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Director: The University of Texas School of Public Health/Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas Research Program in Payment Systems and Policies, UT School of Public Health, 2011-present

Center for Health Promotion and Prevention Research, UT School of Public Health, 2007-present

Center for Health Services Research, UT School of Public Health, 2003-present

Center for Clinical Research and Evidence Based Medicine, UT Medical School, 1998-present

BACKGROUND

EDUCATION

1977: Bachelor of Science, Economics, London School of Economics, London, England

1978: Master of Science, Econometrics and Mathematical Economics, London School of Economics,

London, England

1983: Ph.D., Econometrics, London School of Economics, London, England

Dissertation: "Estimating and Testing the Parameters to Time Varying Econometric Models."

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AWARDS

- 1996-2011 Dean's Teaching Excellence Award, UT-School of Public Health.
- 1997- 2011 Excellence in Research Award, UT-School of Public Health.
- 2009 Franzini el al AJPH 2009 voted 2nd most influential paper in childhood obesity research by RWJF.
- 2007 President's Award for Mentoring Women, University of Texas Health Science Center.
- 2005 Outstanding Young Investigator Award, University of Texas Health Science Center.
- 2007 President's Scholar Award for Teaching (runner-up), University of Texas Health Science Center
- 2006 President's Scholar Award for Teaching (finalist), University of Texas Health Science Center

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2011-present	Professor and Division Director, Management, Policy, and Community Health Division, The University of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, Texas
2005-2011	Associate Professor with Tenure, Management, Policy, and Community Health Division, The University of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, Texas
2000-2005	Assistant Professor (Tenure track), Management, Policy, and Community Health Division, The University of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, Texas
1994-2000	Assistant Professor (Non-Tenure track), The Center for Society and Population Health, (formerly The Health Policy Institute), The University of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, Texas
1992-1994:	Researcher, Health Policy Research and Analysis, The University of Texas, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, Texas
1990-1992:	Adjunct Professor, Department of Economics, The University of Houston-University Park, Houston, Texas
1987-1989:	Assistant Professor (visiting), Department of Statistics, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1985-1986:	Lecturer, Department of Statistics, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1984-1985:	Lecturer, Economics Department, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1979-1980:	Economist, Schroder Wagg Merchant Bank, London, England

RESEARCH

PUBLICATIONS (* indicates student co-author)

Journal articles peer-reviewed

- 71. SL Michael, K Wentzel, MN Elliott, DE Kanouse, PJ Dittus, JL Wallander, KE Pasch, **L Franzini**, WC Taylor, T Qureshi, MA Schuster "Parental and peer factors associated with body image discrepancy among fifth-grader boys and girls" accepted <u>Journal of Youth and Adolescence</u>, 2013.
- 70. ZZ Nurgalieva*, **L. Franzini**, R. Morgan, SW Vernon, CC Liu, XL Du "Impact of timing of adjuvant chemotherapy initiation and completion after surgery on racial disparities in survival among women with breast cancer" accepted <u>Medical Oncology</u>, 2012
- 69. HV Russell*, J Panchal*, H VonVille, **L Franzini**, JM Swint "Economic evaluations of pediatric cancer treatment: a systemic literature review" accepted <u>Pediatrics</u>, 2012.
- 68. S Pathak*, MD Low, **L Franzini**, JM Swint "A Review of Canadian Policy on Social Determinants of Health" Review of European Studies, Vol. 4 (no. 4), 8-22, 2012.
- 67. MO Caughy, **L Franzini**, M Windle, P Dittus, P Cuccaro, MN Elliott, MA Schuster. "Social Competence in Late Elementary School: Relationships to Parenting and Neighborhood Context" accepted <u>Journal of Youth</u> and Adolescence, 2012.
- 66. DS Buck, CA Brown, K Mortensen, JW Riggs, **L Franzini**. "Comparing Homeless and Domiciled patients' Utilization of the Harris County, Texas Public Hospital System" accepted <u>Journal of Health Care for the</u> Poor and Underserved, 2012

- 65. Wallander JL, C Fradkin, AT Chien, S Mrug, SW Banspach, S Davies, MN Elliott, **L Franzini**, MA Schuster. "Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Health-Related Quality of Life and Health in Children Are Largely Mediated by Family Contextual Differences" accepted <u>Academic Pediatrics</u>, 2012.
- 64. WC Taylor, **L Franzini**, N Olvera, WSC Poston, G Lin "Walking Environmental Audits of Friendliness toward Physical Activity in Three Income Levels" <u>Journal of Urban Health</u>, Online First[™], 2 February 2012.
- 63. L Lal, S Byfield DaCosta, E Chang, **L Franzini.**, L Miller, R. Arbuckle, L Reasonda, C Feng, A Adamus, JM Swint. "Cost-effectiveness analysis of a randomized study with stereotactic radiosurgery (SRS) versus SRS plus whole brain radiation therapy (WBRT) for patients with brain metastases" <u>American Journal of Clinical Oncology</u>, 35(1):45-50, 2012.
- 62. **L Franzini**, OI Mikhail, M Zezza, I Chan, SC Shen, J Smith. "Comparing Variation in Medicare and Private Insurance Spending in Texas" <u>American Journal of Managed Care</u>, Vol. 17 Issue 12, pe488-e495, 2011.
- 61. Sail K*, **Franzini L**, Lairson DR, Du XL. "Clinical and economic outcomes associated with adjuvant chemotherapy in elderly patients with early stage operable breast cancer" accepted Value in Health, 2011.
- 60. Sail K*, **Franzini L**, Lairson DR, Du XL. "Differences in Treatment and Survival among African American and Caucasian Women with Early Stage Operable Breast Cancer" accepted <u>Ethnicity and Health</u>, 2011.
- 59. TM Felder*, LS Lal, CL Bennett, F Hung, **L Franzini** "Cancer patients' use of pharmaceutical patient assistance programs in the outpatient pharmacy of a large tertiary cancer center" accepted <u>Community Oncology</u>, 2011.
- 58. N Perez*, **L Franzini**, DH Freeman, H Ju, K Peek. "A Population-Based Study of Job Stress in Mexican Americans, non-Hispanic Blacks, and non-Hispanic Whites" <u>Hispanic Journal of Behavioral Sciences</u>, 33(2):221-33. doi: 10.1177/0739986311406078, May 2011.
- 57. KR Sexton*, **L Franzini**, Vernon SW, Day RS, Brewster A, Bondy ML. "A review of body size and breast cancer risk and prognosis in Hispanic and African-American women" <u>Cancer.</u> 117(23):5271-81, 2011. 2011.
- 56. A White*, SW Vernon, **L Franzini**, XL Du. "Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Colorectal Cancer Screening Persisted Despite Expansion of Medicare's Screening Reimbursement". <u>Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention</u>, 20(5):811-7, 2011.
- 55. E Gammon*, **L Franzini** "Revisiting the Cost of Medical Student Education" <u>Journal of Health Care</u> Finance, 37(3):72–86, 2011.
- 54. L Lal, **L Franzini**, J Panchal*, E Chang, CA Meyers, JM Swint "Economic impact of stereotactic radiosurgery for malignant intracranial brain tumors" <u>Expert Review of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research</u>, 11 (2):195-204, 2011.
- 53. **L Franzini**, K Sail*, EJ Thomas, L Wueste "Cost and cost-effectiveness of a tele-ICU program at a large healthcare system" <u>Journal of Critical Care.</u> 26(3):329.e1-329.e6, 2011.
- 52. RL McConley, S Mrug, MJ Gilliland, R Lowry, MN Elliott, MA Schuster, LM Bogart, **L Franzini**, SL Escobar-Chaves, FA Franklin. "Mediators of Maternal Depression and Family Structure on Child BMI: Parenting Quality and Risk Factors for Child Overweight" Obesity, 19(2):345-52, 2011.
- 51. R Basu*, **L Franzini**, PM Krueger, DR Lairson "Lifetime medical expenditures among hypertensive men and women in the U.S.", Women's Health Issues. 20(2):114-25, 2010.
- 50. **L Franzini,** J Skinner, O Mikhail "McAllen And El Paso Revisited: Medicare Variations Not Always Reflected In The Under-Sixty-Five Population" <u>Health Affairs</u>, 29 (12): 2302-2309, 2010.
- 49. **L Franzini**, M Giannoni. "Determinants of health disparities between Italian regions" <u>BMC Public Health</u>, 10:296 (1 June 2010) http://www.biomedcentral.com/1471-2458/10/296, 2010.

- 48. A White*, SW Vernon, **L Franzini**, XL Du. "Disparities in colorectal cancer survival: To what extent are racial disparities explained by differences in treatment, tumor or hospital characteristics?" <u>Cancer</u>, 116(19): 4622-31, 2010.
- 47. JA Boom, LC Shani, CS Nelson, AC Dragsbeak, **L Franzini** "Immunization information system opt-in consent: At what cost?" <u>Journal of Public Health Management and Practice</u>, 16(5): E18-E25, 2010.
- 46. R Basu*, **L Franzini**, PM Krueger, DR Lairson "Gender disparities in medical expenditures attributable to hypertension in the U.S." <u>Women's Health Issues</u>, 20(2): 114-125, March-April 2010.
- 45. **L Franzini**, W Taylor, MN Elliott, P Cuccaro, SR Tortolero, MJ Gilliland, JA Grunbaum, MA Schuster "Neighborhood characteristics favorable to outdoor physical activity: Disparities by socioeconomic and racial/ethnic composition" <u>Health and Place</u>, 16(2): 267-274, 2010.
- 44. NJ Rianon NJ*, BJ Selwyn, SM Shahidulla, JM Swint, **L Franzini**, RS Rasu* "Cost of health education to increase STD awareness in female garment workers in Bangladesh" <u>International Electronic Journal of</u> Health Education, 12: 135-149, 2009.
- 43. S Murty*, **L Franzini**, MD Low, JM Swint. "Policies/programs for reducing health inequalities by tackling non-medical determinants of health in the United Kingdom" <u>Social Science Quarterly</u>, 90:1403-1422, 2009.
- 42. CL Mansyur*, BC Amick, III, RB Harrist, **L Franzini**, RE Roberts "The cultural production of health inequalities" <u>International Journal of Health Services</u>, 39(2), 301-319, 2009.
- 41. **L Franzini**, MN Elliott, P Cuccaro, M Schuster, MJ Gilliland, JA Grunbaum, F Franklin, SR Tortolero "Influences of physical and social neighborhood environments on child physical activity and obesity" American Journal of Public Health, 99(2), 271-278, 2009.
- 40. CL Mansyur*, BC Amick, III, **L Franzini**, RE Roberts "Culture and the social context of health inequalities" International Journal of Health Services, 39(1), 85-206, 2009.
- 39. **L Franzini** "Self-rated health, and trust in low income Mexican-origin individuals in Texas" <u>Social Science and Medicine</u>, 67(12): 1959-1969, 2008
- 38. **L Franzini** "Predictors of trust in low income, minority neighborhoods in Texas" <u>Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved</u>, 19(4):1282-1302, 2008
- 37. JM Swint, **L Franzini**, C Honda*, Y Murakami, RS Rasu "Relationships between economic growth and population health in low and middle income countries" Osaka Economic Papers, 58(2): 74-107, 2008.
- 36. R Emory*, MO Caughy, TR Harris, **L Franzini** "Neighborhood social processes and academic achievement in elementary school" Journal of Community Psychology, 36(7): 885-898, 2008.
- 35. **L Franzini,** E Thomas "Costs and effectiveness of tele-ICU in reducing morbidity and mortality in ICUs" Journal of Medical Economics, 11(1): 165-169, 2008.
- 34. **L Franzini,** CB Dyer "Health care costs and utilization of vulnerable elders reported to adult protective services for self-neglect" <u>Journal of the American Geriatrics Society</u>, 56: 667-676, 2008; published with editorial comment by M. Lachs pages 757.
- 33. BC Dyer, **Franzini, L**, M Watson, L Sanchez, L Prati, S Mitchell, R Wallace, S Pickens "Future research: A prospective longitudinal study of elder self-neglect" <u>Journal of the American Geriatrics Society</u>, 56 (SUPPL. 2): S261-S265, 2008.
- 32. **L Franzini**, MO Caughy, SM Nettles, P O'Campo. "Perceptions of disorder: Contributions of neighborhood characteristics to subjective perceptions of disorder" Journal of Environmental Psychology, 28: 83-93, 2008.
- 31. C Mansyur*, RC Amick, RB Harrist, **L Franzini**. "Social capital, income inequality, and self-rated health in 45 countries" <u>Social Science and Medicine</u>, 66: 43-56, 2008.
- 30. NR Barshes*, IB. Horwitz, **L Franzini**, JM. Vierling, JA. Goss. "Waitlist mortality decreases with increased use of extended criteria donor liver grafts at adult liver transplant centers". <u>American Journal of Transplantation</u>, 7(5): 1265-70, 2007.

- 29. XL Du, TE Meyer*, **L Franzini** "Meta-analysis of racial disparities in survival in association with socioeconomic status among men and women with colon cancer" <u>Cancer</u>, 109(11):2161-70, 2007.
- 28. **L Franzini**, J Boom, C Nelson. "Cost-effectiveness analysis of a community-based immunization education intervention" <u>Ambulatory Pediatrics</u>, 7(2):167-175, 2007.
- 27. JK Mayben*, JR Kramer, MA Kallen, **L Franzini**, DR Lairson, TP Giordano "Predictors of delayed HIV diagnosis in a recently diagnosed cohort" <u>AIDS Patient Care and STDs</u>, 21(3):195-204, Mar 2007.
- 26. AL Coker, JS Hanks *, J Risser, PG Tee, KS Eggleston, KJ Chronister, R Arafat, **L Franzini.** "Social and mental health needs assessment of Katrina evacuees disaster management & response" <u>Disaster Management & Response</u>: DMR. 4(3):88-94, Jul-Sep 2006.
- 25. **L Franzini**, ME Fernandez Esquer "The association of subjective social status and health in low-income Mexican-origin individuals in Texas" <u>Social Science and Medicine</u>, 63(3), 788-804, 2006.
- 24. L Franzini, MO Caughy, W Spears, ME Fernandez Esquer "Neighborhood economic conditions, social processes, and self-rated health: a multilevel latent variables model" <u>Social Science and Medicine</u>, 61, 1135-1150, 2005.
- 23. **L Franzini**, JC Ribble, KA Wingfield*. "Religion, socio-demographic and personal characteristics, and self-reported health in whites, blacks, and Hispanics living in low-SES neighborhoods" <u>Ethnicity and Disease</u>, 15(3):469-484, 2005.
- 22. MO Caughy, **L Franzini**. "Individual and neighborhood correlates of cultural differences in perceived effectiveness of parental disciplinary tactics". <u>Parenting: Science and Practice</u>, 5(2):119-151, 2005.
- 21. L Franzini, EM Marks, PF Cromwell, J Risser, C Markham, BJ Selwyn, C Shapiro*. "Projected economic costs due to health consequences of teen's loss of confidentiality in obtaining reproductive health care services in Texas". <u>Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine</u>, 158: 1141-1146. published with editorial comment by CD Brindis and A English:1181-1184, December 2004.
- 20. **L Franzini**, ME Fernandez-Esquer "Socioeconomic, cultural, and personal influences on health outcomes in low income Mexican-origin individuals in Texas". <u>Social Science and Medicine</u>, 59: 1629-1646, 2004.
- 19. AC Vidaeff*, **L Franzini**, MD Low "The unrealized potential of prenatal care: a population health approach" The Journal of Reproductive Medicine, 4(11): 837-842, Nov 2003.
- 18. **L Franzini**, W Spears "Contribution of social context to inequalities in years of life lost to heart disease in Texas" Social Science and Medicine, 57: 1847-1861, 2003.
- 17. CE Hsu*, D Lai, C Begley, **L Franzini.** "The association between income and mortality in Texas and Taiwan: a comparative study of spacial statistics" <u>Advances and Applications in Statistics</u>, 2(2): 149-176, August 2002.
- 16. **L Franzini,** JC Ribble, W Spears "The effects of income inequality and income level on mortality vary by population size in Texas counties" <u>Journal of Health and Social Behavior</u>, 42:373-387, December 2001.
- 15. **L Franzini,** JC Ribble, AM Keddie*. "Understanding the Hispanic paradox" <u>Ethnicity and Disease</u>, 11(3),496-518, November 2001.
- 14. **L Franzini**, J Rosenthal, W Spears, H King, L Balderas, M Brown, G Milne, J Drutz, D Evans, C Kozinetz, B Oettgen, IC Hanson. "Cost-effectiveness of childhood immunization reminder/recall systems in urban private practices" Pediatrics, 106(1):177-183, July 2000.
- 13. AJ Hogan, **L Franzini**, JR Boex "Estimating the cost of primary care training in ambulatory settings" <u>Health Economics</u>, 9:715-726, December 2000.
- 12. JR Boex, AA Boll, **L Franzini**, AJ Hogan, D Irby, PM Meservey, RM Rubin, SD Seifer, JJ Veloski "Measuring the costs of ambulatory primary care training." <u>Academic Medicine</u>, 75(5): 419-425, May 2000.
- 11. **L Franzini**, SC Chen*, AI McGhie, MD Low "Assessing the cost of a cardiology residency program with a cost construction model". <u>American Heart Journal</u>, 138(3 Pt 1):414-21, September 1999.

- 10. **L Franzini**, FM Monteiro, GC Fowler, MD Low "A cost construction model to assess the cost of a family practice residency program." <u>Family Medicine</u>, 31(3):159-170, March 1999.
- 9. **L Franzini**, JM Berry "A cost construction model to assess the total cost of an anesthesiology residency program". Anesthesiology, 90(1):257-268, January 1999.
- 8. **L Franzini**, MD Low, MA Proll "Using a cost-construction model to assess the cost of educating undergraduate medical students at the University of Texas-Houston Medical School". <u>Academic Medicine</u>, 72(3): 68-77, March 1997.
- 7. **L Franzini**, MD Low "Identifying the cost of undergraduate medical education". <u>Texas Medicine</u>, 26-27, January 1997.
- 6. L Franzini "Review of Texas medical schools finances". Texas Medicine, 28-29, January 1997.
- 5. **L Franzini**, AF Williams, JL Franklin, SE Singletary, RL Theriault "Effects of race and socioeconomic status on survival of 1,332 Black, Hispanic, and White women with breast cancer." <u>Annals of Surgical Oncology</u>, 4(2):111-118, 1997.
- 4. Sprangers MAG, Groenvold M, Arraras JI, Franklin J, te Velde A, Muller M, **L Franzini**, Williams AF, de Haes HCJM, Hopwood P, Cull A, Aaronson NK. "The European Organization for Research and Treatment of Breast Cancer-Specific Quality-of-Life Questionnaire Module: First results from a three-country field study". <u>Journal of Clinical Oncology</u>, 14(10): 2756-2768, 1996.
- 3. JL Franklin, **L Franzini**, AF Williams. "Dimensions of quality control in oncology: The CORE Model." <u>Cancer Treatment Reviews</u> 2:Supp A.(Ed. F. Porzsolt):27-32, 1996.
- 2. **L Franzini**, AC Harvey "Testing for deterministic trend and seasonal components in time series models." <u>Biometrika</u>, 70(3): 673-682, December 1983.
- 1. A Bhargava, **L Franzini**, W Narendranathan. "Serial correlation and the fixed effects model." <u>Review of Economic Studies</u>, 49: 533-549, October 1982.

Book Chapters

L Franzini, JM Swint, Y Murakami*, R Rasu* "Economic development" in <u>Reinventing Public Health:</u> <u>Toward a Healthy (Re)Public</u>. Edited by LA Aday, Jossey-Bass, San Francisco, 2005.

K De Rango, **L Franzini.** "Cost benefit analysis of workplace health" in <u>Handbook of Occupational Health</u> <u>Psychology</u>. Edited by JC Quick and LE Tetrick. The American Psychological Association, Washington DC, 2002.

L Franzini, JC Ribble, AM Keddie* "Understanding the Hispanic paradox" in <u>Race, Ethnicity, and Health:</u> <u>A Public Health Reader.</u> Edited by TA LaVeist. Jossey-Bass, John Wiley & Sons, Inc, San Francisco, 2002.

Reports and articles not peer-reviewed

L Franzini "La salute e l'accesso ai servizi sanitari degli immigrati ispanici negli Stati Uniti" in <u>Equita' nell' Accesso ai Servizi da parte della Poplazione Immigrata e Misurazione Performance del Sistema Sanitario Regionale</u>, Poverty and Equity in Health Research Group, Regione Umbria and Universita' degli Studi di Perugia (Italy). 2010

N Murray, **L Franzini**, D Marko, P Lupo, J Garza, S Linder "Education and Health: A Review and Assessment" in <u>Code Red: The Critical Condition of Health in Texas Report</u> to the Access to Health Care in Texas: Challenges of the uninsured and Underinsured Task Force (Chair: NF Lane). 2005

Invited publications

C Ganduglia Cazaban*, **L Franzini** "Mexican Americans, Health of" <u>The Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Health, Illness, Behavior, and Society</u>, 2012.

L Franzini "Distressing Projections for the Health of American Children: Are They Inevitable?," <u>Journal of Applied Research on Children: Informing Policy for Children at Risk:</u> 1 (1), Article 7, available at: http://digitalcommons.library.tmc.edu/childrenatrisk/vol1/iss1/7

Published abstracts and presentations peer-reviewed (lead author/presenter)

- 1. **L Franzini**, OI Mikhail, M Zezza, I Chan, SC Shen, J Smith. "Comparing Variation in Medicare and Private Insurance Spending in Texas" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, October 2012, San Francisco, CA.
- 2. **L Franzini,** C Ganduglia, K Dunn "A medical home pilot intervention" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2010, Denver, CO.
- 3. D Buck, C Brown, **L Franzini** "Homeless Patient Utilization of Hospitals in the Harris County Hospital District American Public Health Association, November 2010, Denver, CO.
- 4. **L Franzini,** M Giannoni. "Determinants of health disparities in Italian regions" <u>European Conference on Health Economics</u>, July 2010, Helsinki, Finland.
- 5. **L Franzini,** K Sail*, E Thomas, L Weste "Costs and cost-effectiveness of a tele-ICU program" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2009, Philadelphia, PA.
- 6. JA Boom, LC Sahni*, CS Nelson, AC Dragsbaek, **L Franzini** "Immunization Information System Opt-In Consent: At What Cost?" American Public Health Association, November 2009, Philadelphia, PA.
- **7. L Franzini**, M Giannoni "Why does self-rated health varies among Italian regions? The influence of regional economic disadvantage, living conditions, and healthcare" <u>Associazione Italiana di Economia Sanitaria (Italian Association of Health Economics)</u>, October 2009, Bergamo, Italy.
- 8. **L Franzini**, MN. Elliott, P Cuccaro, MA. Schuster, MJ Gilliland, F Franklin, S Tortolero "Influences of Physical and Social Neighborhood Environments on Child Physical Activity and Obesity" Roundtable presentation, <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2008, San Diego, CA.
- 9. **L Franzini**, KR Sail*, E Thomas, L Wueste. "Cost analysis of tele-ICU: The Memorial Hermann study" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2007, Washington, DC.
- **10. L Franzini,** M Caughy, SM Nettles, PO'Campo."Perceptions of neighborhood disorder and neighborhood stigma" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2006, Boston, MA.
- **11. L Franzini,** CB Dryer. "Health care utilization and costs in elderly self-neglectors compared to matched controls" American Public Health Association, November 2006, Boston, MA.
- **12. L Franzini**, Fernandez Esquer ME. "The association of subjective social status and health in low-income Mexican-origin individuals in Texas" American Public Health Association, November 2006, Boston, MA.
- **13. L Franzini,** Caughy M, Spears W, Fernandez-Esquer ME "Do differences in neighborhood SES, physical and social characteristics explain racial/ethnic disparities in self-rated health?" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2004, Washington, DC.
- **14. L Franzini,** Ribble J, Wingfield K* "Relationships between social factors, religion, and self-reported health in White, Black, and Hispanic low income individuals" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2004, Washington, DC.
- **15. L Franzini,** Caughy M, Spears W, Fernandez-Esquer ME "Neighborhood economic conditions, social processes, and self-rated health: Am multilevel structural equation model" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2004, Washington, DC.
- 16. **L Franzini,** ME Fernandez-Esquer "Socioeconomic, cultural, and personal influences on health outcomes of Mexican-origin individuals in Texas" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2003, San Francisco, CA.

- 17. **L Franzini,** P Cromwell, C Markham, E Marks, S McCurdy, N McKirahan*, J Risser, P Rosenau, B Selwyn, C Shapiro* "Health and economic consequences of reporting sexually active teens in Texas" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2003, San Francisco, CA.
- **18. L Franzini**, William Spears "Social context and years of life lost to heart disease in Texas" Health Services & Outcomes Research Conference 3rd Annual Houston Area. 2002, Houston, TX. Won 1st prize for Best Poster.
- **19. L Franzini,** , John Ribble, Margaret Caughy, Maria Fernandez-Esquer, Melissa Montoya*, Norma Perez*, Jan Risser, Bill Spears "Effect of religiosity and spirituality on self-perceived health among Hispanics, African-Americans and non-Hispanic whites" American Public Health Association, November 2002, Philadelphia, PA.
- **20.** T. Major-Kincade*, **L. Franzini**, J. Tyson, K. Kennedy, M. Swint "An economic evaluation of Vitamin A supplementation therapy to reduce chronic lung disease and/ or death in extremely low birth weight infants" American Public Health Association, November 2002, Philadelphia, PA.
- **21. L Franzini**, Maria Fernandez-Esquer, Melissa Montoya*, Norma Perez*, Margaret Caughy, John Ribble, Jan Risser, Bill Spears "Health, socioeconomic indicators, social support, and religiosity: A comparison of US born and Mexico born Mexican Americans in Texas" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2002, Philadelphia, PA.
- 22. **L Franzini**, William Spears "Contribution of social context to years of life lost to heart disease in Texas" American Public Health Association, November 2002, Philadelphia, PA.
- **23.** T. Major-Kincade*, **L. Franzini**, J. Tyson, K. Kennedy, M. Swint. "An economic evaluation of vitamin A supplementation therapy to reduce chronic lung disease and death in extremely low birth weight infants" Health Services and Outcomes Research Conference, November 2001, Houston, TX. *Won best Poster Award*.
- **24. L Franzini,** Ribble J, Perez N*, Amick B, Caughy M, Fernandez-Esquer, Keddie A*, Risser J, Spears W. "Social cohesion and health in Hispanic communities" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2001, Atlanta, GA.
- 25. **L Franzini**, Ribble J, Spears W. "Mortality Disparities in Texas Counties: The Contribution of Income Inequality, Income Level, and Racial/ethnic Composition". <u>International Health Economics Association Third International Conference</u>, July 2001, York, UK.
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- 27. **L Franzini,** Spears W. "Contribution of social conditions to inequalities in years of life lost due to heart disease in Texas". <u>International Health Economics Association Third International Conference</u>, July 2001, York, UK.
- **28.** L Franzini, Hogan A, Boex J. "Using selection models to estimate the cost of medical education" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 2000, Boston, MA.
- 29. **L Franzini**, Spears W. "Contribution of social conditions to inequalities in years of life lost due to heart disease in Texas". American Public Health Association, November 2000, Boston, MA.
- **30. L Franzini,** Ribble J, Spears W. "Mortality, income inequality and median income in Texas counties". International Society for Equity in Health, Inaugural Conference, June 2000, Havana, Cuba.
- 31. **L Franzini**, Ribble J, Spears W. "Correlations between mortality, median income and income inequality in Texas counties" <u>Houston International Community Health Summit</u>, 1999, Houston, TX.
- **32. L Franzini,** Hogan AJ, Boex JR. "Estimating the cost of primary training in ambulatory settings" International Health Economics Association, 2nd World Conference, June 1999, Rotterdam, The Netherlands.

- **33.** L Franzini, Rosenthal J, King H, Balderas L, Brown M, Milne G, Drutz J, Evans D, Kozinetz C, Oettgen B, Spears W, Hanson IC. "Cost and effectiveness of immunization reminder/recall systems for private providers." The American Pediatric Society/The Society for Pediatric Research, April 1999, San Francisco CA.
- **34. L Franzini,** Hogan AJ, Boex JR, Boll A, Meservey P, Rubin R, Seifer S. "The cost of educating health professionals in ambultory settings" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 15-19, 1998, Washington, DC.
- 35. **L Franzini**, Rosenthal J, King H, Balderas L, Brown M, Milne G, Drutz J, Evans D, Kozinetz C, Oettgen B, Spears W, Hanson IC. "Cost and effectiveness of immunization reminder/recall systems for private providers." American Public Health Association, November 15-19, 1998, Washington, DC.
- **36. L Franzini**, Chen SC*, McGhie AI, Low MD. "The cost of training cardiology residents: a cost construction model" Annual Meeting, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, November 1998, New Orleans, LA.
- **37.** Boex JR, Boll A, **L Franzini**, Hogan AJ, Meservey P, Rubin R, Seifer S. "Ambulatory primary care training: results of a nationwide study of costs, educational activities, and quality" Annual Meeting, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, November 1998, New Orleans, LA.
- 38. Ribble J, **L Franzini.** "Income inequality and mortality in Texas counties" Economic Equity and the health of Populations: The Costs of Inequality. <u>Invitational meeting, University of Michigan</u>, June 1998, Ann Arbor, MI.
- 39. **L Franzini,** Berry JM, Nguyen TC*, Low MD "The Cost of an Anesthesiology Residency Program" Annual Meeting, American Public Health Association, November 1997, Indianapolis, IN.
- 40. **L Franzini,** Berry JM, Nguyen TC*, Low MD "The Use of a Cost Construction Model to Assess the Cost of an Anesthesiology Residency Program" Annual Meeting, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, November 1997, Washington DC.
- 41. **L Franzini** "The Cost of GME: Definitions and Methodology" State Graduate Medical Education Financing Policies and Options, <u>Invitational Meeting</u>, October 1997, Washington DC.
- 42. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Monteiro FM "The Cost of Training Family Practice Residents: A Comparison of a University Based Program, a Community Based Program, and an Urban Medicine Program" Annual Meeting, American Public Health Association, November 1996, New York, NY.
- 43. Hanson C, **L Franzini**, Spears W, Evans D, Kozinet C "A Cost-effectiveness Study of Immunization Reminder/Recall Systems for Private Providers: A Manual Postcard versus a Computerized Telephone Message" Annual Meeting, <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 1996, New York, NY.
- 44. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Proll MA "Assessing the Cost of Educating Medical Students: How Much Research and Teaching Should Be Included?" Annual Meeting, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, November 1996, San Francisco, CA.
- 45. **L Franzini**, "How to Develop a Cost of Medical Education Study" presider at the workshop at the <u>Association of American Medical Colleges Annual Meeting</u>, November 1996, San Francisco, CA.
- 46. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Monteiro FM "A Cost Comparison of a Family Practice Community based Residency Program and a University Based Program" Annual Meeting, North American Primary Care Research Group, November 1996, Vancouver, Canada.
- 47. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Proll MA 'Cost studies at UT-Houston Health Science Center' Medical Education Cost Study Workshop, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, March 1996, Washington DC.
- 48. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Proll MA 'Cost studies at UT-Houston Health Science Center' Spring Meeting of the Central Group on Educational Affairs, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, April 1996, Chicago, IL.

- 49. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Proll MA "Cost Construction Analysis: Assessing the Cost of Medical Education at a Public Medical School'. International Conference on Health Policy Research, <u>Health Policy Statistics Section</u>, American Statistical Association, December 1995, Boston, MA.
- 50. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Monteiro FM "The Cost of Training Family Practice Residents at the University of Texas-Houston Medical School: An Application of Cost Construction Analysis". Annual Meeting, North American Primary Care Research Group, November 1995, Houston, TX.
- 51. **L Franzini** "Statistical Analysis of Data from Quality of Life Questionnaires". Annual Meeting, <u>American Public Health Association</u>, October 1995, San Diego, CA.
- 52. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Proll MA "Estimating the Cost of Medical Education at a Texas Public Medical School". Annual Meeting, <u>American Public Health Association</u>, October 1995, San Diego, CA.
- 53. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Proll MA "The Cost of Medical Education at a Public Medical School". Annual Conference on Research in Medical Education, Annual Meeting, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, October 1995, Washington DC.
- 54. **L Franzini**, Low MD "The Cost of Training a Family Practice Resident at the University of Texas-Houston Medical School". Annual Meeting, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, October 1995, Washington DC.
- 55. **L Franzini**, Low MD, Proll MA "The Cost of Educating Medical Students at the University of Texas-Houston Medical School". Southern Region Group on Educational Affairs Meeting, <u>Association of American Medical Colleges</u>, April 1995, Nashville, TN.
- 56. Franklin JL, **L Franzini**, Williams AF "Statistical Methods for Measuring Quality of Care in a Hospital Based Outcomes Model". Winter Conference, <u>American Statistical Association</u>, January 1994, Atlanta, GA.
- 57. **L Franzini**, Williams AF, Franklin JL "Statistical Methods in the Cancer Outcomes Research and Evaluation (CORE) Model". Annual Meeting, <u>American Public Health Association</u>, October 1994, Washington DC.
- 58. **L Franzini**, Williams AF, Franklin JL "Race, Socio-economic Status, and Breast Cancer Survival". Annual Meeting, <u>American Public Health Association</u>, October 1994, Washington DC.

INVITED LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS

- 1. Comparing Variation in Medicare and Private Insurance Spending in Texas: The Role of Utilization, Price, and Market Conditions, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health, MD, 9/2012.
- 2. An economist's journey in public health: From reducing disparities in obesity to reducing the cost of healthcare, Drexel School of Public health, PA, 6/2012.
- 3. An economist's journey in public health: From reducing disparities in obesity to reducing the cost of healthcare, University of Maryland School of Public Health, MD, 4/2012
- 4. Predictors of trust in low income, minority neighborhoods in Texas. Department of Economics Finance and Statistics at the University of Perugia, Perugia, Italy. 2/2009.
- 5. Influences of physical and social neighborhood environments on child physical activity and obesity. Steinhardt School of Culture, Education, and Human Development, New York University, New York, NY. 11/2008.
- 6. Conceptual models for health disparities research. New Connections, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Washington DC, 6/2008.
- 7. Social context and health. University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT. 1/2008.
- 8. Trust in low income minority individuals in Texas. University of Texas at Dallas, Dallas, TX, 1/2008.
- 9. Impact of neighborhoods on health: Methods and findings. University of Florence, Firenze, Italy. 10/2007.

- 10. Contributions of neighborhood characteristics to subjective perceptions of disorder. Population Research Center, University of Texas, Austin, TX, 2/2007.
- 11. Health care utilization and costs in elderly who self-neglect. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Houston, TX, 6/2006.
- 12. Socioeconomic and cultural influences on self-reported health of foreign-born and native born Mexicans in Texas. Health Disparities Lecture Series at the University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX. 2/2005
- 13. Health disparities in immigrants and U.S. born Mexicans in Texas. Kellogg Scholars in Health Disparities Program Invitational Conference, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA. 12/2004
- 14. The Hispanic paradox: Evidence and explanations. Latino Health Paradoxes, Invitational Conference, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA. 6/2004.
- 15. Relationships between social factors, religion, and self-reported health in white, black, and Hispanic low-income individuals. University of Washington, Seattle, WA. 2/2004.
- 16. The relationship between neighborhood economic conditions, social capital and health outcomes. University of Bologna, Bologna, Italy. 1/2004.
- 17. Social context and heart disease in Texas. UTSPH Research Day School of Public Health Auditorium, 3/2003.
- 18. Neighborhoods and health. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Houston, TX, 3/2003.
- 19. Econometric studies in public health. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Houston, TX, 1/2002.
- 20. Methods for social determinants of health research. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Houston, TX, 5/2002.
- 21. Social cohesion and health: methodology. Department of Pediatrics, UT Medical School, Houston, TX, 3/2002.
- 22. Socio-economic determinants of health: Examples and Exceptions. UTSPH Research Day School of Public Health Auditorium, 11/2000.
- 23. Social determinants of health. Texas Department of Health, Austin, TX, 12/2000.
- 24. Social determinants of health in Texas. Texas Department of Health, Austin, TX, 3/2000.
- 25. Income inequality and mortality in Texas counties. Economic Equity and the health of Populations: The Costs of Inequality. Invitational Conference, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 6/1998
- 26. Cost effectiveness and quality of life. Department of Pediatrics, UT Medical School, Houston, TX, 12/1998.
- 27. Cost of family practice residency program. Family Practice and Community Health Department UT-Medical School, Houston, TX, 3/1997.
- 28. Methods to assess the cost of medical education in ambulatory care settings, Health Care Financing and Administration (HCFA), Baltimore, MD, 4/1997.
- 29. Econometric models for assessing the cost of teaching in ambulatory settings. Assessing Ambulatory Primary Care Training group, Rootstown, OH, 8/1997.
- 30. The cost of family practice residency programs. Acres Home Community Clinic, Houston, TX, 7/1997.
- 31. Results from econometric models for assessing the cost of teaching in ambulatory settings. Assessing Ambulatory Primary Care Training group, Washington, DC, 10/1997.
- 32. The Cost of GME: Definitions and Methodology. State Graduate Medical Education Financing Policies and Options, Invitational Conference, Washington DC. 10/1997
- 33. Cost implications of medical education in ambulatory settings. Health Care Financing and Administration (HCFA), Baltimore, MD, 12/1997.

GRANT AND CONTRACT AWARDS

Direct costs, direct costs of subcontract for subcontracts

Active grants: Principal Investigator or Co-Principal Investigator

- 1. Commonwealth Fund 20130066 "Spending Variation in a Privately Insured Texas Population: The Role of Utilization Variation and Price Variation" PI, 30%. Budget: \$250,790 (2013-2014).
- 2. NIH National Institute of Aging "Causes and Consequences of Health Care Efficiency" PI (subcontract), 10%. Budget: \$ \$49,818 (2012-2017).
- 3. Blue Cross Blue Shield of Texas gift to UTSPH "The University of Texas School of Public Health/Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas Research Program in Payment Systems" PI 30% Budget: \$1,500,000 (2011-2014)
- 4. Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation KG111378 "A Transdisciplinary Training Program for Public Health, Master, and Doctoral Students Wanting to Impact Breast Cancer" PI, 10%. Budget: \$ 269,722 (2011-2014).
- 5. University of Perugia and Regione Umbria, Italy. "Poverty and Equity in Health Research Group (PEHRG)" PI of contract, 3%. Budget: \$35,000 (2010-2013).

Active grants: Co-Investigator

- 6. Center for Medicare, 1C1CMS331044-01-00 "Health Care Innovation Challenge: Chronically ill children" Co-I, 10% (PI Jon Tyson, UT Medical School). Budget: \$3,949,942 (2012-2015).
- 7. NIH, 1R01MH085594-01A1, National Institute of Mental Health "Web-based middle school HIV curricula: aspiring for reach and impact Web-Based Middle School Sexuality Curricula School Sexuality Curricula: Aspiring for Reach and Impact" Co-I, 10% (PI Melissa Peskin, UT School of Public Health). Budget: \$1,349,278 (2009-2012).
- 8. NIH "Parkland-UT Southwestern PROSPR Center: Colon cancer screening in a safety net." Subcontract Co-I, 5%. Budget: \$120,825 (2011-2013).
- 9. Shape Up Houston, "Texas Medical Center Obesity Evaluation Study." Co-I, 10%. Budget \$333,432 (2012-2013)

Active grants: Mentor

- 10. CPRIT FMS#0007638 "Collaborative Training of A New Cadre of Innovative Cancer Prevention" Researchers (PI: P Mullan and R. Ness, UTSPH). Budget: \$2,617,614 (2010-2013).
- 11. National Cancer Institute 2R25/CA57712 (years 16-20), "Cancer Education and Career Development Program," Mentor (PD Mullen, PI). Budget \$2.5 mil. (2008-2013)

Completed grants: Principal Investigator or Co-Principal Investigator

- 1. HRSA 5R40MC11269-02-00 Maternal and Child Health Bureau, Health Resources & Service Admin. "Cultural and Contextual Variability in Parenting Impacts on Adolescent Adjustment" PI, 14%. Budget: \$614,564 (2009-2012).
- 2. NIH 1RC1RR028329-01 Challenge Grant, National Center for Research, "A medical home pilot evaluation: A model for comparative effectiveness research" Co-PI, 15% (PI Kim Dunn, UT School of Health Informatics) NIH. Budget: \$657,679 (2009-2011).
- 3. Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation KG090010 "A Transdisciplinary Training Program for Public Health Researcher & Practitioners wanting to Impact Breast Cancer Disparities" PI, 8%. Budget: \$269,998 (2009-2011).
- 4. NIH "Consortium for the Study of Elder Self-neglect of Texas" (CREST)" PI of subcontract, 10% (PI Carmel Dyer, Baylor College of Medicine) Budget \$27,176 (2004-2007).

- 5. CDC "Texas Pediatric Society EPIC (educating physicians in their communities)" PI of subcontract, 10% (PI Julie Boom, Baylor College of Medicine) Budget: \$19,240 (2002-2004).
- 6. Texas Department of Health, Innovation grants "Social cohesion and health in Hispanic, African American, and White communities" PI, 30%. Budget: \$150,286 (2001-2003).
- 7. Texas Department of Health, Innovation grants "The Hispanic paradox: An inquiry into social cohesion and health" PI, 30%. Budget: \$305,183 (2000-2001).
- 8. American Heart Association "Contribution of Social Conditions to Heart Disease Mortality in Texas" PI, 30%. Budget: \$68,258 (1999-2001).
- 9. CDC "Immunization Reminder/Recall for Private Providers" PI of subcontract, 10% (PI: Celine Hanson, M.D., Baylor College of Medicine). Budget: \$12,095 (1997-98).

Completed grants: Co-Investigator

- 10. NIH/Fogarty "CITAR The UTSPH Program for Advanced Training on AIDS Research", Mentor (PI: Palmer Beasley). Budget: \$1,674,377 (2006-2011).
- 11. CDC 1U48DP001949-01 "Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Research Centers Center Category 1" Co-I, 5%,(PI: Susan Tortolero, UT School of Public Health). Budget; \$2,605,235(2009-2014).
- 12. Office of Adolescent Health "Teenage Pregnancy Prevention: Replication of Evidence Based Programs" Co-I, 15% (PI Tortolero, UT School of Public Health). Budget: \$14,283,407 (2010-2015).
- 13. NIH 7R03HD057507-03 "Health and Mortality Risks among Co-Resident Grandchildren, Parents, and Grandparents" Co-I, 10% (PI: Patrick. Krueger). Budget: \$100,000 (2008-2010).
- 14. Collaborative for Children "Program Evaluation: Houston's College-Bound beginning at Birth" Co-I, 5% (PI: Dr. Begley). Budget: \$335,239 (2008-2011).
- 15. CDC SIP 03-04 U48CCU609653, U48DP000057, U48DP001949 "Healthy passages: A community based longitudinal study of adolescent health" Co-I, varies by year, average 5% (PI Susan Tortolero, UT School of Public Health). Budget: \$7,807,208 (project 2004-2011).
- 16. NIH- National Institute On Aging, 1R21AG033261-01A1 "Feasibility of Vitamin D Replacement in Vulnerable Elders" Co-I, 5% (PI Carmel Dyer, MD, UT Medical School). Budget: \$275,000 (2009-2011).
- 17. AHRQ 1R01HS017440-01A1 "Multidimensional assessment and intervention for elder self-neglect", Co-I, 5% (PI Carmel Dyer, MD, UT Medical School). Budget: \$275,000 (2009-2011).
- NIH Department of Health and Human Services 3UL1RR024148-05S1"Center for Clinical and Translational Sciences" Co-I, 1.67% (PI DD McPherson, UT Medical School). Budget: \$152,091 (2010-2011)
- 19. NIH "Diabetes Education With A Case Manager:" Co-I, 3% (Subcontract from UT Austin, PI Craig Hanis, UTSPH). Budget: \$122,417 (2006-2009).
- 20. Houston Endowment "Houston Health Services Research Collaborative" Co-I, 2.5% (PI Dr. Begley, UTSPH). Budget: \$100,000 (2006-2008).
- 21. NIH NCMHD "RIMI: Center for Hispanic Health Disparities Research" Co-I, 10% (PI Jack Bristol, UT School of Public Health El Paso Regional Campus). Budget: \$595,569 (2003-2008).
- 22. AHRQ "Measuring the value of remote ICU monitoring" Co-I, 15% (PI Eric Thomas, UT Medical School). Budget: \$981,991 (2004-2007).
- 23. NIOSH "Southwest Center for Occupational and Environmental Health". Co-I, 5% (PI George Delclos, UTSPH). Budget: \$4,661,740 (2000-2006).
- 24. Episcopal Health Charities "Sacred vocation: Transforming work in healthcare" Co-I, 10% (PI Benjamin Amick, UTSPH). Budget: \$90,000 (2001-2002).

25. MDACC Institutional Research Grant ID00-377 "A phase III prospective randomized trial comparing radiosurgery with versus without whole brain radiotherapy for 1-3 newly diagnosed brain metastases" Co-I (PI Eric Chang, MD Anderson cancer Center). Budget 18,099 (2001-2002).

Professional Consultation on Funded Grants

- 1. "Evaluation of the new Interferon-γ release assays (IGRAs) in the diagnosis of latent Tuberculosis infection (LTBI) in health care workers at Baylor College of Medicine". (PI Edward Graviss, Methodist Hospital). Centers for Disease Control (2006-2010). Scope of work: Cost-effectiveness of alternative screening tools.
- 2. "Youth in the Workplace" Evaluation of the *LifeSkills Training Wellness Program*". (PI Christopher Williams, Ph.D., National Health Promotion Associates, Inc.). Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (2006-2009). Scope of work: Cost evaluation.
- 3. "Investigating the cost of maintaining an opt-in system for obtaining consent for immunization registry participation in Texas". (PI Julie Boom, Baylor College of Medicine). Texas Children's Hospital and St. David's Foundation (2006-2007). Scope of work: Cost study of opt-in system.
- 4. "Replicating and Sustaining the TEAM Institute Approach to Victims of Elder Mistreatment" (PI Carmel Dyer, Baylor College of Medicine) Office of Victims of Crime, Department of Justice (2003-2005). Scope of work: Health care costs and utilization in elderly who self-neglect.
- 5. "Assessing Ambulatory Primary Care Training: Methods, Costs and Quality" (PI James Boex, MBA, Northeastern Ohio Universities College of Medicine) Bureau of Health Professions, the W.K. Kellogg Foundation, and the New York State Department of Health (1997-2000). Scope of work: Econometric methods.

Other Professional Consulting

"Cost of medical education at UTHSC" funded by Kevin Dillon, University of Texas Health Science Center (2007-2008). Scope of work: Estimating the cost of educating medical students at UT-Houston Medical School.

TEACHING

CLASSES AT UTSPH

Teaching effectiveness is rated on a 5 point scale with $1 = \text{very poor and } 5 = \text{very good. Previously, teaching effectiveness was rated on a 1-7 point scale with } 1 = \text{poor/disappointing, } 4 = \text{about average, and } 7 = \text{superior/very positive. Scores on the 1-7 scale are denoted by }^*$.

Semester	Course name	Role	# students	Teaching effectiveness	
Spring 2012	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3922	Lead instructor 40%	51	4.7	
Fall 2011	Capstone course PH9996	15%	34	4.1	
Fall 2011	Advanced Health Economics PH 3935	33%	12	5	
Fall 2011	Econometrics in public health PH 3930	Lead instructor 100%	26	4.7	
Spring 2011	MPACH doctoral seminar (ITV) PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	9	4.9	
Spring 2010	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3922	Lead instructor 60%	41	4.8	
Fall 2010	MPACH doctoral seminar (ITV) PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	7	4.5	
Fall 2010	Econometrics in public health PH 3930	Lead instructor 100%	31	4.6	
Fall 2010	Health disparities seminar PH 3998	Lead instructor 100%	17	4.9	
Spring 2010	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3922	Lead instructor 100%	35	4.6	
Spring 2010	MPACH doctoral seminar (ITV) PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	6	4.5	
Fall 2009	Econometrics in public health PH 3930	Lead instructor 100%	9	4.8	
Fall 2009	MPACH doctoral seminar (ITV) PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	7	5	
Fall 2009	Advanced Health Economics PH 3935	33%	8	4.8	
Spring 2009	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3922	Lead instructor 100%	17	4.9	
Spring 2009	MPACH doctoral seminar (ITV) PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	11	5	
Fall 2008	Econometrics in public health PH 3930	Lead instructor 100%	9	5	
Fall 2008	MPACH doctoral seminar PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	9	4.7	
Spring 2008	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3922	Lead instructor 100%	21	5	
Spring 2008	MPACH doctoral seminar PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	7	4.67	
Fall 2007	Econometrics in public health PH 3930	Lead instructor 100%	17	4.75	

Fall 2007	MPACH doctoral seminar	Lead instructor 100%	9	4.86
Fall 2007	Advanced Health Economics PH 3935	25%	9	4.89
Spring 2007	MPACH doctoral seminar PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	4	5
Spring 2007	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3922	Lead instructor 100%	26	4.73
Fall 2006	MPACH doctoral seminar PH 3980	Lead instructor 100%	5	5
Fall 2006	Econometrics in public health PH 3930	Lead instructor 100%	11	4.82
Spring 2006	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3922	Lead instructor 100%	29	4.88
Fall2005	Econometrics in public health PH 3930	Lead instructor 100%	10	4.9
Fall 2005	Advanced Health Economics PH 3935	25%	9	4.9
Spring 2005	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3720	Lead instructor 100%	31	4.63
Fall 2004	Econometrics in public health PH 3730	Lead instructor 100%	13	4.73
Spring 2004	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3720	Lead instructor 33%	17	6.43*
Fall 2003	Advanced Health Economics PH 3935	25%	6	6.80*
Fall 2003	Econometrics in public health PH 3730	Lead instructor 100%	6	6.67*
Spring 2003	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3720	Lead instructor 33%	7	6.83*
Fall 2002	Econometrics in public health PH 3730	Lead instructor 100%	4	6.8*
Spring 2002	Economic and social determinants of health PH 3720	Lead instructor 33%	23	6.82*
Fall 2001	Econometrics in public health PH 3730	Lead instructor 100%	4	6.50*
Fall 2001	Society and population health seminar PH 3998	Lead instructor 50%	8	6.13*
Fall 2001	Advanced Health Economics PH3935	25%	5	7.00*
Spring 2001	Society and health seminar PH 3998	Lead instructor 50%	1/20	7.00*
Spring 2001	Social determinants of health PH 3998	Lead instructor 33%	20	6.33*
Fall 2000	Society and health seminar PH 3998	Lead instructor 50%	3/20	7.00*
Spring 2000	Society and health seminar PH 3998	Lead instructor 50%	5/5	6.33*
Spring 2000	Society and health PH 3998	25%	8	6.29*
Fall 1999	Advanced Health Economics	Lead instructor	5	6.67*

	PH 3935	25%		
Fall 1998	Fundamentals of population health PH 3998	20%	4/2	6.33*
Fall 1997	Advanced Health Economics	Lead instructor	11	6.20*
Fall 1997	PH 3935	25%	11	0.20
Spring	Introduction to health economics	50%	24	Not
1997	PH 3919			available
Fall 1996	Economic evaluation of health programs	50%	19	Not
	PH 3915			available

ADVISING AT UTSPH

Abbreviations used: MPACH Management, Policy, and Community Health; HSO Health Services Organization; HE Health Economics; HSR Health Services Research; BHE Behavioral Sciences; INF International and Family Health; HPR Health Promotion; BIOM Biometry; COM Community Health; OCC Occupational Health; MGT Management.

<u>Doctoral students – Advisor and/or dissertation supervisor</u>

Student	Degree	Year	Status	
Jude Des Bordes	Dr.PH HSO	2008-present	Dissertation	
Byron Hunter	Ph.D.MPACH	2011-present	Taking courses	
Yu-Ting Huang	Ph.D.MPACH	2011-present	Taking courses	
Tuhin Pankaj	Ph.D.MPACH	2012-present	Taking courses	
Elifnur Yay Donderici	Ph.D.MPACH	2011-present	Taking courses	
Heidi Russell	Ph.D.MPACH	2010-present	Dissertation	
Marilyn Sonilal	Ph.D.MPACH	2009-present	Dissertation	
Sapna Prasad	Ph.D.MPACH	2010-present	Dissertation	
Gautam Santosh	Ph.D.MPACH	2010-present	Taking courses	
Ashish Deshmukh	Ph.D.MPACH	2010-present	Taking courses	
Preeti Zanwar Post Doc at UTMB	Ph.D.MPACH	2008-2012	Effects of overweight and obesity on economic outcomes among US adults with kidney disease	
Briana Lawrence	Dr.PH HSO	2008-present	Dissertation	
Cecilia Ganduglia Cazaban Assistant prof UTSPH	Dr.PH HSO	2009-2012	Geographic variation and predictive factors of inappropriate advanced imaging utilization in Texas using claims data from a commercial insurance	
Sarah Mcgee	Ph.D. MPACH	2008-present	Dissertation	
Grace Kuo Associate Professor and Associate Dean f	Ph.D.MPACH	2007-2011	Costs and quality of medication reconciliation practice in primary care clinics	
UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences and UCSD School of Medicine				

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Chika Honda Assistant Prof. Osaka University, Japan	Ph.D.MPACH	2006-2012	Economic Evaluation of Latent Tuberculosis Infection Screening among Health Care Workers in Houston
Gul Nowshad	Ph.D.MPACH	2004-2011	Gender disparities in utilization, unmet need and
Tisha Felder Post-doc, University of South Carolina	Ph.D. BSC	2006-2010	expenditure for mental health care Exploring the use of pharmaceutical patient assistance programs as an option to improve access to and affordability of prescription drugs
I-Wen Pan Research scientist, University of Chicago	Ph.D.MPACH	2006-2010	The determinants of improvements in health outcomes and cost reduction in hospital care
Kavita Sail Researcher, US Oncology	Ph.D.MPACH	2006-2010	Outcomes associated with chemotherapy use in elderly patients with early stage breast cancer
Faisal Abdul-Enein Associate Prof. Texas Women's University	Dr.PH CMH	2006-2009	Dr. William Gorgas and his management style in the eradication of yellow fever during the construction of the Panama Canal: A historic case study
Jeanne Hanks Community Liaison, St.Luke's Episcopal Health Charities	Dr.Ph. CMH	2006-2009	Follow-up care after a health fair screening in three Houston neighborhoods
Emilie Farenthold Fellow of the American Leadership Forum	Ph.D.MPACH	2006-2009	The effect on juvenile re-offending of confining and treating juveniles with substance use disorders in Harris County
Karen Rose	Dr.PH HSO	2006- present	On leave- Dissertation
Cindy Leong	Ph.D.MPACH	2004-2006	Did not graduate
Ray Service	Ph.D.MPACH	2006-2008	The prevalence, health risks, and consequences of asthma among adult residents in Texas
Rituparna Basu Research associate, Palo Alto Medical Foundation Research Institute	Ph.D.MPACH	2004-2008	Disparities in medical expenditure and utilization among hypertensive men and women in the US: Cross-section and lifetime analyses
Nancy Crider Research associate, UTSPH	Dr.PH HSO	2004-2010	Integrated Pest Management in Multi-Story Public Housing for the Elderly in Houston, Texas
Liliana Rodriguez	Dr.PH. HSO	2004-2007	Passed qualifying exams. New advisor for dissertation. Graduated 2008.

Elizabeth Gammon Assist Prof., UTSPH	Ph.D.MPACH	2003-2009	A case study approach to estimating the burden of research misconduct in publicly funded medical research
Chris Daw Health policy analyst, Maryland Health Care Commission	Ph.D.MPACH	2002-2008	Trends in insurance coverage and out-of-pocket payments for mental health and substance abuse services: An examination of Medical Expenditure Panel Survey data, 1996-2004
Monica Rasmus Assist Prof., TSU	Dr.Ph. HSO	2004-2007	Second, do less harm: The State of States' Medical Error Reporting Programs
Norma Perez Assist Prof, Director of the Hispanic Center of Excellence, UTMB	Ph.D. INF	2002-2007	Psychosocial Job Characteristics as Predictors of Health
VK Dorai Senior informatics analyst, MD Anderson	Ph.D. MGT	2001-2004	Impact of a modified dietary plan on the health related quality of life of minority participants in the Women's Health Eating and Living (WEHEL) study.
Karen Williams Director of Research, St. Luke's Episcopal Health Charities	Ph.D. MGT	1997-2001	Exploring professional orientations to community voice in professional practice settings: the IMAP process

Doctoral students - Committee member

Student	Degree	Year	Status
Rocialle Roberts	Ph.D. MPACH	2011-present	Proposal
Jasmin Opusunju	Dr.PH-HPR	2011	Graduated?
Carlos Ramos	Ph.D. MPACH	2011-present	Proposal – on leave to law school
Zhannat Nurgalieva	Ph.D. Epi	2010-present	Proposal
Sharanya Murty	Ph.D. MPACH	2010-2012	Effect of primary care availability and health insurance coverage in the risk and cost of preventable hospitalizations in Harris County
Logan Thornton	Dr.PH-HPR	2010-present	Taking courses
Lee Cheng	Ph.D. Biostat	2007-present	Passed qualifying exam
Jack Follis	Ph.D. Biostat	2006-present	Proposal
Lisa Hughes	Dr.PH-HPR	2007-present	On leave
Krystal Sexton	Ph.D. EPI	2009-2010	Lifetime changes in body mass index and risk of breast cancer in minority women

Elenir Avritscher Assist. Prof, UT Medical School	Ph.D. MPACH	2010-2010	Economic Impact of Serious Postoperative Infections following Resection of Respiratory and Gastrointestinal Solid Tumors
Mei Liu	Ph.D. Biostat	2008-2010	Assessing the improved discriminatory power of a new biomarker in prognostic models
Yi-ju Chiang	Ph.D. Biostat	2009-2010	Qualifying exam committee
Shang-ying Liang	Ph.D. Biostat	2008-2010	Qualifying exam committee
Hong Zhang	Ph.D. Biostat	2007-2010	Qualifying exam committee
Chung-han Ho	Ph.D. Biostat	2008-2009	Qualifying exam committee
Arica White Epidemic Intelligence Service Officer, CDC	Ph.D. BSC	2007-2009	Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Colorectal Cancer Screening AND Survival in a Large Nationwide, Population-based Cohort
Sumesh Kachroo Sr. Research Associate, United Biosource Corp	Ph.D. EPI	2005-2008	Relationship between <i>Clostridium difficile</i> toxin type and clinical features, severity, and outcome in patients with <i>C. difficile</i> diarrhea
Yu F. Lee	Ph.D. MAPS	2006-2008	The local safety net, health insurance, preventable hospitalizations and costs: Harris County, TX
Karen Chronister Houston Health Department	Ph.D. EPI	2006-2007	An ecological investigation of potential factors related to childhood immunization rates
Xionghua Wu Director of Biostatistics, AstraZeneca	Ph.D Biosts	2006-2007	Type I error probabilities and power of the statistical methods for pretest-posttest design in randomized clinical trials
Alicia Sandoval	Ph.D. EPI	2006	Completed qualifying exams
Amit Kulkarni Asst. Director, Novartis	Ph.D. HSR	2004-2005	Transferred to Ohio State University
Carol Mansyur Researcher, Baylor College of Medicine	Ph.D. BEH	2001-2006	Culture and the social context of inequalities
Rahul Shenolikar <i>Glaxo Smith</i>	Ph.D. HSR	2004-2005	Transferred to Ohio State University
Amy Jo Harzke Faculty, UTMB	Dr.Ph. HPR	2004-2007	Hepatitis B and C Infections in U.S. incarcerated populations: Prevalence and Related mortality
Anne Marie Broemeling Faculty, University of British Columbia, Canada	Ph.D. HE	1997-1998	Homecare service utilization in British Columbia: Substitute or complement to acute care?

Gail Chanpong Epidemiologist, Johns Hopkins SPH	Dr.Ph. HSO	1998-1999	An evaluation of personal response system serving independently living elders in Harris County, TX
Carol Galeener Adjunct Assist. Prof, UTSPH	Ph.D. HE	2003-2004	A model of factors determining levels of public support for health care policy in the U.S.
Chiehwen Hsu Associate Prof, SHIS, UTHSC	Ph.D. Policy	2000-2001	The effect of income level and inequality, population size and density, and special autocorrelation on all-cause cancer mortality in Texas and Taiwan, 1995-98.
Ana Johnson Canada Research Chair in Health Policy, Queens University, Canada	Ph.D. HE	1997-1998	Quantifying uncertainty in cost-effectiveness analysis
Lincy Lal Senior Research consultant, Ingenix Consulting	Ph.D. HE	1999-2000	A retrospective study to determine the impact of medical and lifestyle based contraindications to a prescribed HAART regimen on clinical and economic outcomes
Dilijeet Singh Assistant prof, Northwestern School of Medicine	Dr.Ph. HSO	2000-2003	Cost-effectiveness analysis of treatment of high grade squamous intraepithelial lesions of the cervix with focus on low resource settings

Master Students - Advisor and/or thesis supervisor

Student	Degree	Year	Status
Paul Mullen	MPH-HSO	2010-present	Taking courses
Christina Roffidal	MPH-HSO	2010-present	Taking courses
Jason Lau	МРН-СМН	2010-2012	Frequencies and risk factors for bisphosphonate- related osteonecrosis of the jaw in cancer patients: A matched case-control study
Alyssa Hazelwood	MPH-HSO	2010-present	Taking courses
Arati Bhosale	МРН-СМН	2009-2010	A systematic review of literature on socioeconomic disparities in the prevalence of dental caries
Sonali Vaid	MPH-HSO	2008-2009	Transferred to Harvard School of Public Health
Anuja Bedi	МРН-СМН	2008-2009	Foodborne illness, food inspection policy, and restaurants in the U.S.
Rachael Cunningham	МРН-СМН	2007-2009	Contraceptive attitudes and knowledge of female adolescents
Catherine Wesson	МРН-СМН	2006-2008	Federal regulation of human embryonic stem cell research
Janet Perkins	МРН-СМН	2007-2009	The welfare states determinants of health: Implications of regimes and pathways

Metha Parth	МРН	2006-2010	Capitalizing on success against HIV/AIDS in Botswana: Towards a comprehensive healthcare
Fozia Steinkuller	МРН	2007-2009	policy for pediatric oncology in Botswana A review of cataract in stable and conflict zones in Africa
Nancy Chen	MPH	2006-2009	The influence of socioeconomic status on the relationship between diabetes and amputations:
Murtuza Rampurwala	MPH-HSR	2006-2011	A systematic review of the literature Graduated with capstone
Betsy Goldstein	МРН-СМН	2006-2007	Zoning and the built environment: A public health analysis of zoning in Austin, TX
Satyam Nayak	МРН-СМН	2006-2008	An Overview of China's One Child Policy and Health Consequences on Society
Kimberly Dugger	MPH-IFM	2005-2008	Healthcare policy analysis of Medicaid early and periodic screening, diagnosis, and treatment (EPSDT) benefit in Colorado
Chika Honda	MPH-HSO	2004-2006	Evaluation of risk factors for hepatotoxicity during latent tuberculosis infection treatment in inmates at the Harris County Jail in Houston Graduated
Romil Chadha	MPH-HSO	2005-present	Colorectal cancer: An insight into dietary factors
Jagriti Jhamb	MPH-HSO	2005-present	The relationship of obesity and cardiovascular disease in women
Nancy Crider	MPH-HSO	2002-2004	Petitioned to Dr.Ph.
Vickie Williams	МРН-СМН	2004-2008	The effect of African American's ethnographic paradigms and cultural explanatory model of breast cancer in framing the male partner's attitudes and behaviors about the woman' breast cancer diagnosis
Emily Ramsey	МРН-СНМ	2002-2008	The effect of food sources of calcium on weight class in adolescent girls
Jennifer Mayben	MPH-HSO	2004-2006	Factors associated with delayed diagnosis of HIV infection
Mohit Jhamb	MPH-HSO	2004-2006	Reducing medication errors in hospitals
Acsa Zavala	MPH-HSO	2001-2006	HIPAA and the code of medical ethics.
Alexander Allori	MPH-HSO	1997-1999	Laparoscopic cholecystectomy in the literature: too little, too late?

Shawn Chen	MPH-HSO	1997-1998	Assessing the costs of a cardiology residency program
Cecilia Domingo	MPH-HSO	2001-2003	Parental satisfaction in the NICU
David Garcia	MPH-HSO	2000-2004	A needs assessment of male to female transgender health care access for gender
Mark Kunik	MPH-HSO	1999-2000	transition and preventative care Health care utilization in dementia patients with psychiatric comorbidity
Tuyen Nguyen	MPH-HSO	1996-1998	Understanding the cost relationships between clinical variables associated with coronary artery bypass surgery
Gul Nowshad	MPH-HSO	2002-2003	Prevalence and Determinants of Protein-energy Under-nutrition among Women on World's Roof
Vineet Seth	MPH-HSO	2000-2001	A cost-effectiveness analysis of a reminder intervention strategy for mammography screening: A "communities conquering cancer" approach
Alex Vidaeff	MPH-HSO	2001-2003	In utero exposure to environmental estrogens and male reproductive health

<u>Master students – Committee member</u>

Student	Degree	Year	Status
Elisabeth Dominguez	MPH-HP	2010-2011	Graduated
Sartaj Alam	MSBSTA	2010-2010	Statistical and methodological challenges for disaster preparedness and medical needs assessment in Rio Grande Valley of Texas
Gupta Argula	MPH EPI	2007-2008	Graduated
Lindzi Martin	MPH-HPR	2005-present	On leave to law school
Veronika Nicholson	MPH-IFM	1999-2007	Physician coding for mental health reimbursement and the need for mental health parity
Maria Chang	MPH-HPR	2003-2006	The Relationship of School Campus Accessibility of Away-From-Home Foods and Weight Classification for 11th Grade Students in Texas
Courtney Clinton	MPH-COM	2003-2006	Did not graduate
Julie Lara	MPH-INF	2002-2010	Graduated
May Lau	MPH-INF	2002-2005	Graduated
Danielle Litofsky	MPH-COM	2000-2005	Graduated
Ashwini Shewade	MS-BIOM	2003-2006	Graduated

Rohit Das	MPH-INF	2001-2004	Risk factors for the development of major depression secondary to mild and moderate traumatic brain injury as compared to general trauma
Jennifer DiMaggio	MPH-INF	1999-2003	Evaluating the treatment decisions for the Handa Eye Care Program in the People's Republic of China
Billy Enochs	MPH-OCC	1996-2001	An evaluation of potential liquid/aerosol releases from a new retractable syringe
Michael Moloney	MPH-COM	1996-1998	Prior born sibling birth weight and subsequent risk of offspring with neural tube defects to multiparous Hispanic mothers on the Texas-Mexico border
Prasad Puvvala	MPH-HSO	2001-2004	A descriptive study of asbestos exposed subjects referred for independent medical examination
Denise Roberts	MPH-COM	2002-2003	Not available
Alan Wells	MPH-INF	1996-1997	Protocol developed for the qualitative needs assessment of heterosexual couples with HIV infection in Mumbai, India

Other advising: Pre-doctoral fellows

Advising committee for Komen pre-doctoral fellows Kavita Sail, Krystal Sexton, Zhannat Nurgalieva, and Briana Lawrence, Shelley Bluethmann, Ebun Odeneye.

POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWS

Fellow	Fellowship/school	Year	Title
Larkin Strong, Ph.D. Instructor, MD Anderson	Duncan Fellowship, MD Anderson	2010-present	Neighborhoods and physical activity in African-Americans and Hispanic adults
Arlene Keddie, Ph.D. Assistant Prof., Northern Illinois University	Epidemiology, UTSPH	2003	Social support in Hispanics
Terri Kinkade, MD Private Neonatologist, Pediatrix Medical Group, North Dallas	Neonatology fellow, UT Medical School	2002-3	The cost-effectiveness of Vitamin A supplementation in WLBW babies
Lisa Hollier M.D. Associate Prof. UT Medical School and Chief of Obstetrics and Genecology at LBJ	Neonatology fellow, UT Medical School	2002	The cost of billing in a hospital setting

MENTORING JUNIOR FACULTY

Faculty level mentoring at UTSPH

Liz Gammon (2009-present) (former student)

Shelton Brown (2005 – present)

Jamie DelliFraine (2010 – present)

Patrick Krueger (2006 – 2009)

Irwin Horwitz (2005-2010)

Faculty level mentoring at other institutions

L. Reitzel- Assistant professor, MD Anderson. K01 award CDC. "The Effects of Neighborhood Characteristics on Smoking Cessation" Budget \$416,667, 2007-2011.

Norma Perez, Assistant professor, UTMB, 2007-present (former student)

Monica Rasmus, Assistant professor, TSU, 2007-present (former student)

Arlene Keddie, Assistant professor, Northern Illinois University, 2003-present (former post-doc)

Karen Williams, Assistant professor, UTMB, 2002-present (former student)

Mentoring for submission of K awards or other career development awards

Rituparna Basu, Post-doc at UCSF, 2010 (former student)

Patricia Evans – Assistant professor, UT Medical School, 2010

Susan Wootton, - Assistant professor, UT Medical School, 2010

Lakshmi Katakam, – Assistant professor, UT Medical School, 2010

Eric Ratliff – Post-doc, UTSPH, 2010

Mark Moffet - Assistant professor, Houston VA Health Services Research and Development Center of Excellence, 2005

SERVICE

SERVICE TO THE INSTITUTION

UT School of Public Health leadership:

Division Director, Division of Management, Policy, and Community Health (2011-present) UTSPH Executive Council (2011-present)

Educational programs at the UT School of Public Health

- Co-director: Health Disparities Concentration (2010-present)
- Co-director: Health Disparities Certificate (2010-present)
- Coordinator for the Ph.D. Health Economics/ Health Services Research program (2005-2011)

Committees at the UT School of Public Health

- Academic and curriculum coordinator for the Management, Policy, and Community Health Division (2005-2011)
- Academic Council representative of the Management, Policy, and Community Health Division (2005-2011)
- Leadership team of the Management, Policy, and Community Health Division (2005-present)
- Annual Activity Review Committee (2002-2003)
- Health Services Research Center Planning group (2000-2003)
- Chair, Annual Activity Review Committee (2003-2005)
- Legislative Internship Committee (1996-2005)

- Curriculum Committee for Health Services Organization module (2000)
- Admission Committee: Health Services Organization module representative (1997-1999)

Faculty searches at the UT School of Public Health

- Faculty search committee for senior Management position (2012-present)
- Faculty search committee for 4 positions in San Antonio Regional Campus (2011-2012)
- Faculty search committee for 10 positions Comparative Outcomes Research (2010-2011)
- Faculty search committee for 3 positions in Biostatistics (2010- present)
- Chair, Faculty search committee for position for health service researcher (2007-2008)
- Chair, Faculty search committee for position for public health demographer (2005-2006)
- Faculty search committee for three positions in obesity research (2005-2007)
- Faculty search committee for position in Qualitative Methods (2000-2001)
- Interviewed and evaluated candidates for Outcomes position and Organization position (2003)

Service to the University of Texas Health Science Center

- Executive Board of the Association of Women Faculty, University of Texas Health Science Center in Houston (1997-99: School of Public Health representative; 1999-2001: Secretary).
- University Interfaculty Council: UTSPH representative (2000-2002)
- Governance and Academic Affairs committee: member (2002)
- Committee on the Status of Women, School of Public Health representative (1997-1999)
- Medicine and Public Health Task Force (1997-1999)
- Society and Health Task Force (1998-1999).
- Evaluation committee for the alternate self-study required for the accreditation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) (1998-1999).
- Executive Board of the Committee on the Status of Women (1997-1998)
- Revenue Distribution team (1997-1998)
- Women's Health Task Force (1997-1998)

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Memberships

1994-Present	American Public Health Association,
1995-Present	International Health Economics Association,
2000-Present	The International Society for Equity in Health (Founder Member).
1993-1997	Health Policy Statistics Section of the American Statistical Association.

Service to professional associations

- Chair of the Health Economics Committee, American Public Health Association, 2003-2011.
- Officer in the Medical Care Section, American Public Health Association, 2003-2011.
- Co-chair of the Health Economics Committee, American Public Health Association, 2001-2003.
- Director of the Health Economics Committee Solicited Papers Sessions, American Public Health Association, 2002-2003.
- Director of the Health Economics Committee Contributed Papers Sessions, American Public Health Association, 2001-2002.
- Health Economics Committee, American Public Health Association, 1996-Present.
- Statistical Methodology Committee, Health Policy Statistics Section of the American Statistical Association, 1994-Present.
- Medical Education Cost Studies Special Interest Group, Association of American Medical Colleges, 1996-2002.

Editorial Service

Associate editor: BMC Public Health, 2009 - present

Editorial consultant: Editorial Advisory Board of the International Journal of Equity in Health, 2001 - present. *Editorial committee:* Editorial Committee: Epidemiologic Reviews for the special issue in Health Disparities (Epidemiologic Reviews, Epidemiologic Approaches to Health Disparities, Vol 31, 2009)

Reviewer service

Reviewer for journals: American Journal of Public Health, Health Economics, Social Science and Medicine, Journal of Health and Social Behavior, American Journal of Epidemiology, Epidemiological Reviews, Health Economics Letters, Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine, Journal of Health Care for the Poor and the Underserved, American Journal of Preventive Medicine, Health and Place, Ethnicity and Disease, Social Science Quarterly, Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion, International Journal for Equity in Health, Communications in Statistics-Theory and Methods, AIDS Care, Demography, Population Health Metrics, International Journal of Pediatric Obesity, Preventive Medicine, Ethnicity and Health, Journal of the American Geriatrics Society, Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology, Applied Research in Quality of Life, American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, Health Policy, Journal of Urban Health, International Journal of Health Geographic, Nicotine and Tobacco Research.

Book reviewer: Reviewed for Oxford University Press Measuring Efficiency in Health Care: Analytic Techniques and Health Policy, 2003

Reviewer for meetings: American Public Health Association national meetings, 1996- present; North American Primary Care Research Group, 1995-1999.

Other review: Reviewed the "Health Professions Education Cost Study" for the Utah Health Policy Commission, 1996.

Conference session chair

- Session "Health economics: Economic evaluation of interventions" American Public Health Association, November 2009, Philadelphia, PA.
- Session "Applications of health economics to health behaviors and outcomes" American Public Health Association, November 2007, Washington, DC.
- Session: "Studies of Health Insurance Coverage and Its Impacts", American Public Health Association, November 2004, Washington, DC.
- Session: "Economic evaluation studies", American Public Health Association, November 2003, San Francisco, CA.
- Session: Economic studies of causes and effects" American Public Health Association, November 2001, Atlanta, GA
- Session "Economic Studies: Market structure, Managed care, and health costs" American Public Health Association, November 2000, Boston, MA.
- Session "Economic analysis of access to care for vulnerable populations" American Public Health Association, November 15-19, 1998, Washington, DC.
- Session "Health care consumers: Choice, coverage, and use" <u>American Public Health Association</u>, November 1999, Chicago, IL.
- Session "The economics of physician behavior", American Public Health Association, November 1997, Indianapolis, IN.

EXTERNAL SERVICE

Grant Review Panels

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA), Maternal and Child Health Research Program R40, Review Panel, 2010-2011.

Austrian Science Fund (Austrian equivalent of National Science Foundation in US), Ad hoc reviewer, October 2010.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Translating Research to Protect Health through Health Promotion, Prevention and Preparedness (CD09-001), Review Panel, Atlanta, GA, July 2009.

Scientific Merit Review Board- Methodology Review Group, VA Health Services Research and Development Service Research, Review Panel (member for 4 years), 2004-2008.

Scientific Merit review Board- Methodology Review Group, VA Health Services Research and Development Service Research, Ad hoc member, San Diego, CA, January 2004.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Ad hoc reviewer, 2004.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Prevention Research Centers Program Grant Review, External Review Panel, Atlanta, GA, June 2001.

SERVICE TO PUBLIC HEALTH

Local

Board of Directors: St. Luke's Episcopal Health Charities, 2011-2015.

Academic advisory panel: Triple P: A community based parenting program, Children at Risk (2011-present)

Participated in a paper on the homeless hospital costs in order to help Healthcare for the Homeless advocate for better support services for the homeless in Houston.

Working group at the community hospital Quentin Meese with the task of devising solutions to the problem of elderly self-neglect in Harris County, 2003- 2007.

KHOU news interview by Dan Lauck and a TV news segment reporting results from a study about Hispanic health of which I was PI. 2003.

Board of Directors: Planned Parenthood of Houston and Southeast Texas, 1995-1997.

State

Member of the Texas Tuberculosis Epidemiologic Studies Consortium, funded by Center for Disease Control and Prevention, 2000-2010.

Worked on advocating the adoption of opt-out consent for the immunization registry in Texas, 2007 - 2009.

Participated in a team that prepared estimates of the cost-effectiveness of requiring HPV vaccination for 12 year old girls in Texas, 2007-2008.

Wrote White Paper on public health consequences of Texas laws that restrict access to reproductive health care to teens which was presented to the Texas Legislature: "Health and economic consequences of teen's loss of confidentiality in obtaining reproductive health care services in Texas" with P Cromwell, C Markham, S McCurdy, N McKirahan, J Risser, B Selwyn, C Shapiro, 2002-2003.

Advised Health Care for All on estimating the costs of a single payer health care system in Texas, 2001-2002.

<u>U.S.</u>

Interviewed by Kaiser Health News, The Associated Press, The Fiscal Times, and the Dallas Morning News on our Health Affairs paper, December 2010.

Interviewed by El Diario/La Prensa, on Mexican immigrants health, September 2010

Interviewed by CNN on childhood obesity in Hispanics. November 2009

International

Member of the PEHRG (Poverty and Equity in Health Research Group) at the Universita' degli Studi di Perugia and Regione Umbria, Italy, 2009-present.

Radio interview with Radio Canada on the uninsured in the US, 2004.

SKILLS

Computer skills

STATA, SPSS, SAS, Excel, Fortran, Internet and other software. Experienced in maintaining and analyzing very large data bases.

Languages

Fluent speaking and writing English, Italian, French and some German.

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