

IMPROVING ACCESS TO MEDICATION ABORTION AMONG BLACK AND LATINX WOMEN IN GEORGIA

PROJECT OVERVIEW

This study uses a community-engaged reproductive justice approach to understand and address Black and Latinx women's multi-level barriers to medication abortion in Georgia. This project will develop a partnership between SisterLove, the oldest nonprofit serving women at risk of HIV/AIDS and other reproductive health barriers in Georgia, and RISE. The project team, working with diverse stakeholders, aims to explore how Black and Latinx women perceive and experience medication abortion as well as how sociocultural, policy, institutional, and individual-level factors influence their acceptance and use of medication abortion.

TIMELINE

2019

PARTNERSHIPS

- Interview Black and Latinx community-based organization leaders
- Interview abortion providers
- Form Community Advisory Board

COMMUNITY-BASED DATA COLLECTION

- Interview Black and Latinx women living in Metro Atlanta
- Conduct focus groups with Black and Latinx women
- Survey Black and Latinx women

2020

DISSEMINATION

- Publish and present results at conferences
- Develop a psychoeducational video
- Develop community-based training for advocates
- Inform culturally-sensitive clinical guidelines

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