

# Psychological Impact of Racism:

## How Students of Color Maintain Wellness



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Kevin Cokely, PhD holds joint appointments at the University of Texas at Austin as a Professor in the College of Education and the College of Liberal Arts. Dr. Cokley's research can be broadly categorized in the area of African American psychology, with a focus on racial and ethnic identity development, academic motivation and academic achievement. His research and scholarship challenges the notion that African American students are anti-intellectual, and critically re-examines the impact of racial and ethnic identity and gender on academic achievement. He is the Editor-in-Chief of the *Journal of Black Psychology* and also the Director of the Institute for Urban Policy Research & Analysis. Dr. Cokely is a graduate member of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity.

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