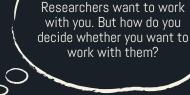


Thinking about Working with External Researchers? Checklist for Community

Checklist for Community Groups & Organizations





Here's some minimum expectations you can have of good research partners...



The research is relevant to you



of and consistent with your group/organization's history, values, norms, capacities, and ways of knowing

The research has a clear purpose and main research questions (which ideally you belond to shope) that are

The research will be carried out in a way that is respectful

questions (which ideally you helped to shape) that are valuable and useful to your group/organization



Stakeholders are meaningfully involved



includes

group/organization and other stakeholders that you identify such as people who live the issue under study, will guide the research implementation
A partnership agreement will be developed that includes principles of working together and a detailed workplan (i.e., tasks, roles and responsibilities, timelines and resource

A steering group, which includes people in your

allocations if any)

partnership



The research is rigorous and sound



ethics

quality

The research will undergo ethical review, preferably through an ethics office that considers the potential of community

The quality of the methodology and analysis plan would

withstand review by other researchers

harm (e.g., Community Research Ethics Office)





Shared You and the steering group will help decide how the findings will be shared and with whom

The learnings will be



audiences

Findings will be communicated in ways that are appropriate to the various audiences



People will be mobilized to act on the findings Researchers will take part in activities and/or discussions focused on moving learnings into action



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Beyond the life of the project, researchers will continue to acknowledge the contribution of your group/organization (and other community partners) and direct inquiries to you

as appropriate

Want to learn more about community-

based research and how to do it well?



Other Community-Based
Research
Resources

