Novel Sampling Designs and Activity-Space Data Collection Strategies for AHDCII

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### ADOLESCENT HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT IN CONTEXT II

- Data collection to start in fall 2024, ten years after AHDCI
- Focus is on the estimating the effect of exposure to activity-space adversity (ASA) – area level violence, policing, and racial exclusivity – on perceptions of physical and psychological safety, physiological stress and stress reactivity, and mental and behavioral health
- Explore the moderating influence of Black "other-perceived" race (OPR) – degree to which an individual believes others perceive their race to be Black in public interactions – on effects of ASA exposures

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- Research funds do not go as far as they used to
  - $\rightarrow\,$  primary data collection is more expensive

# WHAT HASN'T CHANGED OVER THE LAST 10 YEARS?

- We still care about population-level inference and informed consent
- ► NIH cap on R01 direct costs

### IMPLICATIONS FOR AHDCII

- 1. We can't replicate the AHDCI design
- 2. We don't want to replicate the AHDCI design
- 3. But we **do want to make comparisons**, especially pre-/postpandemic comparisons

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- ► A compromise... Two-Phase Design

# TWO-PHASE DESIGN

### Phase 1: N = 700, 1 at-home visit

#### Entrance survey

- youth → lifetime exposure to adverse events, behavior; mental and physical health; schooling; and family conflict current mental and physical health; behavior; experiences with discrimination and policing; perceived safety
- caregiver and household data

#### Location generator

- geo-referenced routine activity locations of different types
- OPR at routine activity locations NEW
- reports on social climate at routine activity locations ENHANCED
- locations avoided due to social climate NEW

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# Phase 2: N = 300, 6 months, 3 additional at-home visits

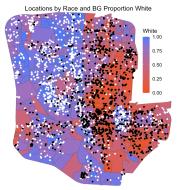
### Geographically-explicit ecological momentary assessment

- perceptions of physical and psychological safety
- mental health
- racial exclusivity/inclusivity NEW

### **Biomeasures**

- continuous heart rate and heart rate variability using Matrix Industries perceptive band (w/ dermal charging) NEW
- hair samples for HCC and dried blood spots for CRP (every three months)

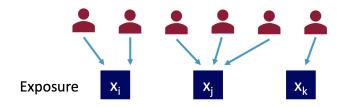
► Smaller study area (78 east side census tracts) → diverse area with greater socioeconomic overlap across racial identities, yielding more information relevant for estimating racial identity differences in outcomes



(Locations, jittered within census block group, of routine activity locations with discrimination reports in AHDCI)

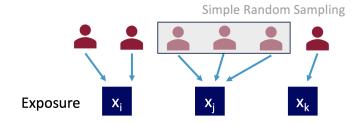
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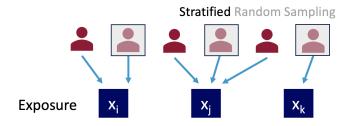
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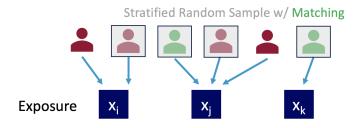
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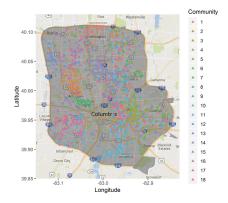
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AHDCI Eco-Communities (see Xi et al., 2020):



(Locations of residence, jittered within census block group, of AHDCI participants)

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- Other challenges:
  - EMA fatigue  $\rightarrow$  geofencing and sensor-driven prompting
  - Differences in phone carrying behaviors  $\rightarrow$  perceptive band
  - Selection effects  $\rightarrow$  ?