

Committee for Advancement of Respite Research

*Advance respite research with activities and
Innovations to develop an evidence base for respite*



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Welcome and Introductions

ARCH Staff

CARR Members



Overview of Agenda

ARCH Updates

National Strategy to Support Family
Caregivers: Research Implications

Works Group Updates

Timeline for CARR Work

Respite Research Summit Update

Items for Future Discussion

CARR Member Updates



ARCH Website

- New ARCH website and logo
- Research Initiative can be found at archrespite.org/research
- Committee for Advancement of Respite Research
archrespite.org/research/respite-research-consortium/#CARR



ARCH Evaluation Mini-grants



- **Innovative and Exemplary Respite Services**
Read more about ARCH Innovative and Exemplary Respite Services
archrespite.org/provider-resources/innovative-and-exemplary-respite-services
- **Mini-Grant awards for evaluation**
- **Goal: To prepare well-defined respite models for more rigorous research with goal for replication**

ARCH Learning Collaborative on the National Strategy to Support Family Caregivers

- Purpose: Help Lifespan Respite Grantees and Partners implement respite actions that align with National Strategy
- *The Role of Respite in the National Strategy to Support Family Caregivers: An ARCH Policy to Practice Brief*
archrespite.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Policy-to-Practice-Brief-2.pdf
- *State Lifespan Respite Grant Activities Aligned with the National Strategy's Goals and Outcomes*
archrespite.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/National-Strategy-Alignment-with-Grantee-Activities_rev-3-20-2023.pdf



National Strategy to Support Family Caregivers

- Link to National Strategy: <https://acl.gov/CaregiverStrategy>
- National Strategy ACL Grant FOA
<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=346925>
- Alignment to the CARR Work Groups (See crosswalk)
- Anything else we should do as the CARR related to the National Strategy?



Work Group 1 Update

Define and measure the value of respite

- The Value of Respite Care White Paper (complete)
- Review of CARR recommendations
- Discuss dissemination plan (e.g., press release, webinar, 1-pager with invite to meet with key stakeholders/funders, PCORI, other ideas?)



Work Group 2 Update

Recommend common data elements (CDEs) for respite-related research

- Recommended Common Data Elements for Respite-related Research (in progress)
- Review outline
- Need to re-schedule Work Group 2 meeting (anyone else interested in joining is welcome)



Work Group 3 Update

Expand culturally appropriate research with historically underrepresented populations

- Environmental Scan (complete but ongoing) - Resources for Culturally and Linguistically Competent Respite Research
- Update on *Ensuring Cultural and Linguistic Competence: A Guide for Respite Researchers*
- Additional Resources
 - A Cultural Framework for IDD Research with intro by Tawara Goode
 - Racial Equity Learning Community



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