# PRISM QUERI



# **Partnered Evaluation Initiative**

## OPTIMIZING INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE (IPV) HEALTHCARE AT VHA

The Partnered Evaluation of Relationship Health Innovations and Services through Mixed Methods (PRISM) QUERI is a rigorous and robust partnered evaluation initiative with the Care Management and Social Work Service Intimate Partner Violence Assistance Program (IPVAP). PRISM's current priority is to evaluate the implementation and impact of IPV screening and response at VHA.

#### PARTNERING TO ENHANCE DATA-DRIVEN RELATIONSHIP HEALTH SERVICES

Intimate partner violence (IPV), including physical, sexual, and psychological aggression against a current or former partner, is a complex public health crisis with far-reaching consequences. The healthcare system plays an integral role in the detection and treatment of IPV through implementation of IPV screening and provision of relationship health resources.

During VHA healthcare visits in 2022, over 58,000 Veterans indicated having experienced IPV in the past year, including 13,172 women and 45,380 men.

Although the majority of IPV screening and response initiatives to date have targeted women of reproductive age, best practices are needed to optimize IPV screening and response among Veterans of all genders. **The PRISM Initiative seeks to support:** 



## INNOVATION

Expanded implementation of IPV screening and response to ALL Veterans using the Relationship Health and Safety (RHS 3.0) clinical reminder.



### **EVALUATION**

of implementation and impact of the expanded IPV screening and response national rollout.



### **OPTIMIZATION**

of future IPV screening and response implementation strategies.

#### ANTICIPATED IMPACTS OF THE PRISM INITIATIVE:

- ✓ Development of infrastructure, data tools, and systems essential for monitoring IPV screening and response.
- ✓ Critically needed outcomes data to enhance and inform national VHA IPV programming.
- ✓ Recommendations for optimizing future IPV screening and response strategies.



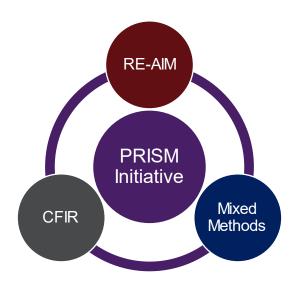


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#### **EVALUATION STRATEGY**

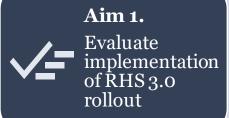
The PRISM Initiative is guided by two key frameworks and utilizes mixed methods:

- Reach, Effectiveness, Adoption, Implementation, and Maintenance (RE-AIM)
- Consolidated Framework for Implementation Research (CFIR)
- Qualitative interviews with Veterans and providers + electronic health record data extracted from the Corporate Data Warehouse (CDW)



# PROVIDING CRITICAL SUPPORT TO VHA PROGRAM OFFICE PARTNERS BY EVALUATING THE IMPLEMENTATION AND IMPACT OF THE RHS 3.0 ROLLOUT

A robust partnered evaluation of the expanded IPV screening and response national rollout will assist IPVAP in determining implementation and clinical impact outcomes to inform next steps and support potential adaptations to optimize RHS 3.0 implementation across populations.



- **Assess** RHS 3.0 implementation outcomes across RE-AIM domains and examine potential differences in outcomes by patient characteristics.
- **Identify** clinical settings and provider types most and least likely to screen for IPV and yield positive IPV disclosures during screening.



- **Examine** service utilization and clinical outcomes following positive IPV disclosures during screening.
- Understand experiences of screening among patients who disclosed IPV during screening encounters.

For more information, check out:

<u> https://www.queri.research.va.gov</u>

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