Resources & Opportunities for Community & Academic Partners

Available online here or www.ARCConline.net. New additions highlighted. Updated as of 11/4/2015

Events

- **Office of Minority Health New Webinar for Community-Based/Faith-Based Organizations**: Nov 5:

- **American Public Health Association (APHA) Annual Meeting**, Oct. 31-Nov 4, Chicago. ARCC will be presenting. Details: https://www.apha.org/events-and-meetings/annual
  - APHA Learning Institute: Scientific Writing for Peer Reviewed Publications for Public Health Professionals, Oct 31 - Experienced authors and editors who will work with attendees on their partially completed manuscripts. Participants are strongly encouraged to bring an abstract, manuscript outline, data analysis results, or a draft of an article that they would like to publish. Course will be a mixture of presentations & hands-on work. Details: https://apha.confex.com/apha/143am/webprogram/Session44331.html
  - Community-Based Public Health (CBPH) Caucus: “Youth as Leaders in CBPR” workshop, Sunday, Nov 1, 9–11:45 am. Details: kwikwi@umich.edu.
  - Interfaith Celebration: Role of Faith in Mass Incarceration, Racism and Health, Nov 1, 4-6pm. Join members of the Caucus on Public Health and the Faith Community of APHA. Great opportunity for us to delve into powerful issues that are at the core of health inequities and to think and plan together with people from around the country for how we can be agents of change. Conference registration not needed to attend this FREE session. Details: https://www.chicagofaithandhealth.org/event-calendar/event-search-results-detail/?eventId=73740108-a342-e511-9bbb-782bcb3b39aa

- **The Value of Public Service**: Toni Preckwinkle, Nov 3, 5:30-6:30 pm. National Louis University (122 S Michigan). Cook County Board President, Toni Preckwinkle who will discuss her perspective on the value of public service. Details: nl.edu/PublicPolicySeries

- **Seminar**: Nadia Islam: Community-Clinical Linkage to Models to Advance Cardiovascular Diseases & Diabetes Prevention & Management for Asian Americans, Nov 5, 12-1pm – Baldwin Auditorium, 303 E Superior. Northwestern University Institute for Public Health & Medicine Seminar. Dr. Islam is Assistant Professor, Dept. of Population Health, NYU School of Medicine and serves as Deputy Director, NYU Center for the Study of Asian American Health and Research Director, NYU-CUNY Prevention Research Center. Details: http://www.feinberg.northwestern.edu/sites/ipham/about/SeminarSeries.html

- **IOM Workshop**: The Private Sector as a Catalyst for Health Equity and a Vibrant Economy”; Nov 5, 8:30am-5pm. Northwestern Prentice Women’s Hospital – 3rd Floor. Registration is free: http://iom.nationalacademies.org/Activities/SelectPops/HealthDisparities/2015-NOV-05.aspx

- **2015 Impact Summit, Austin, TX – Nov 8-10**: Theme: Building Equitable Communities: Weaving Stories out of Data will provide the tools and inspiration to community-based and research organizations and others involved in the collection, analysis and reporting of data to make measurable and sustainable improvements in quality of community life. Details: http://www.communityindicators.net/Conference

- **Healthy Chicago Telephone Survey Roundtable**: Nov 9, 2-4pm: University Center: Loop/River Room: 525 S State. Chicago Dept. of Public Health roundtable event to discuss ways to improve health data collection and analysis across Chicago. As part of the event, we will release Measuring Chicago’s Health: Findings from the 2014 Healthy Chicago Survey. RSVP: Emily.Laflamme@cityofchicago.org.

- **“All in Chicago” Community Health Panel Discussion**: Nov 10, 7:30-10:30am, Mid-American Club, 200 E Randolph, 8th Floor. Led by David Axelrod, this compelling discussion aims to enlighten you with the facts and myths about the Affordable Care Act and focus in on why it is imperative that the city of Chicago ensure all its
residents have access to essential health care and how we can reach that goal. Details: http://www.communityhealth.org/allinchicago/#.VduCQvIvhBc

- **Paper Tiger Film Screenings, Nov 10-13.** *Paper Tigers* follows a year in the life of an alternative high school in Walla Walla, WA, that used the science and framework of adverse childhood experiences, or ACEs, to radically change its approach to student relationships and discipline, and in the process has become a promising model for how to break the cycles of poverty, violence and disease that affect families. Details: http://www.hmprg.org/Events/PaperTigers
  
  Nov 11, 12-2pm: Loyola Law School, Rm. 1303 – 25 Pearson St.  
  Nov 12, 6-8:30pm: Chicago State University – 9501 S. King Drive  
  Nov 13, 2-4:30pm: UIC School of Public Health Auditorium – 1603 W. Taylor Street

- **Regional Community Partner Forums on Community-Engaged Health Disparities Research, Minneapolis, November 20.** Community Campus Partnerships for Health (CCPH’s) Community Network for Research Equity and Impact and the Center for Community Health Education research and Service has funding from National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities. Open to community-based organizations and leaders interested or involved in research as a tool to advance health equity and social justice. ARCC partners are attending. FREE. Registration: http://tinyurl.com/ngmvm5z

- **8th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation, December 14-15, Washington, DC:** Forum aims to grow the research base by bridging the gap between evidence, practice, and policy in health and medicine. Researchers, evaluators and implementers who are interested in identifying opportunities, challenges, and strategies for disseminating the findings and implementation of research to key stakeholders attended the meeting and discussed, debated, and explored in-depth approaches to advance dissemination and implementation science. Details: http://www.academyhealth.org/Events/events.cfm?ItemNumber=13518&navItemNumber=13668

- **Center for Community Health (CCH) Writing Manuscript Retreats:** Are you ready to turn your conference abstracts into papers, plan for possible papers, make progress on drafts, or finish revisions? If so, register and get a head start at CCH upcoming writing retreats. These retreats focus on manuscripts related to community-engaged research, including community, patient and stakeholder engagement. RSVP: cch@northwestern.edu
  
  Thursday, January 21, 2016  
  Tuesday, March 15, 2016  
  Thursday, May 5, 2016

- **Detroit Urban Research Center (URC) 20th Anniversary Symposium, Jan 21, 9am-4pm,** Detroit. University of Michigan’s URC Event will highlight and celebrate 20 years of *Advancing Partnerships, Research, and Equity in Detroit.* Will also honor Dr. David Satcher, Founding Director and Senior Advisor of the Satcher Health Leadership Institute, Morehouse School of Medicine, 16th Surgeon General of the United States, and former Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, who was pivotal in the URC development and establishment in 1995. Details: http://www.detroiturc.org/media/news-updates/184-symposium.html

- **Association for Community Health Improvement Conference– From Health Care to Healthy Communities-2016 National Conference, March 1-3, 2016, Baltimore, MD.** Brings together 500+ participants from across the U.S. to discuss strategies & approaches to improve the health of their respective communities. In its 13th year, the conference has become a gathering point for community benefit, population health, public health and community development professionals to network and share promising practices in community health improvement. The two-and-a-half day conference includes preconference workshops, plenary sessions, concurrent breakout sessions, a poster reception and site visits. Details: www.healthycommunities.org

- **Teaching Prevention 2016: Preparing Students to Address Emerging Issues, March 13-15.** This conference will tackle important topics facing our world. How can health professions educators increase the capacity of students to confront health inequities and improve population health? Details: http://www.teachingprevention.org/?utm_source=TP2016-Call+for+Abstracts-1&utm_campaign=Teaching+Prevention+2014-Call&utm_medium=email

- **Community Campus Partnerships for Health 2016 International Conference, May 11-14, 2016, New Orleans.** At a time when social and racial justice are at the forefront of conversations about health equity, CCHP seeks to promote, support and encourage partnerships designed to improve health by addressing social and racial justice issues. The CCHP conference will bring together community partners, faculty members, students, funders and policy makers from around to the world to learn from each other and highlight
partnerships and research collaborations addressing health equity through social justice. Details: www.ccph.info

Grant Opportunities

- **NUCATS KL2 Open Call Cohort 2: Applications for the Multidisciplinary Mentored Career Development Program (KL2).** Funded as part of Northwestern University Clinical & Translational Sciences (NUCATS) Institute. Designed to train a diverse workforce of investigators needed to drive future innovation and implement effective clinical and translational research. Program will offer programs, with robust mentoring teams, to assess the educational needs of the individual scholars and to provide them with optimal, personalized career development opportunities. Provides career development resources including formal coursework, peer mentoring, and career guidance to scholars across disparate areas of expertise. Will integrate collaboration, training, and resources to scholars including team science workshops, community implementation and dissemination training, and opportunities for research experiences in academia, government, and industry leveraging disparate areas of expertise. Award provides salary support, 75% protected time for mentored research, tuition, travel, mentor materials and supply support, and mentorship across areas such as community stakeholder engagement and research analysis and design methods for selected scholars. Funding for scholars selected is anticipated to begin Apr 1, 2016. **LOI Deadline:** Nov 1 **Full applications deadline:** Jan 11, 2016. Details: nucats.northwestern.edu/funding/career-development-awards/kl2/open-call-proposals

- **Evidence for Action: Investigator-Initiated Research to Build a Culture of Health.** National program of Robert Wood Johnson Foundation aims to provide individuals, organizations, communities, policymakers, and researchers with the empirical evidence needed to address the key determinants of health encompassed in the Culture of Health Action Framework. Will also support efforts to assess outcomes and set priorities for action. Will do this by encouraging and supporting creative, rigorous research on the impact of innovative programs, policies and partnerships on health and well-being, and on novel approaches to measuring health determinants and outcomes. Approx. $2.2 million awarded annually. Expect 5-12 grants/year for periods of up to 30 months. **Deadline:** Rolling. Details: http://bit.ly/1KQES8c

- **NUCATS Voucher and Pilot Program.** The Northwestern University Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute had two funding mechanisms designed to accelerate research by providing rapid, targeted funding to address small, but critical gaps in clinical and translational research work that is otherwise at present not funded by other sources. Includes projects involving critical steps in dissemination and implementation in community settings. **Vouchers:** Up to $2500. 500 word application. **Accepted on ongoing basis.** Review within 2 weeks. **Pilot grants:** Up to $10K. 1000 word application. **Deadlines:** November 15. Details: http://www.nucats.northwestern.edu/funding/pilot-funding/voucher-pilot-programs

- **American Asthma Foundation (AAF) Scholars Program:** The AAF supports highly innovative research from all fields relevant to asthma. AAF wants to draw outstanding investigators from other fields into the study of asthma, and most AAF Scholars are studying asthma for the first time. All grants will be to investigators within 10 years of their first independent faculty appointment. **Deadline:** Dec. 1. Details: http://americanasthmafoundation.org/funding-2016

- **“Inspiring Change” Community-Based Participatory Research Project:** The Chicago Health Disparities at the Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT) has partnered with Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) to provide funding for two community-based participatory research that address disparities in integrated health care for African Americans with serious mental illness. Two projects will be selected and funding includes up to $6,000 for project costs plus up to $15,000 for compensation of CBPR team members for a total up to $21,000. Must attend workshops on Nov 6 or 13. **Deadline:** Dec 15 Details: http://www.chicagohealthdisparities.org/

- **Russell Sage Foundation Social Inequality Research.** The foundation’s program on Social Inequality supports research on the social, economic, political, and labor market consequences of rising economic inequalities in the U.S. Priority will be given to projects that use innovative data or other methodologies to address important questions about inequality. Examples of the kinds of topics that are of interest include, but are not limited to, economic well-being, equality of opportunity, and intergenerational mobility; the political process and the resulting policies; psychological and/or
National Institutes of Health (NIH) FUNDING

Health of Sexual and Gender Minority (SGM) Populations (R01/R03/R15/21) is committed to supporting research that will increase scientific understanding of the health status of diverse population groups and thereby improve the effectiveness of health interventions and services for individuals within those groups. Priority is placed on understudied populations with distinctive health risk profiles. This funding opportunity focuses on sexual and gender minority (SGM) populations, including lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and intersex populations. Basic, social, behavioral, clinical, and services research relevant to the missions of the sponsoring Institutes and Centers may be proposed. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-15-263.html#sthash.0izZkGrl.dpuf

Research on Informal and Formal Caregiving for Alzheimer’s Disease (R01/R21): Invites applications for basic and translational research on caregiving for individuals with Alzheimer’s disease (AD), at the individual, family, community, and population level. Scope includes support for interventions to reduce caregiver burden and improve patient outcomes across various settings; population- and community-based research on the scope and impact of AD caregiving; improved characterization of informal and formal caregiving and the burden of caregiving across the full spectrum of the disease, including differences among socioeconomic, racial/ethnic and geographic sub-populations; and research addressing the unique challenges related to the provision of advanced AD care, including disparities in access to care. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-15-348.html

Health Disparities and Alzheimer’s Disease (R01/R03): Invites applications proposing to study health disparities in Alzheimer’s disease (AD) and related disorders. Health-disparities research related to AD should include the study of biological, behavioral, sociocultural, and environmental factors that influence population level health differences. Research approaches of interest include 1) improving recruitment and retention of populations underrepresented in AD research, 2) identifying priority factors or locating pathways and mechanisms that create and sustain AD health disparities, 3) addressing the challenges faced by informal/family caregivers from diverse racial, ethnic and socioeconomic backgrounds that are associated with cultural change; education; labor markets; child development and child outcomes; neighborhoods and communities; families, family structure, and family formation; and other forms of inequality.

The foundation encourages methodological variety, but all proposals should have well-developed conceptual frameworks and research designs, and must be investigator-initiated. Analytical models should be specified and research questions and hypotheses should be clearly stated. Awards are available for research assistance, data acquisition, data analysis, and investigator time for conducting research and writing up results. LOI due: Jan 5, 2016 Details: http://www.russellsage.org/research/social-inequality/funding_opportunity

Northwestern Interdisciplinary Program 1-2-3 Seed Funding Program. The Office for Research and Deans seed-funding platform to cultivate investigator-initiated visionary "Big Ideas." Designed to enable faculty to "jump start" bold, innovative science. 3-tiers of non-sequential, funds that address different needs: Ideas (I1), Innovative Initiatives (I2) and Innovative Initiatives Incubators (I3). Funding and guidance to bring together new teams and shepherd "Big Science" from idea inception to securing external funding and possible maturation into University Research Center, focusing on interdisciplinary, innovation, and societal impact. In addition, program will provide project management, assistance in identifying funding opps, proposal development and Team-Science guidance. Ideas (I1): up to $1K for 1-day workshop to brainstorm new, interdisciplinary ideas, by bringing together key faculty including external collaborators, staff and students. Innovative Initiatives (I2): Up to $15K to cover expenses that are pertinent to the preparation of a large proposal for external funding. Incubators (I3): Up to $60K for up to 2 years to assemble team, develop collaboration track record, generate pilot data, submit large.center grant. Deadlines: I1 & I2 accepted on rolling basis. I3 has annual call. Details: http://www.research.northwestern.edu/interdisciplinary123/

Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Awards - These awards encourage the more active integration of patients, caregivers, clinicians/providers, industry, payers/purchasers, researchers, and other stakeholders, as integral members of the research enterprise. The awards program provides a platform to expand the role of all stakeholders in the research continuum and support the Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute's (PCORI's) engagement goals. Three categories: Knowledge Awards, Training and Development Awards, and Dissemination Awards. PCORI will award up to $15.5 million in this program. Deadline: Rolling. Details: http://www.pcori.org/funding-opportunities/eugene-washington-pcori-engagement-awards/
the growing population of individuals with Alzheimer's Disease, and 4) understanding the disparities in access to and utilization of formal long-term supports and services for those with dementia.


- **Time-Sensitive Obesity Policy and Program Evaluation (R01):** This establishes an accelerated review/award process to support time-sensitive research to evaluate a new policy or program that is likely to influence obesity-related behaviors (e.g., dietary intake, physical activity, or sedentary behavior) and/or weight outcomes in an effort to prevent or reduce obesity. Intended to support research where opportunities for empirical study are, by their very nature, only available through expedited review and funding. Applications must demonstrate that the evaluation of an obesity-related policy and/or program offers an uncommon and scientifically compelling research opportunity that will only be available if the research is initiated with minimum delay. Applications selected for funding will be awarded within 4 months of the due date. **Details:** [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-15-346.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-15-346.html)

- **Aging Research on Stress and Resilience to Address Health Disparities in the United States (R01):** To stimulate interdisciplinary health-disparities research related to aging that considers the role that stress, stress response, and stress resilience play in differential health outcomes in priority health disparity populations in the U.S. Seeks applications proposing to clarify pathways linking stress and aging-relevant health outcomes (e.g., mortality, cognitive impairment, multiple chronic conditions, disability, quality of life) through the investigation of links between environmental, sociocultural, behavioral, and biological factors. **Deadline:** Jan 13, 2016. **Details:** [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rafa-files/RFA-AG-16-022.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rafa-files/RFA-AG-16-022.html)

- **Behavioral Interventions to Prevent HIV in Diverse Adolescent Men Who Have Sex with Men (U01):** The purpose of this initiative is to test behavioral HIV prevention interventions for diverse populations of adolescent (age 13-18) men who have sex with men (MSM). **Deadline:** Jan 15, 2016. **Details:** [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-MD-15-012.html#sthash.hvH6uA5e.dpuf](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-MD-15-012.html#sthash.hvH6uA5e.dpuf)

- **Promoting Caregiver Health Using Self-Management (R01):** Initiative is to stimulate research in promoting caregiver health using self-management. Caregiving is an important science area since the number of people living longer with chronic conditions is growing. Informal caregivers (lay caregivers) are defined as unpaid individuals (spouses, partners, family members, friends, or neighbors) involved in assisting others with activities of daily living and/or medical tasks. Formal caregivers are paid, delivering care in one’s home or care settings (daycare, residential care facility) (Family Caregiver Alliance, 2012). This concept focuses on informal caregivers. **Deadline:** March 3, 2016. **Details:** [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rafa-files/RFA-NR-16-003.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rafa-files/RFA-NR-16-003.html)

- **Novel Behavioral Targets to Improve Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment and Prevention Interventions (R01 & R34).** This is part of a trans-NIH initiative, Collaborative Research on Addiction at NIH. Areas supported include research to inform generation and refinement of novel targets for substance abuse treatment and prevention interventions, modules or adjuncts to existing treatments and prevention interventions that seek to target and modulate behavioral or neurobehavioral processes (e.g., impulsivity, risk-taking propensity, sensation and novelty seeking, distress tolerance, delay discounting, self-regulation, stress reactivity) in adolescents. Additionally, studies to include theoretical links that explore the relationship(s) between neural circuitry and treatment and prevention effects, and in particular, how behavioral targets might be affected by treatment and prevention interventions, and how that might be used to improve targeted treatment and prevention development, that translate to reduced morbidity and mortality. **Details:** [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-15-035.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-15-035.html)

- **Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease in Older Adults (R01/R21/R03).** Inviting applications that propose basic, clinical, and epidemiological outcomes research on the impact of age on the development of, diagnosis, and management of diabetes and cardiovascular disease (CVD) complications in older persons or animal models. Research may focus on 1) epidemiology of increasing incidence and prevalence of DM with advancing age, particularly regarding potential racial-ethnic disparities, 2) elucidation of age-related mechanisms predisposing older adults to diabetes and resultant CVD, 3) understanding the role of aging in increased incidence and severity of CVD outcomes in older diabetics, and 4) determining age-specific prevention, screening, diagnostic, and management strategies of DM in older persons and its CVD complications. Research is expected to elucidate the role of aging mechanisms that underlie the increased vulnerability of older adults to DM and its CVD complications and to provide evidence-based guidance to improve more appropriate diagnostic criteria, risk stratification, and intervention recommendations to prevent...

- **Family and Interpersonal Relationships in an Aging Context (R01)**: Seeking innovative, hypothesis-driven applications to expand understanding of role and impact of families and interpersonal relationships on health and well-being in midlife and older age. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-15-042.html

- **Systems Science and Health in the Behavioral and Social Sciences (R01 & R21)**: This Funding Opportunity is intended to increase the breadth and scope of topics that can be addressed with systems science methodologies and calls for research projects that are applied and/or basic in nature (including methodological and measurement development), have a human behavioral and/or social science focus, and employ methodologies suited to addressing the complexity inherent in behavioral and social phenomena, referred to as systems science methodologies. Seeks to promote interdisciplinary collaboration among health researchers and experts in computational approaches to further the development of modeling- and simulation-based systems science methodologies and their application to important public health challenges. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-15-048.html

- **Arts-Based Approaches in Palliative Care for Symptom Management (R01)**: The purpose of this funding announcement is to support mechanistic clinical studies aimed at understanding the impact of arts-based approaches in palliative care for symptom management. This is intended to support mechanistic clinical studies to provide an evidence base for the use of the arts in palliative care for symptom management. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-14-294.html

- **Advancing Interventions to Improve Medication Adherence (R01 & R21)**: This announcement seeks proposed interventions to significantly improve medication adherence in individuals. Applications may target medication adherence in the context of treatment for a single illness or chronic condition (e.g., hypertension), to stave off a disease recurrence (e.g., cancer) or for multiple comorbid conditions (e.g., hypertension, diabetes, alcohol use disorders and HIV/AIDS). Primary outcomes of the research can include a patient self-report of medication adherence, but must also at least one non-self-report measure of medication adherence (e.g., pharmacy refill records, electronic monitoring, etc.). In addition, applications are encouraged to include a relevant health outcome or biomarker (e.g., blood pressure, viral load in HIV-infected individuals, cholesterol levels, HbA1c) that is expected to be affected by changes in the targeted adherence behavior. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-334.html

- **Self-Management for Health in Chronic Conditions (R01, R15, R21)**: The purpose is to support research in self-management focused across conditions. A recent report from the Institute of Medicine identifies the epidemic of chronic condition as the nation’s leading health challenge and calls for cross-cutting, coordinated public health actions for “living well with chronic illness”. This funding opportunity addresses that recommendation by focusing on self-management as a mainstream science in order to reduce the burden of chronic illnesses/conditions. Self-management is the ability of the individual, in conjunction with family, community, and healthcare professionals, to manage symptoms, treatments, lifestyle changes, and psychosocial, cultural, and spiritual consequences associated with a chronic illness or condition. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-344.html

- **Implications of New Digital Media Use for Underage Drinking, Drinking-Related Behaviors, and Prevention Research (R01 & R21)** - Seeking investigations of whether, and how, heavy involvement in new digital media usage, particularly social media and social networking sites, may influence adolescent alcohol use and drinking patterns, as well as drinking-related problems. Also encourages applications exploring ways in which new digital media may be utilized as platforms for preventive interventions aimed at underage drinking & related problems. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-13-262.html

- **Improving Delivery of HIV Prevention and Treatment through Implementation Science and Translational Research (R01 & R21)**: This call encourages research designed to increase the public health impact of efficacious HIV/AIDS-related interventions for prevention and treatment. To maximize the public health impact of available interventions, significant progress is needed to advance science designed to get interventions to the men, women, and children who need them. The goals of this scientific agenda are to learn how best to deliver interventions more efficiently and effectively in real-world communities and clinics, to more readily transfer interventions from one setting or population to another, and to make better informed choices for combination intervention packages. Details: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-131.html
Testing and Developing Interventions for Health-Enhancing Physical Activity (R01/R21/R33). Seeking to fund highly innovative & promising research that tests multi-level intervention programs of 1-2 years in length designed to increase health-enhancing physical activity: 1) in persons or groups that can benefit from such activity; and 2) that could be made scalable & sustainable for broad use across U.S. R01 provides support for up to 5 yrs for research planning, intervention delivery, and follow-up activities. R21 provides support for up to 2 years for research planning activities and feasibility studies, followed by a possible transition to expanded research support (R33 phase). Details: [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-14-315.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-14-315.html)

Calls for Papers/Proposals/Other Opportunities

- **Feedback requested:** Re-conceptualizing human research protections to include community & cultural considerations: Community-Campus Partnerships for Health seeks your feedback on how to revise the Belmont Report and Common Rule to better account for individual and community considerations! If interested in research ethics and/or community-engaged research, share feedback on proposed revisions to the Belmont Report and Department of Health and Human Services research ethics regulations. Researchers and communities have grown dissatisfied with the regulations designed to protect the rights and welfare of individual study participants, arguing that such regulations do not sufficiently consider community interests. Details: [https://ccph.memberclicks.net/assets/Documents/FocusAreas/greenwallstudyoverview-oct2014.pdf](https://ccph.memberclicks.net/assets/Documents/FocusAreas/greenwallstudyoverview-oct2014.pdf)

- **Request for Applications:** Community Campus Partnerships for Health is seeking experienced professional to serve as Editor of [www.CES4Health.info](http://www.ces4health.info). CES4Health is a peer-reviewed online repository of products of community-engaged scholarship that are in forms other than journal articles. **Deadline:** Nov 9. Details: [Request for Applications here](http://www.ces4health.info)

- **Call for Nominations:** Consortium to Lower Obesity in Chicago Children (CLOCC) Founder’s Award. The Katherine Kaufer Christoffel Founder’s Award, which is presented annually in honor of the Consortium’s Founder and Medical and Research Director, Dr. Katherine Kaufer Christoffel. The award honors an individual who has advanced the cause of childhood obesity prevention in Chicago by demonstrating outstanding leadership, collaboration and innovation. **Deadline:** Nov 10. Winner will be honored at CLOCC’s Dec 9 Quarterly Meeting. Details [http://www.clocc.net/2015-founders-award-nominations/](http://www.clocc.net/2015-founders-award-nominations/)

- **Participate in the Healthy People 2020 Process!** Public comment period open Oct 15- Nov 13. Public comment allows you to: Comment on proposed new objectives to be added to the following topic areas: Family Planning, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Health, Preparedness, Social Determinants of Health; and Propose new objectives to be included in the 42 existing Healthy People 2020 topic areas. **To Participate:** [visit HealthyPeople.gov](http://www.healthypeople.gov). **Deadline:** Nov 13.

- **Call for Papers:** Research for All: Universities and Society is a new journal. The journal is for anyone, working inside or outside universities, who is committed to seeing research make a difference in society. We are currently looking for articles that describe, explain and analyse engaged research. Articles may include words, images, audio and video. **Deadline:** Dec 10. Details: [http://www.publicengagement.ac.uk/work-with-us/current-projects/research-all-journal](http://www.publicengagement.ac.uk/work-with-us/current-projects/research-all-journal)


- **Call for Papers:** Structural Violence and Community-based Research and Action. Online journal Community Psychology in Global Perspective invites submissions for special issue titled, Structural Violence and Community-based Research and Action. Encourage papers from scholars, educators, practitioners, and activists engaging with and/or interrogating community-based action and research through the lens of structural violence. **Deadline:** Jan 15. Details: [http://siba-ese.unisalento.it/index.php/cpgp/announcement/view/44](http://siba-ese.unisalento.it/index.php/cpgp/announcement/view/44)

- **NUCATS Studios:** The Northwestern Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute can help organize a "studio" where leadership from the Institute and its affiliates are brought together to help support and enhance grant submissions. Outcomes of the meeting include a NUCATS Letter of Support and identification of in-kind cost share infrastructure. **Details:** [http://www.nucats.northwestern.edu/about/nucats-faqs.html#researchnav](http://www.nucats.northwestern.edu/about/nucats-faqs.html#researchnav)
Resources

- **Compendium of Web-Based Stakeholder Engagement Resources.** Developed by AcademyHealth, the resources included cover a range of audiences, interests, and steps in the engagement process. Details: [http://www.academyhealth.org/files/Web%20Scan.pdf](http://www.academyhealth.org/files/Web%20Scan.pdf)

- **Compensation Framework for Patient Partners.** The Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) created a guidance document created with their Advisory Panel on Patient Engagement in coordination & PCORI staff. The framework was developed in response to significant confusion and uncertainty about how best to compensate patient partners serving on research teams. PCORI has stressed that the expertise that patient partners provide—the lived experience as a person with an illness or injury or the caregiver or family member of such a person—is incredibly valuable, and contributions of these partners should be recognized accordingly. It does not provide specific direction on payment amounts or modes of payment, it outlines the various factors to consider when budgeting for patient partner involvement. [http://www.pcori.org/sites/default/files/PCORI-Compensation-Framework-for-Engaged-Research-Partners.pdf](http://www.pcori.org/sites/default/files/PCORI-Compensation-Framework-for-Engaged-Research-Partners.pdf)

- **ARCC Online Resource Directory:** The Directory is an online website providing access to materials and resources to help interested community and faith-based organizations and academic partners to learn about how they can build capacity to conduct community-engaged research and support building, strengthening, and sustaining their partnership. Tools like sample MOU or things to consider if engaging a new partner. Visit: [www.ARCCresources.net](http://www.ARCCresources.net)