

RAising the Investment in Sex and gender Evidence (RAISE): A structural intervention to close the sex and gender data gap

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BACKGROUND

- The sex and gender data gap leads to a spurious understanding of disease processes
- There is a male default bias at every stage of research
- Sex and gender disaggregated data is critical to achieving gender equity

AIMS

1. Advance women scientists and achieve gender equity in the scientific workforce
2. Incorporate the analysis of sex and gender differences into research programs

RAISE funds and disseminates research that closes the sex and gender data gap



IMPLEMENTATION

1. RAISE announcement and request for applications published in October 2022
2. Assistant Professors in the biomedical schools are eligible to apply
3. Three grantees awarded \$20,000 in March 2023
4. Grantees present research proposals at Penn PROMOTES Symposium in March 2023
5. RAISE grantees present work in progress at FOCUS Fall Conference in October 2023
6. Grant period ends in March 2024