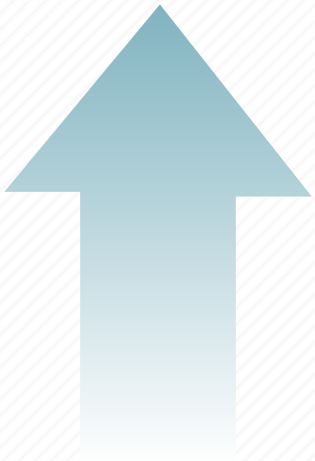
GERONTOLOGICAL NURSING LEADERSHIP ACADEMY (GNLA) OUTCOMES

The Gerontological Nursing Leadership Academy (GNLA) is a mentored leadership development experience designed to develop master's-prepared nurses in diverse settings to lead interprofessional teams in the improvement of healthcare quality for older adults and their families.

BY THE NUMBERS

280 OLDER ADULTS

benefited directly from the implementation of a newly designed education module for healthcare professionals who work with seniors who are at risk for depression. This module now serves as a benchmark for a post graduate certificate in gerontology within the Fellow's organization across the country in Canada.



A **24% INCREASE** in the use of a community referral program in Mississippi resulted from the development of a web-based data tool. Primary care providers are able to improve timely and ease of access to available community resources in Mississippi through the use of this electronic application.

Opioid usage was **DECREASED 17%** in the management of chronic non-cancer pain in older adults as a result of providing a revised practice model with alternative therapy options.

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The data listed above highlights the outcomes from the 2014-2015 cohort of GNLA.