

Putting A Face To Community Based Research In Rural South Texas

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Introduction

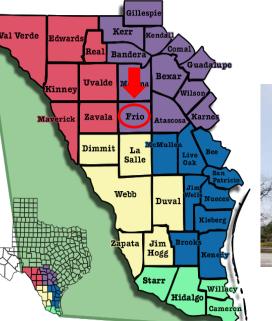
Established in 2008 in rural Frio County, Texas, the Frio County Translational Advisory Board (TAB) is formed to work as a group of community stakeholders who conduct CBPR and educational outreach with UTHSCSA researchers toward the goal of authentic health improvement in our community. We have met monthly since 2009!

Who We Are/Our Partners



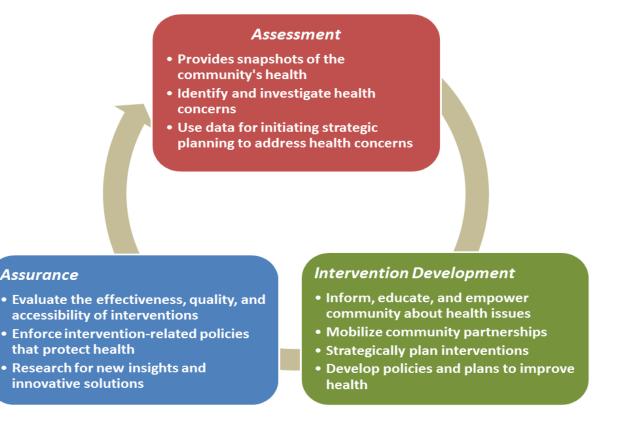
Where We Are







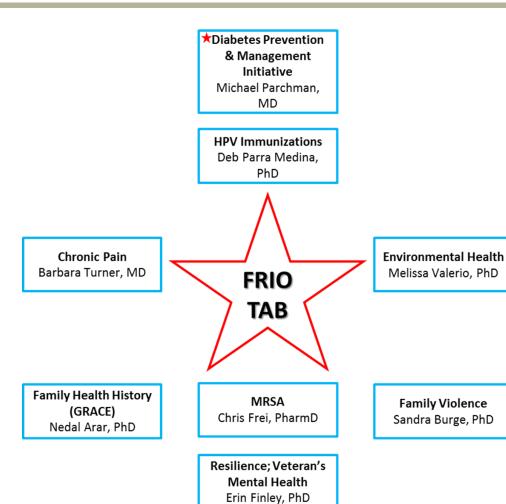
What We Do: Materials and Methods



The TAB has followed the Public Health Model to establish health research initiatives in Frio County.



Our Research Priority & Projects







Results of Priorities

Table 1: Priority Health Issues Among Adult 2014 Frio County Health Fair Participant

<u>Health issue</u>	Priority #1	Priority #2	Priority # 3	Total Votes Per Health issue
	<u>Column</u>	<u>Column % (n)</u>	<u>Column %</u>	<u>Column % (n)</u>
	<u>% (n)</u>		<u>(n)</u>	
Diabetes	32% (16)	8.2% (4)	14.3% (7)	18.2% (27)
Substance Abuse	14% (7)	24.5% (12)	10.2% (5)	16.2% (24)
High Blood Pressure	4% (2)	16.3% (8)	8.2% (4)	9.5% (14)
Depression	2% (1)	8.2% (4)	10.2% (5)	6.8% (10)
Obesity	20% (10)	30.6% (15)	10.2% (5)	20.3% (30)
Teen Pregnancy	14% (7)	8.2% (4)	8.2% (4)	10.1%
Oral Health	0% (0)	2% (1)	12.2% (6)	4.7% (7)
Domestic Violence	10% (5)	2% (1)	18.4% (9)	10.1% (15)
Air & Water Quality	4% (2)	0% (0)	8.2% (4)	4.1% (6)
Totals	100% (50)	100% (49)	100% (49)	100% (148)

Table 2: Priority Health Issues Among Teen 2014 Frio County Health Fair **Participants**

	Priority #1	Priority #2	Priority # 3	Total Votes
				Per Health
<u>Health issue</u>	<u>Column %</u>	<u>Column %</u>	<u>Column %</u>	issue
	<u>(n)</u>	<u>(n)</u>	<u>(n)</u>	<u>Column %</u>
				<u>(n)</u>
Texting and Driving	41.7% (5)	16.7% (2)	8.3% (1)	22.2% (8)
Substance Abuse	8.3% (1)	0% (0)	25% (3)	11.1% (4)
Bullying	0% (0)	41.7% (5)	8.3% (1)	16.7% (6)
Suicide and Depression	0% (0)	8.3% (1)	0% (0)	2.8% (1)
Obesity	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)
Teen Pregnancy	33.3% (4)	25% (3)	33.3% (4)	30.6% (11)
Sexually Transmitted	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)
Diseases				
Child Abuse	8.3% (1)	8.3% (1)	8.3% (1)	8.3% (3)
Air & Water Quality	8.3% (1)	0% (0)	16.7% (2)	8.3% (3)
Totals	100% (12)	100% (12)	100% (12)	100% (36)

Our Future Direction

The future of the Frio County Translational Advisory Board is to continue toward the goal of improving the health of the community through:

- Annual Health Fairs
- Marketing and Social Media •
- Formalized Dissemination Plan/Marketing to Researchers
- Database of preliminary data for research opportunities