Want to help us improve health care for minority children with special health care needs?

YOUR OPINION COUNTS!

We are looking for African American and Latino parents (or other family members) of children who have special health care needs to participate in a focus group. We are interested in your experiences and opinions about health care for your child.

★ Does your child have a developmental delay, health condition, disability or other health problem?
★ Are you a parent or other family member?
★ Is your child 1 – 21 years old?
★ Are you and your child African American or Latino?
★ Does your child see a doctor or other medical professional at least twice a year for the health condition or disability?
★ Has your child seen a doctor at least once in the last six months?
★ Can you participate in a group discussion for about 1½ hours?

If yes, please contact Bernice Allen, R.N., Ph.D. at 804-827-1547 or ballen@vcu.edu. Focus groups will be held in the spring of 2010 in the Northern Virginia, Richmond, and Tidewater areas. Focus groups will be in Spanish or English. Participants will receive $100. All information is kept strictly confidential.

To learn more about this research study and register, please leave a message with your name and phone number at 804-827-1547 or email ballen@vcu.edu.

Someone will contact you within 48 hours.

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