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Breakout Session: "Paths to Obtaining Funding for Community Engaged Research"

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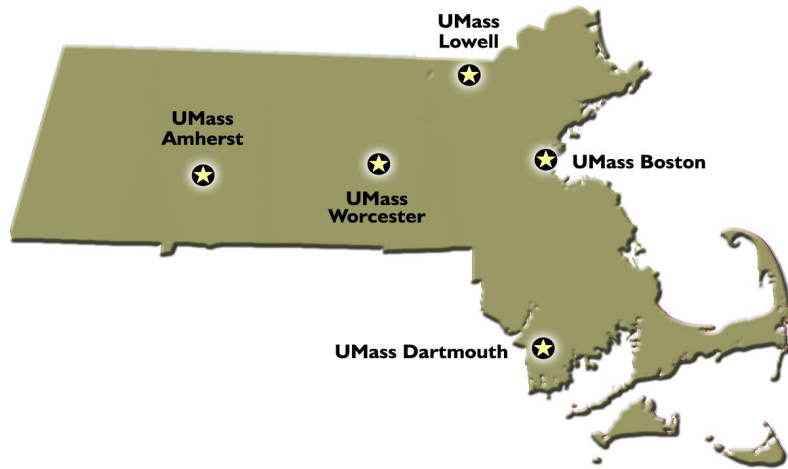
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Challenging Issues in Community Health: The Role of Research: Paths to Obtaining Funding for Community Engaged Research



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The UMass CTSA Grant

- **UMass CCTS Community Engagement & Research Section Pilot/Feasibility Grants Program:**
 - These awards focus on community engaged research, defined as “ the process of working collaboratively with and through groups of people affiliated by geographic proximity, special interest, or similar situations to address issues affecting well-being of those people (CDC, 1997).
 - Awards can be proposed by faculty from any UMass campus working in partnership with any community organization in the area of translational research related to the improvement of health in real world communities.
 - Intent is for these initiatives to provide a basis for the development of applications to NIH and other funding agencies to carry out larger, more comprehensive studies.

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- **UMass CCTS Community Engagement & Research Section Pilot/Feasibility Grants Program:**
 - **The Research can include:**
 - **Assessment of new methodologies**
 - **Observational studies**
 - **Needs assessments**
 - **Pilot/feasibility studies that use qualitative and/ or quantitative data or**
 - **Initiatives that are spin-offs of existing larger research initiatives if the additional funding addresses unique study aims**

**UMCCTS Pilot Studies in Community Translational Research
Community Engagement and Research Core Awardees**

UMass Campus: Investigator(s)/Dept.	Community Partner	Project Title
2012 CTR		
Worcester: Carol Bova, PhD, RN, ANP Graduate School of Nursing	Chioma Nnaji, MEd, MPH Augustus Woyah & Alice Kwanuka Kavuma Multicultural AIDS Coalition www.mac-boston.org/	The African Health Cup: An HIV Education and Health Promotion Intervention for African Immigrant Men
Boston: Kymerlee M. O'Brien, MEd, PhD Edward Tronick, PhD Celia L. Moore, PhD Developmental Sciences Research Center Psychology	Chris Thompson, EdD Quincy Geneva Housing Corporation http://www.newvisiondc.com	Chronic Stress in High-risk Neighborhoods: Physiological and Subjective Indices in Foreign- and US-born Adult Residents
Worcester: Sherry Pagoto, PhD Division of Preventive and Behavioral Medicine, Department of Medicine	Steve Messineo All Access Physical Therapy & Fitness Academy http://www.allaccesspt.com	A Community-Clinic Partnership to Address Comorbid Obesity and Depression
2011 CTR		
Lowell: Nicole J. Champagne, EdD Community Health and Sustainability	Marcy Goldstein-Gelb Massachusetts Coalition for Occupational Safety and Health	Obesity/Overweight and the Role of Working Conditions in Lower Income Workers, A Qualitative, Participatory Investigation
Dartmouth: Lori A. Keough PhD, RN Maria V. Vazquez, MSN, RN Community Health Nursing College of Nursing	David Weed, PsyD Marcia Picard Greater Fall River Partners for a Healthier Community	Readiness and Engagement Approach to Children's Health (REACH): A Pilot Study Exploring Parental Views of the Role Of Schools and Community on Their Children's Health
Worcester: J. Lee Hargraves, PhD Family Medicine and Community Health	Joanne Calista, MS, LICSW Tatyana Gorodetsky, MEd Central Massachusetts Area Health Education Center, Inc.	Community Health Workers as Ad Hoc Interpreters: Balancing Role Extension
2010 CTR		
Worcester: Lisa R. Fortuna MD Psychiatry Matilde Castiel MD Internal Medicine	Hector Reyes House	Evidence Based Participatory Pilot Study for the Implementation of Dual Diagnosis Treatment in a Residential Drug Treatment Program for Latino Men
Dartmouth: Robin A. Robinson PhD, PsyD Sociology, Anthropology, & Crime & Justice Studies	Cape Cod Justice for Youth Collaborative	Psychological Foundations of Power and Relational Abuse Amongst Rural and Small Town Adolescents
Worcester: Kathleen E. Walsh MD, MSc Pediatrics Kathleen M. Mazor EdD, MS Medicine, Meyers Primary Care Institute	Why Me & Sherry's House	Formative Research to Prepare to Assess Patient-Centered Communication in Pediatric Oncology

Other Potential Sources of Funding for Community-Engaged Research

- **University/Institution-based internal grants mechanisms**
- **Foundations: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (www.rwjf.org); Spencer Foundation (www.spencerfoundation.org) Fetzer Institute (www.fetzerfoundation.org); Hartford Foundation (www.hartfordfoundation.org)**
- **Specialty Organizations & Societies Small Grants Program: American Heart Association; American Cancer Society; American Public Health Association; American Nurses Foundation; Sigma Theta Tau**
- **Massachusetts Department of Public Health**
- **Agency for Health Care Research and Quality**
- **Centers for Disease Control & Prevention**

Other Potential Sources of Funding for Community-Engaged Research

- **National Institutes of Health: www.nih.gov**
- **27 Institutes within NIH**
 - **National Cancer Institute**
 - **National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute**
 - **National Institute on Aging**
 - **National Institute for Nursing Research**
 - **National Institute on Minority Health & Health Disparities**
 - **National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences**



Thank you!

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Translational Research Model

