Strategic Transformation of Population Studies - Next Steps at NHLBI

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Collaboration is more than putting a big data set together from smaller ones.

Collaboration is the divergent and shared thinking that leads to new ideas and that motivates to action.
• Charge: Make recommendations on new scientific opportunities and future directions for epidemiology and population sciences research

• Membership: 9 HLBS researchers external to NHLBI and representing its NHLBI BEE and Advisory Council

• Outcome: 7 recommendations presented, reviewed and approved by the Advisory Council in October, 2014

• Final report accepted for publication by AJE
Next Steps at NHLBI
Implementation of the Council Recommendations

• A committee of selected NHLBI staff was assembled to recommend strategies for and coordinate implementation of the 7 recommendations.

• Representation: Heart (DCVS), Lung (DLD), Blood (DBDR), Implementation/Translation (CTRIS), Extramural Research Activities (DERA).

• Co-chaired by 2 staff members, one from DCVS, one selected from the other Divisions.
How can you have input?

- Currently, you can provide input through the NHLBI Epidemiology Digital Forum: https://nhlbiepi.wordpress.com/

- In the very near future, you can submit your ideas for compelling questions and critical challenges through the NHLBI Strategic Visioning process: http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/about/documents/strategic-visioning
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Special Report

National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Strategic Visioning
Setting an Agenda Together for the NHLBI of 2025

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