

# Phase Zero: Getting the Research Question Right

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# Session Goals

- Understand how to align a research question with patient and healthcare system priorities to address urgent healthcare issues and generate actionable evidence
- Identify considerations for crafting a research question that will help decision-makers address the pressing healthcare issues of today in complex and evolving systems