BQHS Vision, Mission, and Core Values

Vision: Strive for excellence in research, education, and service through collaboration and innovation in quantitative health science

Mission: To enhance University of Hawaii John A. Burns School of Medicine's research, education, and service mission by:

- fostering the understanding and implementation of biostatistical principles from study design to dissemination
- catalyzing collaborative research through institutional and community partnerships
- providing quality education and training in quantitative health sciences
- developing novel methods and generating new knowledge to improve quantitative health research and practice

Core Values: High quality, efficient, reliable





Strategic Partners of BQHS

JABSOM Departments:

Department of Medicine

Department of OBGYN

Research Centers:

P20 Center for Native and Pacific Health Disparities Research

UH Schools & Colleges:

School of Nursing

Non-UH Organizations:

Hawaii Health Information Corporation

Queen's Medical Center

Hawaii Journal of Medicine & Public Health

Shriners Hospitals for Children







Research and Education Partnersh

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BQHS Services

Research Design & Grant Application Support

- Grant proposal development, includes sample size and statistical power determination
- Research feasibility discussion to establish testable research Hypothesis
- Database design and setup (OpenClinica, REDCap, Access)
- Sampling procedures
- Data-instrument development and data-coding protocols

Biostatistics Data Analysis

- Data coding and management
- Comprehensive univariable and multivariable analyses
- Data and safety monitoring and interim analysis
- Customized statistical tool development to address specific research questions and challenges

BQHS Services (cont.)

Bioinformatics Data Analysis

- Next generation sequencing
 - RNA-Seq
 - DNA-Seq
 - Chip-Seq
 - Exome sequencing
 - Targeted sequencing
 - Variant detection
- Microarray data analysis
- Proteomics data analysis
- Gene annotation
- Pathway analysis

Results Dissemination

- Statistical results interpretation
- Biostatistics and bioinformatics method and results write-up
- Results presentations for manuscripts and posters

Training & Education

- QHS Workshops and seminars
- QHS courses of various levels

Service Model

Initial Consultation (one hour): FREE

Grant Development:

FREE, if adequate effort of BQHS faculty and staff is included in the grant budget.

Long-Term Funded Projects:

BQHS services can be provided through a percentage effort or through negotiated collaboration and service contract.

Short-Term Projects or Non-Extramural Funded Projects:

BQHS services can be provided through a feefor-service or task-based pricing agreement.

Current UH Approved Rates:

Ph.D. Level Staff: \$120/hour Master Level Staff: \$60/hour

Collaborative Model

- For RMATRIX, BRIDGES, and INBRE investigators the BQHS support will be provided either free of charge or at a significant discount
- For our strategic partners, free or discounted services provided according to collaborative agreements.

For academic and research units (dept., school, center) interested in becoming a BQHS strategic partner, we would be happy to explore the collaborative opportunity and grow together with you.