

STATE PORTFOLIO

Iowa

6  
PROJECTS\*

\$4.1  
MILLION  
AWARDED

*\*Including three research projects and three projects that support engagement in research. As of January 2019.*

AWARDEE AND  
COMMUNITY  
PARTNERS  
INCLUDE

- Briarwood Health Care Center
- Iowa Primary Care Association
- Iowa State University Advocates for the Alzheimer's Association
- LeadingAge Iowa
- University of Iowa



STUDY SPOTLIGHT: MENTAL AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Comparing Interventions for Children with PTSD Following a Traumatic Injury

Traumatic injuries are the leading cause of hospitalization for children. Children who experience such injuries often have emotional or social problems during recovery. This project compares two approaches to helping children recover emotionally from injuries. One approach, an evaluation tool developed by child psychologists and social workers, provides parents guidance on how to speak with their child after an injury, how to identify signs of distress, and how to obtain more care if needed. The second approach uses an educational booklet that families receive as they leave a hospital after a child's injury. The project is collecting information about school attendance and performance, emotional health, and quality of life. The study is led by researchers at the University of Iowa.

CONDITIONS STUDIED

INCLUDE



Addiction



Dementia



Pediatric Traumas

PROJECTS FUNDED IN IOWA ARE:

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

Evaluating Parent-Based Interventions to Support Children after Traumatic Injury	University of Iowa	\$1.8M
Improving Dementia Care for Rural and Hispanic Populations	University of Iowa	\$1.7 M
Pilot Project: Do Friends and Family Members Answer Questions about Health Differently Than Patients Do?	University of Iowa	\$640,000

## ENGAGEMENT IN RESEARCH PROJECTS

Building Stakeholder Partnerships in Rural Iowa to Conduct Patient-Centered Addiction Treatment Research (Tiers I, II, and III)		\$90,000
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