CUBA—Three months from now, when diabetes awareness week is in full swing, the County Health Department plans to educate the public on the dangers of diabetes with the help of a 16-foot inflatable balloon. The balloon will be escorted by two people who will take shifts driving the inflatable vehicle.

The balloon will be on display at the Cattaraugus County Health Department's offices on Main Street in Cuba from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. every day until October 31.

The inflatable balloon is a new addition to the Health Department's diabetes awareness program. It is one of many tools the department has developed to educate the public about the dangers of diabetes.

The balloon is portable and can be easily transported to events and locations throughout Cattaraugus County. It is designed to attract attention and draw people into discussions about diabetes.

The Health Department encourages people to learn more about diabetes and take steps to prevent it. The inflatable balloon is just one way to help spread awareness.

For more information about diabetes or to schedule a presentation, please contact the Cattaraugus County Health Department at 585-934-2200.