PREVENTION RESEARCH CENTERS PROGRAM
Building Healthier Communities

Network of University Research Centers
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Primary Areas of Research

- Obesity, Nutrition & Physical Activity
- Healthy Heart Issues
- Sexual Health
- Violence
- Cancer
- Smoking and Substance Abuse

Return on Investment

= $8 in added funds

for every $1 funded
7 Thematic Research Networks

- Cancer Prevention and Control
- Workplace Health
- Global and Territorial Health
- Physical Activity Policy
- Healthy Brain
- Nutrition and Obesity Policy
- Managing Epilepsy Well
14 PRCs work with Community Health Workers (CHWs) on:

- Health Education & Screening
- Team-based Care
- Patient Navigation
- Community Organization
- Outreach & Enrollment

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