

Attachment 2: Community Advisory Board Member Survey

This attachment includes screenshots for each part of the Community Advisory Board Member Survey.



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Evaluation of the Research Centers in Minority Institutions (RCMIs) Program

Thank you for taking the time to participate in this survey. The National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD) has contracted with Ripple Effect, an independent research and evaluation firm, to conduct a retrospective evaluation of the Research Centers in Minority Institutions (RCMIs) Program to determine the program's outcomes, innovations, and impact.

You have been invited to participate in this survey because you serve as a member of an RCMI Community Advisory Board. We are interested in learning about your experience as member of an RCMI Community Advisory Board, and thoughts on the impact of the RCMI award on communities with which you work or are affiliated, in terms of supporting the development of sustainable academic and community partnerships to address minority health needs and reduce health disparities.

Your name will not be attributed to any of your responses. Instead, responses will be aggregated and reported by participant type. When all the surveys are complete, a summary report of the findings will be shared with NIMHD to help inform future decisions about the RCMI program.

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Thank you in advance for your willingness to participate in this survey; your responses are important and will provide valuable insight into the outcomes associated with the implementation of RCMI programs and highlight opportunities for improvement.

If you have any questions or concerns about the survey, please contact Dr. Maysaa Alobaidi at MAlobaidi@rippleeffect.com.

By clicking on the "I consent" box below, you are indicating that you consent to participate in this survey.

I consent

I do not consent (exit survey)

With which RCMI institution are you currently working?

What type of organization/group are you affiliated with? [Select all that apply]

Community health center

Neighborhood association

Community board

Health and social service organization

Community development organization

Faith-based community organization

Advocacy organization

AIDS service organization

Community care access center

Mental health organization

Cooperative extension program

Community-based nonprofit

Other (please specify)

Not applicable

Prefer not to answer

What is the focus of your organization's work? [Select all that apply]

AIDS/HIV

Cancer screening and care

Disability services

Elderly care

Homelessness

Mental health

Substance abuse

Victim assistance

Women's health

Youth services

Immigrants and/or refugees

Low-income households

Other (please specify)

Not applicable

Prefer not to answer

Which of the following racial and ethnic minority groups are served by your organization? [Select all that apply]

Black or African American, Non-Hispanic persons

American Indian or Alaska Native, Non-Hispanic persons

Asian, Non-Hispanic persons

Hispanic or Latino persons

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Not applicable

Prefer not to answer

Is your organization currently engaged in a research collaboration with the RCMI Center?

Yes

No

Please describe the research collaboration in the space below.

Is there a formal agreement or a memorandum of agreement (MOU) between your organization and the RCMI Center that clearly defines the roles and responsibilities of non-academic or community partners?

Yes

No

I don't know/Unsure

Approximately, for how many years have you been involved with the RCMI Community Advisory Board (CAB)?

1 year or less

2-3 years

4-6 years

7-9 years

> 10 years

What motivated you to join the RCMI Community Advisory Board (CAB)? [Select all that apply]

To give a voice to the community I work with or represent

To improve the capacity of my organization

To access academic expertise that can support my organization's work to address community health issues

To share community knowledge and experience with the academic community

To access resources and funding to support my organization's work with the community

Other (please specify)

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements about RCMI-community partnerships:

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Applicable
There is open communication between community and academic partners	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The RCMI-community partnership is worth the amount of time I invest in it	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The RCMI Community Advisory Board (CAB) members' input and views are valued	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please indicate the extent of your satisfaction with the following aspects of your experience as a member of the RCMI Community Advisory board:

	Very dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Not Applicable
The extent of your involvement in the decision-making processes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The extent of your involvement in identifying issues of greatest importance to the community with which you work or represent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The extent of your involvement in selecting and/or informing the development of the most appropriate intervention/study approach	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The incorporation of community input in the analysis and interpretation of research findings	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The extent of your involvement in disseminating research findings and recommendations with the community with which you work or represent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please indicate the extent of your agreement with each of the following statements: **RCMI – community partnerships:**

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Applicable
Have benefited the communities with which you work or represent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Contributed to improvements in social and environmental conditions within communities with which you work or represent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Contributed to improvements in health outcomes within communities with which you work or represent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Are likely to continue in the future	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Which of the following barriers have you encountered when engaging in RCMI-community partnerships? [Select all that apply]

Lack of adequate resources (e.g., funding, personnel)

Concerns about the quality of the research

Concerns about the relevance of the research to the community

Compatibility of problem-solving styles between researchers and community members

Need for greater level of trust between researchers and community members

Need to address historical distrust of research within the community

Power/status imbalances

Knowledge/skill differences

Competing agendas within the project

Lack of financial or professional incentives for the researcher(s) to conduct community based participatory research

Lack of financial or professional incentives for the CAB members to contribute to or collaborate on community based participatory research

Other (please specify)

None of the above

Please describe what you think is the biggest achievement or greatest contribution of the RCMI Center to the field of minority health and health disparities research.

Do you have any recommendations for how the RCMI program can be improved?

Is there anything else that you would like to share about the RCMI program that would be helpful for this assessment?

What is your gender?

Male

Female

Transgender

Prefer not to answer

Other (please specify)

What is your race?

American Indian or Alaska Native

Asian

Black or African American

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

White

Prefer not to answer

What is your Ethnicity?

Hispanic or Latino

Not Hispanic or Latino

