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Diabetic retinopathy is one of the leading causes of preventable blindness. Early detection provides a path towards saving vision. Those that have diabetes and do not know they have retinopathy are at high risk for vision loss. Our study uses a national database to determine the prevalence of the population undiagnosed diabetic retinopathy. Information about the population with undiagnosed disease provides a foundation for an intervention to reach those at the highest risk for blindness.