

Quality and Cost-Savings Outcomes of Community Health Worker Interventions

State Program Approach	Intervention	Population	Return
Return on Investment			
Wilder Research Study	Outreach cost analysis	Cancer patients	ROI: \$2.30: 1
Boston Study	Health Exchanges	Poor Latinos	More enrolled
Denver Study	Preventive and Primary care	Underserved males	ROI: \$2.28:1
• El Paso, Texas Study	Health Exchanges	Poor, immigrants	7,000 more enrolled
Seattle-King County	Home environmental assessment	Rural, low-income children	\$1,124 per child/per year
Utilization / Quality-Of-Life			
Hawaii Study	ER Visits	Asthma patients	78% lower costs
West Baltimore Study	ER Visits	Underserved patients	40% fewer ER visits
New England Study	Home Visits	Maternal/Child health	Higher development quotient, shorter metabolic control
Seattle, Washington Study	Follow-up with patients	Hypertension	18% higher follow-up visits
Los Angeles & San Diego Study	Individual Counseling Sessions vs. Education Classes	Cardiovascular disease	Significant changes in systolic, diastolic blood pressures, and physical activity
Single Good Quality Study	Individual case management, primary care, public health resources	Post-incarcerates	Less use of ER
Colorado, California, Arkansas Study	Breast Cancer	Rural, low-to-moderate income, and minority women	Increased adherence with breast cancer screening

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