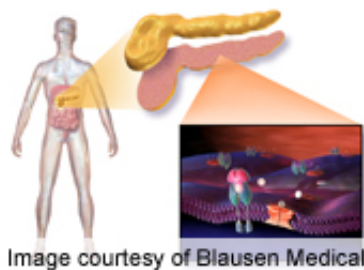


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Rachel G. Miller, from the University of Pittsburgh, and colleagues compared life expectancy of two subcohorts from the Pittsburgh Epidemiology of [Diabetes Complications](#) (EDC) study of childhood-onset (aged

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