

# Integrating Patient Voices into Research

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## What is the Patient Engagement Studio?

A team that joins the perspectives of patient experts and other stakeholders in health research and innovation.

### Patient Engagement Studio Steering Committee

The steering committee meets with researchers and clinical experts to develop and clarify effective, patient-based health care approaches. The Steering Committee also coordinates the work of Condition/Population-Specific Studios.

11 Patient experts

4 Clinicians

2 Researchers

Studio director

Support staff

### Condition/Population Specific Studios

Breast Cancer Studio

Rheumatoid Arthritis Studio

2 Diabetes Studios  
(1 Urban and 1 rural)

Future Condition / Population Specific Studios

- Adolescent/ Young Adult
- Autism
- Orthopedic

## Building Trust



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## Eliciting feedback



## Positive communication



## Mutual respect



## Timeline



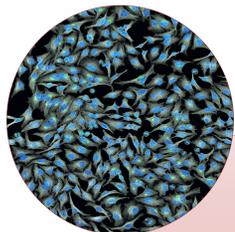
2018

Reviewed/assisted with 18 projects from virtual reality interventions for pain and anxiety to data collection for health literacy project. Continued medical education initiatives.



2017

Reviewed 11 projects from mHealth apps to Stress in families with children with autism. Received PCORI grant. Medical education initiatives



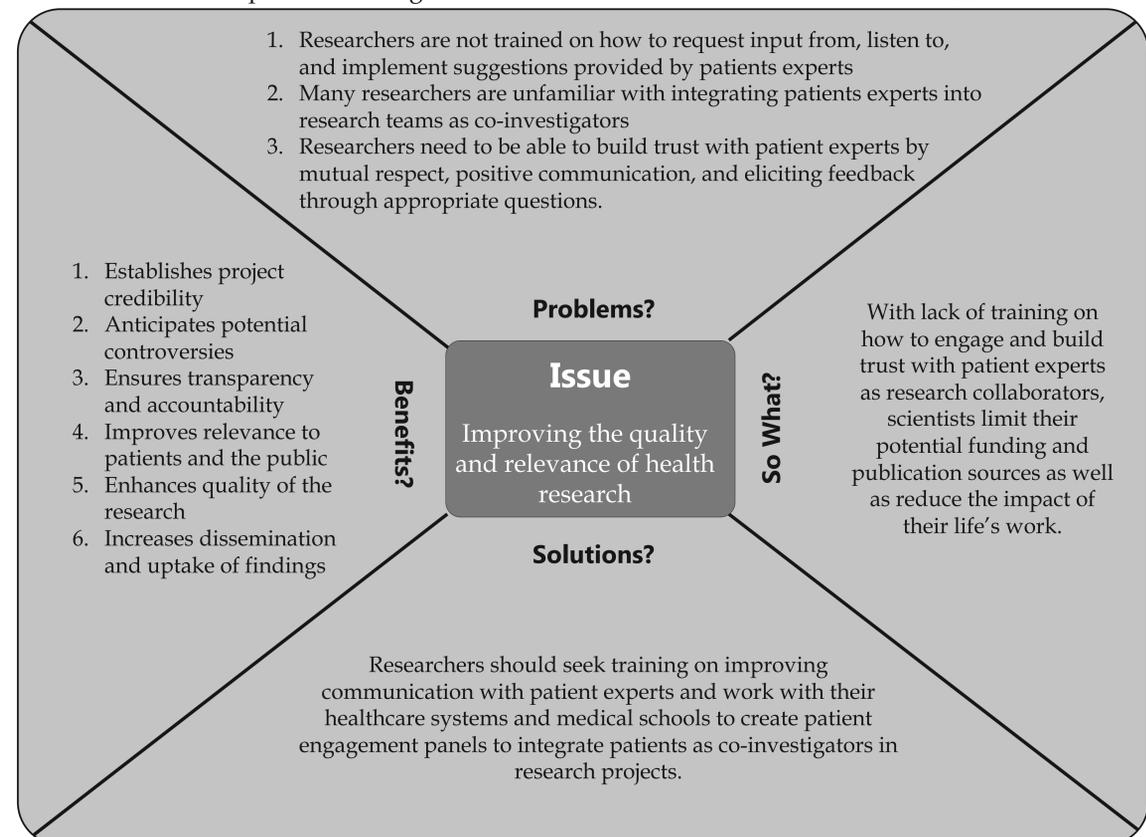
2016

First meeting of Patient Experts and Researchers. Reviewed 10 projects in Year 1: From Acupuncture in Cancer-related neuropathy to Telehealth initiatives

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## The Message Box

Audience: Participants attending Evaluation '18



The Message Box communication tool was created by COMPASS to help researchers engage effectively with policy makers and the public.

The Message Box Workbook can be found at [www.Compasscomm.org/the-message-box-workbook](http://www.Compasscomm.org/the-message-box-workbook)