because it's important for him to be around to see his grandchildren grow up; those little ones really bring the best out in us! We're about to head over to the dentist since our owner takes good care of us and his teeth and sees his dentist regularly. I hope he remembers to let his dentist know that he has diabetes, since it can have negative effects on us! Can you guess who we are?