### Description

Drive innovation and discovery at UICOMP, build a research enterprise at UICOMP, create centers of excellence in research in defined areas, establish key strategic research collaboration with clinical affiliates, community organization and campuses and establish regional reputation as a leader in research.

### Critical Success Factor

- **Adaptability and Growth**
- **Strategic Collaboration**

### Tactics

1. **i) Develop a critical mass and infrastructure to enhance basic science research in Peoria with emphasis on neuroscience and cancer**

2. **ii) Restructure Center for Outcomes Research with emphasis on community health and population health; emphasis on health equity and healthcare disparities; outcomes of digital/telehealth**

3. **iii) Engage faculty and provide support to enhance active participation in the ARCHES and Community Health Advocacy program**

4. **iv) Provide faculty development to build research productivity and grant writing**

5. **iv) Develop excellence in the area of educational and simulation research through collaborations with clinical affiliates, other campuses, and educational organizations in the community**

6. **v) Develop inter-organizational collaborative research programs focusing on population health that brings together learners across the continuum, faculty, staff and shared resources.**

### Timeline to Implementation

### Metrics

- Number of research grant awards
- Number of research publication
- Number of ARCHES grant awarded
- Faculty development programs offered and faculty participation

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