"Moving to Consensus about Community Engagement" CTSA Green Region Community Engagement Workshop October 13, 2008 University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA

AGENDA

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Welcome and Overview

9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Keynote Address on Community Engagement

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10:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Community Engagement Activities at CTSAs

University of Pennsylvania

Case Western Reserve University

• Ohio State University

John Hopkins University

University of Pittsburgh

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Breakout Groups

Breakout Group 1: Theoretical versus Practical Aspects of Community Engagement

- What are barriers to community engagement (e.g., mistrust of academic institution)?
- What are facilitators to community engagement (e.g., having an established relationship with partner)?
- What challenges are encountered managing community engagement within an academic center (e.g., lack of leadership or multiple groups trying to do the same thing without coordinating efforts)?
- What strategies have been effective at overcoming barriers and challenges?
- What resources are needed and/or available to support community engagement?
- How have centers leveraged existing resources to support community engagement activities?

Breakout Group 2: Models and Initiatives of Community Engagement within a Research Environment

- How have centers defined the scope of community engagement activities?
- Do centers have a conceptual framework for community engagement?
- What is the goal of community engagement within each CTSA?

3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. Break

3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. Report from Breakout Groups and Discussion

4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Next Steps

4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Wrap up and Adjournment

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