



UAB CFAR Implementation Science Consultation Hub Activities

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About the UAB CFAR Hub

The UAB CFAR Implementation Science Hub services are organized around a research team that consists of experts with training, and experience in three overarching domains: Implementation Science, HIV Content Expertise, and Community Engagement.

Areas of focus and methodology include those specific to the EHE Supplement Projects such as: qualitative and mixed methods, partnership formation and ongoing relationships with health departments ASO's, CBO's, government agencies as well as social media strategies and inter-CFAR networks and leadership, program evaluation and data management.

Activity Snapshot

Hub Meetings & Outcomes

Since October 2021, the UAB CFAR IS Hub has held 7 meetings. 5 quarterly meetings focused on various topics benefiting EHE projects such as: progress reports, outcomes crosswalks, forging effective academic-public health partnerships and updates on group papers, and 2 subgroup meetings: a *LatinX paper subgroup* and an *Advancing Academic-Public Health Collaborative Partnerships subgroup*.



Monthly Hub Seminars



The UAB CFAR IS Consultation Hub has hosted 11 seminars since November 2021 with more planned for the rest of 2023. These seminars bring in experts in the field of HIC IS and are held for a variety of topics (highlighted below).

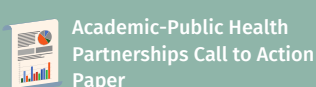
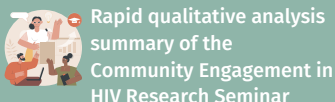
Seminar topics:

- IS Theories, Models and Frameworks
- IS Outcomes Crosswalk
- Community Engagement in HIV
- Mixed Methods Approaches
- Social Media as Dissemination
- Social Media and Grant Applications
- Clinical Strategies & Considerations for IS

Consulting on Project Needs

The UAB CFAR IS Hub engages with projects regularly to determine project needs and wants. There has been success in getting projects to share and participate while also showing excitement for the next steps. Some seminars that the Hub has hosted in collaboration with projects and other Hubs have turned into collaborative research papers, EHE IS scholarships and community applications.

EHE IS Scholarship & Community Applications:



Implementation Science Resource Folder & Endnote Library

Cross-Hub & Hub + Project Seminars

Hubs	Topics
UAB & Yale	Community engagement in HIV Research
UAB, UCSD & UCLA	Rapid Qualitative Analysis
Multiple Projects	Advancing Academic-Public Health Collaborative Partnerships

The UAB CFAR IS Hub has collaborated with multiple Hubs and projects to bring different topics in implementation science. To date, the UAB CFAR IS Hub has hosted 3 Cross-Hub/Hub + Project Seminars. These collaborations foster relationships in the IS field and help reach broader audiences.