Educational Conference Call Series on Institutional Review Boards and Ethical Issues in Research

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- **Increase understanding** of the role of IRBs and other mechanisms for assuring that human subjects research is ethical and appropriate - both at individual and community levels.

- **Provide options and tools** necessary for communities to determine the approach that is best for them.

- **Inform the development** of future initiatives undertaken by CCPH and the Bioethics Center on IRBs and ethical issues in community-campus partnerships.

CCPH Program Director Kristine Wong and Nancy Shore, CCPH Senior Consultant and Assistant Professor at the University of New England will be leading a conference workshop on May 10 from 11:15 am – 12:30 pm: Finding Common Ground: Community-Based Participatory Research and the IRB

www.primr.org/education/2007_SBER/overview_SBER_07.html
- 10th Summer Service-Learning Institute, July 20-23 in Washington State – *applications due May 15* – see [www.ccph.info](http://www.ccph.info)
- Community-Based Collaborative Research for Social Justice, June 7-9 in Hartford, CT (sponsored by Institute for Community Research) – see [www.incommunityresearch.org](http://www.incommunityresearch.org)
- Summer Community-Based Participatory Research Institute, June 26-29 in Jackson, MS (sponsored by HBCU Faculty Development Network & Tougaloo College) – see [www.hbcufdn.org](http://www.hbcufdn.org)
- 3rd CBPR Conference, Healthier Communities Through Action Research, July 19-20 in Portland, OR (sponsored by Northwest Health Foundation) - see [www.nwhf.org](http://www.nwhf.org)
- Developing & Sustaining CBPR Partnerships, November 3 in Washington DC (sponsored by the American Public Health Association) – see [www.apha.org](http://www.apha.org)