



# VA NATIONAL CENTER ON HOMELESSNESS AMONG VETERANS

*Research-driven solutions to prevent and end homelessness*

## Overview of Research in VA's National Homeless Program Office

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## National Center on Homelessness among Veterans (NCHAV) Research Affiliates

38 affiliates across the country





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## Vision

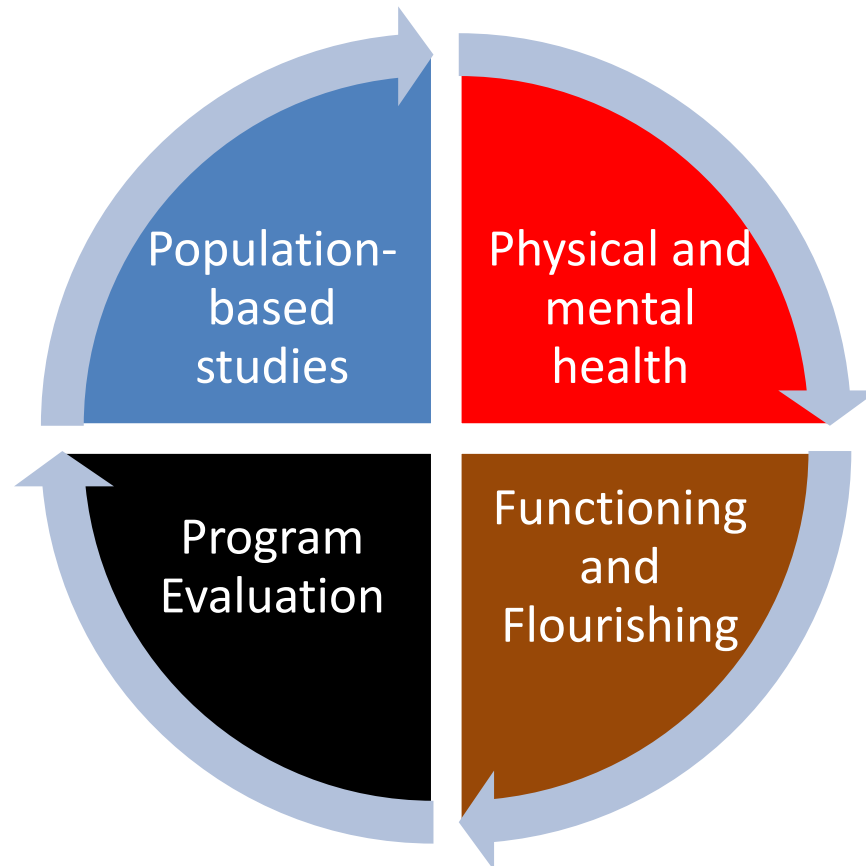
- 1) Expand research portfolio and reach
  - Incubator for new ideas and scaling tested ideas
- 2) Develop interventions and new knowledge
  - Homeless prevention, psychosocial and medical factors
- 3) Seek/support external grant funding
  - Community partnerships, focused on public interest



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## Research Priorities





## **Three major public research activities we welcome involvement:**


1. Intramural Research Grants
2. Post-graduate fellowship program
3. Homeless Veterans Research Engagement Panel (HV-REP)



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## Today's Presentation Lineup

- NCHAV researcher, Eric Elbogen, PhD
- NCHAV postdoc fellow, Taylor Harris, PhD
- NCHAV postdoc fellow, Vu-Thuy Nguyen, PhD
- Separate session: NCHAV research affiliate, Richard Nelson, PhD

