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THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 2014

Thursday Sips & Nibbles

2) **Joslin Diabetes Center**, the world's largest diabetes research and clinical care organization, will celebrate with "**ritmos de salud**" at the **Artists for Humanity EpiCenter** on Friday, September 26, from 6pm-10pm, to benefit its **Latino Diabetes Initiative**.

Guests will enjoy an evening filled with upbeat Latin rhythms from **Alexander el Cantante** as well as a performance by Boston's own "**Salsa y Control**" **Dance Company**; guests will be encouraged to join in on the dance floor. A fabulous array of food will be provided by some of Boston's most renowned Chefs, led by our culinary chair – **Chef Jose Duarte** of **Taranta**.

Diabetes is a disease of epidemic proportions across all populations, affecting certain racial/ethnic groups in even greater numbers. National data demonstrates that Latinos have a two-fold increase in the risk of developing type 2 diabetes compared to the Caucasian population. Joslin Diabetes Center's Latino Diabetes Initiative (LDI) strives to improve the lives of Latinos affected by diabetes, or at risk for the disease, through culturally oriented patient care, education, outreach and research, as well as working to find a cure.

Tickets (\$75) can be purchased by calling 617. 309.2512 or emailing Meghan.Mongeau@joslin.harvard.edu

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