

Quarterly Progress Report April - June 2019

Publications

- Stanhope, V., Ross, A., Choy-Brown, M., **Jessell, L.** (2019). A Mixed Methods Study of Organizational Readiness for Change and Leadership during a Training Initiative within Community Mental Health Clinics. *Administration and Policy in Mental Health and Mental Health Services Research*.
- **Kutnick. A. H.**, Leonard, N. R., & Gwadz, M. V. (2019) "Like I Have No Choice": A Qualitative Exploration of HIV Diagnosis and Medical Care Experiences while Incarcerated and their Effects. *Special Issue: Medical Mistrust, Journal of Behavioral Medicine*. DOI:10.1080/08964289.2019.1591338
- **Opara, I.** & *Santos, N. A. (2019). conceptual exploration of social media's role on mental health, body image, and eating disorders in Latina adolescents. *Hispanic Journal of Behavioral Sciences*. doi:10.1177/0739986319860844
- **Opara, I.**, Rivera Rodas, E.I., Lardier, Jr. D.T., Garcia-Reid, P., & Reid, R.J. (2019). Validation of the abbreviated Socio-Political Control Scale for Youth among Girls of Color. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal*. doi:10.1007s10560019006249
- **Opara, I.**, Lardier, Jr. D.T., Reid, R.J., & Garcia-Reid, P. (2019). "It all starts with the parents": A qualitative study on the protective factors for drug use prevention among Black and Hispanic girls. *Affilia: Journal of Women & Social Work*. doi:10.1177/0886109918822543
- Lardier Jr., D.T., **Opara, I.**, Berguson, C., Herrera, A., Garcia-Reid, P., & Reid, R.J. (2019). A study of neighborhood sense of community as a mediator between supportive social systems, school belongingness, and outcome behaviors among urban youth of color. *Journal of Community Psychology*. doi: 10.1002/jcop.22182
- **Quinn K,** Frueh BC, **Scheidell JD**, Schatz D, Scanlon FA, Khan MR. Internalizing and externalizing factors on the pathway from adverse experiences in childhood to non-medical prescription opioid use in adulthood. *Drug Alcohol Depend*. 2019 Apr 1;197:212-21. [PMCID: PMC6507420]
- Joudrey PJ, Khan MR, Wang EA, **Scheidell JD**, Edelman EJ, McInnes DK, Fox DA. A conceptual model for understanding post-release opioid-related overdose risk. *Addict Sci Clin Pract*. 2019 Apr 15;14(1):17. [PMCID: PMC6463640]
- **Umbach, R.**, Leonard, N. R., Luciana, M., Ling, S., & Laitner, C. (2019). The Iowa Gambling Task in Violent and Nonviolent Incarcerated Male Adolescents. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 0093854819847707.

Conferences

- **Fernández Y**. Characterization and Correlates of the Substance Use, Violence, HIV/AIDS (SAVA) Syndemic Among Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming (TGNC) Individuals: Results from the Virginia Transgender Health Initiative Study. [Oral Presentation] Society for Prevention Research Annual Conference (SPR), San Francisco, CA.
- **Fernández Y**. "Whose 'American Dream'?: A critical analysis of Detention Policy and its impact on the Health of Undocumented Communities of Trans-Experience". [Oral Presentation] National Transgender Health Summit (NTHS), San Francisco, CA.
- **Kwok, G. K.** (2019, June). A Letter to Future Me: A Narrative Approach to Increase Awareness of Mental Health Help Seeking in First-Generation Social Work College Students. Invited panel presented at Emerging Scholars Fellowship Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
- **Kwok, G. K.** Owens, D., & Newransky, C. (2019, May). *An Ecological Approach: Evaluating Contemporary Youth Language and Culture in Youth Dating & Interpersonal Violence Prevention Programs*. Conference poster presented at Eastern Evaluation Research Society, Galloway, NJ.
- Owens, D., **Kwok, G. K.**, & Newransky, C. (2019, May). *Developing a Study Protocol to Examine How Dating Violence Prevention Programs Can Be Inclusive of: Contemporary Adolescent Dating Culture, Language, Behaviors & Social Media*. Conference podium presented at Eastern Evaluation Research Society, Galloway, NJ.
- **Opara, I.**, Lardier Jr., D.T., Garcia-Reid, & Reid, R.J. (2019, June). "A qualitative study on protective factors for drug use prevention among Black and Hispanic girls". Paper presented at the 81stCollege on Problems of Drug Dependence (CPDD) Annual Scientific Meeting, San Antonio, Texas.
- Lardier Jr., D.T., **Opara, I.**, Pinto, S., Garcia-Reid, P., & Reid, R.J. (2019, June). "The mediating effects of cognitive empowerment and social justice awareness between sense of community, ethnic identity, community participation and psychological empowerment among queer and non-queer youth of color". Paper presented at the 2019 Society for Community Research and Action Biennial Conference, Chicago, IL
- **Opara, I.** (2019, May). "Marijuana prevention for youth—in a post-legalization era". New Jersey Psychiatric Rehabilitation Association (NJPHA) Education & Celebration 2ndAnnual Spring Conference, Monroe Township, NJ. [Invited Talk]
- **Umbach, R.**, Raine, A., & Leonard, N.L. (2019, May). *Cognitive Decline as a Result of Incarceration and the Protective Effects of Mindfulness: A Randomized Controlled Trial*. Oral paper presentation at the annual meeting for the Law and Society Association, Washington, D.C.

Proposals

- **Jaiswal, Jessica** (PI). Pre-exposure knowledge and acceptability among methadone clinicians and patients. CDUHR Pilot Project. Funded for \$24,999.
- **Suzan Walters** (PI). Feasibility of PrEP for Persons Who Inject Drugs. CDUHR Pilot Projected. Funded for \$24,984.90
- Danielle Ompad (PI) and **Suzan Walters** (Co-I). PrEP for Persons Who Inject Amphetamines in Rural Illinois and New York City. Clinical Translational Science Institute (CTSI), NYU Langone Health Pilot Project. Funded for \$30,000.

Honors, Awards, and Other Accomplishments

Fernández Y.

Medal of distinguished service from the Binghamton University Alumni Association

Kwok, G.

• Kwok, G. K., Chan, K. and Newransky, C. (2019). What do We Know About Acculturation? A Measurement Invariance Examination of Acculturation Domains Between Asian and Latino Populations. Conference poster was selected to participate in the APA 2019 Science at Sunset Poster Competition

Opara, I.

- NIDA Women & Sex/Gender Differences Junior Investigator Travel Award, College on Problems of Drug Dependence 2019 Annual Meeting
- 2019 Community Mobilizer of The Year, Paterson Coalition Against Substance Abuse

Umbach, R.

Partial funding for ABCD study workshop in Portland, Oregon

Walters, S.

• College on Problems of Drug Dependence, Travel Award for Early Career Investigators to attend the annual meeting in June 2019.