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SUBJECT: NIH/NICHD PAR-09-092

To view the full program announcement—NIH/NICHD *Academic-Community Partnership Conference Series* (U13) connect to <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-09-092.html>
Please post and notify faculty as appropriate.

The purposes of these partnerships (e.g. workshops/symposia/meetings) are to identify important community partners, establish community research priorities, and to develop a long-term Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) agenda. It is expected that the academic-community partnerships developed through this initiative will lead to grant applications for the support of CBPR projects designed to meet identified community needs. These projects can focus on one or more of the following areas: **infant mortality; SIDS; techniques for outreach and information dissemination; pediatric and maternal HIV/AIDS prevention, childhood, adolescent, and/or adult obesity; health literacy; uterine fibroid tumors; and violence prevention**

Each institution may submit only one application in response to this solicitation. Because of the limit placed on the number of submissions and to also allow enough time for the internal review screening and selection process and then preparation of a full application by the selected researcher, faculty interested in submitting a proposal should send to Elaine Riberich (Office of Research, 123 University Place, phone 47413, e-mail: emr@pitt.edu) by **January 25, 2011 a description of their proposed project.**

In case more than one nomination is received, a University review committee will be convened to determine which name will be endorsed for the **March 2, 2011 NIH deadline.** A letter of intent is requested by February 2, 2011.

For a list of additional ***Programs Limiting the Number of Allowed Institutional Submissions*** connect to the Office of Research home page: <http://www.pitt.edu/~offres/> then select ***Funding Resources***. Please refer, as appropriate, to *Important Notes on Agency eRA Systems* posted at <http://www.pitt.edu/~offres/eralinks.html>

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