

JENNIFER R. WARREN, PHD

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2024-Present	<i>Affiliate Graduate Research Faculty</i> Health Policy and Administration, College of Public Health George Mason University
2021-2024	<i>Director</i> Center for Health Equity & Justice George Mason University
2021-2024	<i>Assistant Research Professor</i> Department of Communication (Tenure Home) Women & Gender Studies Program African/African American Studies Program George Mason University Affiliations: George Mason Institute for Digital Innovations; George Mason Institute for Biohealth Innovation; College of Arts and Humanities Center for Social Science Research
Summer 2013	<i>Health Disparities Scholar in Residence</i> Preventive Medicine Residency Program Anschutz Medical Campus University of Colorado
2010-2012	<i>Course Director</i> Public Health Program Icahn School of Medicine
2009-2018	<i>Assistant Professor</i> Department of Communication School of Communication and Information Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
2009-2011	<i>Adjunct Faculty</i> Public Health Institute School of Public Health University of Minnesota
2006-2009	<i>Postdoctoral Associate</i> Program in Health Disparities Research and Community Engagement Core (NIMHD P60MD003422, PIs: Jasjit Ahluwalia, MD, MPH, Kolawole Okuyemi, MD, MPH Department of Family Health University of Minnesota Medical School.

EDUCATION

<i>Ph.D.</i>	<i>Health Communication</i> The Pennsylvania State University
<i>M.A.</i>	<i>Media Ecology</i> New York University

B.S. *Culture and Communication*
 Minor: Anthropology
 New York University

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Maternal health: mortality, morbidity, prenatal, postpartum, birthing and birth outcomes, structural, systemic and racial health disparities, intersectional systems of racial oppression, mental health, racial trauma, racism-specific (mal)adaptive coping, cultural and historical influences, social determinants of health, access to and quality of care, maternal health policy

Life course and intergenerational transmission: chronic disease and risks factors, resilience, social mobility, economic mobility, reproductive health, environmental stressors, gene-environment interactions, aging, parenting, infant and child health family dynamics, behavioral health, lifestyle choices

Additional interests/expertise: Digital health, infectious diseases, nicotine product use, chronic diseases including cancer and cardiovascular illness, stress and coping, prevention/detection health behaviors, health disparities, sexually transmitted infections, access to care, quality of care, and social and built environmental determinants of health including senior health and housing, education, poverty, and unemployment

Methodologies and Applications: quantitative, qualitative, mixed-method, survey, translational, and community-engaged research, clinical trials, biomarkers, health systems, , implementation science, dissemination, community-based interventions

FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS, & HONORS

2023	Teaching and Mentoring Excellence of the Year (nomination), George Mason University
2021	Excellence in Research, Global Awards on Primary Healthcare and Medicare (Ebola Research)
2022-2023	Fellowship. Science Communication (SciCom). University of Rhode Island, Metcalf Institute, Providence, RI
2022	Cohort Six. Enhanced Grant Writing Coaching Intervention for a Diverse Biomedical Workforce (NIGMS 1U01GM132366) PI: Kola Okuyemi, MD, MPH, Professor/Chair Department of Family and Preventive Medicine, University of Utah
2017	Outstanding Community Service Award, Sierra Leone Community of New Jersey
2014	Faculty Diversity Award for Community Engagement and Health Equity, Rutgers University Communication and Information, Rutgers, The State University of NJ
2012	Communication and Information, Rutgers, The State University Distinguished Achievement in Service Award

2009	Community Appreciation Award, La Crèche Childhood Development Center, Minneapolis, MN
2008-2014	National Institute of Health, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities Research LRP Recipient
2008	Outstanding Postdoctoral Scholar Award, University of Minnesota
2007	Cancer Research and Prevention Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow

RESEARCH
SUPPORT,
CURRENT

2023-2025 “Influence of internalized racism on maternal mental health and infant health outcomes in Washington, DC,” ORIEI (Amount \$99,992.35) Co-PI: Warren
George Mason University

RESEARCH
SUPPORT,
COMPLETED

2022-2023 “Examining tobacco/nicotine misinformation among Black women” (25,000) PI: Warren
National Cancer Institute Center for the Study of Tobacco Products
Virginia Commonwealth University

2021-2022 “Pilot Testing a Survey to Assess Racial Stress and Related Factors among Perinatal Black Women (\$10,000) PI: Warren
George Mason University

2021-2021 “Cardiovascular education campaign for African American women. (\$5000) PI: Warren
Abbott Medical Devices

2019 – 2021 “Perceptions of cardiovascular health among African American women in public housing” (\$7,500) Co-I: Warren, PI: White
College of Health Sciences
University of Kentucky

2018-2020 “Moving toward a healthier future: nutritional and physical activity programming for Black American public housing residents” (\$20,000)
PI: Warren, Center for African American Health Disparities Education and Research, Inc. (501(c)3) and Co-I: Brooks, Trenton Housing Authority
New Jersey Department of Health

2018-2019 “A multidisciplinary STEM Squibb internship program for low-income communities” (\$10,000) PI: Waben, Vocation Art Science & Training Center Funding and Co-I: Warren, Center for African American Health Disparities Education and Research, Inc. (501(c)3)
Bristol Myers Squibb

2017-2018 “Housing, health, and life quality: senior/disabled residents of multi-unit public housing” (\$30,000) PI: Warren, Co-I: White
Rutgers University

2016-2017 “Validating Identity-Congruence in e-Health Information Seeking” (\$10,000) PI: Warren
University Research Council, Rutgers University

2015-2016 “Barriers to crisis communication within U.S. Sierra Leone communities”
Funding Agency: (\$10,000) PI: Warren
University Research Council Grant Program, Rutgers University

2011-2013 “Development and Dissemination of Set the Rule: ETS Intervention for Black Children” (\$20,000) PI: Warren
Clearway Minnesota

2007-2009 “Cancer-related Biomarker Risk Assessment for African American Light Smokers” (\$25,000) PI: Okuyemi and Project Director: Warren University of Minnesota
Transdisciplinary Tobacco Use Research Center

2008-2010 “Mobilizing African American parents to address the harms of secondhand smoke: A community-based participatory research project” (\$700,000) Co-PIs Warren, University of Minnesota Medical School and Sloan, LeCreche Early Childcare Centers
ClearWay Minnesota

2008-2010 “Web-based cessation intervention among African American smokers” (\$250,000) PI: Warren
Prevent Cancer Foundation

2008-2009 “Tobacco use among African- Americans in Minnesota: a survey and conversations with African American communities” (\$25,000) PI: Warren
Blue Cross Blue Shield, MN

2008-2009 “Motivating patients in primary care to utilize the Minnesota Helpline, (Clinical Trial)” (\$500,000) Project Director: Warren
ClearWay Minnesota

2007-2012 “Improving nicotine replacement treatment adherence and outcomes in homeless smokers (Clinical Trial)” PI: Okuyemi and Project Director: Warren
National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) (1R01 HL081522)

RESEARCH
SUPPORT,
REVISION

2023-2025 “Examining the relationship of racism-specific adaptive coping to cortisol stress and birth outcomes among Black women.” (\$181,477.00) Co-PIs: Warren and Roess
National Institute of Child Health and Human Development

OTHER
PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE

& CONSULTING

Senior Research Scientist & Director of Programs, 01/2024 to Present
Institute for Health Equity Research & Education, LLP – Atlantic City, NJ.

Lecturer, 2022-2023 Spring Semesters, Medicine and Health Sciences, George
Washington University – Washington, DC

Consultant, 06/2023 to 08/2023
Center for African American Health – Denver, CO

Consultant, 02/2020 to 05/2021
Center for African American Health – Denver, CO

Consultant, 04/2019 to 08/2019
New Jersey Department of Health – Trenton, NJ

Public Housing & Health Consultant, 02/2017 to 08/2020
Trenton Housing Authority – Trenton, NJ

Consultant, 8/2017 to 12/2019
Vocational Arts Sciences Training Center (VAST) – Trenton, NJ.

Executive Director, 06/2017 to 08/2022
Center for African American Health Disparities Education & Research (501(c)(3) –
Atlantic City, NJ.

REFERRED

PUBLICATIONS (**Underlined means undergraduate, graduate, or postdoc*)

1. **Warren, J. R.**, Natarajan, S., Roess, A. A. (Accepted). Superwoman schema as a racist stressor and its association to perceived stress during pregnancy and birth outcomes among Black women. *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities*.
2. Ghanem, N., Goldberg, D. G., Granger, E., **Warren, J. R.**, & Gimm, G. (2024). A critical qualitative study to understand current black women medical student perspectives on anti-racist reform in US medical education. *Medical Education Online*, 29(1), 2393436.
3. Natarajan, S. & **Warren, J. R.** (2024). Examining associations of the strong Black woman to maternal mental and perinatal health: A literature synthesis. *Journal of Gynecology and Maternal Health*.
4. **Warren, J. R.**, Hopfer, S., Fields, E. J., Natarajan, S., Belue, R., McKee, F. X., ... & Lebed, J. P. (2023). Digital HPV education to increase vaccine uptake among low-income women. *PEC innovation*, 2, 100111.
5. Riddick, B., Natarajan, S., Cobb, T., & **Warren, J. R.** (2022) Implications of the *Strong Black Woman* stereotype for maternal and perinatal health. *Integrative Gynecology and Obstetrics Journal*. 5(2), 1-2. DOI: 10.31038/IGOJ.2022521.
6. Fields, E. J., Hopfer, S., **Warren, J. R.**, BeLue, R., Lebed, J., & Hecht, M. L. (2022). Motivators and barriers to HPV Vaccination: a qualitative study of Underserved Women Attending Planned Parenthood. *Vaccines*, 10(7), 1126.
7. **Warren, J. R.** (2021). Retrospective quasi-qualitative synthesis of literature to identify and evaluate communication processes in community-campus partnerships to address health disparities. *Journal of Health Disparities Research and Practice*, 14(3), 1.
8. **Warren, J. R.** (2021). COVID-19: An epidemiological and empirical investigation of Non-Hispanic Black American seniors and low-income congregate housing. *International Journal of Internal Medicine and Geriatrics*. 3(1), 141-149.
9. **Warren, J. R.**, Kurlander, L., Suaray, M., & Onigbanjo-Williams, A. (2020). ‘We have a role

- to play’: American Sierra Leoneans communicating the impact of the Ebola virus locally and across the diaspora. *Public Health*, 185, 270-274.
10. **Warren, J. R.** & White, B. M. (2020). A translational science approach to community-based participatory research using methodological triangulation. *Journal of Public Health*, 1-12
 11. White, B. M., Rochell, J., **Warren, J. R.** (2019) Promoting cardiovascular health for African American women: An integrative review of interventions. *Journal of Women’s Health*, DOI: 10.1089/jwh.2018.7580.
 12. **Warren, J. R.** & White, B. M. (2018) Rationale, design and methods of “Set the Rules”: a tailored peer-to- peer health information intervention. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 15(11), 2391.
 13. Williams, A. O., **Warren, J. R.**, Kurlander, L & Suaray, M. (2018) Critical communications: A retrospective look at the use of social media among American Sierra Leoneans during the Ebola Outbreak. *Journal of Social Media and Society*, (7)1, 366-380
 14. **Warren, J. R.** (2016). Communicating identity congruence in e-health information seeking: A preliminary investigation. *Health Systems*, (5)1, 43-51. DOI: 10.1057/hs.2014.24/. Published online January 16, 2015: <https://secure.palgravejournals.com/hs/journal/v5/n1/abs/hs201424a.html>. DOI: 10.1057/hs.2014.24/.
 15. **Warren, J. R.** & Cantona, D. (2013) Urban, low-income African American light smokers: Perceptions of cessation counseling. *Journal for Health Care of the Poor and Underserved*, (24)3, 1306-1316.
 16. **Warren, J. R.** & Sukumar, A. (2013). Identity-congruent communication in web interface design: The case of medically underserved smokers. *Howard Journal of Communications*, (24)4, 348-369.
 17. **Warren, J. R.** (2013). Community-based preferences for e-smoking cessation. *Qualitative Research Reports in Communication*, (14)1, 1-9.
 18. **Warren, J. R.**, Sloan, P., Allen, M., & Okuyemi, K. S. (2010). Exploring Children's Secondhand Smoke Exposure with Early Childcare Providers. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, (39)6S1, S44-S47.
 19. Okuyemi, K., Thomas, J., **Warren, J. R.**, Hongfei, G, & Ahluwalia, J. (2010). Relationship between smoking reduction and cessation among light smokers. *Journal of Nicotine and Tobacco Research*, (12)10, 1005-1010.
 20. **Warren, J. R.**, Thomas, J., Lundgren, B., Okuyemi, K., & Ahluwalia, J. (2010). Development and validation of the multidimensional measure of stress (MMoS) among African American light smokers. *Journal of the National Medical Association*, (102)10, 890-897.
 21. **Warren, J. R.**, Allen M. L, Hopfer, S & Okuyemi, K. S. (2010) Contextualizing single parent- preadolescent drug use talks. *Qualitative Research Reports in Communication*, (11)1, 29-33.
 22. Warren, J. R., Hecht, M.L., Jung, E., Kvasny, L., & Henderson, M. (2010). Ethnic and class-based identities on the World Wide Web: Moderating the effects of self-perceived information seeking/finding and internet self-efficacy. *Communication Research* (37)5, 674-702.
 23. **Warren, J. R.**, Kvasny, L., Hecht, M. L., Burgess, D., Ahluwalia, J. S., & Okuyemi, K. S. (2010). Barriers, control and identity in health information seeking: Listening to lower income African American women. *Journal of Health Disparities Research and Practice* (3)3, 68-90.
 24. **Warren, J. R.**, Okuyemi, K., Hongfei, G, Thomas, J. & Ahluwalia, J. (2010). Predicting

- secondhand smoke restrictions among African American light smokers. *American Journal of Health Behavior* (34)1, 110-118
25. Burgess, D., **Warren, J. R.**, Phelan, S., Dovidio, J., & van Ryn, M (2010). Stereotype threat and health disparities: What medical educators and future physicians need to know. *Journal of Internal General Medicine* (34)Supplement 2, 169-177.
 26. **Warren, J. R.**, Allen, M., Okuyemi, K., Kvasny, L., & Hecht, M. L. (2009). Targeting single parents in preadolescent substance use prevention: Internet characteristics and information relevance. *Drugs: Education, Prevention and Policy*, 7(4), 400-412.
 27. **Warren, J.R.**, Wagstaff, D.A., Hecht, M.L., & Elek, E. (2008). The effects of Mexican origin family structure on parental monitoring and preadolescent substance use expectancies and substance use. *Journal of Substance Use* (13)4, 283-292.
 28. Ndiaye, K., Krieger, J. R., **Warren, J. R.**, Hecht, M., & Okuyemi, K. (2008). Health disparities and discrimination: Three perspectives. *Journal of Health Disparities and Research* (2)2, 51-72
 29. Hecht, M. L, **Warren, J. R.**, Wagstaff, D., & Elek, E. (2008). Substance use, resistance skills, decision making, and refusal efficacy among Mexican and Mexican American preadolescents. *Health Communication* (23)4, 329- 357.
 30. **Warren, J. R.**, Hecht, M. L, Wagstaff, D., Elek, E., Ndiaye, K., Marsiglia, F. F., & Dustman, P. (2006). Communicating prevention: The effects of the keepin' it REAL classroom videotapes and televised PSAs on middle-school students' substance use. *Journal of Applied Communication Research*. (34)2, 210- 228.
 31. Hendrix, K. G., Jackson II, R. L., & **Warren, J. R.** (2003). Shifting academic landscapes: Exploring co- identities and critical progressive pedagogy. *Communication Education* (52)3/4, 177-190.
 32. **Warren, J. R.** (2014). Personal influences on health disparities. In T. L. Thompson & T. G. Golson (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Health Communication*, 2nd Edition, (pp. 1017-1018). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publishers.
 33. Ndiaye, K., Krieger, J. R., **Warren, J. R.**, & Hecht, M. (2011). Communication and health disparities. In T. L. Thompson, R. Parrot, & J. F. Nussbaum (Ed). *The Routledge Handbook of Health Communication*, 1st Edition, (pp 469-481). New York, NY: Routledge Publishing
 34. Jackson, R. L., **Warren, J. R.**, Pitts, M. J., & Wilson, K. B. (2007). It is not my responsibility to teach culture! White graduate teaching assistants negotiating identity and pedagogy. In L. Cooks (Ed.), *Whiteness, pedagogy, and performance*, (pp. 67-86), Landham, MD: Lexington Books.
 35. Kvasny, L & **Warren, J. R.** (2006). The representation and performance of menu-driven identities in online health portals. In E. Trauth (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Information Technology and Gender*, (pp. 745-751), Hershey: Idea Group Publishing.
 36. Hecht, M. L. & **Warren, J. R.** (2006). Constructing mentoring relationships through everyday talk. In J. Wood and S. Duck (Eds.), *Composing Relationships*, (pp 156-165). Mahwah, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates, Inc.
 37. Hecht, M. L., **Warren, J. R.**, Jung, E., & Krieger, J. (2005). The communication theory of identity: Development, theoretical perspective, and future directions. In W. Gudykunst (Ed), *Theorizing about Intercultural Communication*, (pp. 257-278). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

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38. **Warren, J. R.** Hopfer, S., Fields, E., Natarajan, S. . . .Lebed, J. Empowering HPV prevention

leveraging digital tools in safety net health centers to boost vaccine uptake among low-income women. Science Featured: Latest Research. March 28, 2024.

<https://sciencefeatured.com/2024/03/28/empowering-hpv-prevention-leveraging-digital-tools-in-safety-net-health-centers-to-boost-vaccine-uptake-among-low-income-women/>

39. **Warren, J. R.** (2018). Housing, Health and Quality of Life: Senior and Disabled Residents of Multi-Unit Public Housing. White Paper: Trenton Housing Authority.
40. Kurlander, L, Williams, A. O., **Warren, J. R.** (2015) Communicating Knowledge, Impacts and Stereotypes: Perceptions of Ebola Outbreak among Local Sierra Leonean Communities. White Paper: to Robert Wood Johnson Hospital
41. **Warren, J. R.**, Nagarajan, S., Hariri, M., & Parmar, J. (2014). "Communication and collaborative processes to address health disparities: a systematic literature review." National Institute for Health Research-Prospero International Prospective Register of Systematic Reviews. http://www.crd.york.ac.uk/PROSPEROFILES/6847_STRATEGY_20131119.pdf
42. **Warren, J. R.** (White Paper, 2009). Conversations with African Americans about tobacco use findings from the MATSIII Survey. White Paper: Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota, ClearWay Minnesota, Minnesota Department of Health.

UNDER REVIEW

Ghanem, N., Debora, M. S., Goldberg, D. G., Granger, E., **Warren, J. R.**, Gimm, G. G. Perspectives of Black women medical students on barriers and strategies to fostering diversity, equity, and inclusion in US medical education. *Journal of Medical Education and Curricular Development*

Ghanem, N., Debora, M. S., Goldberg, D. G., Granger, E., **Warren, J. R.**, Gimm, G. G. Critical qualitative study to understand Black physician perspectives on barriers and strategies to fostering diversity, equity, and inclusion in U.S. medical education. *Journal for the Healthcare of the Poor and Underserved*

Warren, J. R. Black women making sense of resilience in health: A grounded theory systematic literature review. *Women's Health Journal*.

Warren, J. R. Natarajan, S. Mosugu, T. Motivators and barriers to promoting menthol tobacco/nicotine products use among Black women. *Journal of Nicotine & Tobacco Research*.

Warren, J. R. Process of framing health beliefs into social media messaging to increase COVID-19 vaccinations among Black Americans. *Journal of Public Health*.

IN PREPERATION

Warren, J. R. Black maternal health: Racism, racism-specific maladaptive coping and neurological impacts

Warren, J. R. & Mosugu, T. Biopsychosocial Model of Intersectional Racism.

Warren, J. R. & Roess, A. Modeling the relationships among neighborhood disorder, racial discrimination, superwoman schema and prenatal care outcomes among Black women.

Warren, J. R. & Roess, A. Superwomen schema associations to cardiovascular health, healthy eating, and exercise among Black pregnant women.

Warren, J. R. & Roess, A. Associations among lifetime racial discrimination, hypervigilance, superwoman schema, and prenatal care outcomes.

Warren, J. R. & Mosugu, T. Dual nicotine produce use among Black women and health

outcomes

Warren, J. R. & Mosugu, T. Associations between dual nicotine product use, coping expectancies and socioemotional outcomes.

MEDIA (SINCE
2012)

“The Abortion Crisis” Featured on NBC Universal News. Spring, 2022.
<https://www.nbcwashington.com/news/local/a-history-of-abortion-in-the-us/3047894/>

“Frustrated Trent Center East residents describe complex as ‘unlivable’.” The Trentonian 11/10/15. <http://www.trentonian.com/health/20151110/frustrated-trent-center-east-residents-describe-complex-as-unlivable>

“Professor: Trenton seniors facing ‘discriminatory and abusive housing policies’.” The Trentonian 9/4/2015. <http://www.trentonian.com/health/20150904/professor-trenton-seniors-facing-discriminatory-and-abusive-housing-policies>

“Trenton senior housing complex denies coercing tenants.” The Trentonian 9/2/2015. <http://www.trentonian.com/general-news/20150902/trenton-senior-housing-complex-denies-coercing-tenants>

“Jennifer Warren Honored With 2013-14 Leaders in Faculty Diversity Awards” School of Communication and Information; News & Events Website. <http://comminfo.rutgers.edu/news/jennifer-warren-vikki-katz-honored-with-2013-14-leaders-in-faculty-diversity-awards.html>

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“Research Interest Propels Professor Jennifer Warren’s Recent Trenton Housing Authority Commissioner Appointment.” School of Communication and Information; News & Events Website. <http://comminfo.rutgers.edu/news/research-interests-propels-prof-jennifer-warren-s-recent-trenton-housing-authority-commissioner-appointment.html>

Dr. Jennifer Warren guest expert, six-minute segment Sept. 17, 2012, on the International TV news program Ebru Today, which airs everyday 9am. In her six-minute segment she discussed the benefits and potential dangers of electronic cigarettes for harm reduction for smokers.

Youtube - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5n3UNFBD7jA>

Dr. Jennifer Warren guest expert, six-minute segment Aug 3, 2012, on the International TV news program Ebru Today, which airs everyday 9am. In her six-minute segment she discussed with Bryan Jenkins research aligned with her NIH award--stereotype threat, identity, smoking health outcomes, and how health communication can help reduce this threat for minorities. EbruToday - <http://ebrutoday.com/2012-06-12-20-56-48/health/503-diagnosis-bais.html>
Youtube - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=plJnbnsMrUM&feature=youtu.be>

Dr. Jennifer Warren guest expert, six-minute segment July 13, 2012 to the integration of service, teaching and research (Interviewed by Laura Jones).
TV news program hosted by Bryan Jenkins and Laura Jones.
Youtube: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qWk_LiX2k9c&feature=plcp Ebrunews:
<http://www.ebrutoday.com/ebrutoday-insight.html>

Dr. Jennifer Warren and her integration of teaching, research, and service in her Communication and Social Change class with ShapingNJ (a funded New Jersey based mobilization against obesity). Rutgers Focus article June 22, 2102: Rutgers Students Help Shape a Healthier New

Jersey <http://news.rutgers.edu/focus/issue.2012-05-30.4224061348/article.2012-06-20.3013761733>

Dr. Jennifer Warren on six-minute segment June 11, 2012 to discuss e-health and health disparities (Interviewed by Bryan Jenkins).

TV news program hosted by Bryan Jenkins and Laura Jones.

Youtube: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bo33s6lRNtE&feature=youtu.be>

Dr. Jennifer Warren on six-minute segment June 1, 2012 to discuss health literacy, smoking, and asthma issues (Interviewed by Bryan Jenkins).

TV news program hosted by Bryan Jenkins and Laura Jones.

Youtube: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YAYchuDNo> Ebrunews:

<http://ebrunews.com/en/video/health-literacy>

Dr. Jennifer Warren interviewed by Steve Adubato on his Caucus: New Jersey broadcast as part of a 30 minute panel on childhood asthma, during the following times:

Thirteen: Saturday 5/12 at 12:30pm

NJTV: Saturday 5/12 at 12:00pm, 6:00pm; Sunday 5/13 at 8:30am, 11:30am

WHYY: Tuesday 5/15 at 5:30pm

WLIW: Wednesday 5/16 at 11:30pm; Friday 5/18 at 7:00am

Protecting Kids from 2nd & 3rd –Hand Smoke, Nov. 23, 2012, North News, MN,

MyNorthNews.com Professor Jennifer Warren Spearheads Program to Battle Childhood Asthma, Nov. 16, 2011, Rutgers Today, NJ, news.rutgers.edu/medrel/q-and-a-hot-topic/professor-jennifer-w-20111116.

INVITED TALKS

Warren, J. R. One Collective Voice: Advocating Life Equity for Visually Impaired and Blind Persons. New Jersey Council for the Blind. April 27, 2024.

Warren, J. R. Fairfax Public Health Department, February 13, 2023. Trust, Sources, and Public Health Communication Post-Pandemic.

Warren, J. R. Women and Gender Studies, Annual Scholar's Lecture. George Mason University, March 9, 2022. A Womanist Research Agenda.

Warren, J. R. School of Humanities and Social Sciences, George Mason University, February 18, 2022. What is Internalized Oppression.

Warren, J. R. George Mason University, April 11, 2022. Healthcare Inequity in the Age of COVID-19.

Warren, J. R. Program in Health Disparities Research Health Equity Series, University of Minnesota Medical School, February. 9, 2021. Internalized Racial Oppression and the Development of Equitable Collection Action Interventions in Cardiovascular Health.

Warren, J. R. American Public Health Association, Learning and Professional Development Webinar. December 17, 2021. Racial Equity as a Social Justice Approach in Public Health. Practice.

https://apha.zoom.us/rec/share/OL0l8bAGIs01hpUGM62EPxbkh86oqhHxR9QRDaUGh_6>If9cLxxY2Xie11bD5-Ov.DsXSiATuX34UoWNs

Warren, J. R. American Public Health Association, Learning and Professional Development Webinar. November 18, 2021. Best Practices in Online Teaching: Academic, Community, and Professional Development.

Warren, J. R. Department of Communication, University of Utah, March 17, 2021.

Epistemic Injustice.

Warren, J. R. Department of Health Sciences, University of Kentucky, Sept. 12, 2019. Community-Engaged Research.

Warren, J. R. Engaging Low Income Senior/Disabled Residents to Understand the Relationship of Housing Quality Inequities and Health, Distinguished Lecture Series, Mercer County Community College, West Windsor Campus, Dec. 5, 2017.

Warren, J. R. John Ruffin Health Disparities Research Seminar Series, Laboratory of Epidemiology and Population Sciences at the National Institute on Aging's Intramural Research Program, May 2015. Health Literacy: Urban low-income African American Smoking

Warren, J. R. Colorado Department of Health and Environment, Summer 2013: Inaugural Meeting of the Health Equity Commission. Recommendations to Improve Collaborative Communication in Health Equity Promotion.

Warren, J. R. Colorado Trust, Summer 2013. Communicating to Promote Health Equity through Community Engagement Practices.

Warren, J. R. Community engagement to address cancer related health disparities in low-income minority populations, Cancer Institute of New Jersey Summer Retreat. May 28, 2013.

Warren, J. R. School of Public Health, University of Colorado, Spring 2013. Preventive Medicine Grand Round. Health Communication and Community Engagement: How can one be used to help the other in the identification and reduction of health disparities in medically underserved populations?

Warren, J. R. Communication in Community Engagement. 2012 ShapingNJ Faith- Based Conference, Robert Wood Johnson Health and Wellness Center, Trenton, NJ. Sponsored by Depart. of Health Human Services, ShapingNJ, and NJ Office of Minority and Multicultural Health, April 27, 2012.

Warren, J. R. Mt Sinai Medical School's MPH Program, Spring 2010: Introduction to socio-behavioral health, health disparities, and community-engaged solutions.

Warren, J. R. Tobacco use among African- Americans in Minnesota: A survey and conversations with African American communities, NorthPoint Health and Wellness Center, Minneapolis, MN, July 2009.

Warren, J. R. Community Health Intervention in Reducing Tobacco-Related Health Disparities, New Faculty Talk Series, Rutgers University, November 2, 2009.

Warren, J. R. Communication Perspectives on Community Health and Wellness, Johnson & Johnson Blue Ribbon Health and Medical Speakers Series, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, January 23, 2009.

Warren, J. R. A Women's Empowerment Symposium Presentation entitled, Ending Silence, Sacrifice, and Suffering in African American Women's Health. Minneapolis, MN. October, 2009

Warren, J. R. University of Minnesota, Spring 2008. Web-Based Health Prevention Among the Underserved. Discussion of web-based intervention targeting lower income African Americans.

Warren, J. R. Roche-Dean, M., & Natarajan, S., & Roess, A. A. (2023). Examining strong Black woman identity schema in access to prenatal care during the COVID-19 pandemic. American Public Health Association Conference, November 2023.

Warren, J. R., Natarajan, S., Mhonde, R., & Roess, A (2023). Communicating disrupted and adaptive racism-specific resilience and its contribution to psychosocial and mental health among pregnant Black American women. National Communication Association Conference, November 2023. Oral Presentation.

Warren, J. R. (2023). Looking back and forward in approaches to address racism in Black women's health: Have we gone far enough? 2023 Health Communication Conference, Washington, DC.

Warren, J. R. Internalized racism and the strong Black woman stereotype: Identifying and measuring contributory mechanisms to poor birth outcomes among Black women. Oral. 2022 International Webinar on Global Healthcare & Patient Safety.

Warren, J. R. Healthcare Inequity in the Age of Covid-19, Intellectual Life, GMU. 2022 – Moderator

Warren, J. R. The strong Black woman stereotype and poor birth outcomes among Black Women: Implications for reproductive health. Oral. 2022 2nd International Conference on Gynecology & Obstetrics, Dubai, UAE.

Warren, J. R. Demarginalizing the role of internalized racism within health communication. Oral. Public Health/Communication, 2022 American Public Health Association, Boston, MA.

Warren, J. R. Public housing and seniors: An incongruent match for COVID-19. Oral. 2021 Black Summit Conference, Denver, CO.

Warren, J. R. Health self-advocacy. Oral/Workshop. 2021 Black Summit Conference, Denver, CO.

Warren, J. R. & White, B. M. Ideology of Oppression and its impact on cardiovascular health among African American women living in public housing. Oral. 2020 American Public Health Annual Conference. San Francisco, CA.

Rochel, J., Walker, L., Sullivan, A., Smith, I., Brigham, L, James, C., Warren, J. R., White, B. M. "Perceptions of healthy eating to promote heart health among Black women living in public housing: A Pilot Study. 2020 American Public Health Annual Conference. Poster. San Francisco, CA.

Rochel, J, Walker, T., Rochel, J., Sullivan, A., James, C, Brunson, J., Warren, J. R., White, B. M. Barriers to physical inactivity among Black women in public housing. 2020 American Public Health Annual Conference. Poster. San Francisco, CA.

White, B. M., Rochel, J., Warren, J. R. Strategies used to tailor cardiovascular risk

reduction programs for African American women: An integrative review.
Roundtable. 2019 American Public Health Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

Warren, J. R., White, B. M. Brunson, J. Public Housing Health: A pilot survey of African American senior health and those seniors living with disabilities (categorized by smoking status). Poster. Upcoming 2019 American Public Health Annual Conference.

Warren, J. R., Morgan, K., White, B. M. Findings of a pilot community survey of senior and those with disabilities living in public housing (categorized by disability status). Poster. June 2019 Academy of Health Conference, Washington, DC.

Rochell J, White B, M., **Warren J. R.** Sex differences in the social determinants of health among seniors and people with disabilities living in public housing. Poster. April 2019, Kentucky Public Health Association Annual Meeting; Covington, KY.

Warren, J. R. & Sukumar, A. Identity-congruent communication in user interface design: The case of medically underserved smokers. As part of a paper session paper proposal, entitled, Partnership for Progress on the Digital Divide. 2014 100th National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Warren, J. R., Sloan, P., White, B. M. Reducing communication inequalities in access to information about the harms of environmental tobacco smoke: A community engaged approach. 2014 Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, KY.

Warren, J. R. Communication strategies, process, and outcomes in a community-academic partnership to conduct biomedical research in an inner-city African American community. As part of a paper session proposal, entitled Strengthening Communication in and through Communities to Address Health Disparities. 2013 National Communication Association Annual Meeting.

Warren, J. R. Urban, low-income African American light smokers: Perceptions of cessation counseling. Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco's 13th Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, March 13-16, 2013

Warren, J. R. Community engagement as a communicative effort: Illustrations from the field. As part of the Preconference Workshop, entitled Community Engagement to Address Tobacco-Related Health Disparities. Organized and facilitated by the Tobacco-Related Health Disparities Network. Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco's 13th Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, March 13-16, 2013.

Warren, J. R. Identity congruent personal health promotion among inner city African American smokers: Implications for cessation treatment. 2012 Summit on the Science of Eliminating Health Disparities, Building a Healthier Society, Integrating Science, Policy, and Practice, October 31- November 3, 2012, National Harbor, Maryland.

Warren, J. R., White, B. M., Buckless, B., & Sloan, P. Translational Research in Environmental Tobacco Smoke: From Engaging Inner-City Early Childcare Providers to Disseminating Community-Usable Product. 140th APHA Annual Meeting. October 27-31, 2012, San Francisco, CA.

Lilley E, Coups E, **Warren J. R.**, Hudson S, & Azu. The Patient as 'Consumer': Internet Ratings of Surgeons. Breast Cancer Coordinated Care Conference (BC3) July 19-21 2012, Washington, DC

Warren, J.R. Child health provider communication and parental secondhand smoke exposure in African American Homes. Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco's 16th Annual Meeting, February 2010. Baltimore, MD.

Warren, J.R. & Grey, A. "Spheres of influence: Reconfiguring identity in e-health communication targeting minority and urban communities." American Public Health Association's 137th Annual Meeting, November 2009, Philadelphia, PA.

Warren, J.R., Sloan, P., White, B., Allen, M., Olaleye, T., & Okuyemi, K. "Factors Influencing the Mobilization of Inner-City African American Parents to Address the Harms of Secondhand Smoke Exposure." American Public Health Association's 137th Annual Meeting, November 2009, Philadelphia, PA.

Warren, J. R., White, B., An, L., Thomas, J., & Ahluwalia, J., Okuyemi, K. "Targeting interactive health communication: Urban African American smokers' perceptions and preferences of web-based smoking cessation content." Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco's 15th Annual Meeting, February, 2009, Dublin, Ireland.

Warren, J. R., White, B., Thomas, J., & Ahluwalia, J., Okuyemi, K. "Communicating health risks: African American light smokers' preferences about biomarker feedback for smoking cessation." Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco's 15th Annual Meeting, February, 2009, Dublin, Ireland.

La Crèche Parent Advisory Board, Sloan, P., White, B. M., & **Warren, J. R.** Mobilizing African American parents to address the harms of secondhand smoke: A community-based participatory research project. ClearWay 10th Annual Symposium, October 2008 Minneapolis, MN.

Okuyemi, K., **Warren, J. R.**, Thomas, J., Ahluwalia, T. S. Relationship between smoking reduction and cessation among light smokers. Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco's 10th Annual Meeting, September, 2008, Rome, Italy

Warren, J. R., Allen, M., Okuyemi, K., Kvasny, L., & Hecht, M. "Internet-based preadolescent substance use prevention." 16th Annual Meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, May 2008, San Francisco, CA.

Warren, J. R. Evaluating process and outcomes in collecting tobacco-related biomarkers from young African American children. 139th APHA Annual Meeting. October/November 2, 2011, Washington, DC

Bowen, D., Luke, A., & **Warren, J.R.** Smoking cessation for African Americans living with HIV. Aresty Undergraduate Research Symposium, April 29, 2011, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ.

Warren, J. R. Community wellness: The case of environmental tobacco smoke, African American Parents and Early Childcare Centers. National Communication Association Annual

Meeting, November 2010, San Francisco, CA.

Warren, J. R. Communication Infrastructure for Well-Being: How Can Communication Research Advance Understanding and Practice of Health Informatics? National Communication Association, Chicago, November 2009.

Warren, J. R., Okuyemi, K., Guo, H., Thomas, J., & Ahluwalia, J. Predicting implementation of home smoking restrictions among African American light smokers. Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco's 14th Annual Meeting, February 2008, Portland, OR

Warren, J. R. "Integrative community ecologies in e-health: Process-oriented tailoring targeting lower income urban population." October 2007. 6th Annual International Conference on Urban Health, Baltimore, MD.

Hecht, M, **Warren, J. R.,** Wagstaff, D., & Elek. Pre-adolescent refusal efficacy and decision making: Hypothetical offers predicting future substance use. May/June 2006, Society for Prevention Research, San Antonio, TX.

Warren, J. R. "Stop pacifying me as Black woman:" Social class, race, and culture in African American women's health information seeking (Qualitative Data). Feminist and Women's Studies Division, National Communication Association, Nov. 2005, Boston, MA.

Warren, J. R. "It is not my responsibility to teach culture!": White graduate teaching assistants negotiating identity and pedagogy (Completed Project). Instructional Communication Division, National Communication Association, Nov. 2005, Boston, MA.

Warren, J. R. Identities Communicating Internet Usability: User-centered research in adolescent substance use prevention among African American mothers. NIDA's Second Annual Health Disparities Conference, Oct. 2005, Atlanta, GA

Warren, J. R. & Kvasny, L. eHealth message and delivery design: Low income and minority identities communicating usability. Critical Issues in eHealth Research Conference, June 2005, Bethesda, MD.

Warren, J. R., Hecht, M. L, Wagstaff, D., Eleck, E., Ndiaye, K., Marsiglia, F. F., & Dustman, P. "The Effects of Keepin' it R.E.A.L.'s Class videos and televised PSA's on middle-school children's alcohol, cigarette, and marijuana use. Society for Prevention Research Annual Conference, May 2005, Washington, DC.

Warren, J. R. The roles of social class, race, and culture in African American women's health information seeking (Mixed Method Data). March 2005, Penn State University.

Warren, J. R. Black women and online health information seeking (Quantitative Data). Health Communication Division, National Communication Association, 2004, Chicago, IL.

Undergraduate Courses: Instructor

Feminist Research Methods (Fall 2022)

Social Construction of Black Health (Spring 2022)

Foundations of Health Communication (Fall 2021; Spring 2021)

Rutgers University

Undergraduate Courses: Instructor

Health Literacy (Fall 2014, Spring 2016, Fall 2016)

Health Communication (Spring 2010, Fall 2011, Spring 2012, Fall 2012)

Communication and Social Change: Community Engagement (Summer 2011, Fall 2011, Spring 2012, Summer 2012)

Special Topic Course: Communicating Community & Identity in Health (Summer 2011)

Interpersonal Communication Theory (Fall 2009, Spring 2010)

Graduate Courses: Instructor

Decentralizing Academic Research: The Role of Community- Engaged Methodologies (Spring 2014) (doctoral students)

Experiences with Communication Participatory Research (CBPR; Spring 2014) (doctoral students)

Community Health (Fall 2014) (master's students)

E-Public Health Communication (Fall 2010, Fall 2012) (master's students)

Capstone (Fall 10, Spring 2011, Fall 2011) (master's students)

ADDITIONAL
TEACHING

University of Colorado

Communicating Prevention: A Community-Engaged Approach, School of Public Health, (Summer 2013)

University of Minnesota Public Health Institute

Communicating Effectively in Community-Based Participatory Research Partnerships, (Summer 2009, 2010, 2011).

ADVISING &
MENTORING

George Mason University Dissertation Committees

- Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring, 2024, Fall, 2024 – Nouran Ghanem, Department of Health Administration and Policy – Dissertation External Committee Member. *Critical Inquiry on Racism and Anti-Racism in US Medicine*.
- Fall 2022, Spring 2023 – Breonna Riddick, Department of Communication – External (African/African American, Women/Gender Studies) Dissertation Committee Member. *Making Birth Stories Matter(S): Working Toward*

Reproductive Health Justice an Examination of Health, Communication, Culture, and Identity Through Blending Critical Autoethnography and Narratives of Women Birthing with Doulas.

- Spring 2021 – Audrey J. Lomax, Department of Interdisciplinary Studies and Women and Gender Studies Program – Comps, Committee Member. *The Healthcare Disparity for Minority Women: The Saga of Breast Cancer and African American/Black Women.*

George Mason University Masters Capstone & Research/Public Health Practicum

- Spring 2022. Public Health Practicum. Xiomara Chevalier. Project Titled: Mapping and Developing a Social Media Intervention for Black Women
- Research Practicum (COMM 701). Breonna Riddick, Doctoral student. Project titled, A Mother's Choice: Trust, Safety, and Voice in Maternal Health Care Provider Recommendations
- Spring 2022: Master's Capstone (COMM 798). Jasmine Williams, Post- Graduation Disenfranchised Grief in Black Alumni

George Mason University Student Mentees (Collaborative Teams):

- May 2022-January 2023: COMM Breonna Riddick (doctoral), J. Robinson (doctoral, Sociology), MPH students Ashely and Brianna Dawson.
- May 2022-December 2022: Served as mentor to Noora Alvi (Neuroscience/Pre Med Major).
- January 2022-May 2022: Served as mentor to COMM's Breonna Riddick (doctoral) and Jasmine Williams (masters) and MPH students Ashely and Brianna Dawson, and Noora Alvi (Neuroscience/Pre Med Major).
- September 2021-February 2022: COMM Doctoral Students Adebanye and Rochelle, Nursing undergraduate Shanee Rodney.

Center for African American Health Disparities Education & Research, (CAAHDER) Inc. Student Mentees:

Undergraduate Students

- Mar. 2021-Present: Sahana Natarajan, BSc, Accepted 2024 in Medical School at Western University of Health Sciences, Lebanon, Oregon
- Jan. 2021-May 2021: Montana Flowers Undergraduate in Biology and Public Health, Johnson C. Smith University. Accepted 2021 into UPenn Nursing Program.
- Jan. 2021-Sept. 2021: Rikiyah Mixson Undergraduate in Communication Studies, Rider University. Accepted 2021 into George Washington University, College of Public Health
- Jan. 2021-March 2021: Jean Walter, Undergraduate in Political Science and Public Health, The College of New Jersey.
- August 2020- December 2020: Jada Morgan, Undergraduate in Public Health and Biomedical Sciences, Yale University.

- Sept 2019-2020: Co-Mentor: Jahsleighe Rochel and LaToya Walker Health Sciences Undergraduates, University of Kentucky, Accepted into MPH Programs at Emory and Columbia University.

Graduate Students

- May 2021-August 2021: Esther Ajayi, Graduate Student in Public Health, University of Chicago.
- Sept. 2018- 2020: Co-Mentor: Juanita Brunson, Doctoral Mentee in Public Health Policy, Georgia State University.

CAAHDER

Doctoral Research & Public Health Practicum

- May 2021-Sept.2021: India Washington, Graduate Student in Public Health, University of West Florida. Know Your Heart for Black Women: Digital Intervention Development and Dissemination
- May 2021-August 2021: Kati Mary, Doctoral Student in Anthropology and Public Health, University of Pennsylvania. Community Assessment of Racial Experiences and Stress (C.A.R.E.S) for Black Pregnant Women
- Jan. 2021-May 2021: Cheyenne Baird, Instructional Design, University of Wilmington Implementing Gamification for Virtual Onboarding
- Jan. 2021-May 2021: Sierra Alexandria Cribb, Graduate in MPH, University of Pennsylvania. Systematic Literature of Alzheimer's Disease among Black Americans
- Jan. 2020-March 2021: Felicity Mampe, Graduate Student in MPH, University of Pennsylvania. COVID-19 Vaccination Uptake Community-Based Intervention

Rutgers University

Dissertation Committees:

- Fall 2014 – Spring 2018: Si Sun

Rutgers Qualifying Exam Committees:

- Fall 2016: Si Sun
- Spring 2012: Marian Stewart Titus
- Fall 2011: Choi Soe Yoon

Capstone and Research Internships:

- Fall 2010-Spring 2011: Dana Bowen and Alison Luke (Title: Adapting cessation treatment, messages, and delivery to inner-city African American smokers living with HIV/AIDS)
- Spring 2010: Yelena Lyudmilova (Title: Systematic literature review of stereotype threat in the context of smoking cessation)

- Spring 2011: Swetha Bala (Title: Communicating complementary and alternative medicine online)
- Fall 2012: Jeannine Donnelly (Title: Community engagement: A reflection on service learning for social change - Published)
- Fall 2012: Melissa Rondenbach and Melanie Monstrowski (Title: Preferences for receiving online health information among undergraduate students)
- Spring 2011: Tajha Carroll (Title: Perceptions of health and smoking)
- Summer-Fall 2011: Aswini Sukumar (Title: Validating a model of identity congruence in e-health communication)

Mentees:

- April 2014-2018: Samantha Jones (Communication Major) internship with the National Institutes of Health with Every Heartbeat there is Life (WHEL) Program in collaboration with the Trenton Housing Authority of New Jersey.
- September 2013-2016: Served as research advisor/collaborator to Anand Nagarajan (Epidemiology Major – A Physician Now), Mona Hariri (Health Policy Major – In Law School Now), and Vince DiFabritius (Media, Communication, & Information Science) on a project entitled, “Role of collaborative communication strategies and processes in community engagement and health outcomes.”
- January 2013-May 2012: Served as a Field Preceptor for Christie Lyn Costanza, Undergraduate Public Health Student. “Pilot Testing a Survey to Explore the Role of Communication in Community Engagement among University-Community Partnerships”. The project was her thesis, which she passed successfully for graduation. Obtained a position in health communication the Minnesota Department of Public Health.

University of Minnesota

Student Mentee

- September 2007-May 2011: Advised an MPH student, Brandi White who served as Graduate Research Assistant on the funded community-based participatory research project. Brandi is now an Assistant Professor at the University of Kentucky, Medical School.

**PROFESSIONAL
SERVICE**

2021-Present: Member, Learning and Professional Development Subcommittee, APHA PHEHP Committee

June 2-4, 2022: Moderator Reproductive Justice, Reparative Justice. philoSOPHIA 15th Annual Conference, GMU.

Fall 2020 to 2021: Mentor, Alcohol, Tobacco and Drug Section of American Public Health Association

Fall 2016-Spring 2016: Co-Mentor, Rutgers Connection Network: Faculty-to-Faculty Mentoring

Program

Fall 2017-Spring 2018: Member, Committee on Community-Based Participatory Research, New Brunswick, NJ

May 2011-May 2012: Member, Continuing Education Committee, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, Program in Public Health, New York, NY

Spring 2011-Spring 2013: Faculty Advisor, African American Culture and Communication Association, School of Communication and Information, New Brunswick, NJ

2013-2017: Member, Junior Mentoring Group in Tobacco Research, Division of Addiction Psychiatry, UMDNJ- RWJ Medical School, New Brunswick, NJ

2011: Moderator and Panel Organizer Practical Approaches to Engaging Communities around Health Issues. National Communication Association Annual Meeting, November 2011, New Orleans, LA

July 19-21, 2011: Program Developer/Facilitator. Bridging theory and practice in effective communication for community engagement. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Community Involvement Training Conference., Arlington, VA; 8-hour training workshop.

November 2011: Moderator and Panel Organizer. Formative Research in Communication: Contextualizing African American Tobacco Use and Honoring Voice. National Communication Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA

November 2010: Moderator and Panel Organizer. Communication strategies in collaborating with underserved and hard-to-reach populations to enhance health. National Communication Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA

2013-2017: Member, Tobacco Workgroup, Partnership among community organizations, New Brunswick Tomorrow, and UMDNJ- RWJ Medical School, New Brunswick, NJ

2013- 2015: Participant, Specialization Proposal Draft, Health and Wellness Cluster, Department of Communication, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

2013-2014: Member, President's Strategic Committee on Improving Health and Wellness, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

ACADEMIC SERVICE

2022-2024: Member, DEI Strategic Planning Committee, Women and Gender Studies Program, George Mason University

2022-2023: Board of Visitors Faculty Representative, George Mason University

2022-2023: Member, Annual Review Committee, George Mason University

2021-2024: Member, Undergraduate Studies Committee, George Mason University

2022-2024: Member, Graduate Studies Committee, George Mason University

2014-2016: Member, Tobacco Faculty Research Group, Partnership among UMDNJ and Rutgers Faculty

2012-2018: Full Member, Ph.D. Program, School of Communication and Information Rutgers University

2012-2013: Member, Continuing Education Committee, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, Program in Public Health.

2011- 2018: Member, MCIS Executive Committee, School of Communication and Information. Rutgers University

2009-2010: Member. Building Healthy Kids Coalition. Rutgers New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station.

2008-2009: Member, Research Steering Committee, Program in Health Disparities, University of Minnesota Medical School

Fall 2006-Spring 2009: Member, School of Public Health-Health Disparities Working Group, Rutgers University

Fall 2007: Retreat Committee Member, Program in Health Disparities Research. University Of Minnesota

COMMUNITY SERVICE

2025-Present: Member, Horizon NJ Health - Community Health Education Advisory Committee

2025: Facilitator: Self-Love Workshop, Center for Family Services, Atlantic City, NJ.

2024-Present: Workshop Facilitator. Family Success Center, Atlantic City, NJ.

2022-2023: Co-Chair. Health Committee. NAACP, Fairfax, VA.

Spring 2022: Co-facilitated after performance community discussion. 1st Stage Theater, Tyson, VA

2019-2021: Member. Community Advisory Board. Trenton Health Team, Trenton, NJ.

Summer 2020: Member, Way to Change Community Relationships with Police, Atlantic City, NJ.

2018- 2019: Member. Community Stakeholders for Public Education, Trenton, NJ.

June 2017: Speaker, Sierra Leone Community Town Hall Meeting on Ebola Outbreak among Local Sierra Leonean Communities.

2014- 2016: Co-Director. Housing and Health Task Force for Senior and Disabled Citizens, Trenton, NJ.

May 2013: Quit Smoking Clinic. The Trenton Housing Authority's, NIH-Funded with Every Heartbeat is Life (WEHL) Program, Josephson Apartments – Housing for Seniors and Disabled Community Members, Trenton, NJ.

2012- 2014: Co-Chair. Commission of the Trenton Housing Authority, Trenton, NJ.

2012: Experiential Learning Project. Rutgers' Health Communication course (taught by Dr. Warren) collaboration with New Jersey Partnership for Healthy Kids-Trenton

2012: Experiential Learning Project. Rutgers' Communication and Social Change course in

collaboration with ShapingNJ, New Jersey Department of Public Health

May 2012: Quit Smoking Clinic. The Trenton Housing Authority's, NIH-Funded with Every Heartbeat is Life (WEHL) Program, French Towers – Housing for Seniors and Disabled Community Members, Trenton, NJ.

April 2012: Invited Speaker. Communication in Community Engagement. 2012 ShapingNJ Faith- Based Conference, Robert Wood Johnson Health and Wellness Center, Trenton, NJ. Sponsored by Depart. of Health Human Services, ShapingNJ, and NJ Office of Minority and Multicultural Health.

Spring 2011: Workshop Facilitator. Protecting Your Children Against the Harms of Environmental Tobacco Smoke Head Start at Trenton, NJ

August 2010: Presenter. Building a Culture of Safety: Eliminating Environmental Tobacco Smoke Exposure among Young Children. Urban Research Outreach Center, Minneapolis, MN.

2009-2011: Member. Health Communications Work Group for ShapingNJ. New Jersey Department of Health.

2007: Workshop Facilitator. Affirming Children's Self Worth. Professional development series for staff held at Le Crèche Early Childhood Center. Minneapolis, MN.

July 2007: Speaker, Empowerment. Freedom School, W. Harry Davis Academy. Minneapolis, MN.

November 2005: Workshop Facilitator, Taking Control of Your Health. Health prevention for at risk women. YWCA and Evergreen Shelter. Harrisburg, PA.

PEER_REVIEW,
EDITORIAL WORK, &
ABSTRACT REVIEW

Peer Reviewer

2024	<i>Journal for the Healthcare of the Poor and Underserved</i>
2024-2025	<i>Journal of Racial and Ethnic Disparities</i>
2022	<i>Health Communication</i>
2022	<i>PLOS Global Public Health</i>
2020-2021	<i>Journal for the Healthcare of the Poor and Underserved</i>
2018	<i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public</i>
2013-2016	<i>Health Education & Behavior</i>
2009-2017	<i>Drugs: Education, Prevention, and Policy</i>
2009-2017	<i>Society for Nicotine and Tobacco Research</i>
2009-2017	<i>Journal of the National Medical Association</i>
2007-2015	<i>American Journal of Health Behavior</i>
2007-2015	<i>Journal for the Health Care of the Poor and Underserved</i>
2015	<i>Information Technology & People</i>
2015	<i>Journal of Communication</i>
2014	<i>NCI Tobacco-Related Disparities Monograph</i>
2014	<i>Iowa Journal of Communication, Special Health Edition</i>
2014	<i>Howard Journal of Communication</i>
2009	<i>Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication: eHealth</i>
2006	<i>Journal of Intercultural Communication</i>

Editorial Work

2012	Editorial Board FWU Journal of Social Sciences. Shaheed Benazir Bhutto
2003	Editorial Assistant <i>Essential Readings in African American Communication</i> . Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage., Edited by Jackson, R. L. <i>Racial, Cultural, and Gendered Identities in Educational</i>
2002	Editorial Assistant/ Reviewer <i>Contexts Communication Perspectives on Identity</i> <i>Negotiation</i> . Communication Education Special Edition (52)3/4, Edited by Jackson, R. L. & Hendrix, K. G. <i>Communication Quarterly Association</i>

Abstract Reviewer

2022	NCA Doctoral Honors Conference
2018-2020	Public Health Association Conference
2013	Society for Nicotine and Tobacco Annual Meeting
2006	MEDNET 2006: 11th World Congress on Internet in Medicine

GRANT REVIEWER

2024	The Grand Challenges Catalyst Competition. University of Nebraska
2023	The Grand Challenges Catalyst Competition. University of Nebraska
2012-2013	Tobacco-Related Disease Research Program, University of California, Office of the President, Dr. Stephen Fu, Chair
2009	Reviewer National Cancer Institute: Small Grants (R03) for Behavi in Cancer Control. SRO – Gerald Lovinger, Ph.D.
2007	Legacy Foundation (community-based grants in tobacc0 control among low income and minority populations)

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

2025: Digital Health: Philosophies, Technologies and Practice, Medicine and Dentistry, Queen Mary University of London (*In Progress*)

2024: Narrowing the Maternal Health Gap: Training. Center for Maternal Health Equity, Morehouse School of Medicine.

2024: Change Management Skills. Project Management Institute.

2023: Obstetric Racism. Columbia University Medical School, NYC.

2021: CDIL: Certified in Diversity and Inclusive Leadership, University of Colorado.

2021: Health Amid Adversity: Cardiovascular Risk & Resilience in the Black Community Webinar. Optum Health.

2020: COVID-19 Operational Planning Guidelines and Partners Preparedness and Response Platform. Record of Achievement. World Health Organization.

2020: Certified Chronic Care Professional Health Coach, Health Sciences Institute. (Expired)

2020: Family Self-Sufficiency. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development.

2019: Infection Prevention and Control, COVID-19. World Health Organization.
 2019: Adverse Childhood Experiences/Trauma. Public Health Institute. London, England
 2019: Cancer Survivorship Webinar, National Cancer Institutes.
 2019: Diabetes Webinar, National Diabetes Education Program.
 2019: Prioritizing Community Health to Achieve Health Equity.
 2018: Certified Chronic Care Professional Health Coach. Health Sciences Institute.
 2013: Ethics. Center for Government Studies at Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey.
 2013: Skills for Commissioners. Center for Government Studies at Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey.
 2013: Public Housing Assessment System/Section 8 Management Assessment Program Center for Government Studies at Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey.
 2012: Financial Issues and Procedures. Required Commissioner Training. Center for Government Studies at Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey.
 2011: Community Engagement: Train the Trainer. Webinar. National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, Superfund Research Program.
 2011: Tobacco Treatment Specialist (CTTS). University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, Tobacco Dependence Program. (Expired)
 2011: Cigarette Smoking Interventions Among Diverse Populations. Webinar. American Legacy Foundation.
 2007/2007: Preparing Future Faculty Retreat. Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Minnesota Grant Writing Workshop. Sponsored by Office of Clinical Research, University of Minnesota.
 2006: Grant Writing Workshop. Sponsored by University of Minnesota.
 2005: Grant Writing Workshop. NIH/NIDA sponsored workshop in Atlanta, GA.
 2005: Grantsmanship Workshop. NIH/NCI sponsored workshop online and in Bethesda, MD.

Professional Affiliations

American Public Health Association
 American Medical Association Center for Health Equity
 Association for Maternal and Child Health Programs