



STATE PORTFOLIO

Mississippi

5
PROJECTS*

\$790,000
AWARDED

**Including five projects that support engagement in research. As of August 2018.*

AWARDEE AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS INCLUDE

- Cornerstone Rehabilitation Inc.
- Drayer Physical Therapy
- Fannie Lou Hamer Cancer Foundation
- Methodist Rehabilitation Center
- Mississippi Network for Cancer Control and Prevention
- National Multiple Sclerosis Society Alabama-Mississippi Chapter Board of Trustees



STUDY SPOTLIGHT: CANCER

70x2020 Colorectal Cancer Screening Initiative

Mississippi has the highest rate of colorectal cancer deaths in the US. The University of Mississippi Medical Center worked with local community health advocates, primary care providers, and public health officers to engage the Mississippi Delta community in this project. Community stakeholders were introduced to the concepts of participatory comparative effectiveness research, and engaged in a community-based dialogue to determine and design research to increase colorectal cancer screening rates in the Delta.

CONDITIONS STUDIED INCLUDE



Cancer



Diabetes



Rare Diseases

PROJECTS FUNDED IN MISSISSIPPI ARE:

ENGAGEMENT IN RESEARCH PROJECTS

70x2020 Colorectal Cancer Screening Initiative	University of Mississippi Medical Center	\$250,000
Building on a Culturally Sensitive Network for PCOR/CER Dissemination	University of Southern Mississippi	\$ 250,000
Participate in Diabetes Self-Management: A Conference Series	University of Mississippi	\$214,000
Improving Patient Outcomes for Those with Rare Neuroinvasive Mosquito-Borne Illnesses (Tiers II and III)	Mosquito Illness Alliance	\$75,000