



STATE PORTFOLIO

Kentucky

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PROJECTS*

\$21.6
MILLION
AWARDED

AWARDEE AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS INCLUDE

- Humana Comprehensive Health Insights, Inc.
- University of Kentucky
- University of Kentucky Research Foundation

**Including two research projects, one project that supports engagement in research, and one award to build research infrastructure. As of January 2018.*



STUDY SPOTLIGHT: CARE TRANSITIONS

Identifying Which Transitional Care Services Matter Most to Patients and Caregivers

Patients too often experience harm as they move between healthcare sites, such as hospitals or nursing homes. When healthcare providers don't manage care transitions well, patients may experience emotional distress, side effects from medication changes, or worsening symptoms. This project aims to develop recommendations on best practices for the design, implementation, and spread of highly effective, patient-centered care transition programs. It is identifying which transitional care services and outcomes matter most to patients and caregivers. It is also evaluating the comparative effectiveness of various efforts to improve care transitions. This project is based at the University of Kentucky.

CONDITIONS STUDIED INCLUDE



Heart Disease



Neurologic Conditions

PROJECTS FUNDED IN KENTUCKY ARE:

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Achieving Patient-Centered Care and Optimized Health in Care Transitions by Evaluating the Value of Evidence	University of Kentucky	\$15 M
Reducing Health Disparities in Appalachians with Multiple Cardiovascular Disease Risk Factors	University of Kentucky	\$2.2 M

ENGAGEMENT IN RESEARCH PROJECTS

Healthcare Decision Making of Adults Living in Rural Communities with Acquired Neurologic Condition	University of Kentucky Research Foundation	\$250,000
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RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

Project Data Link	Humana Comprehensive Health Insights, Inc	\$3.7 M
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