



## UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS ADVISORY GROUP

### Advisory Group Mission

Ensure the needs of underserved and vulnerable populations be considered and represented in the planning, implementation and evaluation of Exercise is Medicine®. Underserved and vulnerable populations can include, but are not limited to:

- Members of racial and ethnic minorities groups
- People with physical impairments
- Rural and inner-city populations
- Elderly and pediatric populations
- People in developing countries
- Undocumented immigrants and political refugees
- Members of the gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender community
- Uninsured/underinsured populations
- Low income populations
- Individuals with low/no formal education
- Individuals with chronic medical conditions

### Advisory Group Goals

- Maintain excellent communication within our committee, ACSM leadership and EIM staff
- Plan programming related to EIM for underserved and vulnerable populations at the ACSM Annual Meeting and other appropriate venues
- Work with other ACSM committees, groups and members committed to increase the diversity of the college and the programs we promote and support
- Share the mission of the EIM underserved populations committee with ACSM members and the general public

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