



Institute for Human Development

Community-based Participatory Approach Strengthens Research to Practice

- Reduces threat to external validity
- Helps to identify the issues that matter
- Brings in discussion of real world scenarios and gives social meaning
- Supports sustainability of implementation through collective decision-making, increased ownership of the research and outcomes
- Equalizes partnership to build trusting relationship between researcher and end-users

Study a Phenomenon or Intervention

- Focused on a defined population
- Yield evidence of effectiveness
- Uses rigorous research methods

Dissemination

- Sharing information in a format matching intended audience needs
- Education (technical assistance and training)

Implementation

- Defined implementation methods
- Tools and structures to support implementation
- Coaching to build competency
- Data structures for tracking process and outcomes
- Designed to focus on a defined population

Evaluation

- Uses rigorous evaluation methods
- Analysis of processes and outcomes

