

HARC Members: Home Visiting Researchers

There are 322 home visiting researchers enrolled in the HARC PBRN as of January 2025, below is a summary of their characteristics.

Characteristics of Home Visiting Researchers (N=322)			
Characteristics	%	Characteristics	%
Highest Educational Degree		Early Career Researcher (≤ 5 years terminal degree)	
Bachelor's degree	4%		29%
Master's degree	29%	Primary Discipline	
Doctoral degree / MD / JD	65%	Child / Family / Human Development	27%
Other	1%	Public health	25%
Ethnic Background		Psychology	14%
White	67%	Social work	11%
Asian / Asian American	9%	Education (including early education)	6%
Black / African American	8%	Nursing	4%
Hispanic / Latine	8%	Medicine	3%
Native American	1%	Public Policy	3%
Other	7%	Statistics	2%
Type of Work Organization		Economics	1%
Institute of higher learning	67%	Sociology	1%
Independent research/survey organization	16%	Other	5%
Other non-profit or community agency	5%	Area of HV Research Focus¹	
State government agency	5%	Home visiting outcomes and effectiveness	58%
Hospital/health care delivery organization	3%	Family engagement/participation/attrition in HV	43%
Federal government agency	1%	HV workforce development/training/prof development	36%
Other	2%	Core elements of HV programming or service delivery	36%
Currently Involved in HV Research		Testing HV programmatic innovations	33%
	83%	Working with special populations in HV	25%
Time in HV Research		Coordination of HV services with other services/EC systems	24%
Less than 6 months	7%	Aspects of fidelity or model replication in implementing home visiting services	21%
6 months to 2 years	12%	Methodological development and innovation in HV	20%
Over 2 years to 5 years	18%	Scaling up and dissemination of effective HV	19%
Over 5 years to 10 years	27%	Economic analysis of HV services	7%
Over 10 years to 20 years	22%	Other	6%
More than 20 years	14%		

¹Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents could choose more than one answer