

Social Determinants of Health Working Group



Canada Health Infoway

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Acknowledgement

We respectfully acknowledge that the land on which we are hosting this meeting – the land that sustains us – includes the ancestral territories of many First Peoples. Canada Health Infoway recognizes the colonial injustices, many of which continue today and continue to affect the health and well-being of Indigenous people. With the working group dedicated to addressing the social determinants of health it brings to light the importance of engaging in anti-colonial actions to address the historical and ongoing inequities experienced by Indigenous communities. We invite all attendees to reflect on the privilege they have of living, working and playing in the territory from which you are joining this call, and to come with an open heart and an open mind in forging culturally safe spaces and relationships.



Agenda

1. Land acknowledgment and introduction
2. Measure of Indigenous racism experiences (MIRE)
3. Asian American racism-related stress inventory (AARRSI)
4. Next steps



GROUND RULES FOR DIALOGUE



	Express disagreement with ideas not personalities
	Share airtime
	Stay on topic—connect to what others have said
	Understand & learn from each other

	We are all equal. Leave rank at the door
	Listen respectfully especially when you disagree. Acknowledge you have heard the others
	Look for common ground
	Identify & test assumptions

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Please mute your microphone, use chat to raise ideas.



Asian American racism-related stress inventory (AARRSI)

(Liang, Li & Kim, 2004; Miller, Kim, Chen, Alvarez, 2012)

- Development
 - Liang et al. (2004): Three studies of 319 students, 22 community adults; ages 17 to 65 Miller et al. (2012): 1273 Asian Americans; over half were students; mean age 26 → short form
- Overview
 - Stress and relationship to well-being, mental health and self esteem
 - Different language around similar concepts
- Domains
 - Original: General racism; perpetual foreigner racism; socio-historical racism
 - Short form: Vicarious and collective racism and Daily Racial Microaggressions
- Goodness of Fit
 - Good fit for Chinese and Korean ethnic groups
 - Poor or marginal fit for the Filipino sample

Measure of Indigenous racism experiences (MIRE)

(Paradies & Cunningham, 2008)

- Australia
- Community engagement prior to implementation
- 312 participants who identified as Indigenous, ages 15-81; 68% female, 53% married, 46% property owners; 10% university education
- Three questions with sub-categories; Three broad questions
- Question when reviewing the measure: Can this translate to a Canadian context?



Breakout Room

- **Introductions – Name and area of focus**
- **Quick scan of subdomains**
- **Review of questions**
 - Does this question fit within our three domains of focus
 - Racism and Discrimination
 - Material Hardship
 - Healthcare Access
 - Yes / No / Indirect / Maybe

Systematic Review - Population Specific

Adolescents:

- **Adolescent** discrimination distress index
- Index of race-related stress for **African American adolescents**

Asian Americans

- **Asian American** racism-related stress inventory (AARRSI)
- Race-Related stressor scale for **Asian American Vietnam Veterans**

Latinix:

- Perceived racism scale for **Latina/os**

Detroit Area

- **Detroit area** study discrimination scale

Indigenous

- **Measure of Indigenous** racism experiences (MIRE)

Ethnicity

- General **ethnic** discrimination scale
- Perceived **ethnic** discrimination questionnaire/brief version
- **Perceived ethnic** discrimination questionnaire/community version
- Perceived **ethnic** discrimination questionnaire
- Scale for the effects of **ethnicity** and discrimination
- Scale of **ethnic** experience

Thank you!
Please join us for our
next meeting on
April 6, 2022.

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