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Education and Training:

Postdoctoral Trainee, Behavioral Cardiovascular Risk Reduction, Preventive Medicine, Washington University School of Medicine, 1986-1988.

The Pennsylvania State University, College of Health and Human Development, Human Development and Family Studies Program, 1986, Ph.D.

The Pennsylvania State University, College of Health and Human Development, Human Development and Family Studies Program, 1983, M.S.

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Positions Held:

Professor, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 2003-present.

Director, Education and Information Transfer Core, Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center, Department of Neurology, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, MI, 1992-present.

Associate Director, Center for Managing Chronic Disease, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 2005-present.

Senior Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, School of Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 2003-2004.

Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, School of Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 2001-2003.

Associate Professor, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 1995-2003.

Assistant Professor, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 1989-1995.

Publications – Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles:

Lago, D., Knight, B., & Connell, C. M (1982). PACT: A pet-placement organization for the elderly living at home. *Aging*, 331-332, 19-25.

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- Sharpe, P., & Connell, C. M (1992). Exercise beliefs and behavior among older workers: A health promotion trial. The Gerontologist, 32, 444-449.
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- Janevic, M. R., Janz, N., Connell, C. M, Kaciroti, N., & Clark, N. M. (In press). Progression of symptoms and functioning among female cardiac patients with and without diabetes. Journal of Women's Health.

Papers Under Review:

- Connell, C. M, Vibbert, D. K., Kostyniuk, L., & Janevic, M. R. Older adults' driving reduction and cessation: Implications for adult children.
- McLaughlin, S. J., Jette, A., & Connell, C. M. Reconceptualizing Rowe and Kahn's successful aging: Modifications based on a nationally representative sample of older adults.
- Valerio, M. A., Janz, N. K., Connell, C. M, West, B. T., Parker, E. A., & Couper, M. P. Use of a tailored diary by women with asthma: Examining outcomes associated with diary use. Respiration.

Papers In Preparation:

- Connell, C. M & Janevic, M. R. Severe diabetes and caregiving.
- Janevic, M. R., Connell, C. M, & McLaughlin, S. J. Gender-specific determinants of exercise behavior in a nationally-representative sample of older adults with diabetes.

Publications - Book Chapters:

- Lago, D., Knight, B., & Connell, C. M (1982). Placing companion animals in community settings: Organizational structure and operating policies in promoting health and well-being among elderly people. In Pets in society: The social importance of pets in an aging society. Toronto, Ontario: Pet Food Manufacturer's Association.
- Connell, C. M (1983). Favorable attitudes toward pets and happiness among the elderly. In R. K. Anderson, B. L. Hart, & L. A. Hart (Eds.), The pet connection: Its influence on our lives and quality of life. Minneapolis, MN: Center to Study Human-Animal Relationships.
- Lago, D., Connell, C. M, & Knight, B. (1983). A community-based companion animal program. In M. Smyer & M. Gatz (Eds.), Mental health and aging: Evaluative studies. Beverly Hills, CA: Sage Publishers.
- Lago, D., Knight, B., & Connell, C. M (1983). PACT: A pet-placement program. In A. H. Katcher & A. M. Beck (Eds.), New perspectives on lives with companion animals. Philadelphia, PA: University of Pennsylvania Press.
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Watkins, K. & Connell, C. M (2002). Quality of life in the older male with diabetes. In B. Lunenfeld & L. Gooren (Eds.) Textbook of male health. London, UK: Parthenon Publishing.

Connell, C. M & Janevic, M. R. (2003). Health and human development. In R. M. Lerner, M. A. Easterbrooks, & J. Mistry (Eds.), Comprehensive handbook of psychology, Vol. 6, Developmental Psychology.

Grant and Fellowship Activity - Principal Investigator:

Employee Health Promotion: A Controlled Trial. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator with P. Sharpe, Co-Principal Investigator. Funded by the Office of the Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, The University of Michigan. 9/1/88 - 8/31/90. Direct costs: \$242,000.

Impact of Educational Interventions on Attitudes, Beliefs, and Behavior: The Case of Recycling. C. M Connell & L. Goldenhar, Co-Principal Investigators. Funded by the Office of the Vice President for Research, The University of Michigan. 6/1/89 - 8/31/90. Direct costs: \$10,000.

Effects of Caring for a Spouse with a Progressive Dementia on the Physical Health of Caregivers with a Chronic Illness: Feasibility of a Health Diary Approach. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator with N. Foster, Co-Principal Investigator. Funded by the Office of the Vice President for Research, The University of Michigan. 9/89 - 8/90. Direct costs: \$7,000.

University of Michigan Faculty Grant and Fellowship. C. M Connell. Funded by the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies for summer salary and research support. 1/91 - 12/91. Direct costs for research: \$10,000.

Impact of Spouse Caregiving on Diabetes Control: Day to Day Variability. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator. Pilot project funded by the National Institute on Aging to the Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. 6/1/91 - 5/31/92. Direct and indirect costs: \$23,848.

Development, Implementation, and Evaluation of Health Education Interventions for Native Americans: Review and Analysis. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator. Funded by the Horace C. Rackham School of Graduate Studies; Rackham Research Partnership Program. Research completed with Pamela LeMaster, a doctoral candidate in the Department of Health Behavior and Health Education. 5/1/92 - 12/31/93. Direct and indirect costs: \$26,793.

Caregiving and Health Outcomes: Mediating Factors. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator with N. Clark, Co-Principal Investigator. Pilot project funded by the National Institute on Aging to the Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. 6/1/93 - 5/31/94. Direct and indirect costs: \$22,800.

Education and Information Transfer Core, Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator and Director. Funded by the National Institute on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services. 6/1/92 - 5/31/99. Direct and indirect costs for the renewal of the MADRC from 6/1/94 to 5/31/99: \$10,291,013; direct and indirect costs for the Education Core: \$895,794.

Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Community Outreach Education Program. (COEP) C. M Connell, Principal Investigator, with S. Gilman, M.D., Co-Principal Investigator. Funded by the National Institute on Aging (NIA), Department of Health and Human Services and Health Resources Services Administration (HRSA). 10/1/92 - 9/30/95. Direct costs: \$310,556 (NIA component). Direct costs: \$98,253 (HRSA component).

Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Community Outreach Education Program: Funding Supplement. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator, with S. Gilman, MD., Co-Principal Investigator. Funded by Parke-Davis, a Division of Warner Lambert Company. 10/1/92 - 9/30/95. Direct costs: \$41,898.

Statewide Public Opinion Survey of Alzheimer's Disease. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator. Funded by the National Institute on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services, includes a sub-contract with The Gallup Organization. 6/1/94 - 5/30/97. Direct and indirect costs: \$351,882.

Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Community Outreach Education Program: Replication. C. M Connell, Principal Investigator, with S. Gilman, M.D., Co-Principal Investigator. Competing continuation funded by the National Institute on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services. 10/1/95 - 9/30/98. Direct and indirect costs: \$324,000.

Michigan Interactive Health Kiosk Project: Disseminating Information about Alzheimer's Disease. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator, with V. Strecher, Ph.D., Co-Principal Investigator. Funded by the National Alzheimer's Association. 7/1/98 – 7/31/02. Direct and indirect costs: \$177,641.

Dementia Education in Michigan: A Train-the-Trainer Program. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator. Funded by the Michigan Department of Community Health. 9/15/98 - 9/30/00. Direct and indirect costs: \$140,000.

Education and Information Transfer Core, Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator and Director. Funded by the National Institute on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services. 6/1/99 - 5/31/05. Direct and indirect costs: \$468,842.

Education and Information Transfer Core, Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator and Core Director. Funded by the National Institute on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services. 6/1/06 - 5/31/10. Direct and indirect costs: \$523,647.

Telephone Counseling Intervention to Promote Caregiver Self-Care Behavior. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator. Funded by the National Institute on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services. 6/1/99 - 5/31/03. Direct and indirect costs: \$605,539.

Improving Communication between Dementia Family Caregivers and Physicians. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator. Funded by the Michigan Department of Community Health, Division of Community Services/Mental Health. 10/1/02 - 9/30/04. Direct and indirect costs: \$74,924.

Driving Cessation & Caregiving Continuum: Adult Child/Parent Dynamic. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator, with L. P. Kostyniuk & T. A. Marzolf, Co-PIs. Funded as a pilot project by the Michigan Center for Advancing Safe Transportation throughout the Lifespan Research Excellence Program at the University of Michigan Transportation Research Institute. 9/15/09 – 9/14/10. Direct and indirect costs: \$67,000.

Education and Information Transfer Core, Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator and Core Director. Competing renewal application submitted to the National Institute on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services. 6/1/10 - 5/31/15. Direct and indirect costs: \$1,275,457.

Dementia Support Networks: Role of Companion Animals. C. M. Connell, Principal Investigator. Application submitted to the National Alzheimer's Association. 9/1/10 - 8/31/13. Direct and indirect costs: \$218,166.00.

Self-Care Practices of Older Women with Diabetes and Comorbidities: An In-Depth Qualitative Inquiry. C. M. Connell, Ph.D., Principal Investigator. Submitted for a seed grant to the Michigan Institute for Clinical and Health Research. 6/1/10 – 5/31/11. Direct and indirect costs: \$6,000.

Grant and Fellowship Activity - Co-Principal Investigator or Consultant:

Diabetic Elderly Adult Project. M. Storandt, Principal Investigator, with C. M. Connell, Co-Principal Investigator. Diabetes Research and Training Center, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO. Funded by the National Institute on Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, Department of Health and Human Services. 1/1/88 - 12/31/92. Direct costs: \$35,179.

Diabetes Care Profile: Validation Study. W. K. Davis, Principal Investigator, with C. M. Connell, Co-Principal Investigator. Diabetes Research and Training Center, University of Michigan School of Medicine. Funded by the National Institute on Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, Department of Health and Human Services. 12/01/89 - 11/30/94. Direct costs: \$249,302.

Training Program in Gender and Mental Health. S. K. Nolen-Hoeksema, Principal Investigator, with C. M. Connell, Co-Principal Investigator. Funded by the National Institute of Mental Health. 7/1/97 - 6/30/02. Direct and indirect costs: \$2,091,164.

Health Care Outcomes and Utilization in Older Patients with Coexisting Dementia and Depression. H. Kales, M.D., Principal Investigator, with C. M. Connell, Consultant. Funded by the University of Michigan Geriatrics Center and Institute of Gerontology Pilot Program. 7/1/98 - 6/30/99. Direct and indirect costs: \$20,000.

Pathways to Alzheimer's Disease: Identifying Factors that Promote or Inhibit Early Detection. P. Edelman, Ph.D., Principal Investigator, with C. M Connell, Consultant. 7/1/98 - 6/30/00. Direct and indirect costs: \$179,987.

Perceptions of Alzheimer's Disease and Emerging Care Options. J. S. Roberts, Ph.D., Principal Investigator, with C. M Connell, Consultant. Funded as a pilot project to the Alzheimer's Disease Research Center at Boston University by the National Institutes on Aging. 9/1/01 - 8/31/02. Direct and indirect costs: \$30,000.

Differences in Illness Perceptions among African American and White Caregivers and Relatives of People with Alzheimer's Disease. J. S. Roberts, Ph.D., Principal Investigator, with C. M Connell, Consultant. Funded by the National Alzheimer's Association. 7/1/02 - 6/30/04. Direct and indirect costs: \$99,317.

A Behavioral Model of Driving Reduction and Cessation. L. Kostyniuk, Principal Investigator, with C. M Connell, Co-PI. Funded as a pilot project by the Michigan Center for Advancing Safe Transportation throughout the Lifespan Research Excellence Program at the University of Michigan Transportation Research Institute. 4/15/08 – 8/31/09. Direct and indirect costs: \$99,573.

Identifying Untapped Informal Care Resources for Chronic Illness Self-Management Support. J. Piette, Principal Investigator, with C. M Connell, Co-Investigator. Funded as a pilot project by the Michigan Institute for Clinical and Health Research. 12/1/08 – 11/30/09. Direct and indirect costs: \$35,000.

Program Office at the Center for Managing Chronic Disease for the Merck Alliance to Reduce Disparities in Diabetes. N. Clark, Project Director, with C. M Connell, Co-Investigator. Funded by the Merck Foundation. 1/1/09 – 12/31/13. Direct and indirect costs: \$1,136,364.

Caregiver-Assisted Tai Chi Home Intervention for Older Adults with Dementia and their Caregivers. L. Yao, Ph.D., Principal Investigator with C. M Connell, Member of K-Award Mentorship Team. Funded by the National Institute of Nursing Research. 4/1/09 – 6/30/12. Direct and indirect costs: \$500,000.

Faith-Based Intervention Designed to Reduce Cognitive Health Disparities: Evaluation of the Consumer Health Resource Information Services (CHRIS) in Southeastern Michigan. E. Rose, Ph.D., Principal Investigator with C. M Connell, Co-PI. Submitted for a pilot project to the Michigan Center for Urban African American Aging Research. 9/1/10 – 8/31/11. Direct and indirect costs: \$16,750.

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Connell, C. M (1991). Models of health decision making: Implications for the design of the Fruit and Vegetable Consumption Survey. Report prepared for the National Cancer Institute.

Connell, C. M (1992). Models of health decision making: Implications for the design of the Polyp Prevention Trial. Report prepared for the National Cancer Institute.

Presentations:

Lago, D., Knight, B., & Connell, C. M (1982, November). Appropriate use of companion animals: Pets in a long-term care continuum. Presented at the Annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 22, 144).

Knight, B., Lago, D., & Connell, C. M (1983, April). Companion animals as a community-based support for rural elderly women. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Gerontological Society, Albuquerque, NM (Abstract published in proceedings).

Connell, C. M (1983, June). Favorable attitudes toward pets and happiness among the elderly. Presented at the Conference on the Human-Animal Bond, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (Abstract published in proceedings).

Lago, D., & Connell, C. M (1983, October). The effects of animal companions on older persons living at home. Presented at the International Symposium on the Human-Pet Relationship, Vienna, Austria (Abstract published in proceedings).

Connell, C. M (1984, April). Caregivers of the elderly: A new silent minority? Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Gerontological Society, Philadelphia, PA (Abstract published in proceedings).

Connell, C. M (1984, October). Stress, coping, and social support: The role of animal companionship. Presented at the Annual Health Conference of the Pennsylvania Public Health Association, State College, PA (Abstract published in proceedings).

Connell, C. M, & Smyer, M. A. (1984, November). Training in mental health: Evaluation of the telephone conference network. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Antonio, TX (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 24, 144).

Kaus, C. R., Connell, C. M, Hagestad, G., Hooker, K., & Martin, P. (1984, November). Coping skills: Implications for training and evaluation. In C. R. Kaus (Chair), Groping with coping: Research and application. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Antonio, TX (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 24, 127).

Brown, E. & Connell, C. M (1985, August). Adoption of microcomputer technology by college of agriculture faculty in eleven northeast land-grant universities. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, Blacksburg, VA (Abstract published in proceedings).

Connell, C. M, & Crawford, C. O. (1985, October). Television, radio, or printed materials -- Which do Pennsylvanians use the most for health information? Presented at the Annual Health Conference of the Pennsylvania Public Health Association, State College, PA (Abstract published in proceedings).

Lago, D., Kafer, R., Delaney, M., & Connell, C. M (1985, October). Development and validation of self-report pet relationship scales. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Delta Society, Denver, CO (Abstract published in proceedings).

Connell, C. M (1985, November). Sources of health information: Implications for health promotion. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 25, 109).

Connell, C. M, & Houston, C. A. (1987, October). Evaluation of an exercise and a nutrition-education intervention for retired adults. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, New Orleans, LA (Abstract published in proceedings).

- Connell, C. M (1987, October). Psychosocial context of diabetes: Comparison between retirement home and community-dwelling residents. Invited presentation as part of the "Health Issues in Later Years" Symposium organized by at the Department of Child and Family Development, The University of Georgia, Athens, GA (Presentation published in proceedings).
- Connell, C. M, Rosenberg, A., Davies, R., & Fisher, E. B., Jr. (1987, November). Retiree's perceived barriers to participation in health promotion. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 27, 199A).
- Connell, C. M, O'Sullivan, J. J., Storandt, M., & Fisher, E. B., Jr. (1988, April). Predictors of adherence and metabolic control among NIDDM retirement community residents. Presented at The Society of Behavioral Medicine's Annual Scientific Sessions, Boston, MA (Abstract published in proceedings).
- Haire-Joshu, D. & Connell, C. M (1988, April). Employee perceptions of disclosure of chronic disease status on job attitudes. Presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine's Annual Scientific Sessions, Boston, MA (Abstract published in proceedings).
- Watkins, P. L., Haire-Joshu, D., Connell, C. M, Fisher, E. B., Jr., & Schectman, K. (1988, April). Evaluation of the impact of employee perceptions of the workplace on cardiovascular risk. Presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine's Annual Scientific Sessions, Boston, MA (Abstract published in proceedings).
- Connell, C. M, Hess, G. E., & Fisher, E. B., Jr. (1988, June). A comparison of the psychosocial context of diabetes for older retirement home and community-dwelling residents. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association, New Orleans, LA (Abstract published in Diabetes, 37, Supplement 1, 21A).
- Heins, J., & Connell, C. M (1988, June). Diabetes knowledge and teaching practices of medical office personnel. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association, New Orleans, LA (Abstract published in Diabetes, 37, Supplement 1, 65A).
- Lichty, W., & Connell, C. M (1988, August). Cognitive functioning of diabetics versus nondiabetics. Presented at the American Psychological Association's Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA (Abstract published in proceedings).
- Connell, C. M (1988, September). Psychosocial issues of stroke among older adults. Invited presentation at the Sanders-Brown Center on Aging, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.
- Connell, C. M, & Fisher, E. B., Jr. (1988, November). Health belief and psychosocial predictors of adherence and morale among older diabetics. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 28, 46A).
- Connell, C. M, Fisher, E. B., Jr., & Storandt, M. (1989, April). Community-based needs assessment of older adults with diabetes. Invited presentation to the Annual Diabetes Research and Training Center's Training and Information Transfer Division Meeting, University of Michigan Medical Center, Ann Arbor, MI.
- Connell, C. M (1989, April). A touch of sugar: Lessons learned from the Diabetic Elderly Adult Project. Invited presentation at the College of Health and Human Development as part of the National Institute on Aging-funded aging traineeship seminar series, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.
- Connell, C. M (1989, April). Social and psychological consequences of complications of diabetes among older adults: The case of foot problems. Invited consultation with the Knoll Human Performance Laboratory, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.
- Connell, C. M (1989, June). Practice implications of the Diabetic Elderly Adult Project. Invited one-day workshop at the American Dietetic Association's Regional Program entitled "An Integrated Approach to Diabetes Management in the Older Adult," San Diego, CA.
- Connell, C. M (1989, October). Psychosocial needs of older adults: Implications for diabetes educators. Invited presentation as part of the University of Michigan Diabetes Research and Training Center's symposium "New Approaches to Care in Diabetes: Psychosocial and Behavioral Aspects," Ann Arbor, MI.

- Connell, C. M., Houston, C. A., & Fisher, E. B., Jr. (1989, November). Psychosocial, sociodemographic, and cognitive predictors of metabolic control among older diabetics. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Minneapolis, MN (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 29, 116A).
- Connell, C. M. (1989, November). Psychosocial issues of diabetes among older adults: Lessons learned from interviews and health diaries. Presented at the Health and Aging Brown Bag Seminar Series, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.
- Connell, C. M., Fisher, E. B., Jr., & Houston, C. A. (1990, June). The impact of gender, marital status, and psychosocial factors on metabolic control among older adults with diabetes. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association, Atlanta, GA (Abstract published in Diabetes, 39, 167A).
- Donnelly, M. B., Connell, C. M., & Hess, G. (1990, June). Assessment of perceived severity of illness: A multidimensional scaling approach. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association, Atlanta, GA (Abstract published in Diabetes, 39, 304A).
- Connell, C. M., & Schulenberg, J. (1990, November). Daily variation in the physical and mental health impact of caregiving. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 30, 236A).
- Sharpe, P. & Connell, C. M. (1990, November). Intention to exercise among older adults in a worksite health promotion program. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 30, 249A).
- Connell, C. M., & Schulenberg, J. (1991, April). Methodological issues in caregiving stress research: A case for a multivariate replicated single-subject design. Presented at the Annual Family Care Conference, Lansing, MI (Abstract published in proceedings).
- Sharpe, P., & Connell, C. M. (1991, November). Exercise beliefs and behaviors among participants in a university health promotion trial. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Atlanta, GA (Abstract published in proceedings).
- Connell, C. M., Gallant, M., & Schulenberg, J. (1991, November). Daily variation in caregiver hassles: A factor analytic approach. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 31, 193).
- Gallant, M. & Connell, C. M. (1991, November). Depression and daily physical health self-ratings: A health diary approach. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 31, 64).
- Connell, C. M., Gallant, M. P., Sharpe, P. A., & Davis, W. K. (1992, November). Predictors of depression among adults with diabetes: A Social Cognitive Model. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 32, 209).
- Gallant, M. P. & Connell, C. M. (1992, November). Impact of daily and chronic stress on diabetes self-management: Comparison among dementia caregivers, non-dementia caregivers, and non-caregivers. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 32, 150).
- Sharpe, P. A., Connell, C. M., & Gallant, M. P. (1992, November). Measurement of social interaction related to health behavior change: A social network approach. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Washington, DC (Abstract published in proceedings).
- Avey, H., Connell, C. M., & Holmes, S. B. (1993, November). Attitudes toward autopsy: Implications for health education interventions. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 33, 229).

- Connell, C. M., Benedict, C. J., Holmes, S. B., Beane, E., Kole, S. L., & Gilman, S. (1993, November). Increasing coordination of the dementia service delivery network: Development of the Community Outreach Education Program. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 33, 230).
- Gallant, M. P., Connell, C. M., & Davis, W. K. (1993, November). Psychosocial impact of diabetes: Age invariance among young, middle-aged and older adults. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 33, 320).
- Holmes, S. B., Foster, N. L., & Connell, C. M. (1993, November). Satellite diagnostic and treatment centers: Evaluation of a staff training program. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 33, 198).
- Connell, C. M., Benedict, C. J., Kole, S. L., Avey, H., Holmes, S. B., & Gilman, S. (1994, November). Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Outreach Education: A community organization approach. In C. M. Connell (Chair), Community-based outreach education for Alzheimer's Disease: Meeting the needs of underserved populations. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 34, 400).
- Holmes, S. B., Avey, H., & Connell, C. M. (1994, November). Autopsy education: A train the trainers model. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 34, 48).
- Connell, C.M. (1994, November). Outreach education strategies: Train-the-trainer model. Invited presentation as part of the Annual Meeting of the Education and Information Transfer Core Directors of the Alzheimer's Disease Centers, Miami, FL.
- Connell, C. M. & Gallant, M. P. (1994, December). Using the Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center (MADRC) database for caregiver research. Invited presentation as part of the Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center's Investigators Meeting series, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.
- Kole, S. L., Connell, C. M., Benedict, C. J., McGhan, P., Holmes, S. B., & Gilman, S. (1995, March). The Community Outreach and Education Program: An innovative approach to community assessment for development of Alzheimer's awareness programs. Presented at the Annual Director's Conference sponsored by the Michigan Department of Public Health entitled "All Health is Local: Partnerships, Assessment and Action for Healthy Communities," Grand Rapids, MI.
- Connell, C. M. & Gibson, G. (1995, October). Caring for Confused Minds: The Experience of Black and White Caregivers. Presented at the weekly seminar series of the Doctoral Training Program in Social Research on Applied Issues of Aging, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.
- Benedict, C. J., Connell, C. M., Kole, S. L., McGhan, P., Holmes, S. B., & Gilman, S. (1995, November). Increasing coordination of the dementia service delivery network: Implementation and evaluation of the Community Outreach Education Program. Presented at the 48th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Los Angeles, CA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 35, 90).
- Connell, C. M., & Gallant, M. P. (1995, November). Attitudes toward the diagnosis of a dementing illness. Presented at the 48th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Los Angeles, CA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 35, 90).
- Gallant, M. P., & Connell, C. M. (1995, November). Predictors of self care and health behavior risk among spouse caregivers of people with dementing illnesses. Presented at the 48th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Los Angeles, CA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 35, 222).
- Connell, C. M. & Gibson, G. D. (1995, October). Dementia caregiving: The impact of race, culture and ethnicity. Invited presentation as part of the Doctoral Training Program in Social Research on Applied Issues of Aging, School of Social Work, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.

- Connell, C. M. (1996, November). Knowledge, attitudes, and beliefs about Alzheimer's disease. Presented at the 49th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 36, 350).
- Voelkl, J. E., Holmes, S. B., Bakalar, H. & Connell, C. M. (1996, November). Dementia education in rural communities: Outcomes of a train-the-trainer program. Presented at the 49th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 36, 230).
- Connell, C. M. (1997, November). Outreach education for Alzheimer's disease: Creating and sustaining community capacity. Presented as a symposium at the 50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Cincinnati, OH (C. M. Connell, Chair) (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 37, 308).
- Holmes, S. B., Bakalar, H., Voelkl, J. E., & Connell, C. M. (1997, November). Providing dementia education to rural communities: Lessons learned from a train-the-trainer program. Presented at the 50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Cincinnati, OH (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 37, 308).
- La Pietra, M. T., Walter, B., & Connell, C. M. (1997, November). Community-based education for dementia caregivers: Identifying needs and building on strengths. Presented at the 50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Cincinnati, OH (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 37, 288).
- Walter, B., La Pietra, M. T., & Connell, C. M. (1997, November). Alzheimer's disease education: Increasing community capacity in Saginaw and Bay City, Michigan. Presented at the 50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Cincinnati, OH (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 37, 308).
- Walter, B., La Pietra, M. T., & Connell, C. M. (1997, November). Dementia detection, assessment, and referral among primary care physicians. Presented at the 50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Cincinnati, OH (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 37, 45).
- Connell, C. M. (1998, November). Race differences in knowledge and attitudes about Alzheimer's disease. Presented at the 51st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Philadelphia, PA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 38, 388-389).
- Gallant, M. P., & Connell, C. M. (1998, November). The contribution of personality to the physical and mental health of caregivers. Presented at the 51st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Philadelphia, PA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 38, 285).
- La Pietra, M. T., Walter, B. J., Holmes, S. B., & Connell, C. M. (1998, November). Office calls: An innovative approach to targeting dementia education to primary care physicians. Presented at the 51st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Philadelphia, PA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 38, 152).
- Shaw, B., Connell, C. M., Holmes, S. B., & Foster, N. L. (1998, November). Attitudes toward participation in Alzheimer's disease research among family caregivers. Presented at the 51st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Philadelphia, PA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 38, 388).
- Connell, C. M., Shaw, B., Holmes, S. B., Derry, H. A., & Graham, S. A. (1999, November). Development of an Alzheimer's Disease channel for the Michigan Interactive Health Kiosk Project. Presented at the 52nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 39, 229).
- Watkins, K. W. & Connell, C. M. (2000, June). Diabetes quality of life: A self-regulatory model. Presented at the 60th Scientific Session of the American Diabetes Association, San Antonio, TX (Abstract published in Diabetes, 49, A322).
- Connell, C. M., Holmes, S. B., Boise, L., & Stuckey, J. (2000, November). Results from physician and family caregiver focus group interviews on diagnostic disclosure. Presented at the 53rd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 40, 210).
- Kim, G., Holmes, S. B., & Connell, C. M. (2000, November). Adopting dementia guidelines into a user-friendly resource for primary care physicians. Presented at the 53rd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 40, 65).

- Roberts, J. S., Kales, H. C., Blow, F. C., Connell, C. M, Visnic, S., & Mellow, A. M. (2001, February). Differences in psychological symptoms and burden among caregivers of older patients with depression, dementia, or coexisting dementia and depression. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Association for Geriatric Psychiatry, San Francisco, CA.
- Janevic, M. R. & Connell, C. M. (2001, November). Motivators and barriers to exercise among female spouse caregivers of dementia patients. Presented at the 54th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Chicago, IL. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 41, 39).
- Connell, C. M, Janevic, M. R., & Hudson, M. L. (2002, July). Effects of a telephone-based exercise program for female spouse caregivers of dementia patients. Presented at the 8th International Conference on Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders, Stockholm, Sweden.
- Shaw, B. A., Krause, N., Chatters, L. M., Connell, C. M, & Ingersoll-Dayton, B. (2002, November). Receiving emotional support from parents during childhood: Impact on health and aging. Presented at the 55th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 42, 43).
- Connell, C. M & Janevic, M. R. (2003, November). Effectiveness of a telephone-based exercise program for dementia caregivers: Results at 6-month follow-up. In C. Farran and C. M Connell (Co-Chairs) Caregiver skill building and physical activity interventions: Findings and new directions. Presented at the 56th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 43, 237).
- Connell, C. M, Roberts, J. S., Janevic, M. R., Shaw, B. (2003, November). Racial differences in knowledge and attitudes about Alzheimer's disease: Implications for educational interventions. Presented at the 56th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 43, 282).
- Janevic, M. R. & Connell, C. M (2004, March). Mechanisms of effect of an at-home exercise intervention on perceived stress among dementia caregivers. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Baltimore, MD.
- Hudson, M. H., Connell, C. M, & Janevic, M. R. (2004, November). Caregiver self-care intervention: A process perspective. Presented at the 57th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America Meeting, Washington, D.C. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 44, 100).
- Connell, C. M, Roberts, J. S., & McLaughlin, S. (2005, November). Public knowledge about Alzheimer's disease and attitudes toward risk reduction: Results from a national survey. Presented at the 58th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 45, 38).
- Connell, C. M, Solway, E., McLaughlin, S. & Janevic, M.R. (2006, November). Are pets a source of support or added burden for married couples facing dementia? Presented at the 59th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Houston, TX. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 46, 308).
- McLaughlin, S. J. & Connell, C. M (2006, November). Is growing old perceived to be a positive or negative experience? Results from the 2004 Health and Retirement Survey. Presented at the 59th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Houston, TX. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 46, 350).
- Connell, C. M & Janevic, M. R. (2007, November). Barriers to maintaining an exercise routine among dementia caregiving wives. Presented at the 60th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA. . (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 47, 316).
- McLaughlin, S. J. & Connell, C. M (2007, November). Successful aging in the US: An examination of Rowe and Kahn's conceptualization. Presented at the 60th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 47, 712).
- Meuser, T. M., Boise, L., & Connell, C. M (2007, November). Internet-based dementia resources: Physician attitudes and practices. Presented at the 60th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 47, 603).

- Galvin, J. E., Meuser, T. M., Boise, L., & Connell, C. M. (2008, July). Determinants of physician referrals to participate in Alzheimer Disease clinical trials. Presented at the International Congress of Alzheimer's Disease, Chicago, Illinois.
- Connell, C. M., Robling, D. K., Kostyniuk, L., & Janevic, M. R. (2009, November). Older adults' driving reduction and cessation: Implications for adult children. Presented at the 62th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 49).
- Kostyniuk, L. P., Robling, D. K., Connell, C. M., & Janevic, M. (2009, November). Taking away my freedom: Emotive responses from in-depth interviews with older and former drivers. Presented at the 62th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 49).
- McLaughlin, S. J. & Connell, C. M. (2009, November). Correlates of healthy aging among older adults with a high school diploma. Presented at the 62th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA. (Abstract published in The Gerontologist, 49).
- Rosland, A. M., Heisler, M., Connell, C. M., Janevic, M., Langa, K., & Piette, J. (2010, April). Untapped resources for family support for chronic illness self-care: A national study. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of General Internal Medicine, Minneapolis, MN.
- Janevic, M. J., Connell, C. M., Janz, N. K., Clark, N. M. (2010, June). Gender and race differences in psychosocial determinants of exercise among midlife and older adults with diabetes. Presented at the American Diabetes Association's 70th Scientific Session, Orlando, FL.
- Connell, C. M., Berg-Weger, M., & Bedard, M. (2010, November). Transitions of care across the aging continuum: Intersection of driving cessation and caregiving. Submitted as a symposium for presentation at the 63th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
- Connell, C. M., Vibbert, D. K., Kostyniuk, L., & Janevic, M. J. (2010, November). Driving cessation and caregiving continuum: Perspectives of father/daughter dyads. Submitted for presentation at the 63th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
- Janevic, M. J., Connell, C. M., Janz, N. K., & Clark, N. M. (2010, November). Objective vs. subjective indicators of adequate exercise among HRS respondents with diabetes. Submitted for presentation at the 63th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
- Meuser, T., Vibbert, D., Berg-Weger, M., & Connell, C. M. (2010, November). Observations of medically at-risk older drivers: Concerns reported by family members. Submitted for presentation at the 63th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.

Teaching Experience:

Chronic Illness Interventions: Infancy to Young Adulthood. Graduate course (University of Michigan, Fall, 2005-2009).

Chronic Illness Interventions: Midlife to Older Adulthood. Graduate course (University of Michigan, Winter, 2006–2010).

Aging and Health Behavior. Graduate course (University of Michigan, Fall, 2007, Winter, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010).

Health Education Interventions for Chronic Illness. Graduate seminar (University of Michigan, Fall, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1998, 1999, 2000, and Winter, 1992 and 2001).

Principles of Health Behavior. Graduate course (University of Michigan; Winter, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, and 1997 in the School of Public Health; 3/90-9/90, 12/90-6/91, 10/92-5/93, and 6/95-10/95 in the PEW Doctoral On-Job On-Campus program).

Foundations of Health Education Practice. Required graduate course designed to provide professional socialization for all departmental master's students (University of Michigan, Fall, 1998, 1999).

Psychosocial Factors in Health Related Behavior. Graduate course (University of Michigan; 6/92-5/93 in the Environmental Health and Industrial Hygiene On-Job On-Campus program).

Seminar in Health Behavior and Health Education. Required seminar designed to provide professional socialization for all departmental doctoral students (University of Michigan, Winter, 1996, 2000, 2002).

Psychosocial Issues of Health in Older Adulthood. Graduate Seminar (University of Kentucky, Fall, 1988).

Health Psychology. Undergraduate Course (Washington University in St. Louis, Fall, 1987).

Adult Development and Aging. Undergraduate Course (Pennsylvania State University, Fall, 1984).

Special Topics-Conducting Research with the Elderly. Undergraduate Course (Pennsylvania State University, 1980-1981).

Review Experience:

Editorial Board Member, Journal of Applied Gerontology (2007-present)

Editorial Board Member, Psychology and Aging (2004-2007)

Ad Hoc Reviewer for Diabetes Care (1992-present), Health Psychology (1993-present), Health Education and Research: Theory and Practice (1994-present), Journal of the American Geriatrics Society (1994-present), Journal of Applied Gerontology (1994-present), Health Education and Behavior (1997-present), The Gerontologist (1997-present), International Journal of Aging and Human Development (1997-present), Research on Aging (1997-present), The Journals of Gerontology (1998-present), Journal of Health and Aging (1999-present), Psychology and Aging (2001-present), Alzheimer Disease and Related Disorders (2001-present).

Reviewer for the Gerontological Society of America's Annual Meeting, Behavioral and Social Science and Social Research Policy and Planning Sections (1989-present).

Invited reviewer for the Society of Behavioral Medicine's Annual Meeting (1991).

Invited reviewer for the American Psychological Association's Annual Meeting (1992).

Invited reviewer for the NIH-funded Claude Pepper Older Americans Independence Center as part of competing renewal of the Geriatrics Center, University of Michigan (1993-1994).

Invited member of NIA special review group for the competing renewal of the Alzheimer's Disease Research Center at Duke University (Reverse site visit, 10/24-10/25, 1994).

Invited reviewer for proposals submitted to the Science Council of Huntington's Disease Society of America (1995).

Invited member of NIA special review group for the competing renewal of 14 Alzheimer's Disease Research Centers (1996).

Invited member of the Initial Review Board of the Medical and Scientific Advisory Council of the Alzheimer's Association (1998-2000, 2002-2003, 2005-present).

Invited member of two NIA special review groups for competing renewal of 2 Alzheimer's Disease Research Centers (1999).

Invited member of a NIA special review group for competing renewal of 15 Alzheimer's Disease Core Centers (2001).

Invited member of the editorial board of the "Caregiving for Individuals with Alzheimer's Disease" expert panel of the Rosalynn Carter Institute for Human Development (2003).

Invited reviewer for proposals submitted to the Tailored Biobehavioral Interventions Research Center Pilot Research Program at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (2006).

Invited reviewer for proposals submitted to the Health, Welfare and Food Bureau of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, The People's Republic of China (2006, 2007, 2009, 2010).

Invited member of site visit team to review progress by Thomas Jefferson University as part of the state-funded "Modifying Lifestyles and Behavior" panel for the Pennsylvania Department of Health (2006).

Invited reviewer for proposals submitted for consideration by the Alzheimer's and Related Diseases Research Award Fund to the Virginia Commonwealth University (June, 2009).

Invited reviewer for Centers for Disease Control and Prevention panel convened in response to funding opportunity "Translating Research to Protect Health through Health Promotion, Prevention, and Preparedness" (Atlanta, Georgia, July 21-22, 2009)

Invited reviewer for Agencies on Aging Alzheimer's Disease Supportive Services Program (ADSSP) (June, 2010)

Invited reviewer for National Medical Research Council Ministry of Health (Singapore, January, 2010)

Other Professional Activities:

National Analysts: A Division of Booz, Allen and Hamilton. Research Intern. (Philadelphia, 1978)

Companion Animal Project. Research Associate. (The Pennsylvania State University, 1980-1983)

Community Helpers Project. Consultant. (The Pennsylvania State University, 1984)

Hypertension Control Study. Consultant. (The Pennsylvania State University, 1984)

Mid-Life Divorce. Research Assistant. (The Pennsylvania State University, 1984)

Skills to Manage Moods: Coping with Depression. Research Assistant. (The Pennsylvania State University, 1984)

Demographic and Social Realities of Aging: Implications for Health Care Professionals. Invited Colloquium. (Washington University School of Medicine Diabetes Education Center, 1988)

Sixth Annual Summer Series on Aging. Invited member of the Planning Board. (Sanders-Brown Center on Aging, The University of Kentucky, 1988)

Summer Minority Research Opportunity Program. Mentor. (Rackham School of Graduate Studies, The University of Michigan, 1989)

Community Grand Rounds. Open forum to promote an interface between local and state public health officials and the School of Public Health. Participated in a panel discussion as a departmental representative. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1991)

Society for Behavioral Medicine's Annual Conference. Invited member of the Program Planning Committee. (New York, NY, 1991)

Fruits and Vegetable Consumption Survey. Consultant for the National Cancer Institute and the Produce Marketing Association. (Bethesda, MD, 1991)

Polyp Prevention Trial. Consultant for the National Cancer Institute. (Bethesda, MD, 1992)

American Psychological Association's Annual Conference. Invited member of the Program Planning Committee. (Toronto, Ontario, 1993)

Models of Health Decision Making. Invited presentation to medical school students at University of Michigan Medical School. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1993)

Models of Health Decision Making: Implications for Physicians. Invited presentation to Clinical Research Design and Statistical Analysis On Job-On Campus Program, School of Public Health, University of Michigan. (1994)

Claude Pepper Older Americans Independence Center. Invited advisory board member of the Demonstration and Information Dissemination Project. Geriatrics Center, University of Michigan. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1993-present)

Alzheimer's Disease Centers Directors Meeting. Coordinated the Annual Meeting of the 28 Directors of the Education and Information Transfer Cores as part of the Annual Alzheimer's Disease Centers Meeting. Organized a panel discussion entitled "Dementia outreach to minorities: Linking care networks." (Washington, DC, 1993).

Community-Based Public Health Initiative: Curriculum Enhancement. Received a curriculum-development grant to enhance the community focus of a course entitled "Health Education Interventions for Chronic Illness" (HBHE 627) as part of the W. K. Kellogg funded Detroit-Genesee County Community-Based Public Health Consortium. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1994)

Creating Capacity: A Research Agenda for Health Education. Invited participant in joint SOPHE/CDC meeting to inform federal research funding and programs and policy at the state level. (Atlanta, GA, September, 1994).

Review of Functional Status Assessment Tools. Consultant for a proposal submitted to the Division of Geriatric Medicine, Department of Internal Medicine, University of Michigan Medical School by Caroline Blaum, M.D. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1994)

Community Health Profiles Resource Guide. Invited advisory board member and consultant in the development of a resource guide as part of a W. K. Kellogg-funded initiative designed to help local health departments utilize sociodemographic and health data. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1994-1995)

Making the Transition from Graduate Student to Faculty Member. Invited guest speaker as part of the Pre-Doctoral Fellows program of the Rackham School of Graduate Studies at the University of Michigan (Ann Arbor, MI, 1995).

Resource for Public Health Policy and Management. Invited advisory board member and consultant to a multidisciplinary organization that conducts projects for local and state governments and community groups related to public health with an emphasis on policy, planning, and evaluation. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1996-2000).

Alzheimer's Disease Centers Collaborative Caregiving Conference. Invited participant in a collaborative venture to develop a national agenda for caregiver research. Nominated to serve on a subcommittee to establish a minimum caregiver database for each of the 28 Alzheimer's Disease Centers in the U.S. (Cleveland, OH, 1997).

Foot Care Attitude Scale. Invited member of a panel of diabetes experts to provide a comprehensive review of a scale to assess attitudes toward foot care to be used with Native American populations. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1997).

Health Education Strategies for an Aging Population. Invited to deliver the plenary address to the Great Lakes Chapter of the Society of Public Health Education. (Traverse City, MI, 1997).

Indiana University Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. Invited member of External Advisory Board that meets annually to review progress and plans. (Indianapolis, IN, 2000 - present).

Academic Job Search Symposium. Invited member of panel discussion sponsored by the Office of Career Planning and Placement at the University of Michigan. (Ann Arbor, MI, 2000).

Behavioral and Social Sciences Section of the Gerontological Society of America. Invited Chair of a poster session entitled "Service Utilization" at the 53rd Annual Scientific Meeting. (Washington, DC, 2000).

Alzheimer's Disease Centers Directors Meeting. Invited participant of a panel discussion on conducting caregiver research in collaboration with the Education and Information Cores of the 28 NIA-funded Alzheimer's Disease Centers. (New York, NY, 2002).

Rosalynn Carter Institute for Human Development. Selected to serve as an expert panel member on caregiving and Alzheimer's disease (Americus, Georgia, 2003).

National Institute on Aging. Invited member of editorial board for caregiving stress brochure (2005).

Michigan Center for Advancing Safe Transportation throughout the Lifespan. Invited panelist for the First Annual Transportation Research and Education Conference (Ann Arbor, MI, 2008).

Virginia Commonwealth University. Invited reviewer for grant applications submitted to a state-funded initiative designed to improve dementia care and services in Virginia (Virginia Center on Aging, 2009).

Continuing Education and Professional Training Activities:

The Adult Years: Continuity and Change. Developed and offered a continuing education course for adult learners. (The Pennsylvania State University, 1986)

Development of Social Networks in Diabetes Care. Developed and offered one component of a continuing education course to diabetes educators and diabetes nurse specialists. (Washington University School of Medicine Diabetes Education Center, 1986)

Reproductive Health Conference. Conducted three workshops on models of health decision making for primary and secondary teachers in the Ann Arbor School District. (Ann Arbor, MI, April and October, 1992, and April, 1993)

Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center's (MADRC) Annual Dementia Conference. Assisted in the development and evaluation of an annual conference entitled "Assessment and management of older adults with dementia: A focus on ethnic diversity" attended by 150 physicians, social workers, pharmacists, nurses, dentists, and service providers. Curriculum design and evaluation completed by the Education Core of the MADRC (C. M Connell, Director & Sara B. Holmes, MPH, Coordinator) (Ann Arbor, MI, March, 1993).

Michigan Autopsy Workshop: Toward a Greater Understanding. Assisted in the coordination and evaluated a statewide train-the-trainer workshop to disseminate information about autopsy to staff of the local chapters of the Alzheimer's Association in Michigan and to the autopsy liaisons of the Michigan Dementia Postmortem Network. Workshop participants learned skills to give presentations on autopsy to local dementia support groups and assist families in planning an autopsy. Curriculum design and evaluation completed by the Education Core of the MADRC (C. M Connell, Director & Sara B. Holmes, MPH, Coordinator) (Lansing, MI, March, 1994).

Bridges: The Newsletter of the Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center (MADRC). Assisted in the development of a tri-annual newsletter disseminated to local chapters of the Alzheimer's Association, staff of the Michigan Dementia Program and Michigan Public Health Institute, MADRC research participants, Alzheimer's Disease Centers, and family caregivers. (Ann Arbor, MI, March, 1994 - 1999).

Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center's (MADRC) Summer Internship. Served as preceptor for summer internship with the Education and Information Transfer Core of the MADRC for students in Master's of Public Health program in Health Behavior and Health Education. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1994 - present).

University of Michigan Diabetes Research and Training Center's Diabetes Care Workshop. Invited member of planning committee. Workshop content includes the optimal management of diabetes, quality of life, and managed care issues. (Ann Arbor, MI, 1996).

Advanced Care in Dementia Training Workshop. Assisted in the coordination and evaluation of a statewide train-the-trainer workshop to disseminate information about dementing illnesses to staff of service agencies throughout Michigan. Thirty-five workshop participants, including nurses, social workers, and long-term care administrators, learned skills to serve as dementia experts for their agencies and communities. Curriculum design and evaluation completed by the Education Cores of the MADRC (C. M Connell, Director) and Geriatrics Center (Judith Voelkl, Director) (Lansing, MI, March, 1996).

Dementia Care for Older Adults' Conference. Presented a session entitled "Caregiver Burden" as part of a multidisciplinary conference designed for physicians and other health care professionals. (Ann Arbor, MI, October, 2006).

Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center's 2008 Appreciation Conference. Presented a session entitled "Recognizing and Managing Caregiver Burden" as part of a conference planned for research participants, family members, and the general public (Ann Arbor, MI, October, 2008).

Service on Committees - Department of Health Behavior and Health Education:

Chair, Ad Hoc On Job-On Campus Committee (1989-1990)

Member, Curriculum Committee (1989-1992, 2002-2003)

Member, Admissions Committee (1991-1992)

Member, Search Committee (1993-1995)

Chair, Curriculum Committee (1992-1996)

Chair, HB/HE Task Force for School of Public Health Reorganization Committee (1994-1995)

Developed a reorganization implementation plan for departmental changes related to school-wide review (1994-1995).

Chair, HB/HE Search Committee in Environmental Health Education (1999-2000)

Chair, HB/HE Methodological Preliminary Examination Committee (1999-2001)

Chair, HB/HE Doctoral Admissions Committee (2005-2008)

Member, HB/HE Doctoral Admissions Committee (2008-present)

Member, HB/HE Global Health Search Committee (2005-2006)

Member, HB/HE Fall Gathering Committee (2006-2007)

Service on Committees - School of Public Health:

Member, On Job-On Campus Committee (1989-1994)

Member, Teaching Externship Committee (1990-1991)

Member, Doctoral Preliminary Examination Committee for Cohort of PEW Doctoral Students (1991)

Member, Advisory Committee on Academic Programs (1995-1996, 1999-2000, 2003)

Chair, Advisory Committee on Academic Programs (2001- 2002)

Member, Search Committee, Family and Reproductive Health, Health Management and Policy (1995-1996)

Member, Advisory Board, Resource for Public Health Policy and Management (1996-2000)

Member and Affirmative Action Liaison, Search Committee, Environmental Health Sciences (1998-1999)

Member, Ad Hoc Committee for Certification in Public Health Review (1998-1999)

Ex Officio Member, Dean's Advisory Committee (2001-2004)

Ex Officio Member, Public Health Information Services and Access Steering Committee (2001-2004)

Ex-Officio Member, Community-Based Public Health Committee (2001-2004)

Ex Officio Member, Executive Committee (2001-2004)

Member, SPH Executive Committee (2006-2010)

Member, SPH Information Technology Committee (2009-2010)

Service Activities - University of Michigan:

Faculty Associate, Public Health and Aging Doctoral Training Program funded by the National Institute on Aging, University of Michigan School of Public Health (1990 - 2001).

Faculty Mentor, Pre-Doctoral and Post-Doctoral Training Program in Social Research on Applied Issues of Aging funded by the National Institute on Aging to the School of Social Work, University of Michigan (1993-present).

Member, Search Committee for the Geriatric Research, Education and Clinical Center for the position of Associate Director for Education and Evaluation, University of Michigan Medical School (1996-1997)

Member, Steering Committee for the Gender and Mental Health Training Program funded by the National Institute on Mental Health, Institute for Research on Women and Gender, University of Michigan (1996-2000).

Member, Executive Committee, Michigan Alzheimer's Disease Research Center, University of Michigan (1992-present).

Member, Steering Committee for Institute of Gerontology (2002).

Member, Associate Provosts and Associate Deans Group, University of Michigan (2001-2004).

Representative, University of Michigan Children's Centers' Executive Board. Invited participant. (2005-2006).

Member, University of Michigan's Child Care Initiative. Invited member of Researchers' Advisory Group (2005-2006).

Faculty Mentor and Steering Committee Member, Doctoral Training Program in Public Health and Aging. Funded by the National Institute on Aging to the University of Michigan School of Public Health (2005-2007).

Member, Rackham Predoctoral Faculty Selection Committee (1992, 2008).

Service as Dissertation Committee Chair:

Minnie Bluhm (Expected completion, 2011). Physician decision making in end-of-life care. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Mary P. Gallant (1995). The stress process among dementia spouse caregivers: The effects of burden, appraised control, support and depression on caregiver health behaviors. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, , University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Maggie Hicken (Expected completion, 2010). Black-White differences in hypertension: Do lead and stress interact to explain this disparity? Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health (Co-Chair with Dr. Gil Gee)

Lori B. Ingber (2007). Racial differences in the use of specific infertility services among service users. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Mary R. Janevic (2002). Effects of a telephone-based exercise intervention among female spouse caregivers of people with dementia. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Pamela LeMaster (1997). Protective and risk factors for problem health behaviors among American Indian adolescents. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Sara McLaughlin (2008). Successful aging among older Americans: Prevalence, trends, and disparities. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Marilyn Raymond (2001). The relationship between gender and depression for married parents. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health. (Co-Chair with Dr. Linda Chatters.)

Kenneth Watkins (1999). Effects of adults self-regulation of diabetes on quality of life outcomes. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Service as Dissertation Committee Member:

Gwen L. Alexander (1991). Social support, self-esteem, and medication-taking behavior in older adults. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Joan Bennett (2009). Living alone and its impact on the relationship between social resources and well being in the elderly. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Anda Botosaneanu (Expected completion, 2011). Obesity and successful aging: Trajectory analysis. Department of Health Management and Policy, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Patricia A. Butler (1996). Predictors of emergency room use by low income Medicaid patients. Department of Health Management and Policy, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Susan M. Caumartin (1991). Biomedical factors and premorbid psychosocial factors associated with differential survival time in AIDS patients. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Linda M. Goldenhar (1991). Understanding, predicting, and influencing recycling behavior: The future generation. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Patricia A. Sharpe (1991). The effects of self-efficacy, appraised threat, and depressive symptoms on social and physical functioning among older cardiac patients. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Benjamin A. Shaw (2002). Early life parental support, aging, and health. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Estina Thompson (1997). Social status, physical environment and walking for exercise in late life: An ecological model. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Melissa A. Valerio (2006). A diary approach to asthma self-management. Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Affiliations:

American Public Health Association
Gerontological Society of America

Honors:

Valedictorian, Pottsgrove High School, Pottstown, Pennsylvania
Graduated magna cum laude, Juniata College, Huntingdon, Pennsylvania
National Institute on Aging Predoctoral Traineeship
National Institute on Health Postdoctoral Traineeship