

DEMOGRAPHIC AND PERSONAL INFORMATION

Current Appointments

- Bloomberg Distinguished Professor
*Departments of Medicine and Health Behavior & Society
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and Bloomberg School of Public Health*
- James F. Fries Professor of Medicine
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
- Professor of Health Policy & Management and Epidemiology
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
- Professor
Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing
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Armstrong Institute for Patient Safety and Quality*
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Education and Training

<u>Type</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Discipline</u>
Undergraduate	1984	BA	Emory College	Chemistry
Doctoral	1988	MD	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	Medicine
Graduate	1993	MPH	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health	Epidemiology and Health Policy
Internship and Residency	1988-1991		University of Maryland Hospitals/Baltimore VA Medical Center	Internal Medicine
Postdoctoral Fellowship	1991-1994		Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	General Internal Medicine

Professional Experience

1994-1995	Instructor, Department of Medicine Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
1995 – 2002	Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
2002 – 2007	Associate Professor, Department of Medicine Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
2007 – Present	Professor, Department of Medicine Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
1994 – Present	Core Faculty, Welch Center for Prevention, Epidemiology, & Clinical Research Johns Hopkins University
1995 – Present	Joint Appointment, Department of Health Policy and Management Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
2003 – Present	Joint Appointment, Department of Epidemiology Joint Appointment, Department of Health, Behavior and Society Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
2003 – Present	Joint Appointment Johns Hopkins School of Nursing
2010- Present	Center Director Johns Hopkins Center for Health Equity Johns Hopkins University Schools of Medicine, Nursing, and Bloomberg School of Public Health
2011 – Present	Gilman Scholar Johns Hopkins University
2013- Present	Core Faculty, Armstrong Institute for Patient Safety and Quality
2016 – 2017	Vice President, Health Care Equity Johns Hopkins Medicine
2017 – Present	Bloomberg Distinguished Professor Johns Hopkins University
2018 – Present	Joint Appointment, Department of International Health Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Peer-Reviewed Original Research Publications

1. **Cooper-Patrick L**, Crum RM, Ford DE. Characteristics of Patients with Major Depression Who Received Care in General Medical and Specialty Mental Health Settings. Medical Care 1994; 32:15-24
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32. Stevens GD, Shi L, **Cooper LA**. Patient-provider racial and ethnic concordance and parent reports of the primary care experiences of children. Annals of Family Medicine 2003; 1:105-112.
33. Saha S, Arbelaez JJ, **Cooper LA**. Patient-physician relationships and racial disparities in the quality of health care. American Journal of Public Health 2003;93(10):1713-9.
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35. Mabry IR, Young DR, **Cooper LA**, Meyers T, Joffe A, Duggan AK. Physical activity attitudes of African American and white adolescent girls. Ambulatory Pediatrics 2003;3:312-316.
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Principal Investigators: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH and Jill Marsteller, PhD, MPP
Role: Principal Investigator, 35% effort

This is a pragmatic cluster randomized trial in which we will compare the effectiveness of clinic-based standard of care plus audit, feedback and education (SCP) to an intervention that uses a collaborative care team, a community health worker and specialist consultation to deliver contextualized, appropriately stepped care (CC/stepped care) for reducing disparities and improving patient-centered outcomes among patients with hypertension. Thirty primary care clinics, including Federally Qualified Health Centers, across Maryland will recruit 63 patients each (total=1,890). We will use patient and broad stakeholder engagement and apply principles of community-based participatory research to refine and adapt intervention protocols and materials to the needs of participating organizations, clinic sites, and populations.

2. 07/01/16 – 06/30/21, Behavioral Research in Heart and Vascular Disease
National Institutes of Health, NHLBI
T32HL007180-41A1
Total Direct Costs for year 1: \$603,414
Principal Investigators: David M. Levine, MD, ScD, MPH, Felicia Hill-Briggs, PhD
Role: Associate Director, 5% effort (covered by Fries Chair)

The major goals of this project are pre-doctoral and post-doctoral research training program in behavioral aspects of cardiovascular diseases and risk factors. There are currently 7 post-doctoral trainees and 1 pre-doctoral trainee.

3. 09/27/16 – 05/31/17, Community-Based Dietary Approach for Hypertensive African Americans with Chronic Kidney Disease
National Institute of Minority Health and Health Disparities
U01MD010550
Total Direct Costs: \$1,533,763
Co-Principal Investigators: Deidra C. Crews, MD and Edgar R. Miller, III, MD, PhD
Role: Co-Investigator, 2% effort

This clinical trial will test whether delivering nutritional advice to adopt the DASH diet and \$30/week worth of fruits and vegetables, tailored to personal choices and availability in neighborhood stores, will reduce blood pressure and kidney damage in socioeconomically disadvantaged African Americans with hypertension and chronic kidney disease.

Extramural Funding, current, cont'd

4. Healthier World Challenge Implementation Grant, 9/4/18-8/31/21

Addressing Hypertension Care in Africa (ADHINCRA)

Total Direct Costs: \$250,000

Co-Principal Investigators: Yvonne Commodore-Mensah, PhD, RN, Fred Stephen Sarfo, MD, PhD

Role: Co-Investigator, 20% effort

This study seeks to develop an intervention that will improve management of hypertension and reduce socioeconomic disparities in hypertension control in Ghana by enhancing capacity of local healthcare providers and public health personnel to deploy contextually-adapted versions of evidence-based interventions to improve HTN control. We will purposively recruit persons who are socioeconomically disadvantaged, tailor the intervention to patients' identified social needs and barriers to HTN control, and compare outcomes by socioeconomic deprivation levels. Strategic partnerships between study personnel from Johns Hopkins University and collaborating Ghanaian healthcare institutions, as well as local community-based organizations, will be enhanced during this implementation grant. The study will help build the infrastructure and capacity of the collaborating healthcare system to manage non-communicable diseases such as hypertension.

Extramural Funding, previous

1. 07/01/94-6/30/96, Precursors of Premature Disease and Death
R01AG0176014S
National Institute on Aging
Total Direct Cost: \$232,684
Principal Investigator: Michael J. Klag, MD, MPH
Role: Minority Investigator Research Supplement, 40% effort

The goal of this study was to compare the levels and determinants of psychiatric distress in African-American and White professionals, especially factors related to the psychosocial work environment, using data from the Johns Hopkins Precursors Study and the Meharry Cohort Study.

2. 9/01/95 – 8/31/97, Pathways to Help-Seeking and Preferred Treatments for Mental Health
Identification number: 96044
The Commonwealth Fund, Picker/Commonwealth Scholars Program
Total Direct Cost: \$93,458
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 50% effort

The major goals of this project were to: 1) use focus groups to explore issues regarding help-seeking and treatment for depression among African-American and White patients; 2) develop and use a questionnaire to compare cultural attitudes and beliefs regarding depression between African-American and White patients with depression and 3) to begin development of a clinical practice tool which would incorporate patients' perspectives in determining the management of depression.

3. 7/01/96 – 6/30/00, Factors Influencing Outcomes for African-Americans and Whites with Depression
Identification number: 029216
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Minority Medical Faculty Development Program
Total Direct Cost: \$287,108
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 70% effort

The major goals of this project were: 1) to compare treatment for depression (health and social service use, pharmacotherapy, physician-patient communication) between African-Americans and Whites; 2) to compare attitudes towards and preferences for treatment of depression between African-Americans and Whites; and 3) to determine the relationship between the factors listed above (treatment, attitudes, and preferences) and patient outcomes related to depression.

Extramural Funding, previous

4. 9/30/94 – 8/31/97, Implementation of Depression Practice Guidelines
U01MH54443
National Institutes of Health, NIMH
Total Direct Cost: \$738,569
Principal Investigator: Daniel E. Ford, MD, MPH
Role: Co-Investigator, 20% effort

The major goal of this project was to design an intervention based on guidelines for treatment of depression; recruit physicians and patients into usual practice, physician, patient and treatment facilitator intervention and to assess the effects of these interventions after one year on remission of depression, level of depressive symptoms, functional status, utilization of health care services, and resource use and cost.

5. 3/01/97 – 2/28/02, Evolution of Psychopathology in the Population
R01MH4744705
National Institutes of Health, NIMH
Total Direct Cost: \$1,224,584
Principal Investigator: William W. Eaton, PhD
Role: Co-Investigator, 10% effort

The main goals of this phase of the on-going ECA study is to provide clinicians and others with a more comprehensive longitudinal picture of psychopathology, demonstrate the importance of psychopathology for general health, show the impact of psychopathology on use of general health services, provide information for policy decisions regarding mental health care and health insurance and help integrate the ideologies of general and mental health.

6. 0/1/97-7/31/99, Cross Cultural Communication in Primary Care
Identification number: 97-361
Bayer Institute for Health Care Communication
Total Direct Cost: \$20,000
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 20% effort

The goals of this study were to use audiotapes of medical visits to assess the relationship between racial/ethnic congruence in the physician-patient relationship and communication patterns, and to assess the relationship between race-congruence in the physician-patient relationship and processes and outcomes of care (recognition and treatment of depressive symptoms and physician and patient satisfaction).

Extramural Funding, previous

7. 09/01/97 – 8/31/02, Quality Improvement for Depression
R01MH54443
National Institutes of Health, NIMH
Total Direct Cost: \$968,944
Principal Investigator: Daniel E. Ford, MD, MPH
Role: Co-Investigator, 15% effort

The major goal of this project is to design an intervention based on AHCPR guidelines for treatment of depression; recruit physicians and patients into (a) usual practice, (b) physician and patient intervention, and (c) physician intervention and patient intervention and treatment facilitator and to assess the effects of these interventions after one year of remission of major depressive episode, level of depressive symptoms, level of functional status and disability; utilization of health care services and resource use and costs.

8. 1/01/99 – 12/31/00, Patient Preferences for Discussing Spirituality with Health Professionals
Identification number: none
The Foundation for Spirituality and Medicine
Total Direct Cost: \$22,728
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 20% effort

The objectives of this study are: 1) to use focus groups to explore how African-Americans and Whites would like health professionals to incorporate patients' spiritual and religious beliefs and practices in their medical treatment; 2) to create "trigger tapes" of simulated physician-patient interactions to ascertain patients' preferences for how discussions about spirituality should take place; and 3) to design a clinical intervention which uses patients' perspectives to incorporate discussions of religion and spirituality in primary care.

9. 01/01/01 – 03/01/04, Race Concordance and Communication in Primary Care
Identification number: 20010108
The Commonwealth Fund
Total Direct Cost: \$122,837
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 40% effort

The primary objectives of this study are: 1) to use audiotape analysis to explore the ways in which race concordance affects patient-physician communication and 2) to describe how patient ratings of physicians' participatory decision-making are associated with race concordance and with audiotape measures of patient-centered communication behaviors. Secondary objectives are to explore the extent to which patient and physician attitudinal variables explain the difference in patient ratings of care by race concordance with physicians.

Extramural Funding, previous

10. 07/01/00 – 6/30/02, Improving Depression Treatment for Disadvantaged Populations
 Identification number: 0059301 AHCD
 The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation
 Total Direct Cost: \$33,922
 Principal Investigator: Jeanne Miranda, PhD
 Role: Co-Investigator, 10% effort

The specific aims of this project are: 1) to generate a meaningful definition of “vulnerability” in depressed patients, 2) to analyze how quality improvement efforts improve clinical, functional, social and economic outcomes in vulnerable individuals with depression, and 3) to estimate the effect of high quality depression treatment in individuals belonging to vulnerable groups.

11. 07/01/01-06/30/04, Physicians’ Decisions for the Depressed Medically Ill
 R01MH060696
 National Institute of Health, NIMH
 Total Direct Cost: (subcontract) \$47,184
 Principal Investigator: Steven A. Epstein, MD
 Role: Co-Investigator, 10% effort

12. The design of this study is the presentation of one videotaped case of a patient with major depression and physical complaints to each physician subject. The study has a 2x4 factorial design with two main effects: medical illness co-morbidity and attributional style. Vignettes will vary by treatment preference (prefer no mental health treatment vs. accepting of treatment), race and gender and will include 500 primary care physicians. The study will guide continuing medical education efforts and future intervention studies designed to enhance quality of care for depression.

13. 11/01/02-11/30/03, Strategies for Improving Minority HealthCare Quality
 Contract #: 290-02-0018
 Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
 Total Direct Cost: \$212,407
 Principal Investigators: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH & Mary Catherine Beach, MD, MPH
 Role: Co-Principal Investigator, 30% effort

The Evidence-Based Practice Center (EPC) at the Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health developed an evidence report on strategies for improving minority health care quality. We conducted a systematic review and synthesis of the published literature on key issues related to improving the quality of health care for minority populations (including those with limited English proficiency) and the cultural competence of health care providers and organizations. The results of our analyses were subjected to a comprehensive peer review process.

Extramural Funding, previous

14. 02/01/03-01/31/06, Evaluation of the Implementation of Depression in Primary Care Project

Identification number: 045524

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Total Direct Cost: \$458,602

Principal Investigator: Daniel Ford, MD, MPH

Role: Co-Investigator, 10% effort

The goal of this project is to understand health care organizations in terms of the current support of treatment for depression, their potential to achieve change, models and process for change; to develop a relationship with sites so that they trust the evaluation team enough to fully cooperate and provide valid data; to work with various health care organizations to finalize the plan for the provider survey and direct patient assessments; to have the evaluation team optimize the reliability and validity of the interviews for the qualitative assessments through pre-testing and group exercises; and to clarify our relationship with the National Program Office in terms of process for working with the sites and responsibility for subsequent presentations, reports and publications.

15. 01/01/02-12/31/05, Using Patient-Provider Communication Skills Training to Improve Depression Care for African Americans

Identification number: 960355

Aetna/U.S. HealthCare Managed Care-Academic Quality of Care Research Fund

Total Direct Cost: \$299,989

Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH

Role: Principal Investigator, 15% effort

The objective of this project is to improve primary care physicians' knowledge and communication skills as they relate to African-American patients with depression so that these patients are more likely to receive high quality care for depression.

16. 01/01/05-12/31/06, Influences of Race/Ethnicity on Patient-Physician Interactions

Identification number: none

Fetzer Foundation

Total Direct Cost: \$80,000

Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH

Role: Principal Investigator, 10% effort

This specific aims of this study are to: 1) apply innovative methods to measure implicit attitudes and common understanding held by patients and physicians; and 2) determine whether implicit attitudes and common understanding are associated with communication behaviors.

Extramural Funding, previous

17. 9/01/01- 08/31/06, NCE to 8/31/07, Patient-Physician Partnership to Improve HBP Adherence
 5R01HL069403-04
 National Institutes of Health, NHLBI
 Total Direct Cost: \$1,685,472
 Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
 Role: Principal Investigator, 25% effort

The specific aims of this study are to recruit fifty physicians and 500 of their patients who have uncontrolled hypertension into a randomized controlled trial with a 2X2 factorial design to compare the relative effectiveness of patient and physician interventions, separately, and in combination with one another, with the effectiveness the minimal interventions. The two interventions are: 1) a patient-centered, culturally tailored, education and activation intervention with active follow-up delivered by a community health worker and 2) a computerized, self-study communication skills training program delivered via an interactive CD-ROM, with tailored feedback to address physicians' individual communication skills needs.

18. 07/01/02-06/30/07, Evolution of Psychopathology in the Population
 5R01MH047447-15
 National Institutes of Health, NIMH
 Total Direct Cost: \$3,528,641
 Principal Investigator: William W. Eaton, PhD
 Role: Co-Investigator, 5% effort

The main goals of this phase of the on-going ECA study will be to provide clinicians and others a more comprehensive longitudinal picture of psychopathology, demonstrate the importance of psychopathology for general health, show the impact of psychopathology on use of general health services, provide information for policy decisions regarding mental health care and health insurance and help integrate the ideologies of general and mental health.

19. 10/01/02-9/30/07, Center for Health Disparities Studies
 5P60MD000214-05
 National Center for Minority Health and Health Disparities
 Total Direct Cost: \$1,880,549
 Principal Investigator: Thomas LaVeist, PhD
 Role: Co-Investigator, 2% effort

This project will improve the ability of Johns Hopkins University to conduct high quality research on racial disparities; expand the number of researchers specializing in minority health and health disparities research; work with community-based investigators to build community capacity, and conduct research across the spectrum, seeking to explore the etiology of health disparities and finding interventions to reduce health disparities.

Extramural Funding, previous

20. 7/15/04-6/30/07, Explaining Disparities in the Care of Older Patients
5R01AG022521-03
National Institutes of Health, NIA
Total Direct Cost: \$106,805
Principal Investigator: Julie Irish, MD
Role: Co-Investigator, 2% effort

The objective of the proposed research is to identify how the communication process mediates the relationship among patient factors, physician factors, and diagnosis and treatment of depression and coronary heart disease. The findings from this research will help identify aspects of the medical interaction that are priorities for improvement in order to optimize healthcare outcomes for the elderly. The results of this research will inform the development of targeted education and intervention strategies to improve the quality of care of older patients.

21. 10/01/07-12/31/08, Quality of Decision-Making Communication and Outcomes of Care for African Americans with Depression
Foundation for Informed Medical Decision-making
Total Direct Cost: \$84,834
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 15% effort

We will use the infrastructure of an existing randomized trial of primary care-based quality improvement interventions for depression to complete the proposed study. The study subjects include 27 primary care providers and 132 African American patients with depression. Our specific aims are to: 1) describe the prevalence and extent of shared decision-making (SDM) communication related to depression in primary care patients using audiotapes of patient enrollment visits; 2) evaluate the construct and concurrent validity of this new measure of SDM communication; and 3) explore whether SDM communication at baseline predicts better processes and outcomes of care over 12 months of follow up. This study will increase understanding of the role of SDM in improving outcomes for patients with depression and in reducing racial disparities in mental health care.

22. 1/3/06 – 12/31/09, Josiah Macy, Jr. Foundation
The National Initiative on Gender, Culture and Leadership in Medicine (C – Change)
Realizing Women Faculty Potential in Academic Medicine: A Culture Change Intervention.
Principal Investigator: Linda Pololi, MBBS
Role: Co-investigator, 3% effort

The goal of this project is to address the imperative of developing women and under-represented minority faculty members' full potential and leadership in academic medicine in the United States. The project engages five medical schools in action research to analyze the current situation and to facilitate organizational culture change so that all faculty can contribute fully.

Extramural Funding, previous

23. 09/30/03-09/29/08, Patient-Centered Depression Care for African Americans
5R01HS013645-05, no cost extension to 09/29/10
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
Total Direct Cost: \$2,144,451
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 25% effort

The objectives of this study are to recruit primary care physicians and their African-American patients with major depressive disorder (MDD) into a randomized controlled trial in which the effectiveness of a patient-centered depression intervention is compared to a standard quality improvement depression intervention. Processes and outcomes of care will be evaluated at 6 months and 12 months. The main outcomes include remission of depression, depression symptom level, functional status, and adherence to guideline-concordant treatment. The main process measures include patient ratings of care and physicians' attitudes regarding care of depression.

24. 07/06/09-06/30/10, Respect, Trust, and Patient Outcomes in Sickle Cell Disease
R01HL088511
National Institutes of Health, NHLBI
Total direct costs 09/10: \$537,504
Principal Investigator: Mary Catherine Beach, MD, MPH
Role: Co-Investigator, 5% effort

The major goals of this project are to evaluate sickle cell disease patients' experiences of respect, trust, communication, adherence to therapy, appropriateness of care, and health outcomes in routine ambulatory care environments.

25. 03/01/06-07/24/11, Patient-Oriented Research in Cardiovascular Health Disparities
National Institutes of Health, NHLBI
5K24HL083113-04
Total Direct Cost: \$700,213
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 50% effort

Dr. Cooper's goal is to create a multidisciplinary center devoted to patient-oriented research in cardiovascular disparities. Her objectives are to: 1) amplify her work in understanding the mechanisms of racial disparities and developing patient-centered intervention strategies to overcome them; 2) provide outstanding mentorship for junior clinician investigators in the conduct of rigorous patient-oriented cardiovascular health disparities research; and 3) develop and test novel methods of measuring racial and ethnic discrimination and its impact on cardiovascular healthcare and outcomes.

Extramural Funding, previous

26. 09/17/07-05/31/12, Institute for Clinical and Translational Science
 National Institutes of Health, NIRR
 1U54RR023561-01A1
 Total direct costs 09/10: \$13,576,457
 Principal investigator: Daniel E. Ford, MD, MPH
 Role: Co-Investigator, Faculty Chair of Community Advisory Board, 5% effort

This CTSA grant will support clinical and translational research throughout Johns Hopkins. It includes support for education and training of new translational investigators, facilities in which clinical research can take place and infrastructure support of patient recruitment, bioinformatics, biostatistics and translational core centers.

27. 3/01/09 – 02/28/13, Randomized Trial of CVD Education and Problem-Solving Training in Urban Diabetics
 National Institutes of Health, NHLBI
 R01 HL089751
 Total direct costs 09/10: 445,867
 Principal Investigator: Felicia Hill-Briggs, PhD
 Role: Co-Investigator, 5% effort

The purpose of this study is to test effectiveness (control of blood sugar, blood pressure, lipids) and cost effectiveness of low literacy, content relevant diabetes and CVD-risk patient education materials as a stand-alone intervention, as compared to this enhanced education in combination with group vs. individual problem-solving training with patients with type 2 diabetes and suboptimal disease control.

28. 04/22/13-05/15/15, Improving Health Outcomes – Blood Pressure (IHO-BP)
 American Medical Association
 Total Direct Costs: \$525,000
 Principal Investigator/s: Peter Pronovost, MD, MPH and Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
 Role: Principal Investigator, 10% effort

This is a multi-year, multi-million dollar collaborative effort to improve outcomes in CVD and type II diabetes. A key component of this work will be to increase HTN control rates in ambulatory settings. The AMA has teamed up with colleagues at the Johns Hopkins University. We will select six ambulatory medical practices in Chicago and Baltimore to help us develop and test quality improvement interventions for enhancing HTN care and then adapt and spread these interventions to ambulatory practices regionally and nationally.

Extramural Funding, previous

29. 07/15/2010-03/31/2015, Johns Hopkins Center to Eliminate Cardiovascular Disparities
5P50 HL0105187 (no cost extension to 8/31/16)
National Institutes of Health/NHLBI
Total Direct Cost: \$6,407,792
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 20% effort

We will create a multidisciplinary research center to improve cardiovascular outcomes and reduce racial and ethnic disparities in care in Baltimore, MD. The Center includes three intervention studies to improve the identification, treatment, and outcomes of African Americans with hypertension; Administrative, Shared Resources, and Training Cores; and a Community and Provider Advisory Board. Study 1 is a pragmatic clinical trial that examines the implementation of a multi-method quality improvement intervention in 6 community-based primary care practices. Study 2 is a randomized controlled trial (RCT) to test the effectiveness and long-term sustainability of self-management and problem-solving training for patients, family and community members. Study 3 is a 2-arm RCT of culturally-tailored nutritional advice plus a conditional financial supplement. Primary outcomes for the studies are systolic and diastolic BP and BP control.

30. 04/01/15 – 03/31/17, Implementation and Evaluation of an Inpatient Diabetes Superuser Education Program
NIDDK
Total Direct Cost: \$150,000
Principal Investigator: Sherita Golden, MD, MHS
Role: Co-Investigator, 5% effort

The goal of this project is to develop a novel diabetes prescriber superuser educational program focused on inpatient diabetes management for physicians, based on their input. I will then examine the impact of the diabetes prescriber superuser program and an analogous diabetes nurse superuser program that is already developed on glycemic control and other outcomes in hospitalized patients with diabetes.

31. 10/1/2013 – 9/30/2016, An Integrative Multilevel Study for Improving Patient-Centered Care Delivery Among Patients with Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
Patient-Centered Research Outcomes Institute
Total costs: \$ \$2,099,946
Principal Investigator: Hanan Aboumatar, MD, MPH
Role: Co-Investigator, 1% effort

This study developed and evaluated a comprehensive patient and family-centered transitional care intervention to improve patient-centered outcomes among hospitalized COPD patients.

Extramural Funding, previous

32. 07/26/11-04/30/16, Patient-Oriented Research in Cardiovascular Health Disparities
National Institutes of Health, NHLBI
5 K24 HL083113 (No cost extension to 4/30/17)
Total Direct Cost: \$700,213
Principal Investigator: Lisa A. Cooper, MD, MPH
Role: Principal Investigator, 30% effort

Dr. Cooper 1) Amplified her work in understanding the mechanisms of racial disparities and testing multi-level interventions that reduce disparities and create models for future interventions; 2) Trained a new generation of scholars who are engaged in research to better understand causes and identify sustainable solutions to CVD disparities; and 3) Began to translate and disseminate evidence generated from her research program into clinical and public health practice and policy.

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Invited Reviews and Editorials

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2. **Cooper LA** and Powe NR. Disparities in Patient Experiences, Healthcare Processes, and Outcomes: The Role of Patient-Provider Racial, Ethnic, and Language Concordance. (July 2004) The Commonwealth Fund (Publication #753), New York, NY.
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7. Beach MC, Saha S, **Cooper LA**. Cultural Competence and Patient-Centeredness: Their Relationship and Role in Healthcare Quality. (October 2006), The Commonwealth Fund (Publication #960), New York, NY.
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9. Cené CW, **Cooper LA**. Death Toll from Uncontrolled Blood Pressure in Ethnic Populations: Universal Access and Quality Improvement May Not Be Enough. *Annals of Family Medicine* 2008;6: 486-489.
10. **Cooper LA**. Health Care Reform Provides Momentum to Reduce Institutional Biases. Commentary on Health Care Reform and Equity: Promise, Pitfalls, and Prescriptions. *Annals of Family Medicine*, January 30, 2011.
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15. **Cooper LA**. Commentary: Training and Mentoring the Next Generation of Health Equity Researchers: Insights from the Field. Ethnicity & Disease. 2018 Oct 18;28(4):579-585.
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Teaching

Classroom Instruction

- Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
 - Physician & Society Course for Medical Students
 - Lecturer: Cultural Diversity and the Patient-Physician Relationship, 2001-2002
 - Lecturer: Healthcare Disparities, 2006
 - Patient, Physician and Society Course for 1st and 2nd year medical students
 - Core faculty: Social and Behavioral Unit, 2006-2007
 - Selective, Advocacy and Health Disparities, Co-Leader, 2007, 2008
 - Healthcare Disparities and Service Experience for 1st year Medical Students
 - Lecturer: Physician Implicit Bias and Disparities in Healthcare, 2008, 2015

- Clinical Epidemiology Course for Medical Students, Small Group Leader, 1996, 2002
- Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program
 - Lecturer: Access to Health Care: Patient Race and Ethnicity, 1999-2005
 - Lecturer: Access to Health Care: Patient Attitudes and Behaviors, 1999-2005
- General Pediatric Fellowship Program
 - Lecturer: Focus Group Techniques in Health Care Research, 2003, 2005
- General Internal Medicine Fellowship Program
 - Lecturer: Communication and Cultural Competence, Implicit Bias
- Genes to Society, Cardiovascular Disease Block for Medical Students
 - Workshop Leader: Disparities in Cardiovascular Healthcare, 2011- present
- Johns Hopkins University School of Hygiene and Public Health
 - Department of Health Policy and Management
 - Lecturer: Ethnic Disparities in Health Care and Outcomes, 2000-2004
 - Lecturer: Inequalities in Quality of Care, 2002
 - Preventive Medicine Residency Program
 - Lecturer: Socioeconomic Aspects of Public Health Module, 2005-2006
 - 2008 Graduate Summer Institute of Epidemiology and Biostatistics
 - Race Relationships and Disparities in Healthcare, June 18, 2008
 - Department of Family and Population Health
 - Race, Ethnicity, and Gender: Lessons for Culturally Appropriate Depression Care Models, February 18, 2009
- Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing
 - Seminar on Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Health and Health Care, 2002

Clinical Instruction/Preceptorships

- Ambulatory Block Rotation for Medical Residents
 - Lecturer: Depression in Primary Care, 1994 -1996
- Ambulatory Medicine Rotation for Third-Year Clerks
 - Lecturer: Depression in Primary Care, 1995 -1999
- Ambulatory Medicine Rotation for Third-Year Clerks
 - Lecturer: Cultural Diversity, 2000 – 2001
- Faculty Development Program, Johns Hopkins Bayview, General Internal Medicine
 - Small Group Facilitator, 1998 – 2003
- Clinical Skills Course for Second-Year Medical Students
 - Preceptor, 2001 – 2003
 - Facilitator, “An Integrated Medical Encounter”, 2003-2005
- Medicine-Psychiatry Rotation for Johns Hopkins Bayview Residents
 - Co-Director of Cultural Diversity Curriculum, 2000-2004
- Urban Health Residency for Johns Hopkins Medicine/Pediatrics Residents,
 - Communication Seminar Series, 2010- present

CME Instruction (past 10 years)

- Pri-Med Mid-Atlantic Fourth Annual Conference: Current Clinical Issues in Primary Care
 - Race Relationships and Healthcare Disparities, October 2005
- Optimizing Care for Minority Women with HIV/AIDS. Jointly sponsored by Johns Hopkins Medicine and Advanced Studies in Medicine. Course Co-Chair, December 2008
- Topics in Clinical Medicine, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

▪ Unconscious Bias in the Practice of Medicine, May 7, 2012
Seminars (selected, last 5 years)

1. Johns Hopkins Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds, May 23, 2012. Designing Multi-level Interventions to Reduce Racial Disparities in Cardiovascular Disease.
2. Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center Black History Month Keynote Speaker, February 25, 2013. Eliminating Health Disparities One Relationship at a Time.
3. Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Herlong Rounds for MD/PhD Students, March 5, 2014. Communication Strategies to Reduce Racial Disparities in Treatment Adherence and Hypertension Control.
4. Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center, Healthy Communities Partnership, Perper Symposium, October 16, 2014. Faith at Work in the Community.
5. Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center, Bayview Summer Scholars Program, July 23, 2015. A Global Perspective on Health Equity: One Physician's Journey Off the Beaten Path.
6. Johns Hopkins Department of Medicine, Division of Cardiology, Cardiovascular Research Retreat, June 3, 2016. Achieving Equity in Care and Control of Hypertension.
7. Johns Hopkins Department of Medicine Medical Grand Rounds, October 26, 2016. Reaching For Health Equity and Social Justice in Baltimore: The Evolution of an Academic-Community Partnership to Address Cardiovascular Health Disparities.
8. Welch Center Clinical Research Grand Rounds, January 18, 2017. Achieving Equity in Cardiovascular Health through Implementation Science and Community-Based Participatory Research.

Mentoring:

Name of Mentee/ Current Position	Mentoring Dates and Program	Title of Research Project/s While Being Mentored by Dr. Cooper	Research type and Sources of Support/Awards
John Jackson, ScD* Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Epidemiology	2017- present	Systems Science for Translational Health Disparities Research	JHU Discovery Award NHLBI K01
Yvonne Commodore- Mensah,* PhD, RN Assistant Professor JHU School of Nursing	2016- present Junior Faculty	Cardiometabolic risk among African immigrants: The role of social determinants	NCRR KL2 Scholar Alliance for a Healthier World Implementation Challenge Grant
Fabian Johnston, MD MHS* Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Surgery	2015- present Junior Faculty	Promoting Early Utilization of Palliative Care for African Americans Using Culturally Informed Patient Navigation	AHRQ K08 HS024736-01
Carmen Alvarez, RN, CRNP, PhD* Assistant Professor JHU School of Nursing	2015- present Junior Faculty	Trauma, Patient activation, and Blood Pressure Control	BIRCWH mentored career development award RWJ Amos Faculty Development Award
Roland Faigle, MD, PhD Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Neurology	2015-present Junior Faculty	Racial Disparities in the Care of Patients with Stroke	NCATS KL2 Scholar NINDS K23
Nakiya Showell, MD MPH* Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Pediatrics	2014- present Junior Faculty	Obesity in Early Childhood among Racial and Ethnic Minorities	NCCATS KL2, NIH LRP Recipient
Karly Murphy, MD GIM Fellow, JHU	2015 – present	Continuity of Care and Racial Disparities in Health Outcomes	Primary Care Training and Enhancement Grant (HRSA)
Deidra Crews, MD, MHS* Associate Professor JHU Dept of Medicine	2013-2015 Junior faculty	Race, Socioeconomic Status, Diet, and Chronic Kidney Disease	NIDDK K23DK097184 inaugural Gilbert S. Omenn Anniversary Fellow (IOM) JHU Frontiers Award NIMHD U01
Michael Mueller, MD University of Miami, FL Junior Faculty	2013-2015 Urban Health resident, JHU	Reducing Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Hypertension Prevention and Control	Primary Care Training and Enhancement Grant (HRSA)
Athena Kan Senior, Harvard University	2013- 2015 River Hill HS student	Age, Weight and Blood Pressure Levels Among Black and White Patients	K24 HL83113 (Cooper)
Craig Pollack, MD Associate Professor JHU Dept of HPM	2012-2015 Junior faculty	A Network Analytic Approach to Modeling Variation in Prostate Cancer Care	NCI K07, P60 project PI, Movember and Robert Wood Johnson Foundations
Linda Mobula, MD MPH*, Field Officer, USAID	2013-2014 GIM Fellow, JHU	Cultural Competence and Perceptions of Community Health Workers' Effectiveness	NHLBI – T32HL007180 P50HL0105187 CVD Disparities Fellow

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Tanvir Hussain, MD, MSc Vice President of Quality, Alameda Health System	2012- 2015 GIM Fellow, JHU	Patient perceptions of care management functions in blood pressure control	NHLBI-- T32HL007180 and P50HL0105187 CVD Disparities Fellow
Max Romano, MD Resident, Family Medicine and Preventive Medicine MedStar Franklin Square	2011- 2014 JHU medical student	Health administrator perspectives on quality improvement interventions to reduce disparities in care	JHU SOM Dean's Office support for summer research
LaPrincess C. Brewer, MD, MPH*, Assistant Professor, Mayo Clinic	2011- 2013 Medical resident JHU	Race Consciousness and Blood Pressure Control in Urban Primary Care Patients	AcademyHealth/Aetna Minority Scholars Program 2011-2012, BIRCWH Award, KL2 Grant, NHLBI R03 grant
Sarah Flynn, BA Medical resident UCSF	2011- 2013 Post-bac student	The role of culture in effective clinical communication, behavior change and treatment adherence	K24 HL83113-02 (Cooper) Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society
Raquel Greer, MD, MHS* Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Medicine	2010-present Junior faculty	Improving Primary Care to Narrow Racial Disparities in Chronic Kidney Disease	K23 DK094975 P50 CVD Disparities Fellow
Tanjala Purnell, PhD* Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Surgery	2010-present GIM fellow, Junior faculty	Influence of Organizational Climate on Providers' Cross- Cultural Skills in Clinical Practice	NHLBI-- T32HL007180 P50 CVD Disparities Fellow AHRQ K01HS024600
Brooke Cunningham, MD, PhD*, Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota Medical School	2010 –2013 GIM Fellow JHU	Role of Organizational Culture and Leadership in Overcoming Healthcare Disparities	Primary Care Research Training Grant, AHRQ P50 CVD Disparities Fellow, NIH LRP recipient
Romsai Boonyasai, MD Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Medicine	2010-present Junior faculty	Impact of Team Care Models on Blood Pressure Management in Community-Based Primary Care	AHRQ R03; Osler Center for Excellence Institutional Grant
Kimberly Gudzone, MD, MPH, Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Medicine	2010-present GIM fellow Junior faculty	Patient-Physician Communication in the Visits of Obese Patients; Reducing Obesity among Public Housing Residents	Primary Care Research Training Grant AHRQ; finalist, SGIM Lipkin Award P50 CVD Disparities Fellow K23 HL116601
Hanan Aboumatar MD MPH Associate Professor JHU Dept of Medicine	2010-2016 Junior faculty	Patient-Centered Care Delivery Among Patients with Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute; P50 CVD Disparities Fellow
Jessie Kimbrough-Sugick, MD*, Assistant Professor, Univ of Michigan Med Sch	2010 – 2011 GIM fellow, JHU	The Effectiveness of Cultural Competence Training for Residents	Primary Care Research Training grant AHRQ
Adil Haider, MD, MPH Associate Professor Harvard Medical School	2009-2014 Asst Prof Surgery JHU	Understanding Mechanisms that Lead to Trauma Disparities	K23 NIGMS, Jacobson II Promising Investigator Award, ACS

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Kimberly Martin, PhD* Assistant Professor University of Alabama at Birmingham	2009- 2013 GIM Fellow, JHU SOM	Physician Communication Behaviors Associated with Patient Trust among Blacks and Whites with Hypertension	Clinical Research, AHRQ NRSA
Deborah Jones, RN, PhD* Dean, Hampton University School of Nursing	2008-2011 Asst Prof, JHU SON	The Influence of Trust on Patient Adherence and Blood Pressure Control	Investigator Research Supplement to NHLBI K24 grant (Cooper)
Octavia Pickett-Blakely, MD* Assistant Professor Univ of Penn Dept of Medicine	2008-2010 Post-doc fellow, JHU SOM	Provider-patient gender concordance and obesity care	HSR; NIDDK training grant
Sara Bleich, PhD* Professor, Public Health Policy, Harvard Chan School of Public Health	2008-2013 Asst Prof JHU SPH	Disparities in Physician Practice Patterns Related to Care of Obese Patients	NHLBI K01, Best Paper, the Obesity Society, 2012, White House Fellow 2015
Chidinma Ibe* Assistant Scientist, JHU SPH, Dept of HPM	2007-present PhD, JHU SPH	Role of Community Health Workers in Improving Patient CVD Outcomes	Research Supplement to NHLBI K24 grant (Cooper) Research Supplement to NHLBI UH3 (Cooper)
Crystal Cene, MD, MPH* Assistant Professor, UNC- Dept of Medicine	2006-present GIM fellow, JHU	The Impact of Patient Race and Blood Pressure Control on Patient-Physician Communication	Behavioral Research in Heart and Vascular Disease, NHLBI, KL2 NCRR K23 NHLBI
Eboni Price-Haywood, MD, MPH* Associate Professor, Ochsner Clinical School - University of Queensland	2002-2005 GIM fellow, JHU	Cultural Diversity in Academic Medicine; Interventions to Enhance Cancer Care for Low Literate Patients	HSR, NHLBI Behavioral Research Training Grant in CVD, RWJ Amos Faculty Scholar; R01 NIDA
Rachel Johnson Thornton MD, PhD* Assistant Professor JHU Dept of Pediatrics	1998-present MD/PhD, JHU HPM	Impact of Race and Social Distance on Medical Visit Communication; Built and Social Environment Influences on Disparities in Childhood Obesity	HSR (MSTP) Individual NRSA (AHRQ), Schwentker Award for Excellence in Research, White House Fellow 2010, K23 NHLBI
Mary M. Huizinga, MD Assistant Professor, Vanderbilt Univ SOM	2008–2010 Asst Prof, JHU SOM	Clinician Bias Toward Obese Patients	NCRR KL2 grant
Anika Hines, MPH* Assistant Professor, Medical College of Virginia	2008–2018 PhD, JHU HPM, Post- Doc, JHU	Shared Decision Making for Depression among African Americans in Primary Care	AHRQ training grant, Research Supplement to NIMHD U01 (Crews)
Bri Ghods, MPH, MBA* QI Specialist, Kaiser Permanente	2007–2010 MPH/MBA, JHU	Racial Disparities in Patient- Physician Communication among Patients with Depression	Institutional Funds, HRSA grant

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Neda Ratanawongsa, MD, MPH Associate Professor, UCSF Department of Medicine	2006 –2008 GIM fellow, JHU	Physician Burnout and Its Impact on the Patient-Physician Relationship	Institutional NRSA; SGIM Hamolsky Junior Faculty Award for Best Research Abstract 2008, K08, AHRQ
Kathryn Paez, PhD, RN Senior Research Scholar Social & Scientific Systems	2005-2008 PhD, JHU SON	Physician Cultural Competence and Patient Outcomes	HSR (Individual NRSA, AHRQ) New Investigator Award
Tiffany Gary, PhD* Associate Professor, Univ of Pittsburgh School of Public Health	2004-2009 Junior Faculty, Welch Ctr	Cultural factors and built environment effects on obesity Perceived discrimination and adherence to medical care	Clinical Research, NIDDK Minority Supplement (K01, NHLBI)
Felicia Hill-Briggs, PhD* Professor JHU Department of Medicine	2003-2008 Junior Faculty, Welch Ctr	Problem-solving and cardiovascular disease risk management in diabetic blacks	Clinical Research (K01 NHLBI, R01 NHLBI)
Mary Catherine Beach, MD, MPH Professor, JHU Department of Medicine	2002-2008 Junior Faculty, Welch Ctr	Respect and Patient-Centeredness in Care of Vulnerable Populations	HSR and Bioethics Research (K08 AHRQ, RWJ Generalist Faculty Scholar, R01 NHLBI)
L. Ebony Boulware, MD, MPH* Professor of Medicine, Duke University	1999-2008 Junior Faculty,	Race and Trust in the Health Care System; Attitudinal and Behavioral Predictors of Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) Treatment	Clinical Research (NIH Minority Supplement, NKF, RWJ Amos Faculty Scholar, K23, R01 NIDDK)
Shivonne Laird, PhD* Program Officer, Patient- Centered Outcomes Research Institute	2004- 2008 PhD, JHU Dept of HPM	International Medical Graduates and Patient-Centered Indicators of Primary Care Quality	HSR (Individual NRSA, NHLBI)
Aysegul Gozu, MD Medical Officer, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality-AHRQ	2004 –2006 GIM fellow, JHU	Reliability and Validity of Instruments to Measure Cultural Competence of Health Professionals	Clinical Research NRSA Primary Care Research Training Grant
Daniel Merenstein, MD Associate Professor, Georgetown Univ Med Ctr, Dept of Family Medicine	2003-2005 RWJF Clinical Scholar, JHU	Do Care-givers of Children Want to Participate in Shared Decision- making?	Clinical Research, HSR(RWJF) (U01, NCCAM)
Kristi Mizelle, MD, MPH* Physician, Tidewater Physicians Multi-Specialty Group	2003-2005 MPH, JHU	Race Concordance and Trust between Patients and Physicians	Clinical Research (National Medical Fellowships)

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Gbemisola Adeseun, MD* Assistant Professor, Univ of Southern California School of Medicine	2003-2005 MPH, JHU	Patient Preferences for Participatory Decision-making	Clinical Research (National Medical Fellowships)
Sarah Clever, MD, MPH Assistant Professor, JHU Department of Medicine Asst Dean of Students	2002-2005 GIM Fellowship	Involvement in decision-making predicts resolution of depression among primary care patients	Clinical practice (Institutional Funds) SGIM Associate's Award for Best Research Abstract 2003
Esa M. Davis, MD, MPH* Associate Professor, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine	2000-2003 RWJF Clinical Scholar	Race, socioeconomic status, and obese women's decisions regarding weight loss	Clinical Research (R25/NIH Cancer Prevention Training Grant, RWJ Harold Amos Scholar), R01 NICHD
Seth Himelhoch, MD Associate Professor, University of Maryland Department of Psychiatry	2001-2003 RWJF Clinical Scholar	Chronic medical illness, depression, and use of acute medical services among Medicare beneficiaries	Clinical Research (K23 NIMH, R34, NIDA)
Ben van Voorhees, MD, MPH, Associate Professor, University of Illinois College of Medicine Depts. Medicine & Pediatrics	2000-2003 GIM Fellowship	Attitudinal Barriers to Depression Care among Young Adults	Clinical Research RWJF, (K23 NIMH, R01 NIMH)
Kara Odom, MD, MPH* Deputy Chief Science Officer, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute	2002-2003 MPH, JHU	Obstacles and opportunities for success among underrepresented minority medical students	Clinical Research RWJ Clinical Scholars Program
Iris Mabry, MD, MPH* Medical Officer for the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality	1999-2002 General Pediatrics Fellowship	Attitudes toward physical activity among African American and white adolescent girls	Clinical Research (Federal employee)
Kraig Kinchen, MD, MSc* Senior Medical Director Eli Lilly & Co.	2000-2002 RWJF Clinical Scholar	Impact of International Medical Graduate Status on Primary Care Physicians' Choice of Specialist	Clinical Research (Industry funds)
Gregory D. Stevens, PhD Associate Professor Univ of Southern California	2000-2002 PhD in HPM, JHU	Race Concordance and Parent Reports of the Primary Care Experiences of Children	HSR California Endowment R01 NIDDK
Randy Hebert, MD, MPH Medical Director, Forbes Hospice, Pittsburgh, PA	1998-2001 GIM Fellowship	Patient Preferences regarding Spirituality and the Patient- Physician relationship	Clinical Research (K23 NIA)

^a Individuals are listed in decreasing order of the end dates of their appointments. RWJF=Robert Wood Johnson Foundation; JHU=Johns Hopkins University; *Under-represented minority in medicine; HSR=health services research.

Thesis Committee Participation (committee member in all cases)

— Johns Hopkins University School of Public Health

Department of Epidemiology

- 1) Hong Thi Vu, Master of Health Science Candidate, Depression, Hopelessness, and Mortality, May 1998
- 2) Tiffany Gary, Master of Health Science Candidate, Depressive Symptoms and Metabolic Control in African Americans with Type 2 Diabetes, May 1998
- 3) Gail Lois Daumit, M.D., Master of Health Science Candidate, Use of Cardiovascular Procedures among Black persons and White persons: a 7-year Nationwide Study in Patients with Renal Disease, May 1999
- 4) Brian Laurence, DDS, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, The Association of Sickle Cell Disease with Dental Caries, November 2001
- 5) Kerri Cavanaugh, MD, Master of Health Science Candidate, Accuracy of Co-morbidity Self-report and its Association with Mortality Risk in ESRD patients, May 2006

Department of Health Policy & Management

- 1) Miriam Bar-Din, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Communication during Pediatric Emergency Department Visits for Asthma: The Effect of Patient Education on Outcomes, May 2001
- 2) Linda Elam, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Insurance Status, Race/Ethnicity and Access to Antidepressant Medication, May 2004
- 3) Gregory Stevens, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Racial and Ethnic Disparities in the Quality of Primary Care for Children, May 2002
- 4) Carla Zema, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, The Impact of Report Cards on Consumer Health Plan Choice, May 2002
- 5) Sophia Kazakova, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Primary Care Characteristics, Individual Health Status, Racial and Ethnic Disparities, and Income Inequality, May 2004
- 6) Rachel L. Johnson, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Race, Physician-Patient Concordance, and Social Distance: Effects on Communication and Participation in Medical Visits, March 2004
- 7) Kathleen Haddad, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Late-Life Depression: The Role of Disability, Disease, and Social Support and Correlates of Treatment, October 2006
- 8) Carlton Haywood, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Trust & Trustworthiness: Correlates Among Adults with Sickle Cell Disease & an Account from Black Bioethics, June 2007
- 9) Anika Hines, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Perceptions, Partnerships, and Preferences: A Patient-Centered Approach to Understanding Racial and Ethnic Healthcare Disparities, March 2010

Department of Health Behavior and Society

- 1) Shivonne L. Laird, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Physician International Medical Graduate (IMG) Status and Patient-Centered Indicators of Primary Care Quality, March 2008
- 2) Chidinma Ibe, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, The Role of Community Health Workers in Improving Patient Cardiovascular Outcomes, May 2011

Graduate Training Program in Clinical Investigation

- 1) Sande Okelo, MD, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, The Contributions of Physician Clinical Assessment and Decision-Making Behavior to the Quality of Asthma Care of African American Patients, December 2005

Department of Mental Hygiene

- 1) Tongwoo Suh, Doctor of Public Health Candidate, Symptom Profiles of Depression Among General Medical Service Users Compared to Specialty Mental Health Service Users, May 1996
- 2) Corey Bruce Smith, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, The Impact of Religious Involvement on Depressive Syndrome in a Community Sample of Recently Bereaved Adults, May 2002

— Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing

- 1) Kathryn Anne Paez, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Clinician Cultural Competence and Patient Outcomes, May 2008
- 2) Yvonne Commodore-Mensah, Doctor of Philosophy Candidate, Cardiovascular Disease Risk and the Association with Acculturation in West African Immigrants, October 16, 2014 (Committee Chair).

Educational Program Building/Leadership

- NIH Roadmap Training Grant in Clinical Research for Pre-doctoral Students, Co-Director, 2005-2006
- Patient, Physician, and Society Course, Social and Behavioral Unit, Faculty, 2006- 2007
- Health Disparities Horizontal Strand Leader, 2011 – 2012
- Co-Developer, Health Disparities Research Training Curriculum, Johns Hopkins Center to Eliminate Cardiovascular Health Disparities
- Senior Advisor, Health Care Disparities Curriculum, JHU School of Medicine
- Associate Director, General Internal Medicine Fellowship, 2016 - present

CLINICAL ACTIVITIES

Certification

Medical Boards

1989	Diplomate, National Board of Medical Examiners
1991-2002	Diplomate, American Board of Internal Medicine
2003-2013	Recertified, American Board of Internal Medicine
2014-2024	Recertified, American Board of Internal Medicine

Medical Licensure

April 1991 State of Maryland License #D41524

Clinical Responsibilities

Staff physician, University Health Service, 1994-2007, 10% effort
 Staff physician, Executive Health Program, 2007, 10% effort
 Staff physician, University Health Service, 2009 – 2012, 5% effort
 Clinical Preceptor, Internal Medicine Residency Program, 2013 – present, 5% effort

ORGANIZATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Institutional Administrative Appointments

Department of Medicine

Internship Selection Committee (1996-1997)
 Medical Education Council (1995-1997)
 Task Force on Women's Academic Careers in Medicine (1996-1997)
 Women's Academic Task Force, Advisory Committee (2012 – present)
 Goal 5 Colleague Work Group (2000-2002)
 Departmental Promotions Committee (2002-2005)
 Diversity Council, (2002-2013), Chair (2005-2007)
 Levine and Brancati Excellence in Mentoring Awards Committee Chair, (2011-present)

School of Medicine

Student National Medical Association, Faculty Mentor, 1997-present
 Committee on Faculty Recruitment and Diversity, 2004-2005
 Women's Leadership Council, 2005 – present
 ICTR Community Research Advisory Committee, 2009- present

Bloomberg School of Public Health

The Bloomberg American Health Initiative, Co-Leader, Equity Workgroup

Johns Hopkins Medicine

Board of Trustees, Howard County General Hospital, Columbia, Maryland, 2003-2006
 Diversity Steering Committee, 2006-2011
 Vice President, Health Care Equity, 2016- 2017

Johns Hopkins University

Member, Diversity Leadership Council, 2003-2005
 Member, President's Commission on Equity, Civility, and Respect, 2007-2008
 Member, Search Committee, Dean/CEO Johns Hopkins Medicine, 2011- 2012
 Gilman Scholar, Advisory Group to President, Johns Hopkins University, 2011-present
 The Alliance for a Healthier World, Theme Leader: Global to Local, 2018 - present

Editorial Activities

Editorial Appointments

Associate Editor, Journal of General Internal Medicine, 1999-2000
 Editorial Board, Health Services Research, 2006- 2015
 Editorial Board, Patient Education and Counseling, 2009 – present
 Editorial Board, Journal of Communication in Healthcare, 2009-present

Journal Peer Review Activities

Annals of Internal Medicine	Journal of General Internal Medicine	Preventive Medicine
Archives of Internal Medicine	Journal of the Poor & Underserved	Social Psychiatry & Psychiatric Epidemiology
General Hospital Psychiatry	Medical Care	Social Science & Medicine
Health Services Research	Milbank Quarterly	
JAMA	Patient Education & Counseling	

Advisory Committees, Study Sections, and Review Groups

- Reviewer, Special Emphasis Panel on Quality, Agency for Health Care Policy and Research (July 1999)
- Member, Advisory Panel, Cultural Competency and Quality of Care in Minority Health, The Commonwealth Fund (November 1999)
- Member, National Advisory Committee, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Program on Depression in Primary Care (November 2000)
- Member, Research Advisory Committee: Developing a Research Agenda for Cultural Competence in Health Care, Department of Health and Human Services (April 2001)
- Member, Advisory Panel, Strategies to Improve the Quality of Health Care Services in the United Kingdom and the United States, The Nuffield Trust and The Commonwealth Fund (June 2001)
- Reviewer, Communication and Quality of Care Initiative, The Commonwealth Fund (August 2003)
- Reviewer, Health Research Dissemination and Implementation Study Section, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (October 2004)
- Reviewer, Harold Amos Scholars Program, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (2005, 2007, 2008)
- Reviewer, Special Emphasis Panel, National Institute of Mental Health, (August 2005)
- Member, National Advisory Committee, Finding Answers: Disparities Research for Change, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (2005- 2008)
- Member, Steering Committee, Practice-Based Research Network Resource Center, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (2005- 2010)
- Member, Underserved Advisory Committee, American Board of Internal Medicine (2008-2010)
- Medical Trustee, Board of Trustees, U.S. Pharmacopeia (2010-2011)
- Member, Expert Panel for Cultural Competency Implementation Strategies and Measures, National Quality Forum, Washington, DC (2010-2011)
- Board of Governors, Wesley Theological Seminary (2010 – present)
- Maryland Health Quality and Cost Council (2010-2013, appointed by Governor Martin O’Malley)
- Reviewer, NIH HDEP Special Emphasis Panel, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute Pilot Grants (February 2012)
- Board Member, American Heart Association, Baltimore Affiliate (2013-2015), currently Board Advisor
- Member, Advisory Committee to the Director of the NIH (2014 – present)
- Chair, Data and Safety Monitoring Board for the West Africa – United States Partnership for Research of Ebola Vaccinations (PREVAC), February 2015- Present)
- Member. Working Group on Research Needs to Improve Hypertension Treatment and Control in African Americans, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, October (2015- 2016)
- Member, Disparities Standing Committee, National Quality Forum (November 2015- present)
- Member, NASEM Committee: Integrating Social Needs Care into the Delivery of Health Care (2018-2019)

Professional Societies

Member, American Society for Clinical Investigation (ASCI)

Member, Association of American Physicians (AAP)

Member, American College of Physicians (ACP), elected to Fellowship, 2009

Member, Society of General Internal Medicine (SGIM)

- Women's Caucus

- Minorities in Medicine Interest Group and Disparities Task Force

- Co-Chair, Health Services Research Abstract Selection Committee (1997)

- Chair, Herbert W. Nickens Award Selection Committee (2001)

- Chair, Disparities in Health Research Abstract Selection Committee (2002)

- Member, Eisenberg Award Selection Committee (2002)

- Chair, Precourse Committee, Annual Meeting (2003)

- Member, Elnora Rhodes Award Committee (2003)

- Chair, Scientific Review Committee, Annual Meeting (2004)

- Junior Investigator Award Committee (Member, 2005 and Chair, 2006)

- Member, Founder Award Selection Committee (2006, 2007, 2008)

Member, AcademyHealth

- Session Organizer, Improving the Quality of Patient-Provider Interactions (2003)

- Reviewer, Disparities in Health Abstract Committee (2005, 2006)

- Member, Disparities Interest Group

Member, American Association for Communication in Healthcare (AACH, formerly AAPP)

- Chair, Research Committee (2002-2004)

Member, European Association for Communication in Health Care (EACH)

Member, National Medical Association (NMA)

Member, National Academy of Medicine (formerly the Institute of Medicine), elected 2008

- Member, Gustav O. Lienhard Award Selection Committee (2010-2011)

- Reviewer, IOM Letter Report: Leading Health Indicators for Healthy People 2020 (2011)

- Reviewer, IOM Report: Relieving Pain in America (2011)

- Member, ABIM/IOM Anniversary Fellowship Award Selection Committee (2010, 2013)

RECOGNITION

Honors and Awards

Omicron Delta Kappa, the National Leadership Honor Society, 1983

Alpha Epsilon Delta, the National Pre-Medical Honor Society, 1983

Phi Sigma Iota International Foreign Language Honor Society, 1983

Rho Lambda, the National Leadership Recognition Society for Sorority Women, 1983

Mortar Board National Senior Honor Society for Scholarship, Leadership, and Service, 1984

Picker/Commonwealth Scholar in Patient-Centered Care Research, 1995-1997

Salzburg Seminar 356 Fellow, 1998

Harold Amos Medical Faculty Development Program Scholar, 1996-2000

American Society for Clinical Investigation, Elected 2005

Herbert W. Nickens Award for Exceptional Commitment to Cultural Diversity in Medicine and Improving Minority Health, Society of General Internal Medicine, April 2006

MacArthur Fellow, John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, Selected 2007

Delta Omega, Public Health Honorary Society, Alpha Chapter, Elected 2008

George Engel Award, American Academy on Communication in Healthcare, October 18, 2008

National Academy of Medicine (formerly the Institute of Medicine), Elected October 2008

Fellow, American College of Physicians, Elected 2009

David M. Levine Excellence in Mentoring Award, Johns Hopkins University Department of Medicine, April 27, 2010

Inaugural Gilman Scholar, Johns Hopkins University, Selected March 2011

James F. Fries Professorship in Medicine, Johns Hopkins University, Appointed November 1, 2011

James D. Bruce Memorial Award for Distinguished Contributions to Preventive Medicine, American College of Physicians, April 10, 2014

Member, American Association of Physicians, Elected 2014

Vice-Dean's Award for the Advancement of Women in Science and Medicine, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, June 2014

Thomson Reuters, The World's Most Influential Scientific Minds, 2014 & 2015

Herbert W. Nickens Award for outstanding contributions to promoting justice in medical education and health care equity in the United States. American Association of Medical Colleges, November 2014

Senior Fellow, W. Montague Cobb/National Medical Association Health Institute, Appointed 2015

Provost's Inaugural Prize for Faculty Excellence in Diversity, Johns Hopkins University, May 2016

Provost's Inaugural Award for Excellence in Faculty Mentoring, Johns Hopkins University, May 2016

Helen Rodríguez-Trías Social Justice Award, American Public Health Association, November 2017

Sponsorship Award, Task Force for Advancement of Women's Careers in Medicine, May 2018

Community Recognition

Community Partnership of the Year Award, Mental Health Association of Maryland Metropolitan Baltimore Branch (May 2000)

Honoree, “Women Who Make a Difference and Change the World” Celebration

Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, Baltimore, Maryland (May 2008)

Trailblazer Award, Paying Tribute to Maryland’s Philanthropic African Americans in Medicine, Associated Black Charities, Baltimore, Maryland (June 2009)

Listed as one of MSNBC.com TheGrio’s 100 History Makers in the Making (February 2010)

Emory College Distinguished Alumni Award, Atlanta, Georgia (September 2010)

Archbishop Michael K. Francis Achievement Award for Excellence in Medicine from the Cathedral School Educational Foundation, Edison, New Jersey (September 2010)

Torchbearer Award, National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Baltimore Metropolitan Chapter, Baltimore, Maryland (September 2010)

Juneteenth Honoree, Johns Hopkins Black Faculty & Staff Association, Baltimore, Maryland (June 2011)

Pioneers in Medicine Award, Monumental Medical Society, Baltimore, Maryland (June 2012)

Watkins/Saunders Award, American Heart Association, Baltimore, Maryland (February 2013)
(recognizes excellence in clinical, medical, and community work focused on diminishing healthcare disparities in Maryland)

International Women’s Day Keynote Speaker, Life Restoration Ministries and Mount Shiloh AME Church, Baltimore, MD (March 2014)

University of North Carolina School of Medicine Distinguished Alumnae Award, Chapel Hill, NC (April 2018)

Invited Talks and Panels

1. Treatment of Depression in Primary Care: Race Differences in Patient Attitudes and Preferences. Georgetown University Medical Center, Washington, DC. Psychiatry Grand Rounds, February 25, 1999.
2. Race, Gender, and Partnership in the Patient-Physician Relationship. Annual Meeting of Picker/Commonwealth Scholars, June 22, 1999, Chicago, Illinois.
3. Patient-Physician Race Concordance and Communication in Primary Care. Bayer Institute for Health Care Communication Faculty Symposium, September 28, 1999, Newport Beach, California.
4. What Do You Do with the Data? Designing and Evaluating Interventions to Eliminate Disparities in Health. Methodologic Challenges in the Production and Synthesis of Knowledge, sponsored by the Agency for Health Care Policy & Research, October 27, 1999, Arlington, Virginia.
5. Race, Gender and Partnership in the Patient Physician Relationship. Press Conference, the National Medical Association at the National Press Club, January 24, 2000, Washington, D.C.
6. Access to Health Care for Racial and Ethnic Minority Groups. Healthy People 2010 – Access to Quality Health Services. January 25, 2000, Washington, D.C.
7. Using Patient-Physician Communication to Understand Racial Disparities in Cardiovascular Procedure Use. 15th Annual Meeting of the International Society for Hypertension in Blacks, July 15, 2000, Las Croabas, Puerto Rico.
8. Educating Primary Care Providers About Mental Health. Annual Convention and Scientific Assembly of the National Medical Association, August 12, 2000, Washington, D.C.
9. Race Concordance and Doctor-Patient Communication. IV International Conference on Health and Communication, Barcelona, Spain, September 23, 2000.
10. Suicide Prevention: The Role of Primary Care Providers. American Psychiatric Association 52nd Institute on Psychiatric Services, October 29, 2000, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
11. Cardiovascular Procedure Use: Understanding Racial Disparities. Harvard University School of Medicine, Beth Israel/Deaconess Hospital, Boston, MA. March 30, 2001.
12. The Evolution of Research on Racial and Ethnic Health Care Disparities: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, April 27, 2001, Rockville, Maryland.
13. Patient Perspectives on Spirituality and the Patient-Physician Relationship. American Academy on Physician and Patient Research Forum, May 3, 2001, San Diego, California.
14. The Role of Patient-Provider Communication in Understanding Ethnic Disparities in Health Care, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA. September 20, 2001.
15. Disparities in Health Care: What We Do and Do Not Know. (with Dr. Neil Powe). Medicine as a Profession Forum on “Diversity and Professionalism”, February 5, 2002, New York, NY.
16. Listening to Patients: The Role of Patient-Physician Communication in Understanding Racial and Ethnic Healthcare Disparities. Keynote Address: ACP-ASIM Maryland Chapter Scientific Meeting/Clinical Update, February 8, 2002, Ellicott City, Maryland.
17. Understanding Racial and Ethnic Healthcare Disparities: The Role of Patient-Physician Communication. Duke University Clinical Research Institute, Durham, NC. March 19, 2002.

18. Patient-Physician Partnership to Improve High Blood Pressure Adherence. Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, April 2, 2002, Washington, DC.
19. Are there racial differences in primary care patient-physician communication about depression? 15th NIMH International Conference on Mental Health Services, Washington DC, April 2, 2002.
20. Race, Gender, and Partnership in the Patient-Physician Relationship. Urban Health Institute National Conference on Health Disparities, April 4, 2002, Baltimore, Maryland.
21. Racial Disparities in Depression Care: Patient Attitudes and Patient-Physician Communication. University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pittsburgh, PA. April 16, 2002.
22. Racial Disparities in Depression Care: Patient and Provider Roles. Medical University of South Carolina Center for Health Care Research, Charleston, SC. July 12, 2002.
23. Measuring Cultural Competence: Lessons from Patient-Centeredness, Academy for Health Services Research and Health Policy Annual Meeting, June 23, 2002, Washington, DC.
24. Does Race Matter in Primary Care Patient-Physician Communication? Academy for Health Services Research and Health Policy Annual Meeting, June 25, 2002, Washington, DC.
25. Are There Racial Differences in Primary Care Patient-Physician Communication about Depression? Annual Convention and Scientific Assembly of the National Medical Association, August 7, 2002, Honolulu, Hawaii.
26. Are there ethnic differences in primary care patient-physician communication? International Conference on Communication in Healthcare, Warwick, England, United Kingdom, September 19, 2002.
27. Unequal Treatment: Why Race and Gender Matter in Patient-Provider Relationships. National Colloquium on Black Women's Health, Washington DC, April 11, 2003.
28. Racial Disparities in Depression Care: Using Evidence to Develop Interventions. Michigan State University African American Health Research Initiative. Lansing, MI. May 13, 2003.
29. Improving the Quality of Patient-Provider Interactions: What Type of Concordance Matters? Session Organizer and Panelist: Annual Meeting of the Academy for Health Services Research and Health Policy, Nashville, Tennessee, June 29, 2003.
30. Patient-Physician Partnership to Improve High Blood Pressure Adherence. Agency for Health Care Research and Quality Conference on Translating Research into Practice, Washington, DC, July 23, 2003.
31. A Framework for Understanding and Eliminating Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Health Care Quality. Keynote Speaker: Meeting on Researching and Reducing Ethnic Disparities in Cardiac Care, British Heart Foundation, London, England, United Kingdom, October 3, 2003.
32. Disparities in Patient Ratings of Care: Why Race Matters in Patient-Physician Communication. Baylor College of Medicine. Houston Center for Quality of Care and Utilization Studies. Houston, Texas. Medical Grand Rounds. February 19, 2004.
33. Patient and Provider Contributions to Disparities in Depression Care. 2004 Scientific Meeting of the Maryland Chapter of the American College of Physicians, Ellicott City, Maryland, February 20, 2004.

34. Racial Disparities in Healthcare: Why Communication Matters. New York University School of Medicine. New York, NY. Medical Grand Rounds. April 28, 2004.
35. Disparities in Depression Care: Using Evidence to Develop Primary Care Interventions. Howard University, Washington, DC. Psychiatry Grand Rounds. May 20, 2004.
36. Race Discordance, Social Distance and the Patient-Physician Relationship. European Conference on Communication in Healthcare, Brugges, Belgium, September 16, 2004.
37. Delving Below the Surface: Understanding How Race and Ethnicity Influence Patient-Physician Interactions. 9th Biennial Regenstrief Conference. Re-forming Relationships in Health Care: Creating a National Research Agenda for Relationship-Centered Care. Turkey Run State Park, Indiana, September 30, 2004.
38. The Bridge Study: Patient-Centered Depression Care for African Americans. American Psychiatric Association 56th Institute on Psychiatric Services: Mental Health Disparities in the Community. Atlanta, Georgia, October 9, 2004.
39. Racial Disparities in Health Care: Let's Talk About It. 25th Lawrence S. Zollicoffer Lecturer. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, North Carolina. February 18, 2005.
40. Disparities in the Quality of Healthcare: The Role of Trust and Bias in Patient-Provider Relationships. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Disparities and the Quality of Care Conference. Washington, DC, March 9-10, 2005.
41. Race Relations and Healthcare Disparities. University of Rochester Schools of Medicine and Dentistry, Rochester, NY. Family Medicine Rounds, April 7-8, 2005.
42. Improving Patient-Physician Relationships to Overcome Disparities in Hypertension Care. Academy for Health Services Research and Health Policy, Boston, MA, June 28, 2005.
43. Race Relationships and Healthcare Disparities: Below the Tip of the Iceberg. Pri-Med Mid-Atlantic Fourth Annual Conference and Exhibition, Current Clinical Issues in Primary Care. Keynote Address, October 8, 2005.
44. Race Relations and Healthcare Disparities: the Tip of the Iceberg, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH. Department of Medicine Seminar, October 28, 2005.
45. Racial Disparities in Healthcare: Why Communication Matters. University of Pennsylvania, Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics Research Seminar Series, Philadelphia, PA. February 3, 2006.
46. Racial and Ethnic Disparities in End of Life Care. Keynote Address, Upstate End of Life Educational Collaborative, The University Center of Greenville, Greenville, SC, March 8, 2006.
47. Advancing the State of the Art: Methodological Issues in the Evaluation of Cultural Competence Training, University of California –San Francisco, Department of Family and Community Medicine 2006 Multicultural LEARN Symposium, San Francisco, CA. May 8, 2006.
48. Racial, Ethnic, and Socioeconomic Healthcare Disparities: Opportunities for Primary Care Practice Based Research. Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) 2006 National Practice-Based Research Networks (PBRN) Research Conference, Bethesda, MD, May 16, 2006.

49. How Race and Ethnicity Influence Healthcare. University of Nebraska Medical Center, Center for Continuing Education, Eliminating Health Disparities: The Role of Cultural Competency, Omaha, NE, May 23, 2006.
50. Efforts to Reduce Disparities: Barriers, Innovation, Implementation & Evaluation (Panelist). Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Seattle, WA, June 26, 2006.
51. Race Concordance and Physician Satisfaction with Primary Care Visits. International Conference of the European Association of Communication in Healthcare, Basel, Switzerland, September 8, 2006.
52. Linking Patient-Physician Racial/Ethnic Concordance to Healthcare Quality and Patient Outcomes. Diversity Research Forum, American Association of Medical Colleges 2006 Annual Meeting, Seattle, Washington, October 31, 2006.
53. Health Literacy and High Blood Pressure Control among Ethnic Minorities and Poor Persons Receiving Care in Urban Primary Care Clinics. Moving Toward Real Solutions: Advances to Address Low Health Literacy. Fifth Annual National Health Communication Conference. Co-Sponsored by the American College of Physicians and the Institute of Medicine, Washington, DC, November 29, 2006.
54. Racial Disparities in Healthcare: Let's Talk About It. Medical Grand Rounds, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL, March 6, 2007.
55. Disparities in Patient-Centered Care: Let's Talk About It. Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene State-Wide Conference on Health Disparities, Baltimore, MD, April 24, 2007.
56. Panel Member, Advancing Healthcare, Improving Lives, and Leading Change. General Electric African American Forum's Expressions of Leadership. Crotonville, NY, September 5-6, 2007.
57. Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Health: The Role of Patient-Centered Care. Bowman Society Lecture, University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine, Chicago, IL, September 27, 2007.
58. Racial Disparities in Healthcare and the Patient-Physician Relationship. Leadership Forum, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, October 25, 2007.
59. Eliminating Racial Disparities in Healthcare: The Role of Patient-Physician Relationships. Medical Education Grand Rounds, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, TN, November 8, 2007.
60. Eliminating Racial Disparities in Healthcare: The Role of Patient-Centered Care. Martin Luther King Distinguished Visiting Professor at Duke University Department of Medicine, Durham, NC, January 18, 2008.
61. Clinical Crossroads: A 41-Year-Old African American Man with Poorly Controlled Hypertension. The Sara and Arnold Greenberg Lecture in Primary Care Medicine. Division of General Medicine and Primary Care, Department of Medicine, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, February 28, 2008.
62. Race Relationships and Healthcare Disparities: Let's Talk About It. Third Annual Allen Edwards Lectureship in Psychology, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, March 5, 2008.
63. Race, Ethnicity & Gender: Lessons for Culturally Appropriate Care Models for Depression. Distinguished Lectures of Insight, Innovation and Impact Series, Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL, March 25, 2008.

64. Translating Patient-Centered Strategies into Clinical Practice to Overcome Healthcare Disparities. “Accelerating the Dissemination and Translation of Clinical Research into Practice”, Natcher Center, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD, May 9, 2008.
65. Clinician Racial Bias, Communication, and Patient Experiences of Healthcare. AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Disparities Interest Group, Washington DC, June 10, 2008.
66. Eliminating Disparities in Healthcare: The Role of Health Professionals. 2008 Diabetes and Obesity Disparities in Health Systems Conference, Natcher Conference Center, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD, June 30, 2008.
67. Using Patient-Centered Care Models to Overcome Health Disparities. American Board of Internal Medicine (ABIM) Foundation 2008 Forum, “From Rhetoric to Reality: Achieving Patient-Centered Care, Yountville, Napa Valley, CA, July 29, 2008.
68. Eliminating Disparities in Healthcare: The Role of Healthcare Professionals. Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, Harvard University. The 2008-2009 Dean’s Lecture Series. Cambridge, MA, October 16, 2008.
69. Overcoming Healthcare Disparities: The Role of Patient-Centered Care. University of Florida College of Public Health and Health Professions 50th Anniversary Lecture Series. Gainesville, FL, November 7, 2008.
70. Enhancing Patient-Physician Communication to Overcome Healthcare Disparities: Developing Real-World, Sustainable Solutions. NIH Summit: the Science of Eliminating Health Disparities. Gaylord National Resort and Convention Center, National Harbor, MD, December 18, 2008.
71. Overcoming Healthcare Disparities: The Role of Patient-Physician Communication. Arnold P. Gold Foundation Humanism Lecture. Northeast Group on Student Affairs, American Association of Medical Colleges Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, April 3, 2009.
72. Eliminating Racial Disparities in Health Outcomes: The Role of Patient-Centered Care. John Lindenbaum Visiting Professorship, Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, Department of Medicine, New York, NY, June 2, 2009.
73. Overview of Research on Patient Adherence. Improving Delivery of Preventive Interventions in Clinical Practice: Practical Implications and Future Research Directions Meeting, Natcher Conference Center, National Institutes of Health. June 11, 2009.
74. Member, People to People Citizens Ambassador Program, Quality of Health Care Delegation to South Africa, September 21-October 1, 2009.
75. Eliminating Racial Disparities in Health Outcomes: The Role of Patient-Centeredness. Pfizer Visiting Professorship in Health Literacy and Communication. Program in Health Disparities Research, University of Minnesota School of Medicine, Minneapolis, Minnesota, October 21, 2009.
76. Eliminating Racial Disparities in Health Outcomes: The Role of Patient-Centeredness. Phyllis Bodel Visiting Professor, Yale University Department of Medicine, New Haven, Connecticut, November 12, 2009.
77. Patient-Physician Relationships and Solving the Health Disparities Conundrum. Dean’s Lecture. Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, Maryland, March 29, 2010.

78. Targeting in Health Care Interventions. SAMHSA Targeting and Tailoring for Dealing with Depression Knowledge Dissemination Conference, Sacramento, California, April 8, 2010.
79. Overcoming Racial Disparities in Depression Care. Psychiatry Grand Rounds, Georgetown University Medical Center, Washington, D.C., April 22, 2010.
80. The Importance of Communication and Cultural Competence in Enhancing Research Participant Recruitment and Retention. Johns Hopkins ICTR Office of Recruitment and Retention Symposium, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, Maryland, April 30, 2010.
81. Health Literacy and Health Disparities: Opportunities for Transdisciplinary Collaboration. IOM Roundtable on Health Literacy, Institute of Medicine, Washington, D.C., May 27, 2010.
82. Improving Patient-Centered Care for Primary Care Patients with Hypertension. AHRQ Practice Based Research Networks Annual Meeting, Bethesda, Maryland, June 16, 2010.
83. Patient-Centered Depression Care for African Americans. AHRQ Practice Based Research Networks Annual Meeting, Bethesda, Maryland, June 18, 2010.
84. Patient-Centered Depression Care for African Americans. Panel Presentation. European Association for Communication in Healthcare Conference, Verona, Italy, September 5, 2010.
85. Improving Patient-Centered Care for Primary Care Patients with Hypertension. American Academy on Communication in Healthcare Conference, Scottsdale, Arizona, October 18, 2010.
86. The Role of Doctor-Patient Relationships in Overcoming Health Disparities. Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students, Charlotte, North Carolina, November 12, 2010.
87. Health Disparities in the United States. Escuela Nacional de Salud Publica. Havana, Cuba. Medical Education Cooperation with Cuba (MEDICC) Program: Achieving Social Commitment and Ethnic-Cultural Pertinence in Health Professionals: The Cuban Experience, December 1, 2010.
88. Perceived Discrimination in Healthcare. The Science of Research on Discrimination and Health, Natcher Conference Center, NIH, Bethesda, Maryland, February 3, 2011.
89. Testimony in support of NIH funding for Health Disparities Research. Profiles of Promise Launch Event. United for Medical Research, U.S. Capitol, Washington, D.C., February 16, 2011.
90. The Role of Physician Workforce Diversity in Quality of Care and Population Health Disparities. American College of Physicians Internal Medicine 2011, San Diego, California, April 8, 2011.
91. Why Race Relationships Matter in Health Care. Johns Hopkins Biomedical Scholars Association James K. Hildreth Lecture. Baltimore, Maryland, April 28, 2011.
92. National Institutes of Health Wednesday Afternoon Lecture Series. Solving the Health Disparities Conundrum: Race Relationships and Health Care Quality. Bethesda, Maryland, May 11, 2011.
93. MacArthur Fellow Dialogue. Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. Baltimore, Maryland, June 6, 2011.

94. International Society for Hypertension in Blacks. Using System-Level Quality Improvement to Eliminate Racial Disparities in Hypertension Care. Boston, Massachusetts, July 9, 2011.
95. Exploring the Unintended Consequences of Managing Finite Resources (Panel Discussant). American Board of Internal Medicine Forum. Choosing Wisely: The Responsibility of Physicians, Patients, and the Health Care Community in Building a Sustainable System. Lake Tahoe, California, July 30-August 2, 2011.
96. Challenges and Opportunities for Minority Faculty: Pathways to Success. Program to Increase Diversity in Sleep Disorders and Behavioral Research. State University of New York-Downstate, Brooklyn, NY, August 8, 2011.
97. Disparities in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Sleep Disorders: Directions for Future Research. Reducing Health Disparities: The Role of Sleep Deficiency and Sleep Disorders. National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute. September 19-20, 2011, Rockville, Maryland.
98. Building Relationships to Enhance Public Engagement in Comparative Effectiveness Research. Center for Medical Technology Policy Second Annual Summit on Comparative Effectiveness Research Priorities, Methods, and Policy. Baltimore, Maryland, October 26, 2011.
99. The Path from Mentored Scientist to Independence: Lessons from a Journey. National Heart Lung and Blood Institute K-Awardee Conference, July 11, 2012.
100. The Association of Physician Implicit Bias with Communication and Patient Ratings of Care. European Association of Communication in Health Care Conference, St. Andrews, Scotland, September 6, 2012.
101. Journey to Eliminating Healthcare Disparities: The Importance of Affirming Values and Building Relationships, 13th Annual Steven L. Putterman Lecture, University of Massachusetts, Worcester, MA, October 2, 2012.
102. The Impact of Physician Implicit Bias on Patient Care in Medical Settings. 2012 Summit on the Science of Eliminating Health Disparities, National Harbor, Maryland, December 17, 2012.
103. Reducing Healthcare Disparities through Innovative Strategies to Improve Patient-Physician Communication. NIH Centers for Population Health and Health Disparities Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, April 30, 2013.
104. Eliminating Health Disparities One Relationship at a Time. Edward S. Cooper, MD Visiting Professorship, Department of Medicine Grand Rounds, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, May 21, 2013.
105. Project ReD CHiP: Reaching for Acceptability, Adoption, Effectiveness, Equity, and Sustainability in Hypertension Care. NIH Centers for Population Health and Health Disparities Annual Meeting, Marina del Rey, CA, May 20, 2014.
106. Equitable Care in Hypertension: How Can We Break Through the Glass Ceiling? Kaiser Permanente Hypertension Symposium, Costa Mesa, CA. October 10, 2014.
107. Relationships, Inclusiveness, and Social Justice in Medicine. Herbert W. Nickens Lecture. The American Association of Medical Colleges (AAMC) Annual Meeting – Learn, Serve, Lead 2014. Chicago, IL, November 9, 2014.

108. Project ReD CHiP: A multi-level system quality improvement intervention to reduce racial disparities in hypertension care and control. Panel on Quality Improvement Research and Health Equity. The American Association of Medical Colleges (AAMC) Annual Meeting – Learn, Serve, Lead 2014. Chicago, IL, November 10, 2014.
109. The Role of Healthcare Systems in Health Disparities: What Does Social Science Tell Us? Keynote Address. Special Symposium. Annual Meeting of the American Society of Nephrology. Philadelphia, PA, November 13, 2014.
110. Equitable Care and Control of Hypertension: Translating Evidence into Practice via Multi-level Interventions. 2015 NHLBI Biomedicine Lecture Series, Bethesda, MD, March 19, 2015.
111. From Health Disparities to Equity: Translating Research into Practice to Improve Population Health. Value Institute Symposium on Eliminating Health Care Disparities. Christiana Care Health System, Wilmington, DE, May 19, 2015.
112. Talking Shop: Health + Inequity. LaToya Ruby Frazier and Dr. Lisa Cooper. The Contemporary Museum. Baltimore, MD, June 29, 2015.
113. Using Implementation and Dissemination Research Methods to Achieve Equity in Hypertension Care and Control. 2015 NIMHD Translational Health Disparities Course, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD, August 13, 2015.
114. Using Evidence-Based Treatment Approaches to Reduce Hypertension Disparities in Primary Care Settings, Million Hearts® Hypertension Protocol Learning Collaborative Webinar Series: Baltimore, MD, August 24, 2015.
115. Achieving Equitable Care and Control of Hypertension through Health Systems Interventions with Community Linkages. Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene Chronic Disease Conference. September 8, 2015.
116. A Global Perspective on Health Equity: One Physician’s Journey off the Beaten Path. Guest Lecture, University of Chicago Bucksbaum Institute for Clinical Excellence. December 3, 2015.
117. From Health Disparities to Health Equity: Building Relationships in Healthcare Systems and Communities. Dr. David Satcher Community Health Improvement Awards Day Keynote Speaker. University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY April 29, 2016.
118. Panelist. Dean’s Inaugural Symposium on Minority Health and Health Disparities, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Washington DC, April 12, 2017.
119. Training and Mentoring the Next Generation of Health Equity Researchers: Insights from the Field. Inaugural Elijah Saunders n& Levi Watkins Memorial Lecture. NHLBI, Bethesda, MD, August 30, 2017.
120. A Global Perspective on Health Equity: One Physician’s Journey off the Beaten Path. Edward Hooks Memorial Lecture, Amos Medical Faculty Development Program Annual Meeting, Washington DC, October 4, 2017.
121. Reaching for Health Equity and Social Justice in Baltimore. Henrietta Lacks Lecture. Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine Institute for Clinical and Translational Research, Baltimore, MD October 7, 2017.
122. Sweetening the Journey from Health Disparities to Social Justice. Plenary Speaker, International Conference on Communication in Healthcare. Baltimore, MD, October 11, 2017.

Invited Talks and Panels, cont'd

123. Panelist, “Achieving Health Equity: The Role of Dissemination and Implementation Research”, 10th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health, Arlington, VA, December 5, 2017.
124. Moderator, “Health and Race”, Race and Inequality in America: The Kerner Commission @50 Conference, Baltimore, MD, March 1, 2018.
125. “From Knowledge of Disparities to Achievement of Equity”, National Minority Health Month and Formal Launch of HRSA’s Health Equity Report 2017, Rockville, MD, April 4, 2018.
126. Panelist, “Health Care for All”. Healing the Divide: An Atlantic Forum on Health Equity. Baltimore, MD, June 13, 2018.
127. Plenary Speaker, “Trust in the Health Care System among Racially and Ethnically Diverse Populations”, [Re]Building Trust – The 2018 ABIM Foundation Forum, Santa Ana Pueblo, New Mexico, July 28-31, 2018.
128. Panelist, “Multimorbidity in Socially At-Risk Populations”, NIH Comorbidity Scientific Interest Group Workshop: Measuring Multimorbidity: Matching the Instrument and the Purpose, Bethesda, Maryland, September 25-26, 2018.
129. Crede Visiting Professor, University of California San Francisco, From Health Disparities to Health Equity: Thinking Locally and Acting Globally”. San Francisco, CA, November 15-16, 2018.