

# FUTURE DIRECTIONS IN NURSING SCIENCE

REPORT FROM THE NACNR STRATEGIC PLAN WORKING GROUP

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## STRATEGIC PLANNING WORKING GROUP

- **Charge:** “...identifying strengths, limitations, challenges, and opportunities in nursing science, and providing recommendations to the NACNR that will help inform the development of the next NINR Strategic Plan.”
- **Method:** Facilitated discussions from November 2020 to May 2021, breakout rooms with guiding questions, and pre- and post-meeting surveys
- **Outcome:** Draft framework of goals, objectives, and strategies

# NINR STRATEGIC PLAN 2022–2026

## Key Principles for Strategic Planning Process

- Think boldly; think differently
- Think about the end at the beginning: plan for translation
- Demonstrate impact
- Embrace change and opportunity
- Mentor the next generation

## STRATEGIC PLANNING WORKING GROUP

- **Goals:** the broad statement of strategic direction towards which NINR aims
- **Objectives:** the measurable steps NINR can take towards achieving the goal
- **Strategies:** the methods, tools, and activities required to support the objectives

## STRATEGIC PLANNING NEXT STEPS

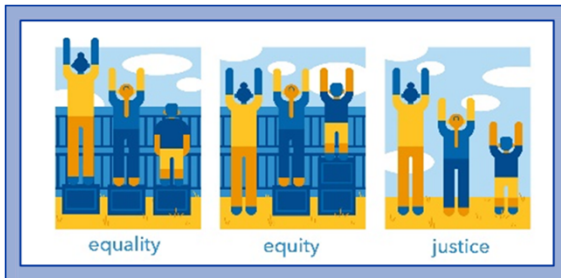
- Obtain feedback on working group report from the Advisory Council
- Synthesize feedback from multiple inputs:
  - *Strategic Plan Working Group report*
  - *Public feedback, including through NINR strategic plan e-mail box*
  - *“What does nursing research mean to you?” campaign*
  - *NINR staff, NIH colleagues, external stakeholders, etc...*
- NINR to develop draft framework for Plan and release for public comment through a RFI
- Publication and dissemination of new Strategic Plan (target early 2022)



# STRATEGIC PLAN WORKING GROUP FRAMEWORK

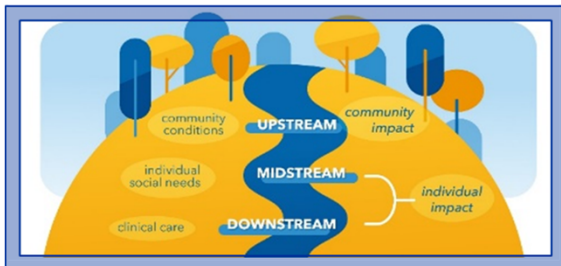


# STRATEGIC PLANNING WORKING GROUP FRAMEWORK OVERVIEW



## Goal 1

Nursing Science will Focus on Dismantling Structures that Perpetuate Racism and Impede Health Equity



## Goal 2

Use Nursing Science's Multilevel Perspective to Develop and Implement Interventions to Address the Social Determinants of Health across the Lifespan



## Goal 3

Use Nursing Science's Holistic Approaches to Advance Precision Health and Health Care across the Lifespan



# Goal I: Nursing Science will Focus on Dismantling Structures that Perpetuate Racism and Impede Health Equity

- Objective I.1:** Identify the Components of Structural Racism that Impact Patient Care and Health Outcomes
- Objective I.2:** Develop, Test, and Implement Multilevel Interventions that Work towards Dismantling Racism and Enhancing Health Equity in Nursing Care
- Objective I.3:** Promote Equitable Access to Health Care and Health Information

## Strategies:

- Cultivate Trust
- Increase Diversity
- Ensure Equity
- Promote Practical Methodology

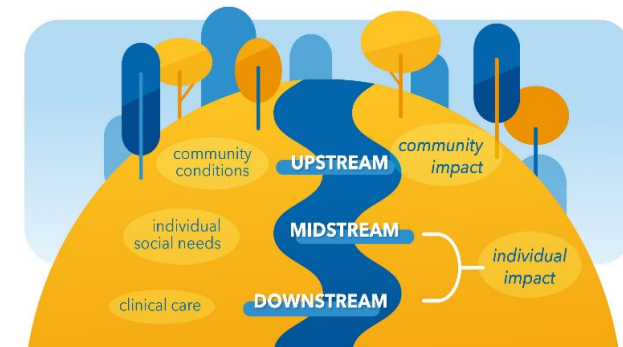


## Goal 2: Use Nursing Science's Multilevel Perspective to Develop and Implement Interventions to Address the Social Determinants of Health across the Lifespan

- Objective 2.1:** Identify Upstream Social Determinants that Impact Health Outcomes across the Lifespan
- Objective 2.2:** Develop, Test, and Implement Interventions to Address Social Determinants of Health that Impede Health Equity
- Objective 2.3:** Identify Barriers and Facilitators to Decision-Making among Different Populations
- Objective 2.4:** Develop Targeted Interventions from a Socio-Ecological and Biobehavioral Framework

### Strategies:

- Foster Community-Based Participatory Partnerships
- Strengthen Innovative Methods



## Goal 3: Use Nursing Science's Holistic Approaches to Advance Precision Health and Health Care across the Lifespan

**Objective 3.1:** Foster Research that Harnesses Holistic Approaches across the Lifespan

**Objective 3.2:** Apply a Syndemics Perspective for Improving the Management of Chronic Conditions and Associated Symptoms

**Objective 3.3:** Promote Strategies to Enhance Health and Well-Being

**Objective 3.4:** Support Transdisciplinary Approaches to Palliative and End-of-Life Care

### Strategies:

- Promote Transdisciplinary Team Science
- Cultivate Key Partnerships
- Advance Translation and Implementation



## FRAMEWORK DISCUSSION

- Do these goals and objectives capture the future of nursing science?
- Is there any major theme that is missing?
- What else would you like to see?
- Is there anything that should **not** be included?



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