

The Four PRC Divisions



Healthy Schools Division

Director, Nate Riggs

The Prevention Research Center's Healthy Schools division partners with schools, districts, and state departments of education to test and implement the evidence-based approaches to promoting student health, wellness, and academic achievement.



Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Division

Director, Debbie Fidler

The Prevention Research Center's Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities division supports people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families through transformative research and innovative programs that promote well-being throughout the lifespan.

RAM Scholars Program at Colorado State University



Healthy Aging Division

Director, Christine Fruhauf

The Prevention Research Center's Healthy Aging division applies the latest research in healthy aging to community-based applied interventions for older adults.



Community-University Partnerships Division

Director, Dave MacPhee

The Prevention Research Center's Community-University Partnerships division supports collaborative work with local communities and state agencies to assess community needs, translate prevention science into effective programs and policies for individuals and families, to provide support in implementing community programs, and to evaluate programs' impacts.

Technical Assistance On Implementation & Adaptation: CDPHE

Technical Assistance for Substance Abuse Block Grantee's Implementation & Adaptation of EBPs

















Examples of Prevention Training & Technical Assistance To Communities

- RHSE 21 "PROSPER & SFP 10-14"
 - Improve family & individual health w/Strengthening Families Program 10-14 in NW Colorado
 - Prevention workforce development: Multiple (10x) CSU Prevention Extension Casts
- Colorado Division of Criminal Justice "SLV PROSPER"
 - Tiered approach to prevention training and technical assistance: Prevent youth delinquency by promoting positive youth development & family resilience
- RHSE 23 "Bridging youth, family, & schools"
 - Implement & evaluate DTBY-Bridge Program in Four Corners counties; focus on American Indian & Latine families
 - T/TA for Colorado Extension staff: How can prevention science support their work?

PRC Examples of Dissemination & Implementation

- Civic Capacity Index: needs assessment & outcome measure
- Family Leadership Training Institute
- Grandcares Project
 - Grandparent (self-care practices) & grandchild (self-efficacy & leadership)
 - Service providers' knowledge of grandfamilies' needs (educational videos)
- Dementia Together
- Pueblo Diversified Industries