2005 Annual Report of
The Wisconsin Partnership Fund
for a Healthy Future

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Governance

Insurance Commissioner

Wisconsin United for Health Foundation, Inc. (WUHF)

UW System Board of Regents

UW-Madison

UW School of Medicine and Public Health (SMPH)
The Wisconsin Partnership Program

UW Foundation

Oversight and Advisory Committee (OAC) (35%)

Medical Education and Research Committee (MERC) (65%)
The Wisconsin Partnership Program
$18.8 million

Oversight and Advisory Committee (OAC) Initiatives
$5.5 million
- Community-Academic Partnership Fund
- Community-Population Health Initiatives*
- Public Health Education and Training

Medical Education and Research (MERC) Initiatives
$13.3 million
- Medical Education and Research Focus Areas
- Strategic Initiatives Allocation

*Received 2-year award in 2004; shown here for organizational purposes
OAC & MERC Grant Making Approach

- Competitive Requests for Proposals
- Strategic Initiatives
- Balanced portfolio
  - Community-academic partnerships
  - Education for health professions students and the public health workforce
  - Research from basic to clinical to translational to communities
- Guiding principles
  - Advancing the health of the people of Wisconsin
  - Transformation of the School into an integrated school of medicine and public health
Distribution of 2005 Community-Academic Partnership Fund Grants

By Target Population Age

By Target Population Ethnicity
Healthy Wisconsin Leadership Institute
Community Teams

- The Barron County Safe and Stable Families Coalition
  - methamphetamine and other substance abuse and addiction

- Healthy People Portage County
  - obesity and lack of physical activity

- La Crosse Area Dental Care Advocacy Coalition
  - access to affordable dental care

- Milwaukee Partnership for Reducing Adolescent Risky Sexual Behavior

- Wisconsin LGBT Youth Health Initiative
  - decrease tobacco, alcohol and drug use, injury and mental health problems among lesbian, gay, bi-sexual and transgender youth
## Wisconsin Population Health Fellowship

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Medical Education & Research (MERC) Funding Categories

- **Focus Areas***
  - 2/3 of the MERC funds

- **Strategic Initiatives Allocation**
  - 1/3 of the MERC funds

*Focus Areas:
  - Innovations in Medical Education
  - The Wisconsin Population Health Research and Clinical Trials Network
  - Disease Genomics and Regenerative Medicine
  - Molecular Medicine and Bioinformatics
  - Emerging Opportunities in Biomedicine and Population Health
Focus Areas

**Education**
- Innovations in Medical Education*
  - Curriculum Innovation
  - Clinical Skills Teaching and Assessment Center
  - Statewide Health Care Distance Education

**Research**
- Human Proteomics Program
- Regenerative Medicine
- Survey of the Health of Wisconsin (SHOW)
- Wisconsin Network for Health Research (WiNHR)

*Received an increased award in 2005.*
Survey of the Health of Wisconsin
Strategic Initiatives Allocation

- Expansion of MPH Program
- Wisconsin Academy for Rural Medicine
- Reducing Cancer Disparities
- Transformation of Health Care Conference
- Health Innovations Program
- New Investigator Program
• Provide evidence of effectiveness and accountability

• Inform decision making on new initiatives and grant awards

• Provide guidance on the development of the next Five-Year Plan
Over $34 million awarded for multi-year grants:

- Community-Academic Partnership Fund
  - 29 Planning Grants
  - 25 Implementation Grants

- Public Health Education and Training
  - 2 grants

- Medical Education & Research Initiatives
  - 36 grants

- Total Awards: 92