Key questions defining research program:

• How can learning healthcare systems integrate social determinants to improve care?
• What roles can structural interventions serve in promoting health equity?
• How can health care be better attune to the needs of sexual and gender minority populations?

Key words describing research program:

• Social determinants of health
• Sexual and gender minority populations
• Suicide prevention
• Natural experiments/structural interventions
• Public health

Titles for shovel-ready research projects:

• Health outcomes and health care use among transgender veterans
• Social determinants of health among veterans utilizing VHA care
• The associations of housing instability and housing services utilization with suicide risk among transgender veterans
• Experiences with Department of Housing and Urban Development-VA Supportive Housing (HUD-VASH) services among male, female, and transgender veterans

Data sources for shovel-ready research projects:

• VA national administrative data
• Publicly available datasets (e.g., Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, General Social Survey)