

## **Health Promotion Research and Intervention with Hispanic/Latino Populations**

This course teaches skills needed to develop and implement health-education interventions and to conduct evaluation research with Hispanic/Latino populations. Participants examine issues concerning the classification of Hispanics in the United States and the measurement of research variables in this heterogeneous population. Participants also apply specific methods for conducting research among Hispanic populations in planning their own projects. An additional focus is building knowledge and skills for translating research instruments; developing culturally competent research protocols; and measuring variables such as acculturation, language preference, and national origin. Finally, the course also examines similarities and differences among various sub-populations of Hispanics/Latinos and their implications for development of health-promotion programs.

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Faculty: Maria Fernandez, Ph.D.

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Location: 7000 Fannin, Houston, Texas

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Time: 8:00AM – 5:00PM

Cost: \$450 / \$350 students