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Education

DrPH University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Gillings School of Global Public Health, Chapel Hill, NC (2012)
Doctor of Public Health
Public Health Executive Leadership
Dissertation: Succession Planning and Management Practice in Washington State Local Public Health Agencies: The Current Situation and Recommendations for Better Practice

MPH Yale University, School of Medicine, Department of Epidemiology and Public Health, New Haven, CT (1987)
Master of Public Health
Chronic Disease Epidemiology
Thesis: Connecticut's Alternative Human Immunodeficiency Virus Antibody Counseling/Testing Program: Client Profile and Outcome Predictors

BA Lawrence University, Appleton, WI (1983) *magna cum laude*
Bachelor of Arts
Biology with a concentration in neuroscience
Honors Thesis: Acute Effects of Ethyl Alcohol on Photic Evoked Potentials in the Reticular Formation and Lateral Geniculate Nucleus of the Male Albino Rat

Professional Experience

Associate Dean for Practice September 2022 – present
University of North Carolina—Chapel Hill
Gillings School of Global Public Health

Responsibilities

- Provide strategic leadership for Gillings practice
- Secure resources for Gillings practice efforts

- Encourage and support practice-focused research and engagement
- Provide guidance to the North Carolina Institute of Public Health (NCIPH)
- Oversee tracking and reporting of practice efforts/impact
- Coordinate and/or lead Gillings internal and external practice-related groups
- Provide state and national leadership for practice engagement

Professor of the Practice

Director, Executive Doctoral Program in Health Leadership

July 2021—present

University of North Carolina—Chapel Hill

Gillings School of Global Public Health, Health Policy and Management

Responsibilities:

- Teach public health, leadership, policy, and advocacy courses to doctoral and master students
- Direct the Doctor of Public Health (DrPH) executive degree program
- Chair dissertation committees and serve on dissertation and master committees
- Serve on the Executive Advisory Committee to the department chair

Secretary of Health

April 2013—January 2021

Washington State, Olympia, WA

Responsibilities:

- Serve on Governor Jay Inslee's Executive Cabinet
- Provide strategic leadership and management to an 1,800+ person state agency
- Oversee biennium budget of \$1.1 billion
- Propose, advocate, and implement public health policy
- Serve on governance group for Washington State's Health Transformation work
- Executive sponsor of the state's LGBTQ+ business resource group

Accomplishments:

- Successfully led the state's response to the COVID-19 pandemic and the nation's first case
- With many partners, secured passage of state laws, including:
 - making legal age of sale for tobacco and vape products 21 years of age
 - defining Foundational Public Health Services and a required collaborative allocation process for allocating associated funding among the four governmental public health entities
 - eliminating personal/philosophical belief exemption for MMR vaccine
 - implementing a tax on vapor products
 - regulating vapor products
- Assisted Governor Inslee with the development of Executive Order 16-02: Firearm Fatality Prevention – A Public Health Approach, and chaired the resulting Action Alliance for Suicide Prevention
- Provided executive leadership for the End AIDS Washington initiative
- Transformed agency into a first responder organization from a planning organization
- Developed an informatics team and provided for the development of an enterprise informatics roadmap
- Created a health equity workgroup that provided leadership for cross-agency work and developed a Secretary's Directive for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

- Implemented employer of choice changes, including an infants at work program, mobile workforce, modernized physical work environments, and employee wellness program
- Created an academic health department
- Secured Public Health Accreditation Board reaccreditation (first state to achieve this)

Adjunct Assistant Professor

January 2013—June 2021

University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC

Gillings School of Global Public Health, Health Policy and Management

- Taught ethics portion of Leadership in Health Law and Ethics (2013–2018)

Clinical Professor

July 2013—present

University of Washington, Seattle, WA

School of Public Health, Department of Health Services

- Guest lecturer in multiple undergraduate and graduate classes
- Served on Dean's Council

Adjunct Assistant Professor

April 2019—June 2019

The Evergreen State College, Olympia, WA

Public Administration Program

- Taught public health policy Spring Quarter 2019

Public Health Director

July 2004—April 2013

Clark County Public Health, Vancouver, WA

Community Services Interim Director

July 2007—October 2007

Clark County Community Services, Vancouver WA

Responsibilities:

- Provide overall leadership and direction to a department of 150 FTE and \$18 million annual budget
- Work with the Board of Health in developing and implementing public health policy

Accomplishments:

- Chaired statewide legislative work group to increase funding for local public health that resulted in \$20 million of new funding for local public health
- Contracted with a non-profit FQHC community clinic to provide an integrated primary and behavioral care clinic and transitioned department out of categorical clinical services
- Transformed department into a first responder agency
- Increased public access to restaurant, pool, and spa inspection reports through web site access
- Led department strategic planning process and implementation
- Oriented the department to community-based, primary prevention work
- Assessed leadership issues in the Department of Community Services as interim director and provided set of recommendations to incoming director
- Assured the development of a department-wide performance management plan and the implementation of that plan
- Secured board approval and funding to implement a nurse-family partnership team
- Served on first county Diversity Steering Committee that resulted in hiring the first diversity coordinator, the implementation of a county-wide diversity assessment, and county-wide diversity training

Prevention Division Manager

July 2000—July 2004

Public Health—Seattle & King County, Seattle, WA

Responsibilities:

- Provide overall leadership and direction to a Division with 210 FTE and \$39 million annual budget
- Provide leadership to 12 diverse program areas:
 - Communicable Disease, Epidemiology and Immunizations; HIV/AIDS; STD; TB; Public Health Laboratory; Tobacco Prevention; Chronic Diseases and Healthy Aging; Injury Prevention; Women's Health; Alcohol and Other Drug Prevention; Vital Statistics; and Medical Examiner's Office
- Serve as Director and/or Health Officer periodically and serve as 24/7 Duty Officer
- Perform Incident Commander and Planning Chief duties for Public Health Emergency Operations Center
- Served as department lead for bioterrorism emergency response planning
- Participate as management team member on labor negotiations team for contract with public health nurses and medical examiner labor groups
- Serve on Director of Health's Leadership Group

Accomplishments:

- Led department-wide bioterrorism and smallpox planning processes and grant applications securing resources to implement preparedness and response programs
- Implemented emergency preparedness structure
- Co-led department-wide strategic action planning with 100 leaders
- Co-led successful federal Healthier Steps application process

Public Health Manager

September 1995—July 2000

Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, Tacoma, WA

Responsibilities:

- Managed multiple public health programs including: Home Visiting Nursing Services, Clinical Services (Family Planning, STD, Immunization, Tuberculosis, Refugee, HIV Counseling & Testing, Methadone Treatment and Women's Recovery), Senior Ethnic Health, Dental Health, Adolescent Health and Population-Based Prevention (tobacco, alcohol and violence)
- Presented at meetings and study sessions of Board of Health, county and city councils and county and city administration
- Engaged the media in the transition of clinical services and implementation of population-based prevention services
- Performed program planning and monitoring, budget development and monitoring, systems analysis, recruitment/hiring/firing, supervision, risk management and policy analysis
- Served on Director of Health's Management Team

Accomplishments:

- Conducted feasibility study that determined there was capacity, willingness and ability to partner with community health care providers to transition categorical clinical services to them
- Authored three major white papers formulating public health policy and operational change:
 - *Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department Clinic Services Transition*

- *Population-Based Public Health Practice at the Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department*
- *Public Health Service System Concept Paper*
- Designed, planned and implemented a population-based prevention system that created seven geographically based teams focused on tobacco use, alcohol misuse and violence prevention using a community-based, capacity building framework

Regional AIDS Coordinator

May 1994—September 1995

Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, Tacoma, WA

Responsibilities:

- Served as Chair of the Pierce County and Region V Ryan White Title II Planning Groups
- Provided policy analysis of proposed legislation
- Engaged the media on HIV/AIDS prevention and care services and syringe exchange issues
- Performed program planning and monitoring, budget development and monitoring, systems analysis, recruitment/hiring, supervision, risk management, policy analysis and implementation

Accomplishments:

- Developed and provided leadership for the first Pierce and Kitsap County HIV Community Prevention Planning Groups
- Realigned Pierce County prevention initiatives from one-on-one education efforts to community-level interventions
- Maintained Board of Health support for syringe exchange program
- Participated on Statewide committee that developed and implemented new AIDS Omnibus funding formula

Research Team Leader – AIDS Prevention Unit

June 1993—May 1994

Public Health—Seattle & King County, Seattle, WA

Responsibilities:

- Managed data management and analysis staff for three HIV community-level interventions, clinical HIV seropositive services and HIV counseling and testing services

Accomplishments:

- Developed local research protocol for clinical trial testing of OraSure HIV-1 antibody screening
- Initiated and conducted *Fundamentals of Public Health* training for AIDS Prevention staff

Project Director – Back Pain Outcome Assessment Team

November 1989—June 1993

University of Washington, School of Public Health, Seattle, WA

Responsibilities:

- Managed the entire day-to-day administration of a 5-year, \$5 million Federal Grant studying the outcomes of low back pain treatments
- Hired and supervised research assistant staff, computer programmer and clerical staff
- Coordinated research grant applications and renewal applications
- Developed, monitored and revised budgets

Accomplishments:

- Coordinated research and development of patient health education interactive videodiscs on treatment options for back pain

- Presented, by invitation, on the topic of Successful Management of Large Outcome Research Projects at a Federal meeting for outcomes research grant applicants
- Served on Federal site visit team to a research team having difficulty with its management and productivity

HIV/AIDS Program Coordinator and HIV/AIDS Test Counselor

1986—June 1989

Greenwich Department of Health, Greenwich, CT

Responsibilities:

- Develop and implement HIV/AIDS education program
- Develop and implement HIV counseling and testing program

Accomplishments:

- Created a start-up, comprehensive HIV program in a local health department
- Created and led a county-wide AIDS coalition to identify policy and system issues and create solutions for those
- Developed and led HIV/AIDS support group
- Successfully counseled and tested persons for HIV

Honors

American Indian Health Commission. Presented with a blanket ceremony for my work with the Tribal Nations on public health issues. November 17, 2020.

Washington State Hospital Association (WSHA). Friends of WSHA COVID-19 Award. Recognition for work leading Washington state through the COVID-19 response. October 2020.

Washington State Public Health Association. Presented with the President's Award. October 2020.

Association of State and Territorial Health Officials. Arthur T. McCormack Award for demonstrating excellence and making a significant contribution to the field of public health practice. September 2019.

University of North Carolina, Gillings School of Global Public Health. The Harriet Hylton Barr Distinguished Alumni Award for Commitment and Service to Public Health. May 2019.

Group Health Cooperative. 2015 Innovators in Health Award for leadership on vaccine work. 2015.

University of North Carolina, Gillings School of Global Public Health. Jacob Kooman Public Health Practice Award given to an executive student who exemplifies Dr. Koomen's commitment to public health. April 2011.

Lawrence University, Appleton, WI. The Alexander Wiley Prize for demonstrating a principled independence of thought, moral courage and creative commitment to a significant cause. June 1983.

Bibliography and Products of Scholarship

Refereed Papers/Articles

1. Havers FP, Reed C, Lim T, Montgomery JM, Klena JD, Hall AJ, Fry AM, Cannon DL, Chiang CF, Gibbons A, Krapiunaya I, Morales-Betoulle M, Roguski K, Rasheed MAU, Freeman B, Lester S,

- Mills L, Carroll DS, Owen SM, Johnson JA, Semenova V, Blackmore C, Blog D, Chai SJ, Dunn A, Hand J, Jain S, Lindquist S, Lynfield R, Pritchard S, Sokol T, Sosa L, Turabelidze G, Watkins SM, **Wiesman J**, et al. Seroprevalence of antibodies to SARS-CoV-2 in 10 sites in the United States, March 23-May 12, 2020. *JAMA Inter Med*. Published online July 21, 2020; E1-E11.
2. Holshue ML, DeBolt C, Lindquist S, Lofy KH, **Wiesman J**, et al. First case of 2019 Novel Coronavirus in the United States. *N Engl J Med*. 2020; 382:929-936.
 3. **Wiesman JM**, Babich SM, Umble K, Baker EL. Succession planning and management practice in Washington State local public health agencies. *J Public Health Management Practice*. 2016; 22(6):512-519.
 4. **Wiesman J**, Melnick A, Bright J, Carreon C, Richards K, Sherrill J, Vines J. Lessons learned from a policy decision to coordinate a multijurisdiction H1N1 response with a single incident management team. *J Public Health Management Practice*. 2011; 17(1):28-35.
 5. Aakko E, Weed N, Konrad R, **Wiesman J**. Rethinking volunteer management using a centralized volunteer staging and training area. *Disaster Med Public Health Prep*. 2008; 2(2):127-129.
 6. Mitchell JB, Bubolz T, Paul JE, Pashos CL, Escarce JJ, Muhlbaier LH, **Wiesman JM**, et al. Using Medicare claims for outcomes research. *Med care*. 1994; 32(7 suppl):JS38-51.
 7. Loeser JD, Deyo RA, Cherkin DC, Conrad D, **Wiesman J**. The back pain outcome assessment team: Background and progress. *Journal of Musculoskeletal Pain*. 1993; 1(2):89-110.
 8. Helgerson SD, Petersen LR, Davis KE, Fitzgerald PJ, Garrett AT, Lin J, Natale JA, **Wiesman JM**, et al. Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome and secondary school students: Their knowledge is limited and they want to learn more. *Pediatrics*. 1998; 81(3):350-355.
 9. Hetzler BE, **Wiesman JM**, Dobbs CM, Oaklay KE. Acute effects of alcohol on photic evoked potentials of rats: Lateral geniculate nucleus and reticular formation. *Pharmacology Biochemistry & Behavior*. 1983; 18(S1):483-487.

Products of Engaged Scholarship—Articles

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2. **Wiesman J** and Baker EL. Succession planning and management in public health practice. *J Public Health Management Practice*. 2013; 19(1):100-101.
3. The **CDC AIDS Community Demonstration Projects Research Group**. Community-level HIV intervention in 5 cities: Final outcome data from the CDC AIDS Community Demonstration Projects. *Am J Public Health*. 1999; 89(3):336-345.
4. Gallo D, George JR, Fitchen JH, Goldstein AS, Hindahl MS and the **OraSure HIV Clinical Trials Group**. Evaluation of a system using oral mucosal transudate for HIV-1 antibody screening and confirmatory testing. *JAMA*. 1997; 277:245-258.

Other: Selected Non-Refereed Presentations, Speeches, Panel Member/Moderator, Webinars, and Testimony

1. **Wiesman JM**, Romero J, Tsai W, Jones C. Duke Health Roundtable 2022 with Taiwan delegation: “Rethinking the Decade Ahead—Emerging trend in priorities,” child health session (moderator). Duke University. August 29, 2022.
2. **Wiesman JM**, Kasangra SM, Baden M, Bernet P. Creating solutions for equity funding challenges (moderator). ASTHO Health Equity Summit 2022—Action with intention. July 27, 2022.
3. **Wiesman JM**, Norman L, Baggett J, Jones-Wisner A, Venkayya A. Leading through a pandemic: Teamwork and crisis communications. Webinar. ASTHO Learning Symposium panel. June 2, 2022.
4. **Wiesman JM**. Session VII—Coordination, Governance, and Leadership panel presenter at National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine Forum on Medical and Public Health Preparedness for Disasters and Emergencies workshop on Lessons from COVID-19 for the future of the public health emergency enterprise: What happened to the plans? NASEM, Washington DC. May 18, 2022.
5. **Wiesman JM**, Cohen M. Managing a state response to a global pandemic: A conversation between Drs. Mandy Cohen and John Wiesman moderated by Jason deBruyn. Zoom conversation. UNC-Gillings. April 21, 2022.
6. **Wiesman JM**. ASTHO All Staff Development Week. SHO insights and reflections: Leading in first position. Zoom presentation. March 7, 2022.
7. **Wiesman JM**. 2021 Carole W. Samuelson Endowed Lecture in Public Health Practice at University of Alabama School of Public Health, Birmingham, Alabama. Leading in first position: COVID and beyond. March 4, 2022.
8. Alvarz M, Fuentes A, Mahin S, and **Wiesman JM**. Public trust in the healthcare sector and beyond COVID-19. 2021 UNC Business of Healthcare Conference, Leading the Next Generation of Health! UNC Center for the Business of Health. Panel presentation and discussion. November 5, 2021.
9. **Wiesman JM**. Closing reflections to invitational meeting, Using disadvantage indices to advance health equity: A workshop for states. Web meeting presented by AcademyHealth, Washington DC: June 2, 2021.
10. Mullen J, **Wiesman JM**, Fraser M. Public health over politics: Impact on the public health workforce. Webinar with Region IV Public Health Training Center, Atlanta, GA: May 2, 2021.
11. **Wiesman JM**. Public health leadership at the state level. Guest lecturer in ENVH428/528: Leadership in Public Health. University of Washington, Seattle, WA. April 26, 2021.
12. **Wiesman JM**. COVID-19 Update. Greater Spokane Incorporated. Keynote at annual legislative conference: December 10, 2020.
13. **Wiesman JM**. World AIDS Day Remembrance – Reflections on past year. Kitsap County World AIDS Day Memorial. December 1, 2020.
14. **Wiesman JM**, et al. County Leaders COVID-19 Panel Discussion. Washington Association of County Leaders Annual Meeting. November 18, 2020.
15. **Wiesman JM**. Leadership in a pandemic. Guest lecturer in HPM 330: Introduction to health organization leadership, management, and behavior, UNC. November 11, 2020.

16. **Wiesman JM.** Lessons Learned from COVID-19 Pandemic and Road Ahead for Public Health in Washington State. Keynote presentation at the 2020 Inland Northwest State of Reform Virtual Health Policy Conference. September 23, 2020.
17. **Wiesman JM,** et al. Panel member of Public Health as an Economic Imperative: Maximizing Strong Health Partnerships for a Successful Economic Recovery. Washington Economic Development Association. July 14, 2020.
18. **Wiesman JM,** et al. Panel member of Embracing Today, Sprinting Toward the Future: COVID-19. Washington Health Alliance. April 23, 2020.
19. **Wiesman JM.** Vaccine Confidence and Washington State's Experience with Vaccine Preventable Outbreaks. United States Health and Human Services Vaccine Confidence Meeting. September 18, 2020.
20. **Wiesman JM.** Leading with Health Equity. Central Washington University. Ellensburg, WA; September 29, 2019.
21. **Wiesman JM.** Case Study of Washington State's 2018/2019 Measles Outbreaks. National Press Foundation Fellows Training. Washington, DC; July 31, 2019.
22. **Wiesman JM,** et al. Washington State's Efforts to Address Suicide Prevention (Panel break out session). National Association of County and City Health Officials Annual Conference. Orlando, FL; July 10, 2019.
23. **Wiesman JM,** et al. Washington State's Reproductive Health Work (Plenary Panel on State's Experiences). Brookings Institute Forum on Improving Opportunity through Access to Family Planning. Washington, DC; June 24, 2019.
24. **Wiesman JM.** Washington State's Efforts to Address Suicide Prevention (Closing Plenary Panel). Kaiser Permanente's Institute for Health Policy Forum: Taking Action to Prevent Suicide. Washington, DC; May 2, 2019.
25. **Wiesman JM.** Washington State's Measles Outbreak. U.S. Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Full Committee Hearing—Vaccines Save Lives: What is Driving Preventable Disease Outbreaks? Washington, DC; March 5, 2019.
26. **Wiesman JM.** My Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Journey (Closing Plenary Speaker). Washington State Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Summit. SeaTac WA; January 31, 2019.
27. **Wiesman JM.** Eliminating Hepatitis C in Washington State. Hepatitis Education Project 25th Anniversary Gala. Seattle, WA; September 29, 2018.
28. **Wiesman JM,** et al. Promoting Public Health Data Interoperability (Closing Plenary Panel). Public Health Informatics Conference. Atlanta, Georgia; August 23, 2018.
29. **Wiesman JM,** et al. Succession Planning to Unleash the Power of Local Public Health. NACCHO Annual Conference 2018 (Opening Plenary Panel). New Orleans, LA; July 10, 2018
30. **Wiesman JM.** Washington State PrEP Drug Assistance Program. ASTHO State Health Officials Call. May 11, 2018.
31. **Wiesman JM.** Public Health and Shellfish in Washington State. Pacific Rim Shellfish Conference. Semiahmoo, WA; April 10, 2018.
32. **Wiesman JM.** Help Me Grow: Washington State. (Welcoming Plenary). Help Me Grow National Conference. Seattle, WA; April 5, 2018.
33. **Wiesman JM.** Suicide Prevention in Washington State. Construction Financial Management Association Puget Sound Chapter: Suicide Prevention Summit. Bothell, WA; October 24, 2017.
34. **Wiesman JM,** et al. Foundational Public Health Services. State of Reform Conference. Seattle, WA; January 5, 2017.

35. **Wiesman JM.** Engaging in regional accountable communities of health. School Nurses of Washington Spring Conference, keynote address. Winthrop, WA; March 19, 2016.
36. **Wiesman JM.** Building community health. Northwest Rural Health Conference, plenary speaker. Spokane, WA; March 15, 2016.
37. **Wiesman JM.** Leading the way to healthy communities. Washington State Hospital Association and Association of Public Hospital Districts Rural Hospital Leadership Conference, keynote speaker. Chelan, WA; June 22, 2015.
38. **Wiesman JM.** Keynote Speaker. 13th Annual Stronger Together World AIDS Day Breakfast. Seattle, WA; December 1, 2016.
39. **Wiesman JM.** A roadmap for Washington's governmental public health network. Washington State Public Health Association Annual Conference. Wenatchee, WA; October 14, 2014.
40. **Wiesman JM** and Teeter D. A conversation about health system transformation: Working together for a healthier Washington. Washington State Public Health Association Annual Conference. Wenatchee, WA; October 12, 2014.
41. **Wiesman JM.** Succession planning and management in local public health. Washington Association of Local Public Health Officials. Wenatchee, WA; November 13 and 14, 2012.
42. **Wiesman JM.** Our future . . . What will we make of it? Missouri Public Health Association Annual Conference. Columbia, MO; September 27, 2012.
43. **Wiesman JM.** National Association of County and City Health Officials' presidential remarks. Association of State and Territorial Health Officials Annual Meeting. Austin, TX; September 13, 2012.
44. **Wiesman JM.** Are the lights still on? Institute of Medicine symposium on "Sustaining Public Health Capacity in an Age of Austerity." Washington, DC; September 10, 2012.
45. **Wiesman JM.** President's Remarks—From here to there: Creating our future. National Association of County and City Health Officials Annual 2012, Los Angeles, CA; July 2012.
46. **Wiesman JM.** Organizational Learning. National Association of County and City Health Officials Survive and Thrive webinar; October 20, 2010.
47. Frumpkin H, **Wiesman JM**, Grunenfelder G, Kling B. Reshaping governmental public health in Washington State. Washington State Joint Conference on Health, Yakima, WA; October 2010.
48. **Wiesman JM** and McDonald S. Financing of public health in Washington State. Washington State Joint Conference on Health. Yakima, WA; October 6, 2008.
49. **Wiesman JM**, McDonald S, and Selecky M. Panel presentation on local and state public health working on performance accountability and securing additional funding. National Association of County and City Health Officials Annual Conference. Sacramento, CA; September 10, 2008.
50. **Wiesman JM**, et al. Panel presentation on bioterrorism planning. NACCHO Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA; July 11, 2002.
51. **Wiesman JM** et al. Population-based prevention: Collective action for health in Pierce County. Washington State Joint Conference on Health. Yakima, WA; October 7, 1998.
52. **Wiesman JM**, et al. Assessment to community action: A model public health service system. Washington State Joint Conference on Health. Yakima, WA; October 7, 1997.

Other: Selected Broadcast and Print Media

1. One hour interview on [Inside Olympia](#)—state’s cable TV show interviewing state policy makers (topics covered: flavored vape ban, immunization rules, suicide, foundational public health services, naloxone/opioid, psychiatric hospital oversight). October 24, 2019.
2. Press Conference with Governor Inslee announcing [executive order actions to address lung injury associated with vaping](#). September 27, 2019.
3. Op Ed: Wiesman J, Schmid C. [A bold new approach to eliminating hepatitis C as a public health threat](#). *Seattle Times*, July 25, 2019.
4. Guest on Fox News: America Newsroom with Bill Hemmer and Sandra Smith. [Measles Outbreak in Washington State](#). March 6, 2019.
5. Guest on CNN : Weekend Edition with Fredricka Whitfield. [Measles Outbreak in Washington State](#). February 2, 2019.
6. Opioid Press Conference Highlighting Implementation of House Bill 1427. October 29, 2018.
7. [Press Briefing on Lead in Washington State](#). Tumwater, WA; May 2, 2016

Teaching Activities

Courses

Spring 2022 – UNC

HPM 759: Health Policy Analysis and Advocacy

Doctoral, 2 credit hours, 15 students

Fall 2022 –UNC

HPM 730: Leadership and Workforce Management Strategies

Masters, 3 credit hours, 35 students registered

Spring 2022 – UNC

HPM 759: Health Policy Analysis and Advocacy

Doctoral, 2 credit hours, 14 students

HPM 965: Cultural Competency for 21st Century Health Leaders

Doctoral, 1 credit hour, 15 students

Co-Instructor: Paj Nandi, MPH

Fall 2021 – UNC

HPM 730: Leadership and Workforce Management Strategies

Masters, 3 credit hours, 22 students

University of North Carolina—Chapel Hill

HPM 810: Leadership in Health Law and Ethics. Co-taught with Gene Matthews and led the ethics portion. Fall semesters of 2013-2018 in the executive DrPH program with 10 to 14 students per semester.

The Evergreen State College, Olympia, WA

Public Health Policy (2 credit, intensive). Co-taught with Paj Nandi this elective course in the Master of Public Administration program. Spring Quarter of 2019 with 18 students.

Guest Lectures

- University of Michigan, Health Management and Policy, School of Public Health, capstone course, “Leadership lessons from a former secretary of health,” February 1, 2023.
- PUBH 805, interview, “HIV, COVID, and Mpox—stigma, response, policy and leadership,” January 30, 2023
- HPM 330, “Leading during a pandemic,” November 30, 2022
- HPM 790, panel member, “Working with policy makers,” April 11, 2022
- University of Michigan, Health Management and Policy, School of Public Health, capstone course, “Leadership lessons from a former secretary of health,” March 30, 2021.
- HPM 754, “Introduction to the public health system,” January 25, 2022
- HPM 330, “Leading during a pandemic,” December 1, 2021
- Dalla Lana School of Public Health, University of Toronto, DrPH students zoom lecture on COVID leadership response. “1/45,300,000 and counting,” November 4, 2021
- HPM 754, “Introduction to the public health system,” two sections, August 30 and 31, 2021

Students Advised

Doctoral Committees - Chair

Angela Ankoma, C17, DrPH candidate, Start date July 2022

Dustin Fristed C17, DrPH candidate, Start date May 2022

Rod Jenkins C17, DrPH candidate, Start date May 2022

Grace Ghantous C16, DrPH candidate, Start date December 2021

Diane Johnson C16, DrPH candidate, co-chair with Sandra Greene, Start date August 2021

Doctoral Committees - Member

Pierre Berastain C17, DrPH candidate, Start date August 12, 2022.

Karl Johnson PhD candidate, Start date October 2021

Karla Buru C15, DrPH candidate, Start date October 2021, *Public Health Accreditation Board’s Changes in Response to COVID-19: Exploring the Site Visitor Model Evaluation*, graduated May 2022

David Joyce C15, DrPH candidate, Start date September 2021

Lindsey Angelats C11, DrPH candidate, Start date September 2021, *Advancing the quadruple aim in Medi-Cal managed care: Provider and health plan leader perspectives regarding the inclusion of paraprofessionals on care teams for developmental screening and care coordination, graduated May 2022*

Jami Weiss C15 DrPH candidate, Start date May 2021

Amy Belflower Thomas, C14, Start date 2021

Grants

Professional Service

National

HealthDataWell 2022—present

Advisory Team Member

This is a project of the Health Environmental Science Institute and National Science Teaching Association to develop a free, on-line curriculum to provide students with training and tools to develop their skills as consumers, analysts, and practitioners of data-driven and equity-focused public and environmental health science.

Council on Linkages Between Academia and Public Health Practice 2021—present

Public Health Foundation

Council Member

Diverse Executive Leading in Public Health Advisory Committee, 2021—present

ASTHO and the Satcher Health Leadership Institute of the

Morehouse School of Medicine

Advisory Committee Member

Staffing up: Determining public health workforce levels 2020 – 2021

needed to serve the nation, deBeaumont and The Public Health National

Center for Innovations (PHNCI) sponsored

Steering Committee Member

Presidential Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS (PACHA) 2019 – present

Co-chair with Carl Schmidt

President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) 2019 – present

Scientific advisory group member

Association of State and Territorial Health Officials 2014 – 2020

Board of Directors

Executive Committee (2016 – 2020)

President (2017-2018)

Immediate-Past President (2018- 2019)	
Past President (2019 – 2020)	
Secretary-Treasurer (2016 – 2017)	
National Health Security Preparedness Index, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	2015 – 2018
National Advisory Committee member	
State, Tribal, Local, Territorial subcommittee to the Advisory Committee of the CDC Director	2015 – 2019
Member	
Chair of Public Health Financing Think Tank	
Institute of Medicine Forum on Medical and Public Health Preparedness for Catastrophic Events	2014 – 2017
Forum Member	
National Association of County and City Health Officials	2006 – 2013
Board of Directors	
Vice President (2010-2011)	
President-Elect (2011 – 2012)	
President (2012 – 2013)	
Survive and Thrive Mentor (2010 – 2011)	
Annual Conference planning group (2006-2009 chair, 2011-2012)	
Infrastructure and Capacity Work Group (2008)	
State	
North Carolina Institute of Medicine Task Force on the Future of Local Public Health	2021—present
Task Force Member	
PeaceHealth Southwest Medical Center	2011 – 2013
Board of Directors	
Quality Committee	
Planning Committee	
Support for Early Learning and Families (SELF)	2010 – 2013
Board of Directors	
Treasurer	
Washington State Association of Local Public Health Officials	2006 – 2012
Board of Directors (2007 – 2012)	
Executive Committee (2006 – 2009)	
Local Public Health Funding Workgroup/Legislative Committee, Chair (2006 – 2012)	
Community Choices (non-profit supporting healthy communities)	2004 – 2012
Board of Directors (2004 – 2010)	
Chair (2007 – 2009)	

NAACP, Vancouver, WA Branch Executive Committee	2009 – 2012
Vancouver-Clark Parks Foundation Board of Directors	2007 – 2010
Washington State Public Health Association Board of Directors, President (2002 – 2003) Joint Conference on Health Planning Group, Chair (2000 – 2002)	2000 – 2004

Department, School, and University

NACCHO Student Chapter at UNC-CH Faculty Advisor	2021 – present
Strategic Planning - Practice Task Force: Gillings School Co-Chair with Leah Devlin, DDS	2021—2022

DEI Training

Equity in Teaching Institute. Center for Faculty Excellence. August 2 & 4, 2022. 14 hours. I learned a bit more of (1) UNC's founding history rooted in injustices, especially with Native Americans and Black people, (2) digital accessibility, (3) how I show up in class with my personal and social identities and how that impacts students, (4) how to make my course policies, student group work, and assignments more inclusive.

National Health Equity Research Webcast—This is U.S.: Dissent, denial, and the health of populations. September 17, 2021. 1.5 hours—webinar. Sponsored by Gillings. Four diverse panelists presented on their advocacy and practice work in the area of health equity, which was interesting but did not cover any new content for me.

Rachel Hardeman visiting scholar lecture *Examining racism in health services research: Experiences, challenges, and opportunities*. April 19, 2022. 1 hour