

## Subproject 4

### Health Policy Leadership Training Needs & Impact

#### Overview:

Subproject 4 is designed to evaluate the goals and outcomes of health policy training programs, the integration of health disparities/equity training into current programs, and to gain a greater understanding of the role health policy training programs play in the quest to eliminate health disparities and advance health equity.

#### Specific Aims:

1. To identify health policy leaders' training needs for developing, implementing, and changing policies that reduce disparities and advance health equity
2. To develop a range of health policy leadership training programs (in the Health Policy Center) at SHLI/MSM to meet the needs of health professionals, community leaders, and students
3. To evaluate the impact of SHLI health policy training programs in developing health leaders prepared to promote and implement policies to reduce disparities and advance health equity

#### Dissemination:

- 2 abstract presentations at NIMHD/ISSMHD (December, 2014)
- 1 abstract presentation at APTR (March, 2015)
- Literature review submitted twice (Health Affairs, Academic Medicine)
- Needs assessment outcomes manuscript in development (rethinking target journal)
- New class of fellows recruited; current class on track to graduate June 29, 2015
- 2 abstracts submitted for APHA (November, 2015)

#### Ripple Effect- Growing the Health Policy Lens:

- Presentations, invited talks
  - UNM-RWJF Nursing & Health Policy Annual Conference
  - RWJF Scholars Forum panel on Disparities, Resilience, & Building a Culture of Health
- Collaborations
  - Subprojects 1 & 3 training sessions
- Interest from new areas - FDA

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