The project team finished its “Phase 1” focus groups and interviews, where Black seniors and seniors who have problems with seeing, hearing, and moving around gave comments on how they would like to be engaged in future research.

As the project goes into its third year, the team will start a registry, where seniors can sign up and give information on what kind of research in which they would want to take part in. Building Trust to Enhance Diversity in Aging Research will give researchers more culturally appropriate ways to work with a variety of senior communities, based on information seniors in our focus groups and interviews have told us.