

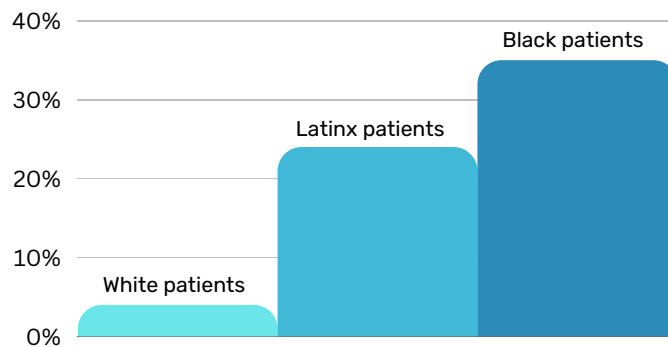
PREM AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH EQUITY

Reproductive health equity means every person has a fair opportunity to access information and care to be as healthy as possible in their reproductive lives.

Birth control is a critical component of reproductive health equity, giving people the opportunity to decide if, when and under what circumstances to be pregnant and parent; protect against STIs; support gender-affirming care; and manage certain health conditions.

How does PREM advance reproductive health equity?

Implicit and explicit bias happens in healthcare settings. A recent survey surveyed individuals who reported "often" or "sometimes" experiencing discrimination in healthcare, including:



Patient feedback is the best way to understand the quality of contraceptive care for your patients. This is especially important for patients identifying as Black, Indigenous, or People of Color (BIPOC) or people with other marginalized identities.

What we know ICAN! patients are saying:

- 9/10 patients would recommend the health center to a friend.
- 87% of Black patients rated their care as excellent.
- 68% of Latino/a/x patients rated their care as "excellent."

"I received all of the help I needed and would come back again. They really do care about people's situations and their well-being. Everything I said was taken seriously. *ICAN! patient, Hispanic or Latino/a/x, age 15-19*

Offering patients the chance to share feedback promotes patient-centered care and advances reproductive health equity.