

## CWSF 2006 - Saguenay, Québec



### Jennifer Rich

#### Code 3 for the Diabetic Emergency

**Division:** Life Sciences

**Category:** Intermediate

**Region:** Cariboo Mainline

**City:** 150 Mile House, BC

**School:** Williams Lake Secondary School

**Abstract:** I studied diabetes and the pre-hospital emergency care that can be provided to diabetics. I examined the protocols for four levels of paramedics. Diabetes results when the body doesn't produce insulin or can't use the insulin produced. Higher training results in more care paramedics can provide for diabetic patients.