

# HEART DISEASE IN TYPE 2 DIABETES

People with type 2 diabetes are **two to four times** more likely to develop heart disease than people without diabetes<sup>1</sup>



Heart disease is a broad term for all diseases of the heart and blood vessels, most commonly coronary artery disease, and can lead to a serious event, such as a **heart attack**.<sup>2</sup>



**One in every two** people with T2D is expected to prematurely lose their life to heart disease.<sup>2,3</sup>



For an average 60 year old, having diabetes and heart disease can reduce life expectancy by as much as **12 years** compared to people without these conditions<sup>4</sup>

# 2x

The risk of dying from heart disease is up to **two times higher** in people with diabetes.<sup>4</sup>

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