

## Purpose

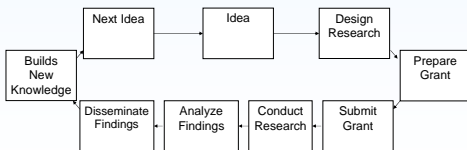
Establish a health services research program that brings researchers and scholars together for inter-professional collaboration and faculty development. The purpose is to advance the work of senior researchers and mentor and facilitate faculty members in establishing independent scholarship and research programs.

## Methods

Feasibility evaluation to form focused initiative in health services research was conducted in the Fall of 2003.

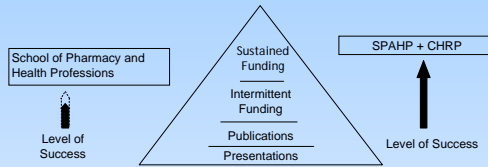
Program proposal submitted and funded by the Creighton University Health Futures Foundation, July 2004.

This model represents the production, infrastructure, and resources designed to support CHRP research.



## Expected Outcomes

To achieve and sustain funding for health services research through CHRP.



Resources provided to CHRP faculty to promote and improve health services research scholarly activity include:

- A "research tool kit": statistical software programs, necessary training in research methods, and data analysis.
- Grant funding opportunity identification
- Access to technical writing support.
- Access to grants management support.
- Priority access to Health Sciences librarian expertise.
- Faculty mentors to assist with continued development of junior investigators.
- Focused, intense, immersion curriculum to help advance scholarship/funding.
- Grant writing and development training.
- Grant critique process for senior members.

## Accomplishments: Progress to Date

\$330,000 from the Creighton University Health Futures Foundation received to initiate infrastructure.

Two external grants and eight University-funded grants have been received by CHRP Faculty.

Federal Agency Review Panels:

-Dr. J. Threlkeld served on the NIH Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation Sciences Study Section 3/2-4/05

-Dr. K. Galt will serve on the AHRQ "Partnerships in Implementing Patient Safety (PIPS)" Review Committee 4/7-8/05.

*Representative Projects:*

- Dr. K. Mu is the recipient of the James S. Todd Memorial Research Grant through the National Patient Safety Foundation (NPSF) for his 2 year project entitled, "Improve Patients' Safety: Learning Model to Reduce Errors in Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapy Practice".
- Dr. R. Padilla received funding from the Harvard University Immigration Project/Center for Developmental Psychology for a 3-phase research project, "Impact of Acquired Disability and Migration Trauma on Undocumented Immigrants in Nebraska".
- Dr. K. Paschal received internal funding for her project, "Implementation and Evaluation of an Interprofessional Curriculum in Patient Safety"
- Dr. B. Clark received internal funding for his project, "Comparison of Mail-Order and Community-Based Prescription Costs: Is Mail-Order the Bargain that Some Pharmacy Benefit Managers Purport It To Be?"
- Dr. K. Galt is completing a three-year study, "Impact of Personal Digital Assistant Devices on Medication Errors in Primary Care", funded through the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ Grant #R18HS11808-01).
- Dr. M. Siracuse has submitted, as an investigator with the University of Colorado, to AHRQ the: "Western Medicaid Mental Health CERT project". (3/05) RFA: HS-05-014
- Dr. S. Blanchard is submitting a project: "The Healthy Church Project: Faith-Based Approaches for the Self Management of Obesity and Depression" to NCMHD 4/05.

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