



In 2010, the global economic cost of diabetes was US\$500 billion.

The projected cost for 2030 is at least US\$745 billion.

What factors contribute to this cost for an individual, their family, their community, healthcare systems, and society?

Think about the costs related to:

- the needs of the person who has the disease;
- the people who help meet the needs of the individual with diabetes (their family and friends, community workers, volunteers, and health professionals);
- what the person who has the disease can no longer do;
- what the person who has the disease can no longer contribute to their family and their community.

Working with your group, record your ideas in the diagram below. Add more boxes if you need to. Share your ideas with others to build a map of the factors that contribute to the costs of type 2 diabetes.

