Dr. Eddy Helen Berry, emeritus professor of Sociology, has been declared winner of the National Excellence in Multistate Research Award for her experiment station, W4001. The National Excellence in Multistate Research Award recognizes experiment station scientists who are conducting exemplary research and outreach efforts across multiple states.

W4001 also won 2020 Western Region Award, making it the best in the West, and in the entire nation. This award reflects the impacts of not only the current 5-year W4001 project but also the critical scientific groundwork, substantial human capital, and incomparable support provided by its predecessor committees.