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

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Community-Campus Partnerships for Health &
The Tuskegee University National Center for Bioethics in
Research and Health Care



- Founded in 1996 to promote health (broadly defined) through partnerships between communities and higher educational institutions.
- Focus includes service-learning, community-based participatory research and broad-based partnerships.
- Growing network of over 1,300 communities & campuses across North America and increasingly the world.
- What ties us together is our commitment to social justice and our passion for the power of partnerships to transform communities and academe.

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The Tuskegee University National Center for Bioethics in Research and Health Care

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- Established in 1999 as the nation's first bioethics center dedicated to addressing bioethical issues of importance to African Americans and other underserved populations.
- The only bioethics center at a Historically Black College and University.
- Mission is to promote equity & justice in health and health care.
- Conducts education and training programs, fosters respectful community partnerships, advances interdisciplinary research, and advocates public policies that improve the health and health care of all Americans, particularly the underserved.



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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.



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- Summer Community-Based Participatory Research Institute, June 26-29 in Jackson, MS (sponsored by HBCU Faculty Development Network & Tougaloo College) – see 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
- Developing & Sustaining CBPR Partnerships, November 3 in Washington DC (sponsored by the American Public Health Association) – see www.apha.org



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- **Call for Papers on Ethical Considerations in Community-Based Participatory Research!**
 - Papers are due November 1, 2007 for a special issue of The Journal of Empirical Research on Human Research Ethics.
 - For details, visit www.ccph.info