# **Building Trust to Enhance Diversity in Aging Research**

## NIA R24

Building Trust to Enhance Diversity in Aging Research (NIA R24): This project will give researchers more culturally appropriate ways to interact with a variety of senior communities, based on what seniors in our focus groups and interviews told us.

## We launched our registry!

With our registry now live, we are eager to work with seniors and give information on the types of research they would be interested in taking part.

If you are **over the age of 50** and would like to add your name to our registry, please visit <a href="https://redcap.link/x6ajyku8">https://redcap.link/x6ajyku8</a> or call Rodney Elliott at 410-706-7312.

## **Click Here** to Add Your Name to Our Registry

We are also looking for older adults with memory concerns and their care partners to take part in interviews about how they would want to take part in research for older adults.

If you would like to take part in one of these interviews, please contact Rodney Elliott at 410-706-7312.

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The team got funding to talk with African American adults about their views on taking part in health and medical research, concerns about ethics in research, trust, and trustworthiness, learning about research results, and what researchers have to do at the end of a study. People who are taking part in this new study will also talk about unethical historical events in research and tell stories about their own research experiences. This project is part of Building Trust to Enhance Diversity in Aging Research and may help increase having more African Americans in health and medical research. This project may also inform future policies about how to return research results back to the communities who take part in the studies.

### Focus groups for this project will start later this year.

The lead researcher for this project is Claudia Baquet, MD, MPH.