



NACDD Support to States for State Engagement Meeting around Scaling and Sustaining the National Diabetes Prevention Program

The National Association of Chronic Disease Directors (NACDD), in collaboration with CDC, supports targeted state health departments in working with key stakeholders from diverse sectors in their state (health systems, employers, insurers, community organizations, CDC-recognized LCPs) to develop a strategic plan of action for scaling and sustaining the National Diabetes Prevention Program (National DPP).

A team of facilitators and subject matter experts, including NACDD consultants, CDC Division of Diabetes Translation leadership/staff, and/or representatives from other relevant national partner organizations such as the American Medical Association or the American Association of Diabetes Educators, work collaboratively to plan and conduct a interactive, onsite stakeholder meeting.

The team works with state points of contact to plan, identify relevant stakeholder groups, and develop a tailored agenda. During the visit, background information is presented on the National DPP, the “national landscape” of this work, and relevant work currently going on in the state. Facilitators then lead participants through a series of small group exercises, which forms the basis for an individualized state action plan that includes potential collaborators and resources for priority areas identified. Post-meeting, the team provides technical assistance and support and monitors progress.

The team has supported the following states in the past 2 years: California, Colorado, Kansas, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Utah, and West Virginia.

In the next year, NACDD will work with additional priority 1422 states.