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Carbohydrate

National Diabetes Information Clearinghouse (NDIC)

Source

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One of the three main nutrients in food. Foods that provide carbohydrate are **starches**, vegetables, fruits, dairy products, and **sugars**.



Sources of carbohydrate