

Early gestational diabetes tied to poor outcomes

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(HealthDay)—Diagnosis of gestational diabetes mellitus (GDM) early in pregnancy remains associated with poorer pregnancy outcomes, according to a study published online Dec. 8 in *Diabetes Care*.

Arianne N. Sweeting, Ph.D., from the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital in Sydney, and <u>colleagues</u> retrospectively evaluated outcomes for 4,873 women attending a university hospital antenatal diabetes clinic between 1991 and 2011. Women were classified as pre-existing diabetes (65 patients) or GDM diagnosed at

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