



## Research and Development Committee Tentative Workplan

Priorities	Action Steps	Funding (current scope)
Facilitate collaborative research on emerging and innovative methodologies to study education and training in CalSWEC areas of interest	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Convene regular statewide meetings on workforce development showcasing CA researchers from universities and counties</li><li>2. Convene a group of county, tribal and university researchers and evaluators, and potential funders to identify new sources of funding</li><li>3. Create a clearinghouse of researchers and evaluators to a) foster networking opportunities and b) house research and evaluation output (e.g., county reports that are uploaded into secure portion of CalSWEC website)</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Title IVE &amp; RTA</li><li>2. NEW</li><li>3. Title IV-E (through the Network Hub)</li></ol>
Promote greater interprofessional collaboration	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Pursue greater interprofessional collaboration through the ACA and new funding ops such as Prop.47</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. NEW</li></ol>
Support research that reflects the importance of social work and other disciplines in whole-person health	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Support the evaluation of community health partnerships</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. NEW</li></ol>
Disseminate and translate relevant research through the most effective modalities and/or serve as a resource to find relevant research.		
Promote the importance of the social work profession through data collection, analysis, documentation, and dissemination.		
Foster evaluation and field research that examines connections between social work employment practices and quality of service.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Invite more participation from county evaluators and researches at CalSWEC board meetings</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. No additional funding needed. County supported.</li></ol>
Research & evaluate the infusion of culturally responsive programs (including education & training) for underserved & diverse communities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Develop evaluation protocols that attempt to evaluate cultural competence, the extent of bias and the effects of colonization in underserved and diverse communities</li><li>2. Provide a platform to broadcast to the broader CalSWEC community the voices of underserved &amp; diverse communities</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Title IV-E</li><li>2. Title IV-E</li></ol>