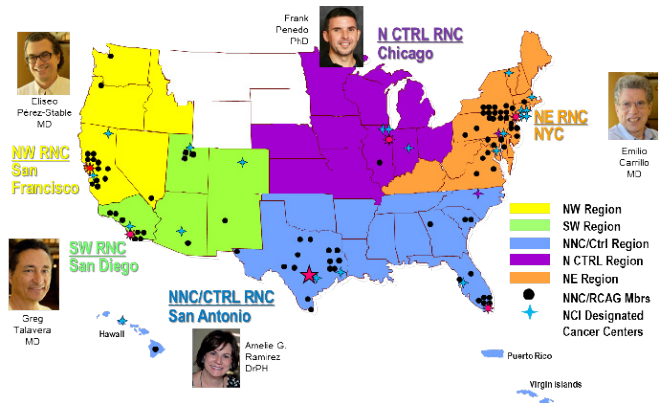


Latinos Face Dire Cancer Health Disparities

- Cancer has overtaken heart disease as the No. 1 killer of Latinos.
- Latinos typically suffer higher rates of cervical, liver, stomach, and gallbladder cancers, and high rates of childhood leukemia. They suffer worse outcomes for breast and other cancers, too.

Redes is Making a Difference

Redes En Acción: The National Latino Cancer Research Network is a National Cancer Institute-funded initiative to combat cancer among Latinos. Since 2000, *Redes* has built a national network of 2,000+ community groups, researchers, health and governmental agencies and the public—all to conduct collaborative cancer research, training and awareness activities to reduce the impact of cancer on Latinos, the nation's largest minority group.



3 Main Redes Activities



RESEARCH

Redes is now conducting a national randomized controlled trial to improve quality of life in Hispanic breast, prostate and colorectal cancer survivors using LIVESTRONG cancer navigation services (San Antonio & Chicago). *Redes* is also supporting pilot projects by *Redes* Scholars. Since 2000, *Redes* has pioneered many local, national and international Latino research projects, such as patient navigation to increase Latinos access to quality cancer care, which have significantly advanced the science of disparities.

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TRAINING

Redes is increasing cancer awareness among Latinos through many bilingual media strategies, including: monthly E-alerts, local events, scientific presentations, conferences, online (www.redesenaccion.org), social media, and TV Public service announcements.

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AWARENESS

Redes is increasing the number and quality of early-career Latino scientists engaged in cancer health disparities research using community-based participatory research techniques. *Redes* leaders also mentor dozens of aspiring researchers.

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Publications



Nuestras Historias/Our Stories Book

A Patient Navigator Manual for Latinos

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