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*CIRA Presents:*  
**Qualitative Research Discussion Group**

**Join CIRA for another discussion on the qualitative research process.**

Presenter: Homero E. del Pino, Charles R. Drew University of Medicine and Science

Title: "Entre Herman@s: Engaging the Siblings of Latinx MSM in PrEP Promotion"



**Friday, January 15, 2021  
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm**

**Join by Zoom:**

**<https://yale.zoom.us/j/93961204106?pwd=VIRjOUZ3dzUdk1YZFBBZUc2Smx5Zz09>**

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# Qualitative Research Discussion Group (QRDG)

## Overview

The goal of the Qualitative Research Discussion Group (QRDG) is to provide opportunities for individuals involved in qualitative or mixed-methods research to meet regularly to discuss the qualitative research process and potentially problem-solve issues that may arise when engaged in qualitative research. Discussion topics include, but are not limited to: logistics, data management, analysis, dissemination, role of the researcher, and ethics. It is intended as a venue for discussing research in progress and new or relevant literature on qualitative methods and practice as well as to create networking opportunities and foster research collaborations. CIRA's Interdisciplinary Research Methods (IRM) Core member, Laretta Grau, PhD, is coordinating the meetings. She can be reached at [laretta.grau@yale.edu](mailto:laretta.grau@yale.edu).

## Speaker Bio: Homero E. del Pino, PhD, Charles R. Drew University of Medicine and Science

Homero E. del Pino has a BA in philosophy from Cornell University and holds a doctorate in philosophy and a master of science in clinical research from UCLA. He is an Associate Professor in the Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior at Charles R. Drew University of Medicine and Science and Adjunct Associate Professor in the Department of Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences at the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA. As a philosopher, Dr. del Pino focused on ethics and wrote his dissertation on the topic of weakness of the will. He then worked with health departments and community-based organizations at the national level and with the CDC before starting his research career in public health. His primary research interests include the impact of family relationships on the health outcomes of sexual minority men of color across the life span, substance use, and HIV risk. He is currently the principal investigator of "Entre Herman@s," an NIH-funded, randomized controlled trial to test the efficacy of engaging the siblings of Latino men who have sex with men in the development and dissemination of HIV PrEP-promotion messages. He is also the recipient of a K01 career development award to explore strategies for engaging the families of Latino MSM in HIV prevention efforts.