Nursing Research and Responsible Partnership in the Global Setting
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Introduction

• United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 3: “Ensure healthy lives and well-being for all at all ages”
• Many healthcare providers and researchers from high-income countries partner with lower-resource settings
• Global health priorities, with increasing funding priorities has led to increased international research collaboration.
• The prevalence of funding in the U.S. for international projects has resulted in many graduate-level students conducting their studies among low-resource
• Little work has been done to assess the practical application of such ideals in the research context of low-resource settings

Objectives

1. To highlight the responsibility of high-resource nurses conducting research in low-resource environments.
2. To describe the role of local collaboration partners in the development and implementation of research in their setting.

Methods

Approach: Cross Sectional Analysis of nursing literature
Lens: American nurse who conducted doctoral studies in sub-Saharan Africa and an African trained nurse researcher, currently working in the U.S.

More than half of published studies did not state the role of their local partners. Data collection/analysis are the major roles reported in the literature. To design more effective local studies, international partners should be involved in more study conception and their roles acknowledged in all publications.