

Institute for Health Equity Research

IHER Faculty Position to Address Mental Health Equity – Assistant Professor

The Institute for Health Equity Research (IHER) is seeking investigators whose research focuses on mental health conditions which disproportionately impact the following NIH-designated populations that experience mental health disparities in the United States (e.g., Black/African Americans, Latinos/Hispanics, socioeconomic disadvantaged individuals, and sexual and gender minorities (SGMs)). The successful candidate will be given a faculty appointment at the Assistant Professor level within the Department of Population Health Science and Policy.

The Mount Sinai Institute for Health Equity Research (IHER) brings together a multidisciplinary team of experts to address the longstanding disparities in health and health care that are pervasive in our country. IHER's mission to promote health equity with an anti-racist and intersectional lens has never been more critical.

The Mental Health Equity Research Group within IHER is led by Dr. Sidney Hankerson, who is a national leader in using principles of community-engaged research to reduce mental health inequities. Core values of the Mental Health Equity Research Group are: community, equity, rigor, and service. Investigators who demonstrate embodiment of these values through their prior research, education, and/or clinical experience will be prioritized.

Ideal candidates will demonstrate a commitment to health equity science, strong communication and leadership skills, and a passion for promoting diversity in research. Candidates should hold a doctoral degree (PhD, MD, DSW, EdD, etc.) and have relevant research experience, as well as a strong publication record. Evidence of external funding is desirable, but not required.

To submit your application materials or if you have questions regarding this opportunity, please contact the IHER faculty search manager at iher@mountsinai.org using “**Mental Health Equity – Assistant Professor Faculty Search**” in the subject line.

Requested Application Materials:

- 1-page cover letter
- Curriculum Vitae