Rural Health Interdisciplinary Research Core (RHIRC)

The Rural Health Interdisciplinary Research Core (RHIRC) conducts meaningful, geoculturally sensitive interdisciplinary research to inform rural health policy that translates regionally, nationally and globally to increase access and quality of health care and reduce health risks. Our goals include improving patient and population health outcomes and public health infrastructure for rural priority communities worldwide. The RHIRC team focuses on individual, family, community and policy aspects of rural health disparities spanning local to global priorities that include mental health, cancer, HIV/AIDS and other pandemics, Substance Use Disorder, and cardiovascular disease. Our mission is to collectively reduce disease burden and negative consequences.

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