



# References and Resources on Disparities, Diversity, and Cultural Competence in Mental Health and Psychiatry

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APA Office of Minority/National Affairs. [www.psych.org/Resources/OMNA.aspx](http://www.psych.org/Resources/OMNA.aspx)

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## Web Sites

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<http://ahmha.net/Home.asp>

American Association of Medical Colleges, Diversity page  
<http://www.aamc.org/diversity/start.htm>

Asian American Center on Disparities Research, University of California, Davis.  
<http://psychology.ucdavis.edu/aacdr/index.html>

Center for Linguistic and Cultural Competence in Healthcare. US Department of Health and Human Services,  
[www.omhrc.gov/templates/browse.aspx?lvl=1&lvlID=3](http://www.omhrc.gov/templates/browse.aspx?lvl=1&lvlID=3)

Center for Multicultural Mental Health, Boston University  
[www.cmmh-cmtp.com/](http://www.cmmh-cmtp.com/)

Kaiser Family Foundation (publications and research on minority health)  
[www.kff.org/minorityhealth/index.cfm](http://www.kff.org/minorityhealth/index.cfm)

National Alliance on Mental Illness, Multicultural Action Center  
[www.nami.org](http://www.nami.org)

National Center for American Indian and Alaska Native Mental Health Research, University of Colorado, Denver  
[http://aianp.uchsc.edu/ncaianmhr/ncaianmhr\\_index.htm](http://aianp.uchsc.edu/ncaianmhr/ncaianmhr_index.htm)

National Center for Cultural Competence, Georgetown University  
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National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NCMHD), National Institutes of Health  
<http://ncmhd.nih.gov>

National Network to End Disparities in Behavioral Health  
[www.nned.net/](http://www.nned.net/)

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