KPPEPR Structural Support from KUMC

KU Medical Center, a full-service, tertiary care center, combines patient care, teaching, and research on its Kansas City campus. The Department of Family Medicine is housed within the KU Medical Center complex.

Dr. Allen Greiner, the KPPEPR Medical Director, directs The Department of Family Medicine’s division of research. The Research Division’s primary goal is to blend research, advocacy, service, and student learning activities to change the health care system and improve the health of underserved Kansans. The Department and its research division are committed to building research capacity and working collaboratively with community partners. With the division’s experience and partnerships, it has been a natural home for the origination and evolution of the KPPEPR network.

The MCA is the outreach network of the University of Kansas Cancer Center that brings cancer research, care and support professionals together to advance cancer prevention and care in the Heartland. The MCA is a membership-based organization that was founded in 2008 with one mission: bring more options close to home. KPPEPR, as a growing outreach arm of the University of Kansas Medical Center, is learning from and partnering with MCA. MCA provides KPPEPR with funding, office space and the potential for additional member benefits.
### Key Partners at KUMC

- Center for American Indian Community Health (CAICH)
- Department of Preventive Medicine
- Frontiers: Heartland Institute for Clinical and Translational Research
- JUNTOS Center for Advancing Latino Health
- KU School of Medicine’s Office of Rural Medical Education
- KU School of Nursing