Executive Summary from the CARE Registry
October 2020 ~ March 2022
A Focus on Asian American & Pacific Islander (AAPI) Communities and Aging

Launch Date: October 15, 2020

Enrollment number: 7,810 participants as of March 13, 2022

Background:
- Asian Americans are the fastest growing racial group in the US, comprising 7.7% of the population.
- Clinical research projects focusing on Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) participants funded by the National Institutes of Health was less than 1% of its total budget between 1992 and 2018.

Purpose:
- To address the gap and reduce disparities in research participation in Alzheimer’s disease and related dementias, aging, caregiving, and other health issues across the lifespan among AAPIs.
- Implement culturally appropriate and innovative recruitment strategies in collaboration with CARE’s community partners to enroll 10,000 AAPIs.
- CARE aims to give AAPIs a voice and the opportunity to participate in research through enrollment in CARE.

Demographic of CARE Participants

- Vietnamese (37.4%)
- Chinese (33%)
- Korean (16.7%)
- Asian Indian (5.6%)
- Filipino (3.9%)
- Japanese (2.5%)
- Native Hawaiians & Pacific Islanders (2.1%)
- Other (3%)
- More than one (1%)

- 80.2% of participants do not have previous experience with research
- 11.4% of participants have self-reported ADRD-related symptoms
- 25.9% of participants are currently caregivers

Language of Survey Completion

- English (46.6%)
- Vietnamese (25.6%)
- Korean (11.5%)
- Simplified Chinese (9.3%)
- Traditional Chinese (5.7%)
- Samoan (1.3%)

Hindi added since February, 2022
Samoan added since March, 2021
59.5% have limited English proficiency

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References

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