



Increasing Health Equity in New Mexico Through Community & Academic Research Partnerships

Key Principles of CBPR

(Community-Based Participatory Research)

- 1. Acknowledges community as a unit of identity.
- 2. Builds on strengths and resources within the community.
- 3. Facilitates a collaborative, equitable partnership in all phases of research, involving an empowering and

power-sharing process that attends to social inequalities.

- 4. Fosters co-learning and capacity building among all partners.
- 5. Integrates and achieves a balance between knowledge generation and intervention for the mutual

benefit of all partners.

6. Focuses the local relevance of public health problems and ecological perspectives on multiple

determinants of health.

- 7. Involves systems development using a cyclical and iterative process.
- 8. Disseminates results to all partners and involves them in the wider dissemination of results.
- 9. Involves a long-term process and commitment to sustainability.

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