

ADA EVENTS

1st American Diabetes Association Middle East Congress
4–6 December 2012

Dubai International Convention and Exhibition Centre
Dubai, United Arab Emirates

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60th Annual Advanced Postgraduate Course

22–24 February 2013

Hilton New York

New York, New York

Web site: <http://professional.diabetes.org/pg13>

73rd Scientific Sessions

21–25 June 2013

McCormick Place Convention Center

Chicago, Illinois

Web site: <http://scientificsessions.diabetes.org>

74th Scientific Sessions

13–17 June 2014

Moscone Center

San Francisco, California

Web site: <http://scientificsessions.diabetes.org>

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OTHER EVENTS

The 2nd International Conference on Prehypertension and
Cardio Metabolic Syndrome (PreHT 2013)

31 January–3 February 2013

Barcelona, Spain

Web site: www.prehypertension.org

Beginning with manuscripts submitted after 1 January 2013, *Diabetes* requires authors to report HbA_{1c} levels in both traditional, DCCT-derived units (as %) and SI, IFCC-recommended units (as mmol/mol). Authors should use the NGSP's HbA_{1c} converter at <http://www.ngsp.org/convert1.asp> to calculate HbA_{1c} values as both % and mmol/mol. (Please note the additional link for converting standard deviations.) Values should first be reported as %, followed by the mmol/mol equivalent in parentheses.