

Consortium of Eastern Ohio Master of Public Health
Operation: Accreditation
Webinar #6 Research

Information regarding the Council on Education for Public Health and accreditation for public health programs can be found at <http://ceph.org/>

Criterion 3.1. Research. The program shall pursue an active research program, consistent with its mission, through which its faculty and students contribute to the knowledge base of the public health disciplines, including research directed at improving the practice of public health

In order to show that this criterion is met, annual data is collected for all CEOMPH faculty research including the following:

- Description of the program's research activities, including policies, procedures and practices that support research and scholarly activities
- Description of current research activities undertaken in collaboration with local, state, national or international health agencies and community-based organizations. Formal research agreements with such agencies should be identified.
- A list of current research activity of all primary and secondary faculty identified in Criteria 4, including amount and source of funds
- Identification of measures by which the program may evaluate the success of its research activities
- Description of student involvement in research

Additionally, the following data is collected and reported to CEPH

- Principal investigator and faculty member's role (if not PI)
- Project name
- Period of funding
- Source of funding
- Amount of total award
- Amount of current year's award
- Whether research is community based
- Whether research provides for student involvement

Discussion questions

- How should we encourage faculty to share research opportunities with students?
- How do we promote collaborative research efforts?
- How should we measure success in research? For example dollar amount, research dollars/faculty, # students involved, source of dollars, etc.