

Overview

Members of **Addressing Disparities in Asian Populations through Translational Research (ADAPT)** are expected to support and promote the mission & vision of ADAPT through their work and active participation in ADAPT committees and working groups. Members have access to ADAPT's educational and research opportunities, events, data, resources, as well as an extensive network of community and academic organizations and advocates. Core Partners will also be able to elect others onto ADAPT's Steering Committee, and become involved in the partnership's decision-making process.

Organizational Members

Any private non-profit organization, civic group, charitable or religious group, business and corporate entity, hospital, community health center, individual and state or municipal government organization that serves or advocates on behalf of Boston's Asian community may be eligible to join ADAPT.

Individual Members

Individual community or academic members who are committed to learning about Asian health disparities issues and contributing to the work of ADAPT may be eligible to join.

Core & Affiliated Partners

Individual and organizational members can choose to be engaged as a Core Partner or an Affiliated Partner. Core Partners must be affiliated with Tufts CTSI Partner institutions, actively and consistently participate in all of ADAPT's activities, and contribute significantly to ADAPT's success. Affiliated Partners are involved in one time efforts or projects with limited participation or contributions.

Roles & Responsibilities

ADAPT members are expected to:

- Participate in ADAPT's monthly meetings.
- Join at least one of ADAPT's committees or project working groups.
- Partner as an individual or organization in research projects that align with ADAPT mission as appropriate.
- Serve as an ADAPT ambassador: embrace and convey ADAPT's mission and vision to peers, social and professional networks; recruit potential members; and promote community-level Asian health efforts that align with ADAPT's strategic priorities and goals.

Committees

- Steering Committee
- Executive Committee
- Other Ad Hoc Committees as needed

Current Project Working Groups

- Diabetes Prevention
- Child Health & Wellness
- Collective Impact
- Stable Housing & Health

If you or your organization are interested in joining ADAPT, please contact Annie Chin-Louie, ADAPT Project Manager, at ychinlouie@tuftsmedicalcenter.org.