Engaging Community Stakeholders in Research

(Community stakeholders are patients, caregivers, providers and community-based organizations)

Generate Research Ideas	Write Grant Proposals	Conduct Research Studies	Analyze Findings	Share Results	BENEFITS
Develop research questions that are important to stakeholders by involving them early and forming valuable partnerships	Define relevant eligibility criteria, study benefits, and consent processes with the input of stakeholders	Incorporate stakeholder feedback on harms and benefits to educate and motivate study populations	Ask for stakeholder perspectives on findings and the potential impact on communities	Include stakeholders in plan to return study findings to community, possibly asking them to co-present	✓ Builds trust and respect in communities ✓ Creates a renewed sense of purpose ✓ May lead to future sources of funding ✓ Enhances the relevance of your research ✓ May identify potential concerns and solutions ✓ Can increase recruitment to research studies

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