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2. **Thomas KC**, Annis IE, Christian RB, deJong NA, Hughes P, Davis SA, Risk of adverse drug events among high need children: The role of psychotropic polypharmacy and neighborhood context, A presentation at the Fifteenth Workshop on Costs and Assessment in Psychiatry: Mental Health Services, Economics and Policy Research, March 26, 2022, Venice.
3. Hughes P, Annis I, Citron S, Parker C, Putnam A, **Thomas KC**. An Evaluation of the 'Reconnect for Resilience' Training Among School Personnel. A presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth 2022. Declined due to COVID-19.
4. Huang YH, **Thomas KC**, Carpenter DM. Evaluation of quality of provider networks associated with mental health care in large group and marketplace insurance. A presentation at the American College of Clinical Pharmacy annual meeting, October 20, 2021.
5. **Thomas KC**, Annis IE, Christian RB, Davis SA, Hughes P, deJong NA and Parent Advisors. Psychoactive Polypharmacy in High Need Children: The Role of Clinical and Neighborhood Characteristics. A presentation at the International Health Economics Association Congress, July 12, 2021.
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7. Leach K, Carpenter D, **Thomas KC**, Fromewick J, Baur A, Driscoll K. Capacity-building: How a multidisciplinary team empowered school nurses to conduct research. A presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, October 24-28, 2020.
8. **Thomas KC**, Annis IE, Kurth NK, Hall JP. Burden of nonquantitative treatment limits for people with mental health conditions compared to other disabilities in a national cross-sectional study. A presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, October 24-28, 2020. Declined due to COVID.
9. **Thomas KC**, Annis IE, Citron S. Teaching resilience skills in North Carolina schools. A presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, October 24-28, 2020. Declined due to COVID.
10. **Thomas KC**, Annis IE, Williams CS, Perez Jolles M, Sleath BL, Guzman L, Williams CE, Morrissey JP, Stein GL. Improvement in self-reported pediatric PROMIS scores in Latino children with mental health needs. A presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, October 24-28, 2020. Declined due to COVID.

11. Schweiger J, Carpenter D, **Thomas KC**, Garcia N, Sleath BL, Lee C. Development of Pre-Visit Videos to Encourage Family Communication about Medications During Adolescent ADHD Visits. A presentation at the annual meeting of the American College of Clinical Pharmacy, October 19-30, 2020. Canceled due to COVID.
12. Myers MJ, Annis IE, Withers J, Williamson L, **Thomas KC**. Communication preferences among ASL users, satisfaction and unmet need in a cross-sectional study. A presentation at the annual meeting of the International Conference on Communication in Healthcare, September 9-11, 2020.
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14. **Thomas KC**, Annis I, Williams CS, Perez Jolles M, Sleath BL, Guzman L, Williams CE, Morrissey JP, Stein GL. Improvement in Child Self-Reported Pediatric Promis Scores on Anger and Depression in a Latino Sample. A presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, July 28, 2020. Declined due to COVID.
15. Myers MJ, Annis IE, Withers J, Williamson L, **Thomas KC**. Preferences Regarding Mode of Communication Among ASL Users, Satisfaction and Unmet Need in a Cross-Sectional Study. A presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, July 28, 2020. Declined due to COVID.
16. **Thomas KC**, Annis IE, Kurth NK, Hall JP. The Burden of Nonquantitative Treatment Limits for People with Mental Health Conditions Compared to Other Disabilities in a National Cross-Sectional Study. A presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, July 28, 2020. Declined due to COVID.
17. **Thomas KC**, Childers TB, Wallace DD, Perez Jolles M, Sleath BL, Blanco Duran D. Discussions about Psychotropic Medication Use for Latino Children with Mental Health Needs: Examining Parent-Provider Communication. A presentation at the annual meeting of the American Pharmacists Association, March 20-23, 2020. Canceled due to COVID.
18. Citron S, Annis IE, **Thomas KC**. Teaching resilience skills in North Carolina schools: A partnership to share lessons learned, a presentation at the Connect, Engage, Transform: Rural Community Partnerships meeting, UNC, January 24, 2020.
19. Wu B, Annis IE, Kurth N, Hall J, **Thomas KC**. Inadequate provider networks, unmet healthcare needs and employment among people with disabilities: A national observational study. A presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, November 3-6, 2019.

20. Annis IE, Pearson B, Jordan R, **Thomas KC**. Factors Associated with Diagnosis of Opioid Use Disorder in Patients Treated at Emergency Departments in a Large Case-Control Study. A presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, November 3-6, 2019.
21. **KC Thomas**, IE Annis, J Dykstra Steinbrenner, N Kahn. State Marketplace Insurance Plan Features and Family- and Plan-Paid Expenditures for Children with Mental Health Conditions in the USA, a presentation at the meeting of the International Health Economics Association meeting, July 15, 2019.
22. AR Ellis, K Howard, **KC Thomas**, EW de Bekker-Grob, M Ryan, E Lancsar, JM Rose. Examination of the number of Halton draws required for valid estimation of random parameters in mixed-logit models of data from discrete choice experiments, a presentation at the meeting of the International Health Economics Association meeting, July 15, 2019.
23. AR Ellis, K Howard, **KC Thomas**, EW de Bekker-Grob, M Ryan, E Lancsar, JM Rose. Examination of the number of Halton draws required for valid estimation of random parameters in mixed-logit models of data from discrete choice experiments, a presentation at the meeting of the International Association of Health Preference Research, July 14, 2019.
24. **Thomas KC**, Ellis AR, Annis IE, Adams LB, Lightfoot T, Perryman T, Wheeley M, Sikich L, Morrissey JP. Parent Activation and Child Mental Health Service Use in African American Families in a Large Observational Study, a presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, June 1, 2019.
25. Wu B, Annis IE, Kurth N, Hall JP, **Thomas KC**. Inadequate Provider Networks and Unmet Need for Health Services and Employment among People with Disabilities: A National Observational Study, a presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, June 1, 2019.
26. **Thomas KC**, Shartzer A, Kurth NK, McDermott K, Kemp M, Hall JP. State Insurance Policy, Employment Outcomes, and Implications for People with Mental Health Conditions, a presentation at the Fourteenth Workshop on Costs and Assessment in Psychiatry: The Value of Mental Health Services, March 29-31, 2019.
27. Soltis-Jarrett V, Annis A, Sharpe L, Gallagher S, **Thomas KC**. Nurse practitioner-led interprofessional healthcare: Model and early impacts, a presentation at the annual meeting of the National Academies of Practice, February 15, 2019.
28. **Thomas KC**, Annis I, Dykstra Steinbrenner J, Kahn N. State Marketplace Insurance Plan Features and Family- and Plan-Paid Expenditures for Children with Mental Health Conditions in the USA, a presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, November 12, 2018.

29. **Thomas KC**, Annis I, Dykstra Steinbrenner J, Kahn N. State Marketplace Insurance Plan Features and Family- and Plan-Paid Expenditures for Children with Mental Health Conditions in the USA, a presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, June 23, 2018.
30. Hall JP, Shartzter A, Kurth NK, McDermott K, Kemp M, **Thomas KC**. State Benchmarking, Employment Outcomes, and Implications for People with Disabilities, a presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, June 23, 2018.
31. **Thomas KC**, Shartzter A, Kurth NK, McDermott K, Kemp M, Hall JP, State Benchmarking, Employment Outcomes, and Implications for People with Mental Health Conditions, a presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, June 23, 2018.
32. Hall JP, Shartzter A, Kurth NK, McDermott K, Kemp M, **Thomas KC**. Best of Interest Group Session: State Benchmarking, Employment Outcomes, and Implications for People with Disabilities, a presentation at the annual meeting of AcademyHealth, June 24, 2018.
33. **Thomas KC**, Pérez Jolles M. Case study of a PCORI-funded stakeholder-engaged randomized controlled trial. Presented at the 31st Annual Research & Policy Conference on Child, Adolescent, and Young Adult Behavioral Health, March 4-7, 2018, Tampa.
34. **Thomas KC**, Shartzter A, Kurth NK, McDermott KJ, Kemp M, Hall JP. State benchmarking, healthcare outcomes, and implications for people with mental health conditions. Presented at the 145th annual meeting of the American Public Health Association November 4-8, 2017, Atlanta.
35. Hall JP, Shartzter A, Kurth NK, McDermott KJ, Kemp M, **Thomas KC**. State benchmarking, healthcare outcomes, and implications for people with disabilities. Presented at the 145th annual meeting of the American Public Health Association November 4-8, 2017, Atlanta.
36. **Thomas KC**, Stein G, Williams CS, Pérez Jolles M, Sleath B, Martinez M, García SJ, Guzman L, Williams CE, Morrissey J. Does parent activation promote child mental health outcomes? Evidence from Latina/o parents and their children in a psychiatric clinic setting. Presented at the Third Meeting on Patient Reported Outcomes and Person Centered Care in Mental Health, September 23-25, 2016.
37. **Thomas KC**, Williams CS, Pérez Jolles M, Sleath B, Martinez M, García SJ, Guzman L, Williams C, Morrissey J, Heaney N, Stein G. Comparative effectiveness of an activation intervention for Latino parents raising children with mental health needs. Presented at the 2016 Annual Research Meeting of AcademyHealth, June 26-28, 2016, Boston.
38. **Thomas KC**, Stein G, Jolles M, Martinez M, Garcia J, Guzman L, Williams C, Sleath B, Morrissey JP. Comparative effectiveness of an activation intervention for Latino parents

raising children with mental health needs. presented at the 143rd annual meeting of the American Public Health Association November 1-4, 2015, Chicago.

39. **Thomas KC**, Howard K, Ellis AR, Sathe NA, Jonas D, Morrissey JP, McPheeters M, Williams C, Wines RC, Carey T. Stakeholder priorities for future research in the treatment of childhood autism: Findings from a PCORI pilot project. Presented at the 2015 Annual Research Meeting of AcademyHealth, June 13-16, 2015, Minneapolis.
40. **Thomas KC**, Howard K, Ellis AR, Sathe NA, Jonas D, Morrissey JP, McPheeters M, Williams C, Wines RC, Carey T. Stakeholder priorities for future research in the treatment of childhood autism: Findings from a PCORI pilot project. Presented at the 14th Annual International Conference on Health Economics, Management & Policy, 22-25 June 2015, Athens, Greece.
41. **Thomas KC**, Stein G, Jolles M, Sleath B, Martinez M, Montalvo-Sayers S, Prandoni J, Hoet A, Guzman L, Williams C, Morrissey JP. Triangulating measurements to test the comparative effectiveness of an intervention for Latino parents, presented at the 142nd annual meeting of the American Public Health Association November 17-19, 2014, New Orleans.
42. **Thomas KC**, Williams CS, deJong N, Morrissey JP. Adequate health insurance for children with autism: Parent-reported outcomes and implications for insurance choice, a presentation at the 2nd Meeting on Patient Reported Outcomes and Person Centered Care in Mental Health, September 26-28, 2014
43. **Thomas KC**, Jonas D, Morrissey JP, Carey T, Ellis AR, McPheeters M, Howard K, Wines RC. Determining stakeholder priorities for future research in the treatment of childhood autism: Early findings from a PCORI pilot project, presented at the 141st annual meeting of the American Public Health Association November 4-6, 2013, Boston.
44. **Thomas KC**, Parish SL, Williams CS, Healthcare expenditures for autism during times of school transition: Some vulnerable families fall behind, presented at the 140th annual meeting of the American Public Health Association October 28-31, 2012, San Francisco.
45. **Thomas KC**, Hall JP. The Medicaid Medically Improved Group: A small group of recent Social Security disability beneficiaries with growing earnings, presented at the 140th annual meeting of the American Public Health Association October 28-31, 2012, San Francisco.
46. DiGuseppi C, Daniels J, Fallin D, Rosenberg, S Schieve L, **Thomas KC**, Windham G, Bernal P, Croen L, Lee L, Miller L, Pinto-Martin J, Schendel D. (2012) Demographic profile of families and children enrolled in the Study to Explore Early Development (SEED): A case-control study of autism spectrum disorder, a presentation at the annual International Meeting for Autism Research, Toronto.

47. **Thomas KC**, Ellis A, Sikich L, Morrissey J, Smith J, Lightfoot T, Dzirasa E Parent skills that facilitate child mental health service use. A presentation at the conference, From Disparities Research to Disparities Interventions: Lessons Learned and Opportunities for the Future of Behavioral Health, April 5-8 2011, Arlington, VA.
48. Smith J, Lightfoot T, Dzira E, Sikich L, Puglia M, Alderman C, Ellis AR, **Thomas KC**, Morrissey JP. Pilot Intervention to Increase African American Parents' Abilities to Advocate for their Children with Developmental and Emotional Challenges, a presentation at the conference From Disparities Research to Disparities Interventions: Lessons Learned and Opportunities for the Future of Behavioral Health Services, April 5-8, 2011, Arlington, VA.
49. **Thomas KC**, Ellis A, Konrad TR, Morrissey J. Mental health workforce and needs assessment: A history and rationale, presented at the 135th annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, November, 2007.
50. **Thomas KC**, McConville R, Perryman T, Ellis A, McLaurin C, Morrissey J (2007) Mandates for Insurance Coverage of Autism in the U.S., Presented at the International Meeting for Autism Research May 5.
51. Snowden L, **Thomas KC**, Libby A, Utilization and Expenditures on Private Mental Health Services by Minorities, presentation, National Institute for Mental Health, 1997.
52. **Thomas KC**, Hu T, Merrill A, The Pros and Cons of Insuring Prescription Drugs for the Elderly through Retiree and Medigap Plans, presentation, National Bureau of Economic Research, 1995.
53. **Thomas KC**, Are Poor Families Risk Averse? A Theoretical and Empirical Investigation of the Demand for Health Insurance, presentation, annual meeting of the American Economic Association, 1993.
54. **Thomas KC**, Kemper P, The Structure of a Home Care Benefit Package: An Illustration of Trade Offs between Disability and Case Managed Service Payments, presentation, Annual Private Long Term Care Insurance Conference, 1992.

Invited Presentations:

1. **Thomas KC**. Taking account of children with special health care needs in public health research, a presentation at the University of Kansas Center for Public Partnerships and Research, April 6, 2022, Lawrence.
2. **Thomas KC**. Strategies to protect and promote mental health: Beyond psychiatric services, a presentation at the Fifteenth Workshop on Costs and Assessment in Psychiatry: Mental Health Services, Economics and Policy Research, March 27, 2022, Venice.

3. **Thomas KC.** Psychotropic medication use in children and teens: When is it appropriate? A presentation to the Health Disparities Seminar, North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, March 2, 2022.
4. **Thomas KC,** Annis IE, Christian RB, Davis SA, Hughes P, deJong NA. Psychoactive Polypharmacy in High Need Children: The Role of Clinical and Neighborhood Characteristics. A presentation to the Child Health Research Program, Cecil G Sheps Center for Health Services Research, UNC Chapel Hill, April 13, 2021.
5. **Thomas KC.** Using health data to understand and improve children's mental health service use. A presentation to Oregon State University, College of Public Health and Human Sciences, February 21, 2020.
6. **Thomas KC.** The promise of health reform for children and adults with disabilities and next steps. Keynote presentation at Pathways to Innovation, Integrated Care and Sustainability: NC IDD Summit, Raleigh, May 23, 2019.
7. **Thomas KC.** Communication access among people who are deaf or hard of hearing in North Carolina, a presentation at the North Carolina Institute of Medicine, Morrisville, May 3, 2019.
8. **Thomas KC.** It's difficult to manage costs and reduce disparities, a presentation at the Fourteenth Workshop on Costs and Assessment in Psychiatry: The Value of Mental Health Services, Venice, March 29-31, 2019.
9. **Thomas KC,** Annis I, Dykstra Steinbrenner J, Kahn N. State Marketplace Insurance Plan Features and Family- and Plan-Paid Expenditures for Children with Mental Health Conditions in the USA, a presentation at the MAHEC Research Forum, Asheville, October 12, 2018.
10. **Thomas KC,** Annis I, Dykstra Steinbrenner J, Kahn N. State Marketplace Insurance Plan Features and Family- and Plan-Paid Expenditures for Children with Mental Health Conditions in the USA, a presentation at the UNC Sheps Center Program on Child and Adolescent Health, May 8, 2018.
11. **Thomas KC.** Autism services research: Disparities, health insurance, parent insights. UNC Autism Research Center, January 29, 2018
12. **Thomas KC.** Engaging autism communities in research. Presented at ASSET: Autistic Adults and other Stakeholders Engage Together, Milwaukee, July 11, 2017.
13. **Thomas KC,** Shartz A, Kurth NK, McDermott KJ, Kemp M, Hall JP. Impact of ACA health reforms for people with mental health conditions and disabilities. Presented to the

National Association of County Behavioral Health & Developmental Disability Directors, June 2, 2017.

14. **Thomas KC** & García SJ. Stakeholder engagement in a PCORI intervention trial. Presented at Community Academic Resources for Engaged Scholarship (CARES) of The North Carolina Translational and Clinical Sciences (NC TraCS) Institute at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, February 15, 2017.
15. **Thomas KC**, Stein G, Jolles M, Williams CS, Sleath B, Martinez M, Montalvo-Sayers S, Prandoni J, Kulish A, Hoet A, Guzman L, Williams C, Morrissey JP. Padres efectivos (parent activation): Skills Latina mothers use to get healthcare for their children. Presented to the UNC Sheps Program on Child & Adolescent Health Services, May 19, 2015.
16. **Thomas KC**, Programs in Partnership for Working Adults with Disabilities: Outreach supported by the North Carolina Medicaid Infrastructure Grant, a presentation for the NC Council of Community Programs, Business Realities and Clinical Values: Finding a Balance, Pinehurst, December 10, 2007.
17. **Thomas KC**, Morrissey JP, McLaurin C, Schools, Autism and Research: How Do We Go About Studying Transitions to Adulthood? presented at the annual TEACCH Winter In-Service, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, February, 2005.

Invited Commentary:

1. **Thomas KC**. Maybe we should try a market solution to ensure that people get the mental health services they need? APHA Public Health Newswire, April 2, 2018, <http://www.publichealthnewswire.org/?p=19969>

Teaching Activities:

Courses Taught:

2021	PHCY718 Patient Care Experience (small group facilitator) UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy
2020	DPOP806 Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy Division of Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy
2019	DPOP901 Exploring Activation in Parents of Children with Developmental Disabilities and Related Outcomes Division of Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy

2007-present	UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy AHRQ National Research Service Award in Health Services Research Seminar (co-teach) Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2000	Health Economics Executive Master's Program School of Public Health University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
1994	Practical Data Analysis for Health Policy Division of Health Policy and Management School of Public Health University of California Berkeley
1993	Statistics and Data Analysis Division of Health Policy and Management School of Public Health University of California Berkeley
1993	Advanced Data Analysis School of Urban and Public Affairs University of Texas at Arlington
1993	Health Policy School of Urban and Public Affairs University of Texas at Arlington
1992	Evaluation Research School of Urban and Public Affairs University of Texas at Arlington
1992	Welfare Policy School of Urban and Public Affairs University of Texas at Arlington
1991	Microeconomics Health Policy and Administration University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Guest Lecturer:

2019-2021	DPOP803 Social and behavioral aspects of pharmaceutical use UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy
2019-2021	PHCY726 Research and Scholarship in Pharmacy UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy
2018-2021	DPOP872 Proposal writing Division of Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy
2019	Critical literature evaluation in pharmacy UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy
2019	PHCY846 Perspectives in Mental Health

2019	UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy DPOP870 Pharmaceutical Outcomes Research Division of Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy
2019	UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy DPOP899 Seminar in Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy Division of Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy
2018	UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy PHRS801 Ethics & Foundations in Pharmaceutical Sciences Pharmaceutical Sciences
2018	UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy PHCY504 Evidence-Based Practice Division of Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy
2018	UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy Lineberger Cancer Outcomes Research Program Lineberger Cancer Center
2017	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Advanced Research Seminar in Health Policy and Management Health Policy and Administration
2015-2016	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Health Services/Health Policy Research Methods II Health Policy and Administration University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Research Mentorship:

Undergraduate and Pre-graduate Level Mentoring

2018- 2021	Caterina Brunelli
2019- 2020	Chasity Barber
2019- 2020	Mikaela Hickey
2017-2018	Noel Heaney

DPOP Student Advisor

2020-present	Phillip Hughes
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PHCY726 Research and Scholarship in Pharmacy

2020-present	Patricia Huang
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Dissertation or Thesis Committee Member

2022-present	Dissertation, Epidemiology, Gillings Public Health	Theo Beltran
2021-present	Dissertation, Pharmaceutical Outcomes & Policy	Swetha Srinivasan, MS
2017-2021	Dissertation, Allied Health	Ranita Anderson, PhD
2012-2018	Dissertation, Health Policy and Management	Liz Wood, PhD
2012-2014	Dissertation, Health Policy and Management	Mona Kilany, PhD
2011-2013	Honors Thesis, Health Policy and Management	Drew Breithaupt, MD

2010 Dissertation, Health Policy and Management Julie Seibert, PhD
2008-2009 Honors Thesis, Public Policy Tatiana Hodapp, MBA

DPOP Post-doctoral Training

2018-2020 Benjamin Wu, PharmD

NRSA UNC Pre- and Post-doctoral Training Program in Health Services Research

2021-present Caroline Efir
2020-present Maya Wright
2019-2021 Ida Griesemer, PhD
2018-2019 Kathryn Hale, PhD, MA
2017-2019 Tainayah Thomas, MPH
2017-2019 Deshira Wallace, MSPH
2016-2018 Leslie Adams, MPH
2015-2016 Maria Martinez, PhD
2013-2016 Monica Pérez Jolles, PhD, MA (pre- and post-doctoral fellow)
2012-2014 Sandra Sulzer, PhD, MS
2010-2012 Latarsha Chisholm, PhD, MSW

NIMH Post-doctoral Training Program in Mental Health Services Research

2017-2018 Kathryn Hale, PhD, MA
2017-2018 Trenita Childers, PhD
2015-2017 San Juanita Garcia, PhD, MS

RWJF - Health Equity Scholars for Action

2021-present Khalilah Robinson Johnson, PhD, MS, OTR/L

K Award Development

2022-present Josie Caves, PhD
2021-present Khalilah Robinson Johnson, PhD, MS, OTR/L
2020-present Scott A Davis, PhD
2018-2021 Diana Cejas, MD

Grant and Contract Research Support (Total Direct Cost):

Principal Investigator:

2022 **Expanding western North Carolina access to consultation for the treatment of depression and other serious mental illness in primary care,** Dogwood Health Trust, Duration: 01/01/22-12/31/22, Amount: \$247,000

2022-2025 **Improving the health of parents and their adolescent and transition-age youth with IDD,** Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), Duration: 03/01/22-05/31/25, Amount: \$4,249,957

- 2022 **Linking parent priorities, baseline data and partnerships for action: Supporting child mental health in the Robeson Lumbee community**, Kenan Trust and the UNC Health Foundation for Whole Community Connection, Duration: 01/01/22-12/31/22, Amount: \$45,000
- 2020-2021 **Stakeholder advisory committee**, National Institutes of Health Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) program at UNC Chapel Hill (NCTraCS) Duration: 2/1/20-1/31/21, Amount: \$2,000
- 2017-2020 **Communication access in healthcare settings for deaf ASL-speaking North Carolinians**, North Carolina Division of Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (NCSDSHH), Duration: 12/1/17-11/30/20, Amount: \$20,000
- 2016-2019 **Padres efectivos y terapeutas entregados: Increasing activation and engagement in Latino parent-provider interactions**, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), Duration: 9/30/2016- 03/31/2019, Amount: \$199,073
- 2016-2017 **State benchmarking, healthcare outcomes, and implications for people with disabilities**, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF), Duration: 12/01/16-05/31/17, Amount: \$59,511
- 2016-2017 **Peer Review of Padres efectivos (parent activation): Skills Latina mothers use to get healthcare for their children**, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), Duration: 12/01/16-07/31/17, Amount: \$49,755
- 2015 **Future research needs for autism: Disseminating findings from a PCORI pilot project**, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), Duration: 08/15-11/15, Amount: \$50,000
- 2015-2016 **Supplementing Padres Efectivos to Enhance Child-reported Outcome Measurement**, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), Duration: 07/15-07/16, Amount: \$ 132,810
- 2014-2015 **Tough choices: Autism, private health insurance and family out-of-pocket spending**, Maternal & Child Health Bureau/HRSA, Duration: 09/14-08/15, Amount \$65,789
- 2013-2016 **Padres efectivos (parent activation): Skills Latina mothers use to get healthcare for their children**, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), Duration: 08/13-07/16, Amount: \$1,155,657

- 2012-2014 **An Approach to Capture Divergent Stakeholder Views on Future Research Needs**, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), Duration: 10/12-12/14, Amount: \$499,990
- 2011-2012 **Access, Quality and Financial Implications of the Transitions of Children with Autism**, Health Resources and Services Administration, Duration: 09/11-10/12, Amount: \$71,539
- 2010-2011 **Autism Insurance Policy and Access to Care for Children with Autism: A State Level Analysis**, Health Resources and Services Administration, Duration: 02/10-07/11, Amount: \$67,568
- 2004-2012 **Policy Development in North Carolina under the Ticket to Work and Work Incentives Improvement Act**, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Studies via the North Carolina Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services, Duration: 6/04-11/12, Amount: \$1,726,210
- 2004-2005 **Prospective Study of Autism Services**, Centers for Disease Control via the North Carolina Center for Autism and Developmental Disabilities Research Epidemiology, Duration: 5/04-9/05, Amount: \$178,082
- 1990-1991 **Risk Aversion and the Demand for Health Insurance**, Agency for Health Care Policy and Research Dissertation Grant, Duration: 9/90-6/91, Amount: \$13,186

Co-Investigator:

- 2022 **Black Families and The Community Accessing Services Together (BFAST)**, C. Felix Harvey Award to Advance Institutional Priorities, Principal Investigator: Christina Corsello, Duration: 1/1/22-12/31/22, Amount: \$50,000
- 2020-2022 **Community Opioid Response and Evaluation (CORE) Project**, The Pew Charitable Trust, Principal Investigator: Casey Tak, Duration: 7/1/20-6/30/22, Amount: \$128,799
- 2018-2022 **Your Opinion Matters: How to Make the Most Out of Talking to Health Care Providers**, The Duke Endowment, Principal Investigator: Betsy Sleath, Duration: 6/1/19-6/30/22, Amount: \$467,000
- 2018-2019 **Examining the Feasibility of Initiating Addiction Treatment in a North Carolina Emergency Department**, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, Principal Investigator: Robyn Jordan, Duration: 02/01/18-06/30/19, Amount: \$124,927

- 2017-2018 **Improving study design and reporting for stated choice experiments**, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute, Principal Investigator: Alan Ellis, Duration: 05/16/17-03/15/19, Amount: \$92,918
- 2017 **National Clearinghouse on Autism Evidence and Practice**, The Ireland Family Foundation, the Frank Porter Graham Child Development Institute, and the Organization for Autism Research, Duration: 1/1/17-12/31/17
- 2016-2018 **Nurse Practitioners Taking the Lead in North Carolina: Interprofessional Practice, Education, and Integration of Care**, Health Resources and Services Administration, Principal Investigator: Teresa Wiley, Duration: 07/01/16-06/30/19, Amount: \$351,561
- 2015-2017 **Novel Use of Mobile Integrated Emergency Medical Services to Improve Outcomes of Mental Health Emergencies**, National Institute of Mental Health, Principal Investigator: Seth Glickman, Duration: 09/01/15-11/31/17, Amount: \$327,050
- 2016-2021 **NC CADDRE: Study to Explore Early Development Phase 3 (SEED 3)**, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Principal Investigator: Julie Daniels, Duration: 07/01/16-06/30/21, Amount: \$764,712
- 2016-2017 **Tools for Engagement - Building capacity for PCOR within community behavioral health organizations serving Latinos**. Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), Principal Investigator: Luke Smith, Duration: 01/01/16-12/31/17, Amount \$241,824
- 2015-2020 **Collaborative on Health Reform and Independent Living (CHRIL)**, National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research, Principal Investigator: Jae Kennedy, Duration: 10/01/15-09/30/20, Amount \$438,089
- 2013-2014 **Adequate Health Insurance for Children with Autism: Evidence and Implications for Defining Essential Benefits**, Maternal & Child Health Bureau/HRSA, Principal Investigator: Joseph Morrissey, Duration: 09/13-08/14, Amount \$65,458
- 2013-2014 **Pharmacological Interventions for Alcohol-Use Disorders**, Principal Investigator: Dan Jonas, Duration: 01/13-03/14, Amount \$99,496
- 2013-2016 **State Implementation Grants for Improving Services for Children and Youth with ASD**, Maternal & Child Health Bureau/HRSA, Principal Investigator: Steven Hooper, Duration: 09/13 - 08/16, Amount \$220,588

- 2011-2016 **NC CADDRE: Study to Explore Early Development (SEED) Phase II**, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Principal Investigator: Julie Daniels, Duration: 7/11-6/16, Amount: \$2,664,000
- 1989-2023 **UNC-CH Training Program in Health Services Research**, Agency for Health Research Quality, Principal Investigator: Mark Holmes, Current Duration: 07/01/18-06/30/23, Amount: \$524,228
- 2007-2011 **NC CADDRE: Study to Explore Early Development (SEED) Phase I**, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Principal Investigator: Julie Daniels, Duration: 9/06-9/11, Amount: \$1,595,705
- 2007-2012 **Developing a Pilot Intervention to Increase Child Mental Health Service Utilization by African-American Families**, National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities, Principal Investigator: Joseph Morrissey, Center Principal Investigator: Paul Godley, Duration: 9/07-5/12, Amount: \$489,185
- 2005-2007 **Development of a New Methodology for Mental Health Professional Shortage Designation**, Health Resources and Services Administration, Principal Investigator: Joseph Morrissey, Duration: 9/05-8/07, Amount: \$99,773
- 2002-2006 **Structure, Use & Expenditures for Autism Services**, National Institute of Mental Health, Principal Investigator: Joseph Morrissey, Duration: 8/02-6/07, Amount: \$580,000
- 2000-2005 **Impacts of Managed Care on SA Service Linkages**, National Institute of Drug Abuse, Principal Investigator: Joseph Morrissey, Duration: 10/00-1/05, Amount: \$1,261,403
- 2000-2004 **Homeless Families Program - Evaluating an Intervention to Prevent Homeless Families**, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration via Pan Lutheran Ministries of Wake County, Principal Investigator at UNC: Betsy Sleath, Duration: 10/00-8/04, Amount \$620,021

Professional Service:

- 2021 Mentor, International Health Economics Association Congress Mentoring Session
- 2021 Chair, Measurement of Children's Mental Health Needs: Unmet Needs, Diagnosis, Treatment and Long-term Economic Impacts Session, International Health Economics Association Congress
- 2021 Workgroup Member, Amplifying Peer Voices in Mood Disorders Research: A Convening to Advance Peer Priorities and Partnerships, jointly hosted by the Institute of Patient-and Family-Centered Care and the Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance

2020 Ad-hoc Member, Mental Health Services Research Committee, National Institute of Mental Health

2020 Invited expert, NC IDD waiver history project, Duke University

2019 Invited expert, Pathways to Innovation, Integrated Care and Sustainability: North Carolina Summit on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

2018-2021 Co-Chair, Rural Health Collaborative, American Public Health Association

2018-2020 Behavioral Health theme co-leader AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting

2018-2020 Behavioral Health Services Research Interest Group advisory committee member, AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting

2018 Member, NCTracs internal proposal review to PAR-18-405 NHLBI Program Project Applications (P01)

2018 Member, Georgia Division of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Delphi assessment of state strategies to improve access to care

2018 Invited expert, Viyb, a student start-up to facilitate access to mental health services, UNC Kenan-Flagler Business School

2017 Member, Faculty search committee, Carolina Institute for Developmental Disabilities, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2016 Invited expert, WELL Community Standard Pilot for Delos Living

2015-2018 Secretary (elected 3-year position) Intersectional Council Steering Committee, American Public Health Association

2015, 2018 Member, Faculty search committee, Division of Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy, UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy

2013-2015 Chair, Mental Health Section, American Public Health Association

2013-present Member, Addressing Disparities, Treating Childhood Anxiety and Assessment of Prevention, Diagnosis and Treatment Options Review Committees, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute

2010-present Member, Maternal and Child Health Research Program Review Committee, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, Health Resources and Services Administration

2014 Chair, MCH Health Care Transitions Research Network for Youth and Young Adults with Autism Spectrum Disorders Review Committee, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, Health Resources and Services Administration

2014 Member, MCH Policy Analysis Grant Program Review Committee, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, Health Resources and Services Administration

2013 Invited expert, Addressing health and health care disparities research priorities, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute

2006-2013 Program Chair and Council member, Mental Health Section, American Public Health Association

2013 Member, Cooperative Agreements to Support Establishment of State-Operated Health Insurance Exchanges Review Committee, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

2009-2012 Member, Medicaid Infrastructure Grant Research Assistance to States Integrated Data Review Committee

2012 Reviewer, book proposal on the social determinants of mental health, Jossey-Bass Publishers

- 2011 Member, Centers of Excellence in Partnerships for Community Outreach, Research on Health Disparities and Training (EXPORT) Pilot Grant Review Committee, UNC Minority Health and Health Disparities Research Center
- 2010 Navigating Systems of Care for Young Persons with Autism in Alberta Post-Doctoral Award application review committee, Alberta Centre for Child, Family and Community Research
- 2005 Invited expert, National Institute of Mental Health Panel on Autism Policy Research, Organization for Autism Research
- 2002 Participant, NIH workshop on psychosocial and behavioral interventions research in autism
- 1985-1987 Member, Student Governing Council, Epidemiology and Public Health, Yale School of Medicine
- 1986 Member, Student Internship Program Review Committee, Department of Epidemiology and Public Health, Yale School of Medicine
- 1986 Member, Student University-Town Citizenship Committee, Yale University

Editorial Board:

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Administration and Policy in Mental Health and Mental Health Services Research

American Journal on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

American Journal of Preventive Medicine

American Journal of Public Health

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Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine

Autism Journal

Autism Open Access

Autism: The International Journal of Research and Practice

Clinical Medicine: Pediatrics

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Journal of the American Medical Association: Pediatrics

Journal of Autism and Developmental Disorders

Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research
Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law
Journal of Mental Health Policy and Economics
Journal of Pediatrics
Maternal and Child Health Journal
Medical Care
Medicare & Medicaid Research Review
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