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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Associate Professor of Nutrition & Obesity Studies 2018 - present
Department of Health & Human Performance, University of Houston

Assistant Professor of Nutrition & Obesity Studies 2012 - 2018
Department of Health & Human Performance, University of Houston

Assistant Professor of Health Disparities (courtesy appointment) 2014 - Present
Department of Psychological, Health, & Learning Sciences, University of Houston

Center & Program Affiliations at University of Houston

Director, Houston-area Opportunities for Undergraduate Student Training in Obesity & Nutrition (HOUSTON) Academy 2017 - Present

Mentee, HEALTH Research Institute 2016 - 2017

Faculty Affiliate & Faculty Advisory Committee, Center for Mexican American Studies 2016 - Present

Research Associate, Center for Immigration Research 2016 - Present

Member & Research Scientist, Center for Drug & Social Policy Research 2014 - Present

Member & Research Scientist, Child & Family Center for Innovation Research 2014 - Present

Internship & Outreach Coordinator, Texas Obesity Research Center 2013 - 2015

Executive Board Member, Texas Obesity Research Center 2013 - 2015

Faculty Affiliate, Texas Obesity Research Center 2012 - Present

Faculty Affiliate, Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies Program 2012 - Present

Other Affiliations outside of University of Houston

Faculty Affiliate, Hope Center for College, Community, and Justice, Temple University 2018 - present

Faculty Affiliate, Wisconsin Hope Lab, University of Wisconsin-Madison 2016 - 2018

Faculty Affiliate, Urban Health Program, Rice University 2012 - Present

Assistant Professor of Family Studies
Department of Human Development & Family Studies, Pennsylvania State University 2007 - 2012

EDUCATION & TRAINING

University of Michigan, Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow 2005 - 2007
Research & Training on Poverty & Public Policy

Boston College, PhD 2000 - 2005
Applied Developmental & Educational Psychology

University of Pennsylvania, MEd Psychological Services	1999 - 2000
Princeton University, AB Psychology; Certificate in Spanish	1994 - 1998

HONORS & FELLOWSHIPS

National Council on Family Relations, Men in Families Focus Group, "Best Research Article" Award Hernandez, D. C. , Pressler, E., & Dorius, C. (2016). The role of boomerang fathers in adolescent female depression. <i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i> , 78 (5), 1285-1299. DOI: 10.1111/jomf.12336. ***Received a significant amount of national and international media attention, including BYU Radio - Top of Mind with Julie Rose (August 10, 2016) – "Boomerang Fathers Curb Depression in Girls" http://www.byuradio.org/episode/f39cd4b6-7369-42e0-a8ae-38ec5882fc4e/top-of-mind-with-julie-rose-zika-update-boomerang-fathers-taiwan-and-china?playhead=1154&autoplay=true	2017
Distinguished Faculty Scholar Award University of Houston, Women and Gender Resource Center	2016
National Council on Family Relations, Family Health Section "Best Professional Paper" Award Hernandez, D. C. & Pressler, E. (2015). Gender disparities among the association between cumulative family-level stress and adolescent weight status. <i>Preventive Medicine</i> , 73, 60-66. ***Received a significant amount of local and national media attention, including Time Magazine (April 8, 2015) – "Unhappy Families Can Make Daughters Fat" http://time.com/3773926/family-obesity-diabetes/	2015
Selected speaker for the 2015-2016 Faculty Senate Assistant Professor Excellence Series (APeX) Lecture. (1 of 7 Assistant Professors selected out of 42 that applied) University of Houston	2015
The following manuscript was recommended as being of special significance by David Allison via Faculty of 1000 ("F1000Prime Recommended") http://f1000.com/prime/718229368?bd=1&ui=21066 Hernandez, D. C. & Pressler, E. (2014). Accumulation of childhood poverty on young adult overweight or obese status: Race/ethnicity and gender disparities. <i>Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health</i> , 68, 478-484	2014
Visiting Scholar, National Center for Family & Marriage Research Bowling Green University	2012

NIH/ORWH K12 Scholar Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH) Program (<i>Early Career Award</i>) Pennsylvania State University	2010 - 2012
Department of Human Development & Family Studies (HDFS) Faculty Marshall (<i>Award for mentoring top HDFS undergraduate student</i>) Pennsylvania State University	2009 & 2012
Visiting Scholar, Institute for Research on Poverty University of Wisconsin-Madison	2007
Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship University of Michigan	2005 - 2007
Lynch School of Education Doctoral Degree Representative (<i>Graduation Award</i>) Boston College	2005
Doctoral Minority Fellowship (<i>University-wide Fellowship</i>) Boston College	2000 - 2005
Sigma Xi Research Honors Princeton University	1998
Princeton University Women's Freshman Swimming/Diving Award (<i>Award presented for outstanding sportsmanship & performance by a freshman</i>) Princeton University	1995

PUBLICATIONS (Peer-reviewed)

Manuscripts listed below

10 – 60: Since arriving at University of Houston

1 - 9: Prior to University of Houston

** indicates undergraduate student co-author at time of submission

* indicates graduate student co-author at time of submission

+ indicates postdoctoral scholar at the time of submission

^ indicates senior author

60. **Hernandez, D. C.**, +Daundasekara, S. S., *Arlinghaus, K. R., **Sharma, A. P. Reitzel, L. R., Kendzor, D., Businelle, M. S. (*in press*). Food and vegetable consumption and emotional distress intolerance as potential links between food insecurity and poor physical and mental among homeless adults. *Preventive Medicine Reports*. DOI: 10.1016/j.pmedr.2019.100824
59. **Hernandez, D. C.**, +Daundasekara, S. S., *Arlinghaus, K. R., **Tobar, N., Reitzel, L. R., Kendzor, D. E., and Businelle, M. S. (2019) Cumulative risk factors associated with food insecurity among adults who experience homelessness. *Health Behavior Research*, 2 (1).<https://doi.org/10.4148/2572-1836.1033>

58. Wrighting, Q., Reitzel, L. R., Chen, T-A., Kendzor, D. E., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Obasi, E. M., Shree, S., Businelle, M. S. (2019). Characterizing discrimination experiences by race among homeless adults. *American Journal of Health Behavior*, 43(3), 531-542.
57. *Daundasekara, S. S., Gallardo, K., Santa Maria, D., ^**Hernandez, D. C.**, **Truong, C., **Yip, M., Rhoton, J., Kendzor, D., Businelle, M. S. (2019). Shelter service utilization among adults experiencing homelessness. *Health Behavior and Policy Review*, 6 (2), 128-139.
56. *Silveira, S., **Canales, S., Cottingham, M., & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2019). Wheelchair rugby participation as route to independence. *Health Behavior and Policy Review*, 6 (2), 166-173.
55. Maness, S. B., Reitzel, L. R., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Santa Maria, D. M., Batson, M. A., Zingg, T., Kendzor, D. E., Businelle, M. S. (2019). Modifiable health risk factors and readiness to change among homeless adults. *American Journal of Health Behavior*, 43 (2), 373-379.
54. *Reesor, L., Moreno, J. P., Johnston, C. A., & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2019). School-based weight management program curbs summer weight gain among low-income Hispanic middle school students. *Journal of School Health*, 89 (1), 59-67. DOI: 10.1111/josh.12713.
53. Johnston, C. A., Moreno, J. P., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Link, B. A., Chen, T-A., Wojtanowski, A. C., Foster, G. D., Foreyt, J. P. (2019). Levels of adherence needed achieve significant weight loss. *International Journal of Obesity*, 43, 125-131. DOI: 10.1038/s41366-018-0226-7
52. *Garey, L., Reitzel, L. R., Neisler, J., Kendzor, D.E., Zvolensky, M., Neighbors, C., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Businelle, M. S. (2018). Health-related quality of life among homeless smokers: Risk and protective factors of latent class membership. *Behavioral Medicine* DOI: 10.1080/08964289.2018.1447905
51. *Arlinghaus, K. R., **Truong, C., Johnston, C. A., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2018). An intergenerational approach to break the cycle of malnutrition. *Current Nutrition Reports*, 7 (4), 259-267. DOI: 10.1007/s13668-018-0251-0
50. *Arlinghaus, K. R., Vollrath, K., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Momin, S., O'Connor, T. M., Power, T. G., Hughes, S. O. (2018). Authoritative parent feeding style is associated with better child dietary quality at dinner among low-income minority families. *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, 108, (4), 730-736. DOI: 10.1093/ajcn/nqy142
49. *Reesor, L.,** Canales, S., Alonso, Y., Kamdar, N. P., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2018). Self-reported health predicts Hispanic women's weight perceptions and concerns. *American Journal of Health Behavior*, 42(4), 61-69. DOI: 10.5993/AJHB.42.4.6
48. Santa Maria, D., **Hernandez, D.C.**, *Arlinghaus, K., Gallardo, K., Maness, S., Kendzor, D. E., Reitzel L. R., Helt, A., & Businelle, M. S. (2018). Current age, age at first sex, age at first homelessness, and HIV risk perceptions predict sexual risk behaviors among sexually active homeless adults. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 15 (2), 218. DOI: 10.3390/ijerph15020218
47. Lawrence, B., Greer, A., Zimeri, A. M., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Ahn, S., Jones, S. A., & Smith, M. L. (2018).

Use of a unique farmers' market program targeting lower-income community members. *Journal of Community Health*, 43 (3), 524–533. DOI: 10.1007/s10900-017-0448-y

46. *Moreira, T., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Scott, C. W., Murillo, R., Vaughan, E. M., Johnston, C. A. (2018). *Susto, coraje, fatalismo*: Cultural-bound beliefs and the treatment of diabetes among socio-economically disadvantaged Hispanics. *American Journal of Lifestyle Medicine*, 12 (1), 30-33. DOI: 10.1177/1559827617736506
45. Vaughan, E., Johnston, C. A., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Foreyt, J. (2017). Dual therapy appears superior to monotherapy for low-income individuals with newly diagnosed type 2 diabetes. *Journal of Primary Care & Community Health*, 8 (4), 305-311. DOI: 10.1177/2150131917745760
44. *Carlos Chavez, F. L., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Harris, G. J., Grzywacz, J. G. (2017). Household food security discordance among Latino adolescents and parents. *American Journal of Health Behavior*, 41 (6), 775-783. DOI: 10.5993/AJHB.41.6.11
43. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L., & Kabiri, L. (2017). Maternal concerns and perceptions of elementary school-age children's weight status. *Journal for Specialist in Pediatric Nursing*, 22 (4), e12191. DOI: 10.1111/jspn.12191
42. *Silveira, S. L., Ledoux, T., Cottingham, M., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2017). Association among practice frequency on depression and stress among competitive U.S. male wheelchair rugby athletes with tetraplegia. *Spinal Cord*, 55 (10), 957-962. DOI: 10.1038/sc.2017.40
41. *Reesor, L., M., Vaughan, E. M., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Johnston, C. A. (2017). Addressing outcomes expectancies in behavior change. *American Journal Lifestyle Medicine*, 11 (6), 430-432. DOI: 10.1177/1559827617722504
40. *Arlinghaus, K., Moreno, J. P., *Reesor, L. M., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Johnston, C. A. (2017). *Compañeros*: High school students mentor middle school students to address obesity among Hispanic adolescents. *Preventing Chronic Disease*, 14, 170130. DOI: 10.5888/pcd14.170130.
39. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L., & Murillo, R. (2017). Food insecurity and adult overweight/obesity: Gender and race/ethnic differences. *Appetite*, 117, 373-378. DOI: 10.1016/j.appet.2017.07.010
38. Johnston, C. A., Moreno, J. P., **Hernandez, D. C.**, **Reichek, B., & Foreyt, J. (2017). Dissemination of a school-based obesity intervention for Mexican Americans: A randomized controlled trial. *Health Behavior & Policy Review*, 4 (5), 454-466. DOI: 10.14485/HBPR.4.5.5
37. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L., & Murillo, R. (2017). Gender disparities in the food insecurity-overweight and food insecurity-obesity paradox among older adults. *Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics*, 117, 1087-1096. DOI: 10.1016/j.jand.2017.01.014
36. Murillo, R., *Reesor, L., Scott, C., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2017). Food insecurity and pre-diabetes in adults: Race/ethnic and sex differences. *American Journal of Health Behavior*, 41 (4), 435-443. DOI: 10.5993/AJHB.41.4.8.

35. *Powell, L., Frankel, L., & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2017). The mediating role of child self-regulation of eating in the relationship between parental use of food as a reward and child emotional overeating. *Appetite*, 113, 78-83. DOI: 10.1016/j.appet.2017.02.017
34. *Daundasekara, S.S., Beasley, A. D., O'Connor, D. P., Sampson, M., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Ledoux, T. (2017). Validation of the intuitive eating scale for pregnant women. *Appetite*, 112 (1), 201-209. DOI: 10.1016/j.appet.2017.02.001
33. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Johnston, C. A. (2017). Individual and environmental barriers to successful aging: The importance of considering environmental supports. *American Journal of Lifestyle Medicine*, 11 (1), 21-23. DOI: 10.1177/1559827616672617
32. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L., Reitzel, L. L., Businelle, M. S., Wetter, D. W., & Kendzor, D. E. (2017). Smoking, financial strain, and food insecurity. *Health Behavior & Policy Review*, 4(2), 182-188. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.14485/HBPR.4.2.9>
31. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Johnston, C. A. (2016). Unidirectional or bidirectional relationships of behaviors: The importance of positive behavioral momentum. *American Journal of Lifestyle Medicine*, 10 (6), 381-384. DOI: 10.1177/1559827616661971
30. **Hernandez, D. C.**, Pressler, E., & Dorius, C. (2016). The role of boomerang fathers in adolescent female depression. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 78 (5), 1285-1299. DOI: 10.1111/jomf.12336.
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<http://www.byuradio.org/episode/f39cd4b6-7369-42e0-a8ae-38ec5882fc4e/top-of-mind-with-julie-rose-zika-update-boomerang-fathers-taiwan-and-china?playhead=1154&autoplay=true>
29. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L, **Machuca, I., **Chishty, M., & **Alonso, Y. (2016). Low-income immigrant Hispanic mothers' concerns and perceptions of their young child's weight. *Public Health Nursing*, 33 (5), 412-420. DOI: 10.1111/phn.12252
28. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2016) Latino mothers' cumulative food insecurity exposure and child body composition. *American Journal of Health Behavior*, 40 (1), 92-99. DOI: 105993/AJHB.40.1.10
27. Moreno, J. P., Cameron, R. T., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Vaughan, E., Foreyt, J. P., & Johnston, C. A. (2016). The impact of acculturation level on weight status and weight outcomes in Hispanic children. *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities*, 3 (4), 582-589. DOI: 10.1007/s40615-015-0177-9
26. Moreno, J. P., Johnston, C. A., **Hernandez, D. C.**, LeNoble, J., Papaioannou, M. A., & Foreyt, J. P. (2016). Impact of parental weight status on a school-based weight management program designed for Mexican-American children. *Pediatric Obesity*, 11 (5), 354-360. DOI: 10.1111/ijpo.12066
25. Reitzel, L. R., Okamoto, H., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Regan, S. D., McNeill, L. H., & Obasi, E. (2016). The built food environment and dietary intake among African-American adults. *American Journal of Health Behavior*, 40 (1), 3-11. DOI: 105993/AJHB.40.1.10

24. Sharma, S. V., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Hoelscher, D. M., Yaroch, A. (2015). Multidisciplinary approaches to address food insecurity and nutrition among youth and their families. *Journal of Applied Research on Children: Informing Policy for Children at Risk*: Vol. 6: Iss. 2, Article 1. Available at: <http://digitalcommons.library.tmc.edu/childrenatrisk/vol6/iss2/1>
23. **Hernandez, D. C.** & *Reesor, L., **Alonso, Y., *Eagleton, S., & Hughes, S. O. (2015). Household food insecurity status and Hispanic immigrant children's body mass index and adiposity. *Journal of Applied Research on Children: Informing Policy for Children at Risk*: Vol. 6: Iss. 2, Article 14. Available at <http://digitalcommons.library.tmc.edu/childrenatrisk/vol6/iss2/14>
22. *Kabiri, L. S., ^**Hernandez, D. C.**, & Mitchell, K. (2015). Reliability, validity, and diagnostic value of a pediatric bioelectrical impedance analysis scale. *Childhood Obesity*, 11 (5), 1-6. DOI: 10.1089/chi.2014.0156
21. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Pressler, E. (2015). Gender disparities among the association between cumulative family-level stress and adolescent weight status. *Preventive Medicine*, 73, 60-66. DOI: 10.1016/j.ypmed.2015.01.013
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20. *Soltero, E.G., **Hernandez, D. C.**, O'Connor, D. P., & Lee, R. E. (2015). Does social support mediate the relationship among neighborhood disadvantage, incivilities, crime and physical activity? *Preventive Medicine*, 72, 44-49. DOI: 10.1016/j.ypmed.2014.12.030
19. **Okamoto, H., *Fisher, F. D., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Reitzel, L. R., Kendzor, D. E., Kish, D., & Businelle, M. S. (2015). Trait mindfulness and stress among homeless adults. *Health Behavior and Policy Review*, 2, 122 – 129. DOI: 10.14485/HBPR.2.2.4
18. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2015). The impact of cumulative family risks on various levels of food insecurity. *Social Science Research*, 50, 292-302. DOI: 10.1016/j.ssresearch.2014.12.007
17. **Hernandez, D. C.**, Reitzel, L., Wetter, D. W., & McNeill, L. (2014). Social support and cardiovascular risk factors among Black adults. *Ethnicity and Disease*, 24, 444-450.
16. **Hernandez, D. C.** & *Pressler, E. (2014). Accumulation of childhood poverty on young adult overweight or obese status: Race/ethnicity and gender disparities. *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health*, 68, 478-484. DOI: 10.1136/jech-2013-203062
15. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Pressler, E., Dorius, C., & Mitchell, K. S. (2014). Does family instability make girls fat? Gender differences between instability and weight. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 76, 199-214. DOI: 10.1111/jomf.12080
14. **Hernandez, D. C.**, Marshall, A., & *Mineo, C. (2014). Maternal depression mediates the association between intimate partner violence and food insecurity. *Journal of Women's Health*, 23(1): 29-37. DOI:10.1089/jwh.2012.4224

13. **Hernandez, D. C. & Kimbro, R. T.** (2013). The association between acculturation and health insurance coverage for immigrant children from socioeconomically disadvantaged regions of origin. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health, 15*, 453-461. DOI: 10.1007/s10903-012-9643-1
12. **Hernandez, D. C. & *Pressler, E.** (2013). Maternal union transitions and household food insecurity: Differences by race and ethnicity. *Journal of Family Issues, 34* (3), 373-393. DOI: 10.1177/0192513X12449134
11. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2012). Disadvantaged, urban fathers' health and risky health behaviors: The role of relationship status and fathering practices. *Fathering, 10* (3), 239-256. DOI: 10.3149/fth.1003.239
10. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2012). Gestational weight gain as a predictor of longitudinal body mass index transitions among socioeconomically disadvantaged women. *Journal of Women's Health, 21* (10), 1082-1090. DOI: 10.1089/jwh.2011.2899
9. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2012). Soda consumption among food insecure households with children: A call to restructure food assistance policy. *Journal of Applied Research on Children: Informing Policy for Children at Risk, 3* (1), Article 16. Available at: <http://digitalcommons.library.tmc.edu/childrenatrisk/vol3/iss1/16>
8. **Hernandez, D. C., Francis, L. A., & *Doyle, E. A.** (2011). National School Lunch Program and sex differences in body mass index trajectories of children from low-income families. *Archives of Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine, 165* (4), 346-353. DOI: 10.1001/archpediatrics.2010.253 (This journal has been renamed to *JAMA Pediatrics*)
7. **Ziol-Guest, K. M., & Hernandez, D. C.** (2010). First and second trimester WIC participation is associated with low rates of breastfeeding and early introduction of cow's milk during infancy. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association, 110*, 702-709. DOI: 10.1016/j.jada.2010.02.013 (This journal has been renamed to *Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics*)
6. **Hernandez, D. C., & Ziol-Guest, K. M.** (2009). Income volatility and family structure patterns: Association with stability and change in food stamp program participation. *Journal of Family and Economic Issues, 30* (4), 357-371. DOI: 10.1007/s10834-009-9168-5
5. **Hernandez, D. C., & Jacknowitz, A.** (2009). Transient, but not persistent adult food insecurity influences toddler development. *Journal of Nutrition, 139* (8), 1517-1524. DOI: 10.3945/jn.109.105593
4. **Hernandez, D. C. & Coley, R. L.** (2007). Measuring father involvement within low-income families: Who is a reliable and valid reporter? *Parenting: Science and Practice, 7* (1), 69-97. DOI: 10.1080/15295190709336777
3. **Coley, R. L., & Hernandez, D. C.** (2006). Predictors of paternal involvement for resident and nonresident low-income fathers. *Developmental Psychology, 42*, 1041-1056. DOI: 10.1037/0012-1649.42.6.1041

2. Coley, R.L., Morris, J.E., & **Hernandez, D.** (2004). Out-of-school care and problem behavior trajectories among low-income adolescents: Individual, family, and neighborhood characteristics as added risks. *Child Development*, 75 (3), 948-965. DOI: 10.1111/j.1467-8624.2004.00716.x
1. Weissenberger, A. A., Dell, M. L., Liow, K., Frattalli, C. M., **Hernandez, D.**, & Zametkin, A. J. (2001). Aggression and psychiatric comorbidity in children with hypothalamic hamartomas and their unaffected siblings. *Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry*, 40 (6), 696-703. DOI: 10.1097/00004583-200106000-00015

BOOK CHAPTERS

** indicates undergraduate student co-author at time of submission

2. Johnston, C. A., **Hernandez, D. C.**, **Shuaib, A. (2017). "Childhood Obesity" in *Nutrition in Lifestyle Medicine*, edited by James M. Rippe and Springer. Pg. 213-228.
1. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2016) "Food Insecurity" in *The Encyclopedia of Family Studies*, edited by Connie Shehan. Malden and Oxford: John Wiley and Sons Ltd. Pg. 865-872. doi: 10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs485

PUBLICATIONS (Letters to the Editor)

* indicates graduate student co-author at time of submission

1. **Hernandez, D. C.**, Francis, L. A., & *Doyle, E. A. (2011). Measuring National School Lunch Program participation. Letter in Reply. *Archives of Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine*, 165 (11), 1051. DOI: 10.1001/archpediatrics.2011.181 (PMID: 21135318). (This journal has been renamed to *JAMA Pediatrics*)

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLISHED ABSTRACTS

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1. **Hernandez, D.C.** & *Pressler, E. (2012) Race & gender disparities in the embedding and accumulation of childhood poverty on young adult BMI. *International Journal of Exercise Science: Conference Proceedings*: Vol. 6: Iss. 2, Article 3. Available at: <http://digitalcommons.wku.edu/ijesab/vol6/iss2/3>

WHITE PAPERS

1. Goldrick-Rab, S., Broton, K. M., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2017). Addressing basic needs security in higher education: An introduction to three evaluations of supports for food and housing at community colleges. Available at: <https://hope4college.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/Addressing-Basic-Needs-Security-in-Higher-Education.pdf>

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Total direct costs funded as PI/Co-PI: \$1,365,696 Total direct costs funded as Co-I/Scholar: \$2,523,685
Total indirect costs funded as PI/Co-PI: \$207,359 Total indirect costs funded as Co-I/Scholar: \$412,710

Active

17. Principal Investigator, "Cortisol Synchrony in Adolescents and their Parents". National Institute of Child Health and Human Development 2019-2021, Grant # R03 HD098379-01. (DC: \$102,955; IDC: \$54,566).
16. Principal Investigator, "Mentoring and Career Development: 2018 Hernandez and Kamdar". William T. Grant Foundation 2018-2020. (Junior Researcher: N. P. Kamdar). (DC: \$102,326; IDC: 7,674).
15. Principal Investigator, "Can Food Scholarships Reduce Inequality by Improving College Persistence Among Community College Students?". William T. Grant Foundation 2018-2020. (Co-Investigators: D. P. O'Connor, University of Houston; S. Goldrick-Rab, Temple University). (DC: \$484,949; IDC: 72,743).

Overview of this project can be view through the following YouTube link "Dr. Daphne Hernandez – Intervention to Alleviate Food Insecurity": <https://youtu.be/VEP1sXNaOk4>

Local Media:

Houston Public Media UH Moment (January 26, 2018). "New Research Tackles College Hunger". <https://www.houstonpublicmedia.org/articles/shows/uh-moment/2018/01/25/263815/uh-moment-new-research-tackles-college-hunger/>

Houston Chronicle (January 29, 2018). "If HCC students don't have to pay for food, will they perform better? A new study wants to find out". <https://www.chron.com/local/education/campus-chronicles/article/UH-study-If-HCC-students-don-t-have-to-pay-for-12533295.php>

The Texas Tribune (April 10, 2018). "As college costs rise, some Texas students go hungry. Will food scholarships help?": <https://www.texastribune.org/2018/04/10/texas-college-tuition-costs-keeps-students-hungry/>

National Media:

The Conversation (March 5, 2018). "Food scholarships could help more students finish college". <https://theconversation.com/food-scholarships-could-help-more-students-finish-college-91615>

This piece was also picked up by the Houston Chronicle – Gray Matters (March 6, 2018). "Could free food help college students succeed?"

Knowledge@Wharton on SiriusXM Business Radio Powered by The Wharton School (April 9, 2018). <http://www.uh.edu/class/hhp/news-and-events/news-archives/2018/18-hernandez-food-scholarships.php>

BYU Radio - Matt Townsend Show (April 19, 2018). "Food scholarships could help more students finish college" <https://www.byuradio.org/episode/1c7b9971-4351-4aea-a562-c355f5406ab9?playhead=711&autoplay=true>

14. Principal Investigator, "Houston-area Opportunities for Undergraduate Student Training in Obesity & Nutrition (HOUSTON) Academy." USDA NIFA Research and Extension Experiential Learning for Undergraduate (REEU) Fellowships Program 2016-2020, Grant #: 2017-67032-26021 (Co-Principal Investigators: C. Johnston & C. Scott, University of Houston). (DC: \$281,475; IDC: \$0).

Overview of this project can be view through the following YouTube link:

<https://youtu.be/rMjsj2qsBXQ>

13. Co- Principal Investigator “From Internships to Careers: Developing Hispanic Students through a USDA Ambassador Student Program” USDA NIFA Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSI) Education Grants528 Program, 2015-2019, Grant # 2015-38422-24080 (Principal Investigator: J. Madera; Co-PIs: M. Dawson & J. Neal, University of Houston) (DC: \$214,770; IDC: \$33,346).
12. Principal Investigator, “Pilot Project 1: Mexican Immigrants’ Biological and Behavioral Cancer Risk Based on Stress”. National Cancer Institute (NCI)/Partnerships to Advance Cancer Health Equity (PACHE) 2017 – 2021, Grant # P20 CA221697 (Sub Project ID: 5555) (DC: \$45,262; IDC: \$23,989)
11. Co-Investigator (PI of the Houston-based project) “Interventions to Address College Food and Housing Security”. Kresge Foundation. 2017-2019 (Principal Investigator: S. Goldrick-Rab, Temple University) (DC: \$467,500; IDC: 82,500)
10. Co-Investigator. “A Community Collaborative for Preventing and Treating Obesity in Underserved Communities in Houston”. United Health Foundation 2016 - 2019. (Principal Investigators: D.P. O’Connor & E. M. Obasi, University of Houston) (DC: \$1,700,000; IDC: \$300,000).

Completed

9. Co- Principal Investigator (subcontract), “Two Dietary Approaches for Weight Management”. Weight Watchers. 2016-2017 (Principal Investigators: J. Moreno & J. P. Foreyt, Baylor College of Medicine; Co-PI: C. Johnston, University of Houston) (DC: \$100,000; IDC: \$25,000).
8. Co-Principal Investigator, “Quality of Life of Wheelchair Rugby Players”. TIRR Memorial Hermann. 2016. (Principal Investigator: M. Cottingham, University of Houston). (DC: \$14,000).
7. Principal Investigator, “A New Methodological Approach to Measuring Family Structure and Child-Specific Residential Relationships Using the 1979 National Longitudinal Survey of Youth.” National Center for Family and Marriage Research (Bowling Green State University). 2010-2011 (DC: \$20,000; IDC: \$0) with K. S. Mitchell and C. Dorius
6. Scholar, “Demographic and Socio-economic Determinants of Food Insecurity and Food Assistance Program Participation and Their Relation to Women’s Body Mass Index (BMI).” NIH/ORWH K12 Program in Building Interdisciplinary Careers in Women’s Health (BIRCWH). 2010-2012 (DC: \$200,000; IDC: \$0)
5. Principal Investigator, “Immigrant Children’s Health Insurance Coverage.” Robert Wood Johnson Foundation New Connections Grant 2009-2011 (DC: \$66,965; IDC: \$8,035)
4. Principal Investigator, “Trends in Food Assistance Program Participation on Childhood Weight Trajectories.” United States Department of Agriculture Research Innovation and Development Grant in Economics (RIDGE) Grant, 2008-2009 (DC: \$27,994; IDC: \$7,006) with L. Francis.
3. Principal Investigator, “Reciprocal Relationship between Nonresident Father Involvement and Resident Child Household Food Insecurity: Rural versus non-rural comparisons.” University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research Young Investigator Development Grant, 2007-2008 (DC: \$5,000; IDC: \$0).

2. Co-Investigator, "The Effect of Food Insecurity on the Physical, Cognitive, and Socio-emotional Development of Infants and Toddlers." United States Department of Agriculture Research, Innovation, and Development Grant in Economics (RIDGE) Grant, 2007-2008 (DC: \$34,790; IDC: \$5,210) with A. Jacknowitz.
1. Co-Investigator, "Food Stamp Program and Women, Infants and Children: Effect on Children's Health and Well-being." United States Department of Agriculture Research Development Grant, 2006-2007 (DC: \$21,395; IDC: \$0) with K. M. Ziolo-Guest.

GRANTS AWARDED - INTERNAL

- 4-6. Principal Investigator, "Obesity and Metabolic Syndrome among Low-income Hispanic Mothers and Their Children". Funding Received from:
 CLASS Research Outreach Grant 2014. (\$4,000).
 Department of Health and Human Performance Summer Research Program 2014. (\$3,500).
 Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies 2014 Summer Fellowship (\$4,000).
3. Principal Investigator, "Applied nutrition policy: The interaction between science and practice. University of Houston Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) Course Development Grant Program, 2013-2014 (\$5,000).
2. Principal Investigator, "Health among Athletes with Disabilities (HAWD) Study". University of Houston's Small Grants Program. 2013-2104 (\$3,000).
1. Principal Investigator, "Food insecurity and obesity paradox among Hispanic mothers and children." College of Liberal Arts and Social Science New Faculty Grants Program. 2012-2013 (\$6,000).

GRANTS AWARDED – INTERNAL (Travel Awards)

- 1-5. University of Houston Provost Faculty Travel Award
 2017 American Public Health Association. Atlanta, GA. November 2017. (\$1,200)
 2016 American Public Health Association. Denver, CO. November 2016. (\$1,200)
 2015 National Council on Family Relations. Vancouver, Canada. November 2015 (\$1,200)
 2015 American Academy of Health Behavior. San Antonio, TX. March 2015 (\$1,200).
 2014 Society for Research in Adolescence. Austin, TX. March 2014. (\$1,000).
 2013 Population Association of America Conferences. New Orleans, LA. April 2013. (\$750).

INVITED SPEAKER

43. University of Illinois. Department of Human Development & Family Studies (Urbana-Champaign, IL): *Cumulative Risk and Community-based Approaches to Understanding and Addressing Food Insecurity*. January 28, 2019.
42. Rice University. Kinesiology Department (Houston, TX): *Houston We Have a Solution: Food Scholarships*. October 25, 2018.

41. University of Houston/MD Anderson Cancer Center. UHAND Scholars Program (Houston, TX): *Tackling Hunger One Food Scholarship at a Time*. October 24, 2018
40. Rice University. Sociology Department (Houston, TX): *Tackling Hunger One Food Scholarship at a Time*. October 23, 2018.
39. Houston Community College's Fall Convocation (Houston, TX). *Addressing Student Needs Through a Culture of Care*. August 24, 2018.
38. National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials (NALEO) Annual Conference (Phoenix, AZ): *Post-Secondary – Addressing Food and Basic Needs Insecurity*. June 22, 2018.
37. Tulane University School of Medicine's Health Meets Food Conference (New Orleans, LA): *Food Insecurity & Environment – Cultural Implications*. June 15, 2018.
36. Houston Community College's Student Needs Symposium (Houston, TX): *Training the Next Generation Through Experiential Learning*. April 5, 2018.
35. University of Houston's Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies' Barbara Karkabi Living Archives Series (Houston, TX): *The Politics of Food and Family: The Healthy Food Movement*. November 27, 2017. (Moderator)
34. Invited symposium presented at the 2017 annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations. *Individual, familial and neighborhood influences on obesity disparities across the lifespan*. Orlando, Florida. November 15, 2017
33. University of Texas Medical Branch, Preventive Medicine and Community Health Seminar Series (Galveston, TX): *Food Insecurity & Adult Obesity and Obesity-Related Comorbidities: Gender and Race/ethnic Disparities*. September 29, 2016.
32. Houston Food Bank. *Food Insecurity and Child Development*. September 6, 2016.
31. Health Disparities, Education, Awareness, Research & Training (HDEART) Consortium Annual Summer Workshop (Houston, TX): *Town Hall Meeting: Where Do We Go From Here?* June 25, 2016.
30. Houston Food Bank. *Research Collaborations with the Houston Food Bank*. June 1, 2016.
29. University of Wisconsin's Wisconsin HOPE Lab's #RealCollege Convening (Milwaukee, WI). *Overview of Food Insecurity*. April 29, 2016.
28. American Academy of Health Behavior 2016 Annual Conference (Ponte Vedra Beach, FL). *Networking: Facilitation of Research Connections Outside One's Institution*. February 23, 2016.
27. University of Houston's Faculty Senate Assistant Professor Excellence (APeX) Speaker Series. *Houston, We Have a Problem: Food Insecurity-Obesity Paradox*. December 2, 2015.

26. University of Texas Medical Branch, Center for Recovery, Physical Activity and Nutrition Lecture Series (Galveston, TX): *Addressing Food Insecurity & Health Disparities through Research and Community Outreach*. June 12, 2015.
25. University of Nebraska's Department of Child, Youth, & Family Studies (Lincoln, NE): *Addressing Food Insecurity & Health Disparities through Research and Extension Programming*. May 6, 2015.
24. University of Houston's Center for ADVANCING UH Faculty Success, ADVANCE Regional Network (ARN) Postdoctoral Networking Event: *Using Media to Enhance Your Professional Career*, Houston, TX. April 17, 2015
23. Rice University's Sociology Department, Sociologists Talking about Population Health Sociology: *It Takes Two to Tango: Father Churning and Adolescent Depression*, Houston, TX. December 3, 2014.
22. University of Houston's Faculty Seminar Series. *Exercise for Mood and Anxiety: Efficacy & Mechanisms*. August 26, 2014. <http://uh.mediasite.com/mediasite/Play/4ed9d5dc5a7a45a087e717be6b254d261d>
21. University of Houston's Student Nutrition Association (SNA). *Career Paths*. Houston, TX. February 10, 2014
20. University of Houston's Asian Medical Professions Society (AMPS). *What is the Texas Obesity Research Center?* Houston, TX. January 22, 2014.
19. University of Houston's Faculty Senate's Greater Houston's Health: Urban Healthcare in the 21st Century Conference. *Houston, We Have a Problem: Food Insecurity-Obesity Paradox*. Houston, TX. October 4, 2013.
18. CAN DO Houston, Panelist for *A Place at the Table*. Houston, TX. September 23, 2013
17. Urban Health Program at the Kinder Institute, Rice University. *Children in Crisis*. Houston, TX. August 28, 2012
16. Department of Health & Human Performance, University of Houston. *Food Hardship and Toddler and Adolescent Development*. Houston, TX. March 2012.
15. Center for Children's Healthy Lifestyles and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center. *Food Hardship and Toddler and Adolescent Development*. Kansas City, MO. February 2012.
14. Department of Child & Family Studies, Syracuse University. *Food Hardship and Toddler and Adolescent Development*. Syracuse, NY. February 2012.
13. Department of Human Development & Family Studies, Texas Tech University. *Food Hardship and Toddler and Adolescent Development*. Lubbock, TX. January 2012.
12. Department of Human Development, University of Maryland. *Food Hardship and Toddler and Adolescent Development*. College Park, MD. October 20, 2011

11. Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison. *Family Structure, Role Resources & Demands, and Father's Physical & Mental Health*. Madison, WI. May 5, 2010
10. Department of Psychology, State University of New York-Buffalo. *Family Structure, Role Resources & Demands, and Father's Physical & Mental Health*. Buffalo, NY. April 26, 2010
9. Department of Human Development and Family Studies, Penn State University. *Father Involvement among Low-Income Resident & Nonresident Fathers*. State College, PA. February 2007.
8. Department of Psychology, University of Kentucky. *Low-income Father Involvement*. Lexington, KY. February 2007.
7. Department of Child Development, Tufts University. *Father Involvement among Low-Income Resident & Nonresident Fathers*. Medford, MA. February 2007.
6. Psychology Department, Fordham University. *Low-income Father Involvement*. Bronx, NY. January, 2007.
5. School of Social and Family Dynamics, Arizona State University. *Father Involvement among Low-Income Resident & Nonresident Fathers*. Tempe, AZ. January 2007.
4. Department of Human Development and Family Studies. University of Connecticut. *Father Involvement among Low-Income Resident & Nonresident Fathers*. Storrs, CT. January 2007.
3. School of Education & Social Policy/Institute of Policy Research-Cells to Society, Northwestern University. *Are there Differences in Low-Income Father Involvement among Resident & Nonresident Fathers?* Evanston, IL. January, 2007.
2. Department of Human Development and Family Studies, Ohio State University. *Father Involvement among Low-Income Resident & Nonresident Fathers*. Columbus, OH. January 2007.
1. New Data on Fathers: An Examination of Recent Trends in Fatherhood and Father Involvement. Cornell Evolving Family Conference. Ithaca, NY (Discussant: Fatherhood and Incarceration Panel). October 1, 2006.

INVITED GUEST LECTURE

11. *The True Hunger Games in America*. Invited lecture for HLT 3381 Health Promotion & Disease Prevention (Murillo), University of Houston, Department of Psychological, Health, and Learning Science, Houston, TX. January 2017.
10. *Health Disparities in the Relationship between Food Insecurity, Obesity, and Obesity-Related Comorbidities*. Invited lecture for PEP 8331 Integrated Systems Physiology (Park), University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, Houston, TX. September 2016.
9. *Psychosocial and Behavioral Determinants*. Invited lecture for PEP 8331 Integrated Systems Physiology (Park), University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, Houston, TX. September 2015.

8. *Behavioral and Psychosocial Determinants*. Invited lecture for PEP 8331 Integrated Systems Physiology (Gorniak), University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, Houston, TX. November 2014.
7. *Houston, We have a problem. Food Insecurity-Obesity Paradox*. Invited lecture for HLT 3301 Health Behavior Theory & Practice (Reitzel), University of Houston, Department of Education Psychology, Houston, TX. October 2014.
6. *Policy and Obesogenic Environment*. Invited lecture for NUTR 4345/KIN 4303 The Obesity Epidemic (Alastuey), University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, Houston, TX. October 2014.
5. *Health-Related Career Paths*. Invited lecture for OPTO 1300 Introduction to the Health Professions (Valier), University of Houston, Honors College, Houston, TX. September 2014.
4. *Food Stamp Challenge*. Invited lecture for Bonners Leaders Program (Hamilton & Leland), University of Houston, Honors College, Houston, TX. April 2014.
3. *Policy & Individual Health Choices*. Invited lecture for NUTR 4345/KIN 4303 The Obesity Epidemic (Alastuey), University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, Houston, TX. October 2013.
2. *Behavioral and Psychosocial Determinants*. Invited lecture for PEP 8331 Integrated Systems Physiology (Lee), University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, Houston, TX. November 2012.
1. *Food Insecurity*. Invited lecture for NUTR 4345/KIN 4303 The Obesity Epidemic (Lee), University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, Houston, TX. October 2012.

INVITED BLOGGER

2. University of Houston Bonner Leaders Program. (February 23, 2014). The Food Stamp Challenge (Part 1): Shopping: \$25 Challenge. <http://innovate.uh.edu/service/foodproject/>
1. University of Houston Bonner Leaders Program. (February 28, 2014). The Food Stamp Challenge (Part 2): A Lesson in Experiencing the Items that Comprise the Food Insecurity Scale. <http://innovate.uh.edu/service/guest-post-the-food-stamp-challenge-pt-2/>

MEDIA COVERAGE – Directly Related to Research & Teaching

on the side refers to the publication listed up above that corresponds the media coverage

30. BYU Radio - Top of Mind with Julie Rose (August 10, 2016) – “Boomerang Fathers Curb Depression in Girls” <http://www.byuradio.org/episode/f39cd4b6-7369-42e0-a8ae-38ec5882fc4e/top-of-mind-with-julie-rose-zika-update-boomerang-fathers-taiwan-and-china?playhead=1154&autoplay=true>

Also picked up by newspapers in Australia, China, India, and Italy:

<http://www.uh.edu/class/hhp/news-and-events/news-archives/2016/16-hernandez-research-boomerang-fathers.php>

28. KUHF 88.7FM Houston Matters (April 22, 2016) – What’s the Relationship between Food Insecurity and Obesity? <http://www.houstonmatters.org/segments/segment-e/2016/04/22/whats-the-relationship-between-food-insecurity-and-obesity>

KTRK13 (ABC Houston) ;Viva Houston! television show (June 21, 2015) – “Fathers and Mental Health”<http://abc13.com/society/viva-houston-segment-1-june-21-2015/803245/>

21. Boston Globe (May 11, 2015) – “Family Conflict, Financial Strain Linked to Childhood Obesity”
<http://www.bostonglobe.com/lifestyle/2015/05/10/childhood-obesity-linked-family-conflict-financial-stress/2v2WBtuqXgChS2kFknP1XO/story.html>

21. Time Magazine (April 8, 2015) – “Unhappy Families Can Make Daughters Fat”
<http://time.com/3773926/family-obesity-diabetes/>

21. Yahoo Parenting (April 8, 2015) – “How Your Family May Be Making You Fat”
<https://www.yahoo.com/parenting/how-your-family-may-be-making-you-fat-115849836697.html>

21. US News & World Report (April 8, 2015) – “Family Stress Linked to Teen Obesity in Study”
<http://health.usnews.com/health-news/articles/2015/04/08/family-stress-linked-to-teen-obesity-in-study>

21. Picked up by several international outlets such as:

- Leisure Management (United Kingdom) (April 17, 2015) “Different family stress factors cause obesity in girls and boys”
<http://www.leisuremanagement.co.uk/detail.cfm?pagetype=detail&subject=news&codeID=315282>
- The Times of India (<http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/life-style/relationships/parenting/Stressed-parents-can-make-you-obese/articleshow/46835590.cms>)
- Dublin News: <http://www.dublinnews.com/index.php/sid/231720669>
- Argentina Star: <http://www.argentinastar.com/index.php/sid/231720669>

KUHF 88.7FM Houston Matters (February 24, 2015) – What makes Houstonians Seek Food Assistance?
<http://www.houstonmatters.org/segments/segment-c/2015/02/24/what-makes-houstonians-seek-food-assistance>

UH News (August 20, 2014) and UH News Digest (August 26 - 28, 2014). Nutrition Experiment Suggests Mandatory Diet Education Needed for Food Stamp Recipients. <http://www.uh.edu/news-events/stories/2014/August/08202014FoodStampChallengeFindings.php>

(Link includes a university produced video based on the students’ experiences with the Challenge)

The following Fox News affiliated stations covered this story:

- a. KRIV26 (Fox Houston) (August 20, 2014) – “UH students take on Food Stamp Challenge”
- a. First segment: <http://www.myfoxfhouston.com/clip/10498690/the-food-stamp-challenge>
- b. Second segment: <http://www.myfoxfhouston.com/clip/10499623/uh-students-take-food-stamp-challenge>

- b. KDFW4 (Fox Dallas-Forth Worth) (August 22, 2014) – “\$25 for a Week Food: Students take Food-Stamp Challenge” <http://www.myfoxdfw.com/story/26348706/food-stamp-challenge>
- c. KTBC (Fox Austin) (August 22, 2014). Students take Food Stamp Challenge. <http://www.myfoxaustin.com/story/26348706/food-stamp-challenge>
- d. WTXF-TV29 (Fox Philadelphia) (August 22, 2014). “\$25 for a Week Food: Students take Food-Stamp Challenge” <http://www.myfoxphilly.com/story/26348706/food-stamp-challenge>
- e. KMSP-TV9 (Fox Minneapolis-St. Paul) (August 22, 2014). “\$25 for a Week Food: Students take Food-Stamp Challenge” <http://www.myfoxtwincities.com/story/26348706/food-stamp-challenge>

Food Research Action Center (September 2, 2014). Weekly News Digest #27. <http://frac.org/reports-and-resources/fracs-weekly-news-digest/>

- 16. Women In Academia Report (May 22, 2014). University of Houston Study Finds a Link Behind Childhood Poverty and Risk of Adult Obesity for Women. <http://www.wiareport.com/2014/05/university-of-houston-study-finds-a-link-behind-childhood-poverty-and-risk-of-adult-obesity-for-women/>

The Atlantic.com. (Olga Khazan; May 21, 2014). How being Poor Makes you Sick. <http://www.theatlantic.com/health/archive/2014/05/poverty-makes-you-sick/371241/>

WAMC Northeast Public Radio. The Academic Minute (March 3, 2014): Food Insecurity as a Women’s Health Issue. <http://wamc.org/post/dr-daphne-hernandez-university-houston-food-insecurity>

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- a. Houston Chronicle (February 15, 2014):

Article:

<http://www.houstonchronicle.com/news/houston-texas/houston/article/Students-go-on-25-a-week-food-stamp-diet-5237052.php?t=476ee4594122438ca1&t=476ee459413389430f>

Photos:

<http://www.chron.com/news/houston-texas/gallery/Could-you-survive-on-25-a-week-80034.php?cmpid=nprefer>

- b. KHOU (CBS Houston) (February 19, 2014): <http://www.khou.com/story/news/local/outreach/2014/07/24/12373122/>
- c. KTRK (ABC Houston) (February 22, 2014): <http://abclocal.go.com/ktrk/story?section=news/local&id=9441450&rss=rss-ktrk-article-9441450#>
- d. KUHF (Public Radio) (February 24, 2014): [http://app1.kuhf.org/articles/1386612824-Could-\\$25-A-Week-Meet-Your-Nutritional-Needs-UH-Students-Take-The-Food-Stamp-Challenge-To-Find-Out.html](http://app1.kuhf.org/articles/1386612824-Could-$25-A-Week-Meet-Your-Nutritional-Needs-UH-Students-Take-The-Food-Stamp-Challenge-To-Find-Out.html)
- e. University of Houston’s The Daily Cougar (February 24, 2014): <http://thedailycougar.com/2014/02/24/honors-students-take-food-stamp-challenge/>
- f. Also posted on the UH News Digest (twice), UH Home Page

- 14. KRIV26 (Fox Houston) Fox Morning News Extra show (October 31, 2013) – “Domestic Violence and Food Insecurity” <http://www.myfoxxhouston.com/video?&clipId=9474960&autostart=true>

KTRK13 (ABC Houston) ¡Viva Houston! television show (June 30, 2013) – “Food Insecurity in the Latino Community” http://www.uh.edu/class/hhp/news-and-events/news-archives/2013/13_hernandez-abc13.php

“Well-being and being a dad: UH Study Finds Health Benefit to Engaging with Children” was covered in the following newspapers:

UH News Digest (June 11 and 13, 2013)

The Daily Cougar (UH Newspaper, June 12, 2013)

Deer Park Broadcaster (June 7, 2013) http://www.yourhoustonnews.com/deer_park/living/well-being-and-being-a-dad-uh-study-finds-health/article_22f5cc91-8bd3-57c8-9461-e16b415b9dd0.html

Bay Area The Citizen (June 7, 2013)

Texas Medical Center News Online (January 10, 2013) – “Toddlers Most Affected by Lack of Food in Households”

KUHF 88.7FM UH Moment (January 9, 2013) – “Food Insecurity-Obesity Paradox”

KTRH 740AM Matt Patrick Show (December 17, 2012) – “Obesity, Bigger Health Crisis than Hunger”

News92FM Radio Houston (December 5, 2012) – “Food Insecurity and Importance of Food Donations”

Telemundo – Evening News Houston (August 28, 2012) – “Childhood Obesity”

MEDIA COVERAGE – Broader Expertise

KRIV26 (Channel 26, Fox Houston) (November 17, 2016) - Stereotypes of Beauty Across Cultures
<http://www.fox26houston.com/news/218270671-video>

Concur Magazine (September 1, 2015) – How Safe is our Food?
<http://concurmagazine.com/2015/09/01/how-safe-is-our-food/>

KHOU11 (Channel 11, CBS Houston) (September 4, 2014) – Health or Hype? The “Freshman 15.”
<http://www.khou.com/story/news/health/2014/09/04/health-or-hype-the-freshman-15/15060091/>

News92FM Radio Houston (July 2, 2014) – Houston, We Have a Problem: Food Deserts.
<http://news92fm.com/452594/houston-we-have-a-problem-food-deserts-hounews/>

Houston Chronicle (June 30, 2014) – An Oasis to Bloom in a Houston Food Desert.
<http://www.houstonchronicle.com/business/retail/article/John-Vuong-breaks-ground-on-oasis-for-a-Houston-5591073.php#/0>

KIAH (The CW, Channel 39 Houston) (February 26, 2014) – Big Drop in Obesity among Preschoolers.
<http://newsfixnow.com/2014/02/27/big-drop-in-obesity-among-preschoolers/>

Houston Chronicle (February 26, 2014) – Snack Industry Adapts as Craving Shifts.
<http://www.houstonchronicle.com/business/retail/article/Snack-industry-adapts-as-cravings-shift-5269892.php?t=23e92d6340>

Mi Dieta (on-line Spanish health news publication) (January 14, 2014) - ¿Los Obesos se Engripan Más?<http://univision.midieta.com/es/las-enfermedades/los-obesos-se-engripan-m%C3%A1s>

Houston Chronicle (December 4, 2013) – For This Grocer, Food Desert is an Opportunity.
<http://www.houstonchronicle.com/business/article/For-this-grocer-food-desert-is-an-opportunity-5026540.php#0>

This story was also covered by various other news organizations:

Atlanta Journal Constitution: <http://www.ajc.com/ap/ap/agriculture/some-houston-stores-are-immigrant-family-business/nb9Z6/>

Fort Worth Star Telegram: <http://www.star-telegram.com/2013/12/03/5387327/some-houston-stores-are-immigrant.html>

Tri-City Herald: <http://www.tri-cityherald.com/2013/12/03/2710324/some-houston-stores-are-immigrant.html>

Anchorage Daily News: <http://www.adn.com/2013/12/03/3210001/some-houston-stores-are-immigrant.html>

UH Daily Cougar Newspaper (November 11, 2013) – “Choosing the Right Diet”
<http://thedailycougar.com/2013/11/11/choosing-right-diet/>

UH Daily Cougar Newspaper (October 31, 2013) – “Sleep Deprivation Plagues Campus”
<http://thedailycougar.com/2013/10/31/sleep-deprivation/>

Houston Press Blog (October 21, 2013) - “Juice: It's What's for Dinner, But Is It as Good as an Actual Meal?” http://blogs.houstonpress.com/eating/2013/10/juice_its_whats_for_dinner_but.php

Pittsburgh Tribune-Review (June 5, 2011) – High Food, Fuel Costs Hit School Lunch Trays.
http://triblive.com/x/pittsburghtrib/news/education/s_740516.html#axzz2uueVZLYu

CONFERENCE SYMPOSIUM ORGANIZER/CHAIR (National)

9. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, November). Panel Organizer, *Family environmental mechanisms that link the food insecure and low-income households to negative health behaviors and outcomes*. Paper symposium to be presented at the 2019 annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.
8. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, May). Panel Organizer, *Families, Health, and Well-being*. Paper symposium presented at the 2015 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA.
7. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, May). Panel Organizer, *Marriage Instability, Union Dissolution, and Aging Health*. Paper symposium presented at the 2015 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA.
6. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2014, March). Chair, *The Role of Fathers on Adolescent Development*. Paper symposium presented at the 2014 biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Austin, TX.

5. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2013, April). Panel Organizer and Chair, *Family Structure, Father Involvement, and Childhood Obesity*. Paper symposium presented at the 2013 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA.
4. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2013, April). Panel Organizer, *Nutrition, Obesity, and Overweight in Children and Youth*. Paper symposium presented at the 2013 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA.
3. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2012, November). Chair and Panelist, *Grant Writing Workshop for Early Career Scholars*. Panel presentation at the 2012 annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Phoenix, AZ.
2. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2007, November). Chair, *Selection of Child Care Options and Consequences for Low-income Children and Families*. Paper symposium presented at the 2007 annual meeting of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC.
1. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2007, March). Chair, *Modeling Adolescent Educational and Career Aspirations: Perspectives from Canada, Finland, and Australia*. Paper symposium presented at the 2007 biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Boston, MA.

CONFERENCE SYMPOSIUM ORGANIZER/CHAIR (Local)

1. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2012, November). Chair, *Feeding and Overeating*. Paper symposium presented at the 2012 annual conference of the Texas Obesity Research Center, Houston, TX

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

* indicates graduate student co-author at the time of the presentation

** indicates undergraduate student co-author at the time of the presentation

+ indicates postdoctoral scholar at the time of submission

^ indicates senior author

159. Kamdar, N., Daundasekara, S. S., Dao, A., Greer, A., McKyer, E. L. J., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (under review). *Diet quality mediates the relation between family income and overweight/obesity among adults: Differences by sex*. Paper to be presented at the 2019 annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA
158. **Hernandez, D. C.** (under review). *Co-parenting support as a mediator of the relationship between food insecurity and maternal depression*. Paper to be presented at the 2019 annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.
157. Kamdar, N., Daundasekara, S. S., Lester, H., Utech, A., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (under review). *Food insecurity among US veterans with children: Findings from NHANES 2011 – 2014*. Poster to be presented at 2019 annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.

156. **Desai, S., **Asadifar, K., **Memon, U., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Reitzel, L. R., Murillo, R. (2019, May). *Higher perceived breast cancer risk is associated with less physical activity in women.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 American College of Sports Medicine Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida.
155. Murillo, R., **Asadifar, K., **Memon, U., **Desai, S., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Reitzel, L. R. (2019, May). *Higher perceived colorectal cancer risk is associated with greater physical activity in adults.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 American College of Sports Medicine Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida.
154. Murillo, R., Desai, S., *Reesor, L., & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, March). *Neighborhood social cohesion partially mediates the association between seeing people walk and leisure-time walking in Latino adults: the National Health Interview Survey (NHIS) 2015.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 American Heart Association's Epidemiology and Prevention/Lifestyle and Cardiometabolic Health Conference, Houston, TX.
153. *Reesor, L., **Dao, A., Murillo, M., & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, March). *Modes of physical activity engagement differ by federal poverty level among men and women: The National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES) 2007 - 2014.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 American Heart Association's Epidemiology and Prevention/Lifestyle and Cardiometabolic Health Conference, Houston, TX.
152. +Daundasekara, S. S., Schuler, B., **Longoria, A., & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, March). *Synergistic effect of food insecurity and intimate partner violence on maternal depressive symptoms.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 American Heart Association's Epidemiology and Prevention/Lifestyle and Cardiometabolic Health Conference, Houston, TX.
151. Branscum, P., Lora, K., **Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, March). *Co-associations between maternal monitoring of fruit and vegetable intake and sugar-sweetened beverage consumption among a sample of low-income Hispanic mothers.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 annual American Academy of Health Behavior, Greenville, South Carolina.
150. +Daundasekara, S. S., Schuler, B., **Nguyen, T., & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, March). *Persistent and increasing economic hardship during early childhood influences weight status during middle childhood.* Paper symposium to be presented at the 2019 Society for Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC
149. **Hernandez, D. C.**, +Daundasekara, S. S., Schuler, B., Marshall, A., LaPergola, C., & **Tobar, N. (2018, November). *Intimate partner violence and food insecurity – evidence from the Fragile Families Study.* Paper presented at 2018 annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA.
148. **Yip, M., **Truong, C., +Daundasekara, S. S., ^**Hernandez, D. C.**, Gallardo, K., Santa Maria, D., Rhoton, J., Kendzor, D., Businelle, M. S. (2018, October). *Shelter service utilization among homeless adults: Associations with substance use disorder, mental health diagnosis, and dual diagnosis.* Poster presented at 2018 annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA.
147. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L., & **Khah, I (2018, November). *Role of Marital and Motherhood Status on the Food Insecurity and Obesity Relationship.* Lighting paper presented at the 2018 annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, San Diego, CA

146. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L., **Dao, A., Murillo, R., Zhao, H., Obasi, E. M., & McNeill, L (2018, November). *Using biological measures and innovative technology to conduct families and health research*. Paper Symposium presented at the 2018 annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, San Diego, CA.
145. Moreno, J. P., Razjouyan, J., Dadabhoy, H., Amirmazaheri, M., *Reesor, L., Wood, A. C., **Hernandez, D. C.**, O'Connor, T. M., Alfano, C. A., Baranowski, T., & Thompson, D. I., (2018, May). *Evidence of Social Jetlag among Elementary School Children*. Poster presented at the 2018 International Society for Research on Biological Rhythms Conference, Amelia Island, Florida.
144. Murillo, R., *Reesor, L., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Obasi, E. M. (2018, May). *Aerobic physical activity does not mediate the association of neighborhood walkability with overweight/obesity in Latino adults*. Poster presented at the 2018 American College of Sports Medicine Annual Conference, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
143. Murillo, R., *Reesor, L., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Obasi, E. M. (2018, March). *Neighborhood social cohesion does not moderate the association of neighborhood walkability with aerobic physical activity in Latino adults: the National Health Interview Survey (NHIS) 2015*. Poster presented at the 2018 American Heart Association Epi/Lifestyle Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.
142. Moreno, J. P., Razjouyan, J., Dadabhoy, H., Amirmazaheri, M., *Reesor, L., Wood, A. C., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Najafi, B., O'Connor, T. M., Alfano, C. A., Crowley, S. L., Thompson, D. I., & Baranowski, T. (2018, June). *Tests of the disrupted behavioral rhythms hypothesis for accelerated summer weight gain: Variability of children's sleep duration during the school year and summer*. Poster presented at the 2018 International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Hong Kong, China.
141. Razjouyan, J., Najafi, B., Baby, B., Jung, G. O., *Reesor, L., Patel, A., Glaze, D. G., O'Connor, T., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Thompson, D. I., Baranowski, T., & Moreno, J. P. (2018, April). *Summer vacation, a time for rest, or is it? Exploring differences in children's sleep during the school year and summer*. Poster presented at the 2018 Society for Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.
140. Moreno, J. P., Razjouyan, J., Dadabhoy, H. *Reesor, L., O'Connor, T., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Najafi, B., Crowley, S., Alfano, C., Thompson, D., & Baranowski, T. (2018, April). *Tests of the disrupted behavioral rhythms hypothesis for accelerated summer weight gain*. Paper presented at the 2018 Society for Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.
139. Maness, S. B., Reitzel, L. R., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Santa Maria, D. M., Batson, M. A., Kendzor, D. E., & Businelle, M. S. (2018, March). *Modifiable health risk factors, self-rated health, and readiness to change among homeless adults*. Poster presented at the 2018 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behaviors, Portland, Oregon.
138. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L., & Murillo, R. (2018, March). *C-reactive protein moderates the food insecurity-obesity paradox among women*. Poster presented at the 2018 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behaviors, Portland, Oregon.
137. Greer, A., Lawrence, B., Jones, S., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Ahn, S., Zimeri, A. M., & Smith, M. L. (2018, March). *Use of an innovative farmers' market program providing free produce to lower-income*

community members. Poster presented at the 2018 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behaviors, Portland, Oregon.

136. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Arlinghaus, K., Santa Maria, D. M., Reitzel, L. R., Vidrine, J., Vidrine, D., Kendzor, D. E., & Businelle, M. S. (2017, November). *Victimization and food insecurity among homeless adults: Depression and PTSD linkages*. Poster presented the 2017 annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Atlanta, GA.
135. **Hernandez, D. C.** & **Hatem, C. (2017, April). *Early childhood food insecurity experiences and school behavior problems during middle childhood*. Poster presented at the 2017 biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Austin, Texas
134. Solari Williams, K., **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Arlinghaus, K., Reitzel, L. R., Vidrine, J., Vidrine, D., Kendzor, D. E., & Businelle, M. S. (2017, March). *Nutrition and distress intolerance as potential links between food insecurity and poor physical and mental health among homeless adults*. Poster presented at the 2017 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behavior, Tucson, Arizona.
133. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Arlinghaus, K., Reitzel, L. R., Vidrine, J., Vidrine, D., Kendzor, D. E., & Businelle, M. S. (2017, March). *Gender differences in the cumulative risk factors associated with food insecurity among homeless adults*. Poster presented at the 2017 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behavior, Tucson, Arizona.
132. **Hernandez, D. C.**, Murillo, R., Scott, C., *Reesor, L. (2016, November). *Food insecurity and pre-diabetes among adults: Gender and race/ethnic differences*. Poster presented at the 2016 annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Denver, Colorado.
131. **Hernandez, D. C.**, Murillo, R., *Reesor, L. (2016, November). *Food insecurity and obesity among adults: Gender and race/ethnic differences*. Paper presented at the 2016 annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations. Minneapolis, Minnesota.
130. **Hernandez, D. C.**, Murillo, R., *Reesor, L., Scott, C. (2016, February). *The association between food insecurity and diabetes: differences by sex and socio-economic status among older adults*. Poster presented at the 2016 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behavior, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL.
129. **Hernandez, D. C.**, *Reesor, L., Murillo, R. (2016, February). *Gender disparities in the food insecurity-obesity paradox among aging adults*. Poster presented at the 2016 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behavior, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL.
128. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, November). *Links among individual, family, and neighborhood risks and maternal weight*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
127. **Hernandez, D. C.** & *Gilroy, H. (2015, November). *Economic hardship and intimate partner violence: Bidirectional associations*. Paper presented at the 2015 annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

126. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, March). *Hispanic mothers lifespan experiences with food hardship and young children's body composition*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behaviors, San Antonio, TX.
- Hernandez, D. C. & *Pressler, E.** (2014). *Is father instability always bad for daughters?: The relationship between father churning and adolescent depression*.
Paper presented at the:
125. 2014 biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Austin, TX. (March)
124. 2014 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, MA. (May)
- Hernandez, D. C. & *Pressler, E.** (2014). *Gender differences in the association between cumulative stress and adolescent weight status*
Paper presented at the:
123. 2014 biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Austin, TX. (March)
122. 2014 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, MA. (May)
121. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2014, May). *The impact of cumulative family risks on food insecurity among households with young children*. Paper presented at the 2014 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, MA.
120. **Hernandez, D. C., Reitzel, L. R., Wetter, D. W., & McNeil, L.** (2014, March). *Social support and cardiovascular risk factors among black adults*. Poster presented at the 2014 annual meeting of the American Academy of Health Behavior, Charleston, South Carolina.
- Hernandez, D. C. & *Pressler, E.** (2013). *Race, ethnicity, & gender disparities in the embedding and accumulation of childhood poverty on young adult BMI*.
Paper presented at the:
119. 2013 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA. (April 2013)
118. 2012 annual conference of the Texas Obesity Research Center, Houston, TX. (November 2012)
117. Smock, P.J., Manning, W.D., Dorius, C., Cooksey, E., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Mitchell, K. S. (2012, June). *The intergenerational transmission of cohabitation and marriage in the US: The role of parental union histories*. Paper presented at the First Union Patterns around the World, organized by the IUSSP Scientific Panel on Nuptiality and the Center for Social Sciences and Humanities of the Spanish National Research Council, Madrid, Spain.
116. **Hernandez, D. C., *Pressler, E. & Dorius, C.** (2011, July). *The role of family structure transitions on young adults' BMI: The importance of counting cohabitation*. Poster presented at the 2011 Counting Couples Conference, Bethesda, MD.
115. **Hernandez, D. C. & Kimbro, R. T.** (2011, April). *Immigrant children's health insurance coverage by maternal region of origin and acculturation*. Paper presented at the 2011 annual meeting of the Population Association of America Conference, Washington DC.
114. **Hernandez, D. C. & *Pressler, E.** (2010, April). *Nonresident father financial contributions on child's household food insecurity*. Poster presented at the 2010 annual meeting of the Population Association of America Conference, Dallas, TX.

113. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Francis, L. (2009, November). *National School Lunch Program and weight status trajectories*. Paper presented at the 2009 annual meeting of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington DC.
- Jacknowitz, A. & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2008). *The effect of food insecurity on the physical and cognitive development of infants and toddlers*.
Paper presented at the:
112. 2008 annual meeting of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Los Angeles, CA. (November)
111. 2008 Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Innovation and Development Grants in Economics (RIDGE) Conference, Washington, DC. (October)
110. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2008, October). *“Being there makes a good dad”: Fathers views from jail*. Paper presented at the 2008 Father Involvement Research Conference, Toronto, ON.
109. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Ziol-Guest, K. M. (2008, March). *Food assistance program participation and infant growth and health*. Paper presented at the 2008 annual meeting of the Population Association of American, New Orleans, LA.
- Ziol-Guest, K. M., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2007). *Women, Infants and Children: Effect on infants’ health and well-being*.
Paper presented at the:
108. 2007 annual meeting of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC. (November)
107. 2007 Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Innovation and Development Grants in Economics (RIDGE) Conference, Washington, DC. (October)
106. **Hernandez, D. C.**, Coley, R. L., & Lewin-Bizan, S. (2006, March). *Father involvement and parental relationship quality among new parents: A reciprocal relationship?* Paper presented at the 2006 annual meeting of the Population Association of American, Los Angeles, CA.
105. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Coley, R. L. (2005/2006). *Predictors of change in male and female adolescent delinquent trajectories: Family processes and neighborhood factors examined through longitudinal growth modeling*.
Poster presented at the:
104. 2006 annual meeting of the Population Association of American, Los Angeles, CA (May 2006)
103. 2005 annual meeting of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC. (November)
102. 2005 biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Atlanta, GA. (April)
101. 2005 annual Boston College Graduate Education Association Research Forum, Chestnut Hill, MA. (April; paper presentation)
100. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Coley, R. L. (2005, April). *Addressing internal reliability and predictive validity concerns of survey reports of father involvement*. Paper presented at the 2005 annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Philadelphia, PA.

99. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Coley, R. L. (2004, October). *Determinants of stability and change in the co-occurrence of behavioral, psychological, and sexual risk behaviors among low-income adolescents.* Paper presented at the 2004 annual meeting of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Atlanta, GA.
98. **Hernandez, D. C.** & Coley, R. L. (2004, April). *A multidimensional measure of father involvement among low-income families. Who is a reliable and valid reporter?* Paper presented at the 2004 annual Boston College Graduate Education Association Research Forum, Chestnut Hill, MA.
97. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2004, March). *Development of the co-occurrence of delinquency, mental health problems, and risky sexual behavior among low-income adolescents.* Poster presented at the 2004 biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Baltimore, MD
96. Coley, R. L., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2003, November). *Determinants of paternal involvement in low-income families. How can policy intervene?* Paper presented at the 2003 annual meeting of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC.
95. **Hernandez, D. C.** (2003, April). *Father-Mother reports of father involvement used to predict child outcomes.* Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Tampa, FL.
94. Coley, R. L., Morris, J. E., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2002, April) *Out-of-school supervision of low-income adolescents: Links with academic and behavioral functioning.* Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, New Orleans, LA.

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93. **Dao, A., **Ortega, A., Murillo, R., Zhao, H., Obasi, E. M., McNeill, L., & ^Hernandez, D. C. (under review). *What Predicts Deportation Fears among Latino Immigrants: Experiences with Discrimination or Deportation Experiences.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 National Council on Family Relations. Fort Worth, Texas.
92. **Garcia, N., **Della Costa, J., Murillo, R., Zhao, H., Obasi, E. M., McNeill, L., & ^Hernandez, D. C. (under review). *Acculturative Stress by Generation Status and How Acculturative Stress Relates to Deportation Fears among Latino Immigrants.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 National Council on Family Relations. Fort Worth, Texas.
91. **Yip, M., **Zuniga, G., Murillo, R., Zhao, H., Obasi, E. M., McNeill, L., & ^Hernandez, D. C. (under review). *Cumulative Traumatic Experiences as a Predictor of Deportation Fears among Latino Immigrants.* Poster to be presented at the 2019 National Council on Family Relations. Fort Worth, Texas.

90. *Reesor, L., Murillo, R., **Hernandez, D. C.** (under review). *Evaluating the Relationship of Occupational Physical Activity and Multiple Cardiovascular Disease Risk Factors*. Poster presented at the 2019 annual American Academy of Health Behavior, Greenville, South Carolina
89. Reesor, L., M., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, March). Food insecurity predicts heavier weight preferences among white and Hispanic women and men, but not among black women nor men. Poster presented at the 2019 annual American Academy of Health Behavior, Greenville, South Carolina.
87. **Maza, V., **Garcia, N., **Della Costa, J., Murillo, R., Zhao, H., Obasi, E. M., McNeill, L. H., **Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, March). *Deportation Fears, Acculturative Stress, and Anthropometric Measurements among Immigrant Latino Adults*. Poster presented at the 2019 annual American Academy of Health Behavior, Greenville, South Carolina.
88. **Garcia, N., **Longoria, A., Murillo, R., Zhao, H., Obasi, E. M., McNeill, L. H., **Hernandez, D. C.** (2019, March). *Deportation Fears and Barriers to Physical Activity among Immigrant Latino Adults*. Poster presented at the 2019 annual American Academy of Health Behavior, Greenville, South Carolina.
86. *Arlinghaus K.R., **Longoria A., **Hernandez D.C.**, & Johnston C.A. (October 2018). Perceived stress mediates Hurricane Harvey's impact on the weight of low income, ethnic minority middle and high school students. To be presented at Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics 2018 Food and Nutrition Expo (FNCE). Washington, DC.
85. *Garey, L., Reitzel, L. R., Neisler, J., Kendzor, D. E., Zvolensky, M. J., Neighbors, C., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Businelle, M. S. (2018, September). Health-related quality of life among homeless smokers: Risk and protective factors of latent class membership. Poster to be presented at the 18th annual meeting of the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco-Europe, Munich, Germany.
84. *Carlos Chavez, F. L., Longley, K., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Grzywacz, J. G. (2018, April). *Discordance in household food security: Mental health implications for Latino adolescents* Paper presented at the 2018 Society for Research on Adolescence. Minneapolis, MN.
83. *Reesor, L., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Moreno, J. P., Johnston, C. A. (2018, April). Impact of a school-based weight management program on Mexican American adolescents during the summer months. Poster presented at the 2018 Society for Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.
82. *Carlos Chavez, F. L., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Harris, G. J., & Grzywacz, J. G. (2017, November). *Latino household food security concordance and discordance*. Paper presented at the 2017 annual National Council on Family Relations conference. Orlando, FL.
81. *Morgan, M. & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2017, October). *Team building and peer mentorship: Avenues to improve collegiate athletes' academic and psychosocial well-being*. Poster presented at the 2017 annual National Alliance of Social Workers in Sports, Dallas, TX.
80. *Arlinghaus, K. R., Vollrath, K., Dholakia, R., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Momin, S., O'Connor, T. M., Power, T. G., & Hughes, S. O. (2017, October). *Authoritative parenting feeding style is associated with better child*

diet quality at dinner. Poster presented at the 2017 annual Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo., Chicago, IL.

79. *Arlinghaus, K. R., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Johnston, C. A. (2017, October). *Using dietetic interns to facilitate a school-based obesity intervention can lead to sustained reductions in zBMI*. Poster presented at the 2017 annual Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo., Chicago, IL.
78. *Silveira, S., Cottingham, M., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2016, November). *Wheelchair rugby participation as a route to Mr. Independent*. Poster presented at the 2016 annual meeting for the American Public Health Association, Denver, CO.
77. *Powell, E. M., Frankel, L. A., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2016, March). *The mediating role of child self-regulation of eating in the relationship between parental use of food as reward and child emotional over eating*. Poster presented at the to the 2016 annual meeting for the Society for Research in Human Development, Denver, CO.
76. **Link, B.A., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Moreno, J. P., Foreyt, J. P., & Johnston, C. A. (2016, February). *Aim high, do less: An examination of minimal level of adherence needed to reach weight loss*. Poster presented at the 2016 annual meeting for the American Academy of Health Behavior, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL.
75. *Reesor, L., Hernandez, D. C., Moreno, J. P., & Johnston, C. A. (2016 February). *It's better sweating together: A peer mentor lead weight loss intervention*. Poster presented at the 2016 meeting for the American Academy of Health Behavior, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL.
74. *Reesor, L., **Moree, T., Moreno, J. P., Johnston, C. A., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2016, February). *Not so sweet summer time: Summer weight gain among school-aged children*. Poster presented at the 2016 meeting for the American Academy of Health Behavior, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL.
73. *Silveira, S., Ledoux, T., Cottingham, M., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, November). *Depressive symptoms and functional status in wheelchair rugby athletes*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting for the American Public Health Association, Chicago, IL.
72. **Okamoto, H., **Hernandez, D. C.**, McNeill, L. H., Obasi, E. M., Regan, S. D., & Reitzel, L. R. (2015, March). *Relations between the food environment and dietary intake among African American adults*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting for the American Academy of Health Behavior, San Antonio, TX.
71. *Reesor, L., **Alonso, Y., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, March). *Examining markers of cardiovascular health among Hispanic women at risk for food insecurity*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting for the American Academy of Health Behavior, San Antonio, TX.
70. *Reesor, L., *Kabiri, L., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, March). *Maternal perceptions and concerns of children's weight*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual American Academy of Health Behaviors, San Antonio, TX.

69. *Kabiri, L., ^**Hernandez, D. C.**, & Mitchell, K. (2015, February). *Body composition analysis in elementary school children*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, Indianapolis, IN.
68. *Gilroy, H., ^**Hernandez, D. C.**, & Symes, L. (2014, February). *Economic hardship and violence against women: A bidirectional relationship*. Poster presented at the 2014 annual meeting of the Southern Nursing Research Society, San Antonio, TX.
- *Pressler, E. & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2013/2014). *Intergenerational transmission of youth aspirations and attitudes via parent involvement in child education*.
Poster presented at the:
67. 44th Annual Conference of the Northeastern Educational Research Association, Rocky Hill, CT. (October 2013)
66. 2014 biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Austin, TX. (March)
- *Pressler, E. & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2011). *Maternal use of public assistance programs and its impact on early child development*.
Poster presented at the:
65. 2011 National Council on Family Relations Conference, Orlando, FL. (November)
64. 2011 National Research Conference on Child and Family Programs and Policy, Bridgewater, MA. (July)
63. *Doyle, E., & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2009, April). *Father involvement and health*. Poster presented at the 2009 biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Denver, CO.
62. *Riina, E. & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2009, April). *Father incarceration and father and mother consensus on coparenting support*. Poster presented at the 2009 biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Denver, CO.

Local/State

61. **Truong, C, *Arlinghaus, K.R., Scott, C., **Hernandez, D.C.**, & Johnston, C.A. (2018, December). Barriers and facilitators of sports participation for Hispanic female adolescents. To be presented at the 2018 annual Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance, Galveston, TX.
60. **Longoria, A., *Arlinghaus, K. R., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Johnston, C. A. (2018, December). The impact of Hurricane Harvey on the physical activity behaviors of low income, ethnic minority adolescents. Poster presented at the 2018 annual Texas Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Conference, Galveston, TX.
59. **Brown, M., *Arlinghaus, K. R., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Johnston, C. A. (2018, October). The impact of barriers and facilitators of physical activity on quality of life in low income Hispanic adolescents. Poster presented at the 2018 annual Texas Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Conference, Galveston, TX.
58. **Yip, M., **Truong, C., +Daundasekara, S. S., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Gallardo, K., Santa Maria, D., Rhoton, J., Kendzor, D., Businelle, M. S. (2018, November). Shelter service utilization among homeless

- adults: Associations with substance use disorder, mental health diagnosis, and dual diagnosis. Poster presented at Capital of Texas Undergraduate Research Conference, Austin, TX
57. *Arlinghaus, K. R., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Johnston, C. A. (2018, October). Impact of Hurricane Harvey on the health of underserved adolescents. Poster presented at the Center for Child Health Policy and Advocacy at Texas Children's Hospital's Policy to Practice: Addressing the Social Determinants of Child Health One Year Post-Harvey Conference, Houston, TX
 56. **Brown, M., *Arlinghaus, K. R., Scott, C. W., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Johnston, C. A. (2018, October). The impact of barriers and facilitators of physical activity on quality of life in low income Hispanic adolescents. Poster presented at the University of Houston's Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX.
 55. **Khan, I. *Arlinghaus, K. R., Scott, C. W., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Johnston, C. A. (2018, October). Impact of fruit and vegetable consumption on standardized body mass index (zBMI) of Mexican-American adolescents. Poster presented at the University of Houston's Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX.
 54. **Longoria, A., *Arlinghaus, K. R., Scott, C. W., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Johnston, C. A. (2018, October). The impact of Hurricane Harvey on the physical activity behaviors of low income, ethnic minority adolescents. Poster presented at the University of Houston's Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX.
 53. **Shipchandler, F. & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2018, October). India's approach to women's health. Poster presented at the University of Houston's Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX.
 52. **Yip, M., **Truong, C., +Daundasekara, S. S., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Gallardo, K., Santa Maria, D., Rhoton, J., Kendzor, D., Businelle, M. S. (2018, October). Shelter service utilization among homeless adults: Associations with substance use disorder, mental health diagnosis, and dual diagnosis. Poster presented at University of Houston's Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX
 51. **Asadifar, K., **Memon, U., **Desai, S., **Hernandez, D.C.**, Reitzel, L.R., & Murillo, R. (2018, October). *The Association of Perceived Cancer Risk with Aerobic Physical Activity in US Adults*. Poster to be presented at the University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX.
 50. **Desai, S., *Reesor, L., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Murillo, R. (2018, October). Neighborhood social cohesion partially mediates the association between seeing people walk and leisure-time walking in Latino adults. Poster presented at the University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX.
 49. *Kamdar, N., **Hernandez, D.C.**, Thompson, D.I., Hughes, S.O. (2018, April). Influence of food security on food parenting practices in parents of children ages 2-10 in English-speaking, developed countries: An integrative review. Poster presented at the Texas Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Annual Conference, Houston, TX.
 48. **Tobar, N., **Nguyen, T., **Canales, S., Scott, C. W., Johnston, C. A., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (April 2018). *Diabetes and exercise initiation*. Poster presented at the 2018 Texas Academy Annual Conference & Exhibition. Houston, TX.

47. **Ly, V., **Canales, S., Scott, C. W., Johnston, C. A., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (April 2018). *A guide for eating healthy during holiday parties and special events*. Poster presented at the 2018 Texas Academy Annual Conference & Exhibition. Houston, TX.
46. **Ruiz, J., **Longoria, A., *Hattem, C., Scott, C. W., Johnston, C. A., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (April 2018). *Healthy eating while consuming fast food and dining out*. Poster presented at the 2018 Texas Academy Annual Conference & Exhibition. Houston, TX.
45. **Owokoniran, O., **Shipchandler, F., **Tobar, N., *Reesor, L. M., Scott, C. W., Johnston, C. A., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (April 2018). *Benefits of exercising: There is more to working out than looking good*. Poster presented at the 2018 Texas Academy Annual Conference & Exhibition. Houston, TX.
44. **Longoria, A., **Gomez, I., *Arlinghaus, K., Scott, C. W., Johnston, C. A., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (April 2018). *Food labels 101*. Poster presented at the 2018 Texas Academy Annual Conference & Exhibition. Houston, TX.
43. *Hattem, C. & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2017, November). *Early childhood food insecurity experiences and school behavior problems during middle childhood*. Poster presented at the 2017 3rd Annual Graduate Research and Scholarship Projects (GRaSP) Day, Houston, Texas
42. **Fernandes, A., Jamieson, A., Madera, J., Dawson, M., Neal, J., **Hernandez, D. C.** (2017, October). *Hands on Learning : Designing a Vegetable Garden for the Hilton College of Hotel and Restaurant Management*. Poster presented at the University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX.
41. **Christian, J., Moreno, J., **Hernandez, D. C.**, O'Connor, T. M., Dholakia, R., Dadabhoy, H., Milton, A., Thompson, D. & Baranowski, T. (2017, October). *Children's Sleep Patterns during the School Year and Summer Break*. Poster presented at the University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX.
40. **Mendonza, J. O., Beltran, A., Perez, O., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & O'Connor, T. M. (2017, October). *Cultural Adaptation of 'Healthy Dad Healthy Kids' (HDHK) for Hispanic Families: Fundamental Movement Skills Play Card Get a Cultural Face Lift*. Poster presented at the University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX
39. **Canales, S., Murillo, R., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2017, October). *Links Among Individual, Family, and Neighborhood Risk and Maternal Weight*. Poster presented at the University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX
38. **Shipchandler, F., Murillo, R., Reesor, L., Scott, C., & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2017, October). *The Association between Food Insecurity and Diabetes: Differences by Sex and Socio-economic Status among Older Adults*. Poster presented at the University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX.
37. **Wrighting, Q., Reitzel, L. R. , Chen, T-A., Kendzor, D. E., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Obasi, E. M., Shree, S., & Businelle, M. S. (2017, June). *Characterizing Differences in Discrimination Experiences by Race among*

Homeless Adults. Poster presented at the 15th Annual Disparities in Health in America: Working Toward Social Justice Workshop. Houston, TX.

36. *Carlos Chavez, F. L., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Harris, G. J., & Grzywacz, J. G. (2017, April). *Household food security discrepancies among Latino parents and adolescents self-reports*. Poster presented at the 2017 Florida State University College of Human Sciences Research and Creativity Day. Tallahassee, FL.
35. **Cleveland, J. C. & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2016, October). *From PURS to e-Portfolio: Effects of icon-based menu labeling on sales at a community center café*. Oral presentation at the 2016 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX
34. **Link, B.A., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Moreno, J. P., Foreyt, J. P., Johnston, C. A. (2016, April). *Aim high, do less: An examination of minimal level of adherence needed to reach weight loss*. Poster presented at the 2016 University of Houston's College of Education's Diversity Institute Luncheon and Conference: Rewriting the Narrative, Houston, TX.
- **Alonso, Y., **Chishty, M., **Cleveland, J. C., **Machuca, I., **Marquez, Y., **Robinson, J., **Woolf, C., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, October). *Community outreach: Addressing community needs and providing practical and applied research experiences*.
Poster presented at the:
 33. 2015 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX (October)
 32. 2015 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day. Houston, TX. (October)
- **Moree, T., *Reesor, L., Moreno, J. P., Johnston, C. A., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, October). *Is summer an evil time for children's body composition*.
Poster presented at the:
 31. 2015 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX (October)
 30. 2015 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day. Houston, TX. (October)
- **Marquez, Y., Saifuddin, M., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, October). *Community Voice Project: Addressing homelessness and food insecurity*.
Poster presented at the:
 29. 2015 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX (October)
 28. 2015 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day. Houston, TX. (October)
- **Woolf, C., Saifuddin, M., ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2015, October). *Adding social services to food pantries as a way to address community needs and pantry barriers*
Poster presented at the:
 27. 2015 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day. Houston, TX (October)
 26. 2015 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day. Houston, TX. (October)

25. **Canales, S., **Alonso, Y., **Reesor, L., & ^Hernandez, D. C. (2015, April). *Food insecure Hispanic women's perceptions & body weight estimations*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting for the Texas Academy Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo, Houston, TX.
24. **Chishty, M., **Machuca, I., *Reesor, L., ^Hernandez, D. C. (April 2015). *Perceptions, satisfaction, and concerns over their children's weight*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting for the Texas Academy Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo, Houston, TX.
23. **Alonso, Y., *Reesor, L., Spielmann, G., & ^Hernandez, D. C. (2015, April). *Cardiovascular health among Hispanic women at risk for food insecurity*. Poster presented at the 2015 annual meeting for the Texas Academy Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo, Houston, TX
- **Dao, D., **Alonso, Y., **Audo, F., **Chishty, M., **Dib, L., **Esquibel, C., **Haney, K., **Moses, M., **Munoz, D., **Saavedra, F., & ^Hernandez, D. C. (2014). *Food Stamp Challenge: How well do Nutrition Majors fare on a Food Stamp diet?*
Poster presented at the:
22. 2014 annual Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Galveston, TX. (December)
21. 2014 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day, Houston, TX. (October)
20. 2014 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX. (October)
****Outstanding Poster Award****
19. **Rios, V. & ^Hernandez, D. C. (2014, December). *Psychological risk factors among food insecure Hispanic mothers*. Poster presented at the 2014 annual Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Galveston, TX.
- **Temple, S., *Kabiri, L., & ^Hernandez, D. C. (2014). *Children's physical activity, body composition, and maternal perceptions and concerns of children's weight status*.
Poster presented at the:
18. 2014 annual Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Galveston, TX. (December)
17. 2014 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day, Houston, TX. (October)
16. 2014 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX. (October)
- **Alonso, Y. & ^Hernandez, D. C. (2014, October). *Body composition measures among Hispanic mothers at risk for food insecurity*.
Poster presented at the:
15. 2014 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX. (October)
14. 2014 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day, Houston, TX. (October)
- **Rios, V. & ^Hernandez, D. C. (2014, October). *Stress and depression among food insecure Hispanic mothers in Southeast Houston, TX*.
Poster presented at the:
13. 2014 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX. (October)

12. 2014 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day, Houston, TX. (October)
11. *Kabiri, L., **Temple, S., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Mitchell, K. (2014, October). *Diagnosing childhood obesity with the Tanita BF-689*. Paper presented 2014 annual University of Houston Department of Health & Human Performance Research Day, Houston, TX.
10. **Saavedra, F., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Lee, R. (2014 October). *The impact of a garden-based nutrition education curriculum on the fruit and vegetable consumption among preschool children*. Poster presented at the 2014 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX.
9. *Kabiri, L., **Temple, S., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Mitchell, K. (2014, October). *Diagnosing childhood obesity with the Tanita BF-689*. Poster presented at the Texas Physical Therapy Association Convention, Galveston, TX.
8. **Rios, V. & **Hernandez, D. C.** (2014, April). *Stress and depression among food insecure Hispanic mothers*. Poster presented at the 2014 University of Houston Symposium for Research in Education and Psychology, Houston, TX.
7. **Kappler, K., **Hernandez, D. C.**, & Cottingham, M. (2014, April). *Cardiovascular health profiles of competitive wheelchair rugby athletes*. Poster presented at the 2014 University of Houston Symposium for Research in Education and Psychology, Houston, TX.
6. *Silveira, S., ^**Hernandez, D. C.**, Ledoux, T., & Cottingham, M. (2014, April). *Psychological health in competitive wheelchair rugby athletes*. Poster presented at the 2014 University of Houston Symposium for Research in Education and Psychology, Houston, TX.
- **Okamoto, H., *Fisher, F.D., **Hernandez, D. C.**, Reitzel, L. R., Kendzor, D. E., Kish, D., & Businelle, M. S. (2014, April). *Mindfulness is associated with stress among homeless adults*.
 5. Paper presented at the 2014 annual University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day, Houston, TX (October)
4. Poster presented at the 2014 University of Houston Symposium for Research in Education and Psychology, Houston, TX. (April)
3. **Yoder, B. & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2013, October). *Food intake similarities & differences among food insecure households*. Poster presented at the 2013 University of Houston Undergraduate Research Symposium, Houston, TX.
2. **Nelson, N. & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2011, April). *Father incarceration and its role on coparenting support and parenting stress*. Poster presented at the Undergraduate Research Exhibition, the Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.
 ****Peter T. Luckie Award for Excellence in Research (Top poster)****
1. *Greene, K. & ^**Hernandez, D. C.** (2010, April). *Disparities in immigrant children's health insurance coverage*. Poster presented at the 10th Anniversary of the Center for Family Research in Diverse Context Symposium, the Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.
 ****Winner of the Poster Competition****

TEACHING (all courses are taught face-to-face)

Teaching at the University of Houston

Undergraduate courses

HON 3397 Applied Nutrition Policy: The Interaction of Science & Practice (Spring 2014) - *teaching evaluations below*

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition (Spring 2013, 2014, 2015; 2017; Summer 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017; Fall 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017) – *teaching evaluations below*

KIN 4398 Independent Study (Fall 2014) – *no teaching evaluations*

Graduate courses

PEP 7398/PEP 8304 HHP Journal Colloquium (Spring 2015; Fall 2015) - *teaching evaluations below*

PEP 8331 Integrated Systems Physiology I (Fall 2013) - *teaching evaluations below*

PEP 7398 Journal Club (Spring 2014) – *no teaching evaluations*

PEP 8350 Candidacy Project Research (Independent Study) (Fall 2014, 2016) – *no teaching evaluations*

PEP 7398 Physical Activity & Diet in Mexico (Independent Study) (Fall 2013) – *no teaching evaluations*

PEP 7397 Advanced Selected Topics in Human Performance (Independent Study) (Fall 2013) – *no teaching evaluations*

Teaching at the University of Houston - Evaluations

Undergraduate courses

HON 3397 Applied Nutrition Policy: The Interaction of Science & Practice, Spring 2014: 4.53 (out of 5) (10 students)

Teaching evaluation averages for NUTR 4349: 4.43 (out of 5)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Fall 2016: 4.41 (out of 5) (137 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Fall 2015: 4.38 (out of 5) (130 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Fall 2014: 4.34 (out of 5) (152 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Summer 2017: (*evaluations pending*) (30 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Summer 2016: 4.98 (out of 5) (19 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Summer 2015: 4.20 (out of 5) (30 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Summer 2014: 4.63 (out of 5) (30 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Spring 2017: 4.51(out of 5) (134 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Spring 2015: 4.66 (out of 5) (160 students)

NUTR 4349 Public Policy in Nutrition, Spring 2014: 4.04 (out of 5) (161 students)

NUTR 4396 Public Policy in Nutrition, Spring 2013: 4.21 (out of 5) (84 students)

Graduate courses

PEP 8331 Integrated Systems Physiology I, Fall 2013: 4.04 (out of 5) (4 students)

Teaching evaluation averages for PEP 8304: 4.75 (out of 5)

PEP 8304 HHP Journal Colloquium, Fall 2015: 4.81 (out of 5) (10 students)

PEP 8304 HHP Journal Colloquium, Spring 2015: 4.68 (out of 5) (10 students)

Teaching at the Pennsylvania State University - Evaluations

Undergraduate course

HDFS 429 Advanced Child Development (Teaching evaluation average from Fall 2008 – 2010)

Quality of Course: 5.90 (out of 7); Quality of Instructor: 6.01 (out of 7)

Graduate course

HDFS 597D Fathers and Families

Quality of Course: 6.00 (out of 7); Quality of Instructor: 6.50 (out of 7)

MENTORING

Graduate Students:

Cherine Hatem	University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance (HHP), 2017 – 2018 To date: 1 co-author poster presentation, 3 rd place HHP's Elevator Speech Contest (2017)
Katie Arlinghaus	University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, 2016 – present • To date: 1 lead author manuscript published; 1 co-author manuscript under review, 3 co-author poster presentations, 2 lead author posters to be presented, 2 nd place at HHP's Elevator Speech Contest (2016 & 2017)
Layton Reesor	University of Houston, Department of Health & Human Performance, 2014 – present • To date: 8 co-author published manuscripts, 1 lead author manuscript published, 1 lead author manuscript under review, 5 lead author poster presentations, 15 co-author poster presentations
Laura Kabiri	Texas Woman's University, Physical Therapy, 2014 – 2015 • To date: 1 lead author published manuscript, 1 co-author manuscript published, 1 lead author paper presentation, 2 lead author poster presentations, 4 co-author poster presentations
Heidi Gilroy	Texas Woman's University, Nursing Science, 2013 – 2014 • 1 lead author poster presentation; 1 co-author paper presentation
Emily Pressler	Penn State University, Human Development & Family Studies Department, 2009-2014 • NSF Graduate Fellowship - Penn State Incentive Award (\$1,000), 2010 • NSF Graduate Fellowship Honorable Mention, 2011 • 5 co-authored published manuscripts, 1 published abstract, 4 lead author poster presentations, 8 co-author poster presentations
Concetta Mineo	Penn State University, Human Development & Family Studies Department, 2011-2012

- College of Health and Human Development Ford Fellowship (\$5,000), 2011
- Penn State Graduate School's Robert W. Graham Fellowship (\$2000), 2011
- Early Childhood Longitudinal Study-Birth Cohort Travel Grant, 2011 (Declined)
- 1 co-author published manuscript

Ph.D. Committees:

University of Houston
Layton Reesor

Department of Health & Human Performance, 2014 – present
(candidacy, comprehensive exam, and dissertation chair)

Christine Che-young Lee

Department of Health & Human Performance, 2017
(comprehensive exam committee member)

Katie Arlinghaus

Department of Health & Human Performance, 2017
(candidacy committee member)

Sajeevika Saumali Daundasekara

Department of Health & Human Performance, 2015 – 2016
(candidacy committee member; dissertation committee member)

Stephanie Silveira

Department of Health & Human Performance, 2013 – 2015
(candidacy committee member; comprehensive exam member)

Erica Soltero

Department of Health & Human Performance, 2012 – 2013
(candidacy committee member)

St. Thomas University
Brandon Green

School of Education and Human Services, Ed.D in Ethical Leadership, 2019 (dissertation committee member)

Pennsylvania State University
Emily Pressler

Department of Human Development & Family Studies, 2012 – 2014 (candidacy, comprehensive exam, and dissertation chair)

Julia Moore

Department of Human Development & Family Studies, 2010-2011 (candidacy and dissertation member)

Matt VanEseltine

Department of Sociology & Crime & Law & Justice, 2009-2011 (comprehensive exam and dissertation member)

Cassandra Dorius

Department of Sociology & Crime & Law & Justice, 2009-2010 (dissertation member)

Martha Gault Department of Sociology & Crime & Law & Justice, 2007-2009 (dissertation member)

Masters Committees:

University of Houston

Kara Slaughter Jack J. Valenti School of Communication, 2019 (member)

Najmus Saher Department of Health & Human Performance (MS in Exercise Science), 2014 – 2015 (member)

Kirstin Vollrath Department of Health & Human Performance (MS in nutrition), 2012 – 2014 (member)

Kelly Mooney Department of Anthropology, 2012 – 2014 (member)

Pennsylvania State University

Emily Pressler Department of Human Development & Family Studies, 2011 – 2012 (chair)

Kaylin Greene Department of Human Development & Family Studies, 2010 – 2011 (chair)

Undergraduate Students:

Houston Community College

Mallory Haynes HOUSTON Academy Program, Summer 2017 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$500)

Pablo Terradillos Suarez HOUSTON Academy Program, Summer 2017 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$500)

Vi Ly HOUSTON Academy Program, Fall 2017 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$500)

Tommy Nguyen HOUSTON Academy Program, Fall 2017 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$500)

Shelby Bandy HOUSTON Academy Program, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$500)

Texas Southern University

Arleen Longoria HOUSTON Academy Program, Summer & Fall 2017, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$3,000)

Ian Gomez	HOUSTON Academy Program, Fall 2017, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$1,500)
Ti'ara Johnson	HOUSTON Academy Program, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$750)
<i>University of Houston-Downtown</i>	
Mario Alavez	HOUSTON Academy Program, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$1,000)
Jerika Ruiz	HOUSTON Academy Program, Fall 2017, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$2,000)
Vi Ly	HOUSTON Academy Program, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$1,000)
Mariam Dadani	HOUSTON Academy Program, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$1,000)
<i>University of Houston</i>	
Madison Brown	HOUSTON Academy Program, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$1,000)
Chelsea Truong	HOUSTON Academy Program, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$1,000)
Mark Sommer	HOUSTON Academy Program, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$1,000)
Ola Owokoniran	HOUSTON Academy Program, Fall 2017 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$2,000)
Fatema Shipchandler	Tier One Scholarship, Summer 2017 (\$1,000) HOUSTON Academy Program, Fall 2017 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$1,000) Albert Schweitzer Junior Fellowship, Summer 2018 International Education Fee Scholarship, University of Houston, Summer 2018 \$1,300 Houston Scholars, University of Houston, Summer 2018 \$5,000
Jessica Christian	Food Safety & Nutrition Ambassadors Program 2017 (Grant # 2015-38422-24080) (\$2,500)

Abraham Vicuna	Food Safety & Nutrition Ambassadors Program 2017 (Grant # 2015-38422-24080) (\$2,500)
Cherine Hatem	Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Fall 2016
Telma Moreira	Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Fall 2016
Nubia Tobar	Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Fall 2016 HOUSTON Academy Program, Summer & Fall 2017, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$4,000)
Jhonathan Orozco	Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Fall 2016 Food Safety & Nutrition Ambassadors Program 2017 (Grant # 2015-38422-24080) (\$2,500)
Sara Barchie	Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Spring 2016
Brooke Reichel	Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Spring 2016 Food Safety & Nutrition Ambassadors Program 2016 (Grant # 2015-38422-24080) (\$2,500) • 1 co-author manuscript in press
Aracely Michel	Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Spring 2016
Abdullah Shuaib	Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Spring 2016 • 1 co-author published book chapter
Rania Alzein	Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Fall 2015 Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Spring 2016
Jennifer Chase Cleveland	Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (\$1,000), Fall 2016 Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Summer 2014 • 1 oral presentation & 1 co-author poster presentation
Brittany Link	Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (unfunded participant), Spring 2016 Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Spring 2016 Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Spring 2015 – Fall 2015 • 2 lead author poster presentations
Taylor Moree	Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Spring 2015 – Fall 2015 Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (unfunded participant), Fall 2015 • 2 lead author poster presentations & 1 co-author poster presentation

Cheryl Woolf	<p>Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Spring 2015 – Fall 2015 Summer Research Fellowship (SURF) Program (\$3,500 to student; \$300 to faculty member), 2015</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 lead author poster presentations & 1 co-author poster presentation
Yasmine Marquez	<p>Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Spring 2015 – Fall 2015</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 lead author poster presentations & 1 co-author poster presentation
Paul Morales	<p>Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Spring 2016 Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Spring 2015 – Fall 2015</p>
Hiroe Okamoto	<p>Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Fall 2014</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 lead author publication, 1 co-author published manuscript, 1 oral presentation, 2 lead author poster presentations
Misha Chishty	<p>Provost’s Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (\$1,000), Spring 2015 Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Fall 2014 – Fall 2015</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 co-author published manuscript, 1 lead poster presentation, 5 co-author poster presentations
Denny Dao	<p>Provost’s Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (\$1,000), Fall 2014 Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Fall 2014</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 lead author poster presentations (won “Outstanding Poster Award”)
Iris Machuca	<p>Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Summer 2014 – May 2015</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 co-author published manuscript, 3 co-author poster presentations
Shelley Temple	<p>Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Summer 2014</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 lead author poster presentations, 1 co-author oral presentation, 1 co-author poster presentation
Yanely Alonso	<p>Outstanding Nutrition Student Award, 2015 <i>The Outstanding Nutrition Award is given to a graduating senior who has displayed exceptional academics and service to the health profession through research and volunteer work.</i> Provost’s Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (\$1,000), Spring 2015 Summer Research Fellowship (SURF) Program (\$3,500 to student; \$300 to faculty member), 2014</p>

	<p>Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Fall 2014 – Fall 2015</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 co-author published manuscripts, 5 lead author poster presentations, 5 co-author poster presentations
Victoria Rios	<p>Outstanding Nutrition Student Award, 2014 <i>The Outstanding Nutrition Award is given to a graduating senior who has displayed exceptional academics and service to the health profession through research and volunteer work.</i></p> <p>Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (\$1,000), Spring 2014</p> <p>Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Fall 2013 – Fall 2014</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 lead author poster presentations
Steven Canales	<p>HOUSTON Academy Program, Fall 2017, Spring 2018 (Grant #: 2017-67032-26021) (\$3,000)</p> <p>Summer Research Fellowship (SURF) Program (\$3,500 to student; \$300 to faculty member), 2017</p> <p>MD-Summer Experience at Emory, Summer 2016 (\$2,500) (declined)</p> <p>Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (\$1,000), Spring 2016</p> <p>Undergraduate Research Travel Fellowship, Spring 2015 (\$110)</p> <p>Yale University's Summer Medical and Dental Education Program, Summer 2014 (\$1,340)</p> <p>Nutrition and Health Behaviors Intern, Spring, Fall 2016</p> <p>Texas Obesity Research Center Intern, Fall 2013 – Fall 2015</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To date: 1 lead author poster presentation, 1 co-author published manuscript
Kristin Kappler	<p>Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (\$1,000), Spring 2014</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 poster presentation
Fiorella Saavedra	<p>Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship (PURS) Program (\$1,000), Fall 2013</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 lead author poster presentation & 3 co-author poster presentations
Boston Yoder	<p>Summer Research Fellowship (SURF) Program (\$3,500 to student; \$300 to faculty member), 2013</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 lead author poster presentation
<i>Pennsylvania State University:</i> Nandi Nelson	<p>McNair Scholar, Department of Human Development & Family Studies (HDFS), 2010 - 2012</p>

- Alumni Board Life Promise Award (*Award given to an undergraduate student who has demonstrated positive academic growth, social maturity, leadership qualities, and a commitment to continued improvement*), 2010-2011
- Peter T. Luckie Award for Excellence in Research (*Top poster at the Undergraduate Research Exhibition – Phi Kappa Phi Honors Society*), 2011
- Trio Scholarship Recipient (*1 of 10 students in the state of PA to receive this honor*), 2011
- Undergraduate Research at the Capital (*1 of 4 undergraduate students from Penn State selected to present their research to PA state legislators*), 2011

Susanna Daniels

Schreyer Honors College, Department of Human Development & Family Studies (HDFS), 2010 - 2012

- Schreyer Honors College Thesis Grant (\$300)
- HDFS Student Marshal at Graduation (*Departmental award given to top undergraduate*)

Stephanie Ohlson

Schreyer Honors College, Department of Human Development & Family Studies (HDFS), 2007 - 2009

- Schreyer Honors College Thesis Grant (\$500)
- Reddy Mission Award (*Honors College award given to undergraduate who stood out in academic excellence, globalization, and civic engagement*)
- HDFS Student Marshal at Graduation (*Departmental award given to top undergraduate*)

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT, COLLEGE, & UNIVERSITY

Department Committee Leadership Positions

University of Houston

Department of Health & Human Performance

Nutrition & Obesity Studies Faculty Search Committee (Chair)

2014 - 2015

Department Committee Memberships & Service Roles

University of Houston

Department of Health & Human Performance

Dietetic Internship Admissions Committee

2016 - 2017

Strategic Planning Committee (Member)

2014 - 2015

Graduate Research Degree Committee: Been involved with various subcommittee: Faculty Membership, Graduate Admissions, Independent Study, Petitions

2013 – present

Professional Graduate Degree Committee (Member)

2013 - 2015

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Undergraduate Studies Committee (Member)	2012 – 2013
Exercise Physiology Search Committee (Member)	2012 - 2013
Pennsylvania State University	
Department of Human Development & Family Studies	
Women’s Leadership Initiative (Member)	2010 – 2012
Diversity Committee (Member)	2009 – 2010
Family Studies Search Committee (Member)	2008 – 2009
Graduate Admissions Committee (Member)	2007 - 2008
Population Research Institute	
DeJong Lecture Committee (Member)	2010 – 2012
Immigration Working Group Speaker Committee (Member)	2010 - 2011

University Committee Leadership Positions

University of Houston	
Texas Obesity Research Center	
Executive Board Committee	2013 – 2015
Internship/Outreach Coordinator	2013 – 2015
Pennsylvania State University	
Departmental Faculty Mentor for the Social Scientists for Increased Diversity (SOLID) Program sponsored by the National Science Foundation’s Alliances for Graduate Education & the Professoriate Program (AGEP)	2008 - 2012
United Way Campaign	2009 – 2011

University Committee Memberships & Service Roles

University of Houston	
Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Data Analyst Search Committee	2018 - present
Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Institute Steering Committee	2018 - present
Food Insecurity Work Group	2018 - present
Faculty Senate (Senator)	2018 - present
Executive Committee (Member-at-Large)	2019 - present
Community & Government Relations Committee	2018 – present
Food Service Advisory Committee (Faculty Senate Representative)	2018
LGBTQ Advisory Board Committee (Faculty Senate Representative)	2018
Center for Mexican American Studies (Inter-University Program for Latino Research) – Mexican American & Latino Studies Minor Committee	2017 - present
HEALTH Research Institute	2016 – present
Las Comadres Mentoring Program	2016 - 2018
ADVANCE Grant Recruiting & Retention Committee	2014 – 2015
Campus Recreation & Wellness Center Planning Committee: Fed Up movie screening	2014 – 2015
Texas Obesity Research Center, Director Search Committee	2013 – 2015

Pennsylvania State University

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Grant Review Service

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| 4. | National Center for Marriage and Family Research (Bowling Green University):
Fathers and Fathering | 2011 |
| 3. | National Science Foundation Law and Social Science Program | 2008 |
| 2. | National Poverty Center Small Grants Program (University of Michigan): Family
Structure, Family Well-being & Poverty | 2006 |
| 1. | Administration for Children and Family Healthy Marriage Research Initiative Grant | 2005 |

Journal Editorial Board Activities

Editorial Board

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| <i>Fathering: A Journal of Theory, Research, and Practice about Men as Fathers</i> | 2009 - 2012 |
| <i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i> | 2018 - present |

Associate Editor

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| <i>Family and Community Health</i> | 2018 - present |
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Journal Editorial Activities

Editor Search Committee

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| <i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i> | 2014 - 2015 |
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Editor, Guest Co-Editor

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| <i>Journal of Applied Research on Children: Informing Policy for Children at Risk, 6(2),
Nutrition and Food Insecurity (Sharma, S.)</i> | 2015 |
| <i>Family and Community Health, 42, (4), Family Health in Hispanic Communities
(Branscum, P.)</i> | 2018 - 2019 |

Journal Reviewing Activities

Ad Hoc Reviewer

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| <i>American Journal of Health Behavior</i> | <i>Maternal & Child Nutrition</i> |
| <i>Child Development</i> | <i>Pediatrics</i> |
| <i>Fathering</i> | <i>Public Health Reports</i> |
| <i>Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health</i> | <i>Social Problems</i> |
| <i>Journal of Family Issues</i> | <i>Sociological Perspectives</i> |
| <i>Journal of Hunger and Environmental Nutrition</i> | <i>Social Science Review</i> |
| <i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i> | |

Professional Leadership Positions

American Academy of Health Behaviors (AAHB)	
Research Review Chair – elect	2018
Research Review Chair	2019
Past Research Review Chair	2020
National Council on Family Relations (NCFR)	
Inclusion and Diversity Committee, Member-at-Large	2018 - 2021
Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA)	
Young Scholars Program, Senior Mentor	2014

Professional Organization Membership & Service

Professional Membership

American Academy of Health Behavior (AAHB)	2014 – present
Professional Development: AAHB Research Scholar’s Mentoring Program, Mentee	2015 - 2016
National Council on Family Relations (NCFR)	2015 - present
Ethnic Minorities Section	
Family & Health Section	
Family Policy Section	
Family Science Section	
Texas Council on Family Relations	
Population Association of America (PAA)	2000 - present
Society for Research in Adolescence (SRA)	2000 - present
Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD)	2000 - present

Professional Conference Review Activities

American Academy of Health Behavior (AAHB) Annual Conference	2016 - present
American Public Health Association (APHA) Annual Conference – <i>Epidemiology of Obesity</i>	2017 - present
National Council Family Relations (NCFR) Annual Meeting	
Reviewed paper and poster abstracts for the following categories:	
Advancing Family Science	2014 - 2016
Ethnic Minorities	2014 - 2016
Families & Health	2014 - present
Family Policy	2014 - present
Population Association of America (PAA) Annual Meeting,	
Reviewed paper and poster abstracts for the following sections:	
Families, Health, and Well-being	2014
Nutrition, Obesity, and Overweight in Children and Youth	2012

Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA) Biennial Meeting,

Reviewed paper and poster abstracts for the following sections:

Family Processes	2015
Health and Health Behaviors	2013
Applied Research, Program Evaluation, and Public Policy	2009
Applied Research, Program Evaluation, and Public Policy	2007
Schools, Education, and Academic Achievement	2005

Society for Research on Child Development (SRCD) Biennial Meeting,

Reviewed paper and poster abstracts for the following sections:

Health, Growth, and Injury	2014
Family Relationships	2010
Family Relationships	2008
At-Risk: Biological, Cognitive, Social, Emotional, and Personality Processes	2006

Professional Committee Service

Association of Public Policy & Management (APPAM)

Web Site Committee	2006 - 2007
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SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

Community Advising

Board of Directors Member, Target Hunger	2019 – present
Member, Greater Houston Coalition on Social Determinants of Health	2019 – present
Member, Houston SNAP Task Force	2018 –present
Academic Advisory Board, Houston Food Bank’s Food for Change Program	2017 - present
Healthy Living Matters Healthcare Sector Action Team (HLM HSAT) Working Group, A Houston/Harris County Childhood Obesity Prevention Collaborative	2016 - present
Community Advisory Board for Health & Wellness, Harbach-Ripley Neighborhood Centers Inc.	2014 - present
Hospitality Committee, Southern Obesity Summit	2016
Nutrition Policy Working Group, Houston Food Bank	2016 - 2017
Community Advisory Board, Hunger Free Texans Steering Committee	2014 – 2015

LANGUAGES

Spanish