



A partnership of the University of New Mexico Center for Participatory Research, the University of Washington, Community-Campus Partnerships for Health, the National Indian Child Welfare Association, University of Waikato NZ, Rand Corporation, and a Think Tank of Community and Academic CBPR Practitioners received R01 funding from the National Institute of Nursing Research (2015-2020; 1R01NR015241-01A1) to continue development of measures & metrics of CBPR practices and outcomes.

"Engage for Equity: Advancing Community Engaged Partnerships" is being conducted to extend the science of Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) and Community-Engaged Research (CEnR). Our goal is to strengthen collaborative practices and translation of research findings to practices, programs, and policies for improved health equity.

This grant builds from previous pilot funding (NIMHD, 2006-2009), and NIH/NARCH "Research for Improved Health (RIH)" funding (2009-2013). In RIH, we developed our CBPR Conceptual Model; tested and psychometrically-validated process and outcome measures; and identified promising practices associated with outcomes. (<http://cpr.unm.edu/research-projects/cbpr-project/index.html>).

New Study Aims (2015-2020):

- 1 Reconvene national Think Tank of academic and community CEnR/CBPR experts from the past 9 years for feedback on measures; training intervention; and *Collective Evaluation and Reflection Toolkit*;
- 2 Refine, translate into Spanish, and test finalized metrics and measures with up to 400 federally-funded partnerships;
- 3 Conduct randomized control trial comparing an interactive CBPR community of practice workshop and evaluation toolkit for 40 partnerships versus the use of a web-based toolkit.

Study Methods and Benefits:

Identify ~400 federally-funded research partnerships from RePORTER database and other pilot grants

Conduct 2 internet surveys:

--Key Informant Survey (KIS) for Principal Investigator

--Community Engaged Survey (CES) for community and academic partners

Conduct short survey and team interviews for partnerships invited to training

Benefits: Tested CBPR Conceptual Model, New Metrics and Measures, Partnership Training Guide, and new *Collective Evaluation and Reflection Toolkit*.

Study Partners:



Think Tank of Community and Academic CBPR Practitioners



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