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### **Cancellation of funding for the Diabetes Prevention Program**

As a long-standing champion of the Diabetes Prevention Program (DPP), it is ADCES' position that the National Institutes of Health's (NIH) cancellation of funding for the long-term study of the DPP threatens to disrupt three decades of invaluable research on type 2 diabetes and prediabetes. This decision could jeopardize diabetes prevention efforts for years to come at a time when rates of type 2 diabetes in the US have never been higher. We are contacting Congressional leaders to impress upon them that this essential research on the DPP should not be ended.