



DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

**Withdrawal of Notice Inviting Applications (NIA) and
Cancellation of the Competition for the Native American Career
and Technical Education Program (NACTEP)**

AGENCY: Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education,
Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice; withdrawal.

SUMMARY: The Department of Education (Department) withdraws the
NIA for fiscal year (FY) 2025 for NACTEP Grants.

DATES: The NIA published in the *Federal Register* on January 7,
2025 (90 FR 1106), is withdrawn and the competition cancelled as
of [INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

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disability and wish to access telecommunications relay services,
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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On January 7, 2025, the Department
published an NIA for the NACTEP program in the *Federal Register*.
The Department is withdrawing this NIA as part of a
comprehensive review of recently published FY 2025 NIAs. This
reevaluation seeks to ensure that all priorities and
requirements for the Department's FY 2025 competitions align

with the objectives established by the Trump Administration while fostering consistency across all grant programs. Additionally, the Department is dedicated to optimizing the impact of our grant competitions on students and families, as well as enhancing the economic effectiveness of Federal education funding. The Department will dedicate available funds to support current NACTEP grantee activities authorized under this program.

Intergovernmental Review: This program is subject to Executive Order 12372 and the regulations in 34 CFR part 79.

Accessible Format: On request to the program contact person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**, individuals with disabilities can obtain this notice and the NIA in an accessible format. The Department will provide the requestor with an accessible format that may include Rich Text Format (RTF) or text format (txt), a thumb drive, an MP3 file, braille, large print, audiotape, compact disc, or other accessible format.

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