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Characteristics	Number of Studies Reporting	Citations
Location		
United States <sup>a</sup>	71	32-46, 48-54, 56-58, 61-106
Australia	1	59
Belgium	1	55
Canada <sup>a</sup>	2	47, 97
Hong Kong, China	1	107
United Kingdom	1	60
Urbanicity		
Urban	43	32, 36-38, 42, 44, 45, 47, 49, 50, 53, 56, 60, 65, 66, 68, 70, 74-82, 84, 87-93, 95, 97-99, 101-103, 106, 107
Rural	15	33, 39, 40, 46, 48, 52, 55, 59, 71, 72, 83, 85, 86, 94, 100
Mixed	3	41, 54, 61
Not reported	15	34, 35, 43, 51, 57, 58, 62-64, 67, 69, 73, 96, 104, 105
Cancer Screening Type		
Breast cancer screening with mammography	39	32, 34-39, 42, 43, 47-49, 52-57, 60, 62-64, 71, 75, 76, 78, 80, 83, 85, 87-93, 95, 104, 106
Cervical cancer screening with Pap smear	33	36, 38, 39, 41, 46, 47, 49, 51, 52, 56, 59, 68, 72, 73, 77, 78, 81, 83, 84, 86, 87, 93-100, 103, 104, 106, 107
Colorectal cancer screening Overall	24	33, 36, 39, 40, 44, 45, 49, 50, 53, 58, 61, 62, 65-67, 69, 70, 74, 79, 82, 101, 102, 104, 105
Colonoscopy	6	39, 50, 61, 62, 70, 104
FOBT/FIT	14	39, 40, 44, 45, 49, 58, 61, 62, 66, 70, 101, 102, 104, 105
Sigmoidoscopy	3	61, 62, 104
Colonoscopy or sigmoidoscopy	4	45, 49, 66, 101
Implementation environment		
Clinics	7	33, 50, 53, 57, 65, 70, 90
Community	54	32, 35-38, 40-42, 45-49, 51, 52, 54, 56, 60-64, 66-69, 71-73, 75-80, 82-84, 91-101, 103-107
Community and clinic	15	34, 39, 43, 44, 55, 58, 59, 74, 81, 85-89, 102
Intervention delivery methods		
Face-to-face only	34	32, 34, 35, 38, 40-42, 45, 48, 51, 57, 59-63, 68, 71, 72, 76, 78, 81, 83, 84, 87, 91, 92, 94-96, 98, 103, 105, 106
Remote only	7	37, 53, 55, 64, 65, 70, 102
Combination	35	33, 36, 39, 43, 44, 46, 47, 49, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 66, 67, 69, 73-75, 77, 79, 80, 82, 85, 86, 88-90, 93, 97, 99-101, 104, 107
Strategies addressed		
Increasing demand for services only	49	32-34, 36, 38, 41-46, 48, 51, 52, 54-67, 69, 72, 74, 76, 78, 81-84, 86, 87, 91-96, 99, 101, 102, 105
Increasing access to services only	1	106

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Increasing demand for and access to services	26	35, 37, 39, 40, 47, 49, 50, 53, 68, 70, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 80, 85, 88-90, 97, 98, 100, 103, 104, 107
<b>Intervention Components</b>		
<b>Increasing demand for services</b>		
Group education	40	35, 36, 38, 40, 42, 45, 47-49, 51, 56, 59, 61, 62, 66-69, 71-74, 76-84, 87, 89, 92, 96, 98, 101, 103, 105, 107
One-on-one education	44	32-37, 39, 41, 43, 44, 46, 48-50, 52, 54-58, 60, 63-65, 69, 75, 82, 85-91, 93-95, 97-102, 104
Client reminder	9	39, 44, 47, 53, 66, 70, 88, 89, 100
Small media	6	67, 73, 86, 88, 90, 103
<b>Increasing access to services</b>		
Reduce administrative barriers	13	39, 40, 47, 49, 50, 53, 75, 79, 88, 89, 98, 104, 107
Assist with appointment scheduling	25	35, 37, 39, 47, 49, 50, 68, 70, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 80, 85, 88-90, 97, 98, 100, 103, 104, 106, 107
Provide transportation	9	35, 47, 73, 88-90, 97, 98, 103
Provide translation	4	47, 73, 97, 103
Provide child care	1	39
<b>Number of components</b>		
1 component	39	32-34, 38, 41-43, 45, 46, 51, 52, 54, 55, 57-65, 72, 74, 76, 78, 81, 83, 84, 91-96, 99, 102, 105, 106
2 components	20	36, 37, 40, 44, 48, 53, 56, 66-71, 77, 80, 82, 85-87, 101
3 components	6	50, 75, 79, 100, 104, 107
4+ components	11	35, 39, 47, 49, 73, 88-90, 97, 98, 103

<sup>a</sup>One study evaluated interventions in the US and Canada  
FIT, fecal immunochemical test; FOBT, fecal occult blood test.

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**Appendix Table 2.** Changes in Cancer Screening Use Stratified by Intervention Settings and Characteristics.

<b>Stratification Factor</b>	<b>Citations</b>	<b>Median (IQI)</b>
Location		
United States (91 effect sizes)	32-45, 48, 49, 51-54, 56, 58, 61-66, 68-89, 91-96, 98-106	12.0 percentage points (5.3 to 21.8)
Non-United States (6 effect sizes)	47, 55, 60, 107	13.7 percentage points (1.8 to 28.9)
Urbanicity		
Urban (55 effect sizes)	32, 36-38, 42, 44, 45, 47, 49, 53, 56, 60, 65, 66, 68, 70, 74-82, 84, 87-93, 95, 97-99, 101-103, 106, 107	12.8 percentage points (5.4 to 23.4)
Rural (19 effect sizes)	33, 39, 40, 48, 52, 55, 71, 72, 83, 85, 86, 94, 100	11.0 percentage points (5.7 to 19.4)
Mixed (4 effect sizes)	41, 54, 61	11.9 percentage points (Range: -17.9 to 13.0)
Location environment		
Community (73 effect sizes)	32, 35-38, 40-42, 45, 47-49, 51, 52, 54, 56, 60-64, 66, 68, 69, 71-73, 75-80, 82-84, 91-101, 103-107	11.0 percentage points (4.7 to 21.0)
Clinic (6 effect sizes)	33, 53, 65, 70, 90	21.0 percentage points (5.3 to 30.8)
Community & Clinic (19 effect sizes)	34, 39, 43, 44, 55, 58, 74, 81, 85-89, 102	12.7 percentage points (9.1 to 21.0)
Strategies addressed		
Increasing demand for services only (63 effect sizes)	32-34, 36, 38, 41-45, 48, 51, 52, 54-56, 58, 60-66, 69, 72, 74, 76, 78, 81-84, 86, 87, 91-96, 99, 101, 102, 105	10.5 percentage points (5.0 to 15.0)
Increasing access to services only (2 effect sizes)	106	28.7 percentage points (Range: 12.9 to 44.5)
Increasing demand for and access to services (33 effect sizes)	35, 37, 39, 40, 47, 49, 53, 68, 70, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 80, 85, 88-90, 97, 98, 100, 103, 104, 107	18.2 percentage points (6.4 to 27.5)
Strategies addressed		
Increasing demand for services		
Group education <sup>a</sup> (53 effect sizes)	35, 36, 38, 40, 42, 45, 47-49, 51, 56, 61, 62, 66, 68, 69, 71-74, 76-84, 87, 89, 96, 98, 101, 103, 105, 107	13.0 percentage points (6.4 to 26.0)
One-on-one education <sup>a</sup> (57 effect sizes)	32-34, 36, 37, 39, 41, 43, 44, 48, 49, 52, 54-56, 58, 60, 64, 65, 69, 75, 82, 85-91, 93-95, 97-102, 104	9.2 percentage points (2.4 to 17.6)

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Client reminder <sup>a</sup> (13 effect sizes)	39, 44, 47, 53, 66, 70, 88, 89, 100	18.8 percentage points (11.7 to 23.0)
Small media <sup>a</sup> (5 effect sizes)	73, 86, 88, 90, 103	50.1 percentage points (13.1 to 58.7)
Increasing access to services		
Reduce administrative barriers <sup>a</sup> (20 effect sizes)	39, 40, 47, 49, 53, 75, 79, 88, 89, 98, 104, 107	18.5 percentage points (3.4 to 25.0)
Assist with appointment scheduling <sup>a</sup> (32 effect sizes)	35, 37, 39, 47, 49, 68, 70, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 80, 85, 88-90, 97, 98, 100, 103, 104, 106, 107	17.0 percentage points (6.1 to 29.4)
Provide transportation <sup>a</sup> (10 effect sizes)	35, 47, 73, 88-90, 97, 98, 103	26.8 percentage points (17.9 to 58.6)
Provide translation <sup>a</sup> (5 effect sizes)	47, 73, 97, 103	30.2 percentage points (20.8 to 58.7)
Provide child care <sup>a</sup> (3 effect sizes)	39	22.6 percentage points (Range: 16.2 to 25.2)
Number of components		
1 component (50 effect sizes)	32-34, 38, 41-43, 45, 51, 52, 54, 55, 58, 60-65, 72, 74, 76, 78, 81, 83, 84, 91-96, 99, 102, 105, 106	10.6 percentage points (5.2 to 15.0)
2 components (25 effect sizes)	36, 37, 40, 44, 48, 53, 56, 66, 68-71, 77, 80, 82, 85-87, 101	12.1 percentage points (5.7 to 19.9)
3 components (8 effect sizes)	75, 79, 100, 104, 107	11.9 percentage points (0.3 to 43.3)
4+ components (15 effect sizes)	35, 39, 47, 49, 73, 88-90, 97, 98, 103	22.6 percentage points (16.2 to 30.2)
Intervention delivery methods		
Face-to-face only (44 effect sizes)	34, 35, 38, 40-42, 45, 48, 51, 60-63, 68, 71, 72, 76, 78, 81, 83, 84, 87, 91, 92, 94-96, 98, 103, 105, 106	11.0 percentage points (5.9 to 17.6)
Remote only (9 effect sizes)	37, 53, 55, 64, 65, 70, 102	9.2 percentage points (7.4 to 22.9)
Combination (45 effect sizes)	33, 36, 39, 43, 44, 47, 49, 52, 54, 56, 58, 66, 69, 73-75, 77, 79, 80, 82, 85, 86, 88-90, 93, 97, 99-101, 104, 107	12.7 percentage points (3.5 to 23.6)
Intervention intensity:		
One-time contact with participants (19 effect sizes)	34, 35, 41, 47, 58, 60, 63, 71, 72, 74, 88, 96, 97, 99, 105, 106	12.8 percentage points (10.7 to 30.2)
Two contacts with participants (31 effect sizes)	32, 33, 40, 43-45, 51, 52, 55, 61, 64, 65, 68, 79, 80, 83, 84, 93, 94, 98, 100, 103, 104	11.0 percentage points (4.9 to 19.4)
More than two contacts with participants (36 effect sizes)	36, 38, 42, 49, 53, 54, 56, 62, 66, 69, 70, 75-78, 82, 85, 86, 89-91, 95, 101, 107	10.2 percentage points (4.0 to 21.3)
Duration of interventions with multiple sessions		

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<6 months (28 effect sizes)	33, 35, 42, 45, 52, 61, 64-66, 68, 76-80, 82, 84, 90, 95, 97, 99-101, 107	13.0 percentage points (7.4 to 23.0)
Between 6 and 12 months (9 effect sizes)	36, 37, 51, 56, 58, 85, 86	15.2 percentage points (4.0 to 45.7)
≥12 months (14 effect sizes)	34, 38, 49, 54, 81, 83, 87-89	16.1 percentage points (9.0 to 21.3)
<b>Length of follow-up<sup>b</sup></b>		
<6 months (35 effect sizes)	33, 34, 36, 37, 40, 42, 49, 56, 66, 68, 72, 77-82, 85-87, 90, 92, 94, 99, 101, 105, 107	12.1 percentage points (6.4 to 27.0)
≥6 months (45 effect sizes)	32, 35, 41, 43-45, 47, 48, 51-54, 58, 61-65, 69-71, 73-76, 84, 93, 95-98, 100, 102, 103	10.7 percentage points (5.3 to 19.1)

<sup>a</sup>Some studies had multiple components. <sup>b</sup>End of intervention to last follow-up.  
 IQI, interquartile interval.

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Stratification Factor	Citations	Median (IQI)
Core roles performed <sup>111</sup>		
Cultural mediation among individuals, communities, and health and social service systems (81 effect sizes)	32-41, 43-45, 47-49, 52, 56, 58, 61-64, 66, 68, 69, 71-80, 82, 83, 85-91, 93-104, 107	11.9 percentage points (5.4 to 20.2)
Providing culturally appropriate education and information (92 effect sizes)	32-45, 47-49, 51, 52, 55, 56, 58, 60-66, 68, 69, 71-105, 107	11.8 percentage points (5.3 to 21.8)
Care coordination, case management, and system navigation (51 effect sizes)	34-37, 39, 47, 49, 51-54, 58, 65, 66, 68, 70, 71, 73-77, 80, 85, 88-90, 93, 95, 97-100, 103, 104, 106, 107	12.8 percentage points (4.9 to 23.8)
Providing coaching and social support (80 effect sizes)	32-41, 43, 44, 47-49, 52, 54, 56, 61-66, 68-72, 75-80, 82, 83, 85-95, 97, 98, 100, 102-105, 107	11.0 percentage points (5.0 to 20.6)
Advocating for individuals and communities (1 effect sizes)	80	15.8 percentage points
Building individual and community capacity (89 effect sizes)	32-45, 47-49, 51, 52, 54-56, 58, 61-66, 68-80, 82-92, 94-103, 105-107	12.3 percentage points (5.7 to 22.6)
Providing direct services (0 effect sizes)		Not applicable
Implementing individual and community assessments (3 effect sizes)	104	0.3 percentage points (Range: 0.0 to 0.5)
Conducting outreach (54 effect sizes)	32-35, 39, 41-45, 47-49, 52, 54, 56, 60, 66, 71, 72, 77-82, 85, 86, 89, 91, 93-95, 97, 98, 100, 101, 104, 106	11.0 percentage points (5.0 to 18.5)
Participating in evaluation and research (3 effect sizes)	104	0.3 percentage points (Range: 0.0 to 0.5)
Number of core roles performed		
1 (2 effect sizes)	53, 55	21.5 percentage points (Range: 18.8 to 13.3)
2 (5 effect sizes)	60, 81, 84	9.2 percentage points (0.8 to 15.0)
3 (9 effect sizes)	42, 51, 70, 92, 96, 105, 106	16.5 percentage points (6.1 to 40.8)
4 (25 effect sizes)	38, 40, 45, 54, 58, 61-65, 69, 73, 74, 83, 87, 99, 101, 102	13.0 percentage points (8.0 to 21.8)
5 (31 effect sizes)	32, 33, 36, 37, 41, 43, 44, 48, 56, 68, 72, 75, 76, 78, 79, 82, 86, 88, 90, 91, 93, 94, 103, 107	10.7 percentage points (5.7 to 17.1)
6 (22 effect sizes)	34, 35, 39, 47, 49, 52, 66, 71, 77, 85, 89, 95, 97, 98, 100	15.7 percentage points (5.0 to 22.8)

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7 (4 effect sizes)	80, 104	0.4 percentage points (Range: 0.0 to 15.8)
Level of involvement in intervention delivery Implemented everything (52 effect sizes)	33, 35, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 52, 54, 61, 62, 66, 70-73, 75, 76, 78, 79, 82-86, 88, 89, 91, 95, 96, 99-101, 103, 104, 107	10.6 percentage points (5.1 to 17.9)
Implemented majority of components (34 effect sizes)	32, 34, 36-38, 40, 43, 48, 53, 55, 56, 60, 63, 65, 68, 69, 74, 77, 80, 90, 92-94, 97, 98, 102	11.0 percentage points (4.4 to 23.4)
Implemented minority of components (12 effect sizes)	42, 44, 51, 58, 64, 81, 87, 105, 106	19.5 percentage points (11.8 to 36.6)
Formal training provided Yes (86 effect sizes)	32-36, 38, 39, 41, 43-45, 47-49, 52-56, 58, 60-66, 68-73, 75-80, 82, 83, 85, 86, 88-96, 98-105, 107	11.0 percentage points (5.0 to 18.4)
Not reported (12 effect sizes)	37, 40, 42, 51, 74, 81, 84, 87, 97, 106	24.5 percentage points (13.4 to 42.2)
Supervision of CHW performance Yes (42 effect sizes)	33, 35, 36, 38, 39, 47, 52, 53, 55, 63, 65, 69, 71, 75, 76, 78, 79, 82-91, 94, 95, 102	13.6 percentage points (6.2 to 21.3)
Not reported (56 effect sizes)	32, 34, 37, 40-45, 48, 49, 51, 54, 56, 58, 60-62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72-74, 77, 79-81, 92, 93, 96-101, 103-107	11.3 percentage points (4.9 to 25.9)
CHWs matched to the community Yes (94 effect sizes)	33-45, 47-49, 51-56, 58, 60-66, 68, 69, 71-86, 88-107	12.0 percentage points (5.3 to 22.5)
Not reported (4 effect sizes)	32, 70, 87	12.6 percentage points (Range: 0.8 to 21.0)
Reimbursement for CHWs Yes (28 effect sizes)	35, 36, 38, 45, 49, 54, 62, 64, 66, 68, 77, 79, 80, 82, 85, 90, 91, 101, 105	11.6 percentage points (4.0 to 21.4)
Not reported (70 effect sizes)	32-34, 37, 39-44, 47, 48, 51-53, 55, 56, 58, 60, 61, 63, 65, 69-76, 78, 81, 83, 84, 86-89, 92-100, 102-104, 106, 107	12.1 percentage points (5.7 to 22.2)

CHW, community health worker; IQI, interquartile interval.



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**Appendix Table 4.** Changes in Cancer Screening Use Stratified by Study Participant Characteristics.

Stratification Factor	Citations	Median (IQI)
Race and ethnicity, U.S. only (62 studies) Recruited age and gender appropriate study participants without race or ethnicity requirement (6 effect sizes) ≥50% minority population (16 effect sizes) 100% American Indian Alaskan Native (1 effect size) 100% Asian American (23 effect sizes) 100% Black or African American (25 effect sizes) 100% Hawaii/Pacific Islander (3 effect sizes)  100% Hispanic or Latino (33 effect sizes)	34, 53, 64, 86, 94, 105  34, 37, 39, 40, 65, 85, 87, 102, 105 58  38, 45, 51, 56, 66, 68, 73, 74, 77, 79-82, 97-99, 103 32, 42, 48, 54, 61, 69, 75, 90, 91, 95  35, 76, 96  36, 41, 43, 44, 49, 52, 72, 78, 83, 84, 92, 100, 106	14.0 percentage points (4.8 to 22.9)  15.7 percentage points (7.7 to 23.1) 12.5 percentage points  12.1 percentage points (6.1 to 45.3)  7.8 percentage points (2.2 to 14.0) 16.5 percentage points (Range: 8.9 to 72.3) 8.6 percentage points (1.4 to 14.0)
Income ≥50% with annual household income less than \$40,000 (55 effect sizes) Focused on low-income communities (8 effect sizes)	36-38, 42, 43, 48, 49, 52, 53, 61, 72, 75, 76, 78, 79, 82, 94, 95, 101, 102, 105 47, 65, 83, 87, 90, 106	9.1 percentage points (5.0 to 18.8)  19.6 percentage points (14.1 to 23.4)
Employment status ≥50% employed (35 effect sizes) <50% employed (28 effect sizes)	36, 49, 51, 54, 56, 61, 63, 72, 73, 81, 84, 86, 95 38, 42, 43, 66, 68, 76-80, 82, 83, 87, 90, 94, 101, 102	9.8 percentage points (0.3 to 27.0) 11.6 percentage points (7.8 to 18.0)
Education ≥50% with less than high school education (25 effect sizes) ≥50% with high school education or more (39 effect sizes)	36-39, 42, 43, 48, 73, 75, 76, 79, 83-85, 87, 94, 95, 100, 102, 103, 105 51, 61, 63, 66, 69, 86, 91	11.0 percentage points (5.7 to 17.4)  7.8 percentage points (0.9 to 25.2)
Insurance status 100% insured (12 effect sizes) ≥50% insured (45 effect sizes)  <50% insured (25 effect sizes)	34, 39, 47, 55, 60, 88, 92 32, 33, 36-38, 40, 42, 45, 48, 52-54, 66, 70, 71, 74-76, 79-83, 85, 86, 90, 94, 96, 101, 103 43, 49, 51, 56, 65, 72, 78, 84, 89, 100, 106	13.6 percentage points (3.7 to 21.5) 9.1 percentage points (5.3 to 17.3)  12.7 percentage points (2.0 to 35.1)

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Established source of care		
100% with established source of care (21 effect sizes)	34, 43, 44, 47, 53, 60, 64, 65, 70, 85, 86, 88, 89, 100, 102	12.7 percentage points (7.9 to 20.8)
≥50% with established source of care (30 effect sizes)	38, 51, 66, 71, 78, 79, 81-83, 87, 90, 101, 106	11.9 percentage points (6.1 to 25.8)
<50% with established source of care (8 effect sizes)	56, 72, 95	11.7 percentage points (6.7 to 45.3)
Baseline screening rate		
0% (37 effect sizes)	33, 34, 37, 41, 43, 44, 47, 51-53, 55, 56, 58, 60, 64, 65, 72-74, 76, 79, 85, 86, 90, 93, 94, 96, 100, 103, 107	12.7 percentage points (7.2 to 30.8)
<50% (48 effect sizes)	35, 38, 39, 48, 49, 61, 66, 70, 77, 78, 83, 87, 89, 91, 95, 97-99, 101, 102, 106	9.6 percentage points (6.2 to 19.9)
≥50% (30 effect sizes)	32, 36, 38, 42, 49, 54, 68, 69, 71, 75, 80-83, 87, 88, 95	5.8 percentage points (0.7 to 12.8)

IQI, interquartile interval.