

## Prescriptions for health information

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•**What:** As part of a pilot program, South Sound doctors and health advisers will write "prescriptions" for patients that send them to the library for more information about their health conditions, particularly diabetes, heart health and depression. Participating libraries are using "best-of" print and online resources that they have compiled.

•**When:** The pilot program runs through September

•**Participants:** The program is the result of a partnership of the **Puget Sound Health Alliance**, Timberland Regional Library, CHOICE Regional Health Network and Providence St. Peter Family Practice.

•**More information:** Call the library system at 360-704-4636, go to [www.trlib.org](http://www.trlib.org) or [www.pugetsoundhealthalliance.org](http://www.pugetsoundhealthalliance.org), or visit a Timberland Regional Library branch in Lacey, 500 College St. S.E.; in Olympia, 313 Eighth Ave. S.E.; or in Tumwater, 7023 New Market St. S.W.