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My Diabetes Organizer
named finalist for the Benjamin Franklin Award

Westport, CT (JUNE 2007) - North Hill Publishing is proud to announce that ***My Diabetes Organizer: the essential planner and record-keeper for people with type 2 diabetes*** by Gina Barbetta and Valerie Rossi was one of three finalists in the 2007 Benjamin Franklin Awards™ for the Health Category.

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Gina Barbetta, MS, RD, CDE, CD-N is a registered dietitian, certified diabetes educator and nutrition consultant with over 15 years of experience in the diabetes and weight management field, which includes clinical research on diabetes-related topics with Yale University, School of Medicine. Ms Barbetta is published in scientific journals including the *New England Journal of Medicine*, *Lancet*, and the *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*. Valerie Rossi, an organizer by nature, embarked on this project to help family members get better control of the issues surrounding type 2 diabetes. This book will be available in bookstores in September 2006.

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