

Presentations – Professional & Scientific

Professional/Scientific Presentations

Core Project 2

Carson, D. E., Sharkey, J. R., McIntosh, W. A., Kubena, K. S., Goodson, P. (2010, April). Predicting intention to eat breakfast among adolescent using the theory of planned behavior. Presented at Experimental Biology 2010, Anaheim, CA.

Sharkey, J.R. (2010, November). Institute of Medicine of the National Academies, Workshop on Understanding the Relationship Between Food Insecurity and Obesity, Washington, DC.

BVHP

Dr. Jim Burdine and Dr. Monica Wendel released the preliminary key findings of the 2010 Health Status Assessment at the 2nd Annual joint Retreat of the Brazos Valley Health Partnership (BVHP) and the Center for Community Health Development (CCHD) On Thursday August 19, 2010.

CCHD

Giusti C, Lee C and Wieters M* (2009). Community Development and Physical Infrastructure in Underserved Communities: A Case Study, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Crystal City, VA.

McLeroy, K. (October 27, 2009) Panelist, What's the Intervention in Community Intervention? The Technology, the Partnership, Both or More? CDC sponsored conference on Advancing the Science of Community Intervention, Chicago, Illinois.

McLeroy, K. (2010, February). Research laureate presentation on social Ecology. Presented at American Academy of Health Behavior Annual Meeting, San Augustine, Florida.

Clark, H. R. and Zaback, T. (2011, April). Evaluating community Capacity and Boarder Community Impact. PRC conference, Atlanta, GA.

Core2-Nutrition

Dean, W. and Sharkey, J. (2010, August). "We Were Healthy and Unhealthy": The Role of Tradition in the Stages of Food Choice. Presented at the American Sociological Association Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

Dean, W. and Sharkey, J. Mobile Food-Vendors Role in the Local Food Environment of South-Texas Colonias, presented at 73rd Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, August 2010, Atlanta, GA.

Dean, W. and Sharkey, J. " The Built Home Food-Environment of Rural South-Texas Colonias" presented, at 73rd Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, August 2010, Atlanta, GA.

Sharkey, J. (2011, February) "Inequities in food security among middle aged and older adults: Multicultural issues" presentation at Research Roundtable, AARP Foundation, Washington, DC.

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Sharkey, J. (2011, February). "Influence of Mobile Food Vendors on Food and Beverage Choices of Low-Income Mexican American Children in Texas Colonias" Presentation at the Health Eating Research Annual Meeting, Austin, TX.

Sharkey, J. (2011, March). Expert Panel on Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity-related Health Disparities, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity and Obesity, Atlanta, GA.

Sharkey, J.R. (2011, May). It's the context in which people experience food-related challenges and opportunities: Using multiple qualitative approaches. Presentation at 2011 Annual Meeting of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Melbourne, Australia.

Johnson, C. M., Dean, W. R., & Sharkey, J. R. (2011, June). "Lo que come uno, comen los demás. Comemos todos [what one eats, everyone else [can] eat. We all [can] eat.]" : Using participant-driven photo-elicitation to understand what it takes for a mother in South Texas to feed her family. Presented at 2011 Annual Meeting of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Melbourne, Australia.

Johnson, C. M., Sharkey, J. R., and Dean, W. R. (2011, June). A quest to understand the contextual influences on mothers' food choices using participant-driven photo-elicitation in Colonias along the Texas-Mexico border. Presented at the 2011 Annual Meeting of International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Melbourne, Australia.

Sharkey, J. R. (2011, June). Physical activity and healthy eating: Engaging rural and underserved populations. Presentation at 2011 Annual Meeting of the National Society of Physical Activity Practitioners in Public Health and Association of State & Territorial Public Health Nutrition Directors, Salt Lake City, UT.

Dean, W. R., Johnson, C. M., & Sharkey, J. R. (2011, June). Resource substitution and the management of food-related hardships in the rural Brazos Valley, Texas. Presented at 2011 Annual Meeting of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Melbourne, Australia.

Dean, W.R., Sharkey, J.R., & Johnson, C.M. (2011, June). The management of food-related hardships in Colonia households in South Texas: A participant observation study. Presented at 2011 Annual Meeting of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Melbourne, Australia.

Sharkey, J. R., Dean, W. R., & Johnson, C. M. (2011, July). Household assessment of severity of food insecurity among Mexican-origin households in colonias along the Texas-Mexico border. Presented at the 74th Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society and 43rd Annual Meeting of the Community Development Society, Boise, ID.

Sharkey, J. R., Dean, W. R., & Johnson, C. M. (2011, August). Influence of food environment on the dietary intake of Mexican-origin children in Texas border colonias. Presented at the USDA RIDGE Mid Year Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

Gustafson, A., Sharkey, J. R., Samuel-Hodge, C., & Ammerman, A. (2011, October). Food store environment modifies effect of weight loss intervention among low-income women. Presented at 29th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Obesity Society, Orlando, FL.

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Umstattd-Meyer, M. R., Salazar, C. L., Allen, S. J., & Sharkey, J. R. (2012, March). Understanding contextual barriers and supports for physical activity among Mexican-origin children in Texas border colonias. To be presented at the 9th Active Living Research Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.

Umstattd, M. R., Salazar, C. L., Patterson, M. S., & Sharkey, J. R. (2012, March). Physical activity availability, access, and transportation among Mexican-origin women in Texas border colonias. Presented at the 12th Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Academy of Health Behavior, Austin, TX.

Sharkey, J. R., Nalty, C., Dean, W., & Johnson, C. (2012). Increased risk for very low food security among Mexican-origin women born in Mexico. Presented at the 1st World Congress on Healthy Ageing, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

Sharkey, J. R. (2012, March). Manipulative dexterity and handgrip strength are associated with greatest difficulty with multiple meal preparation/consumption tasks in homebound older adults. Presented at the 1st World Congress on Healthy Ageing, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

Gustafson, A., Sharkey, J. R., & Pitts, S. B. J. (2012, May). Neighborhood deprivation and the retail food environment in Appalachia. Presented at the 2012 Annual Conference of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Austin, TX.

Umstattd-Meyer, M. R., Patterson, M., Salazar, C., & Sharkey, J. R. (2012, May). Physical activity options, locations, and transportation among Mexican-origin children in Texas border colonias. Presented at the 2012 Annual Conference of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Austin, TX.

Carson, D. E., Kubena, K. S., Goodson, P., Sharkey, J. R., & McIntosh, W. A. (2012, May). Predicting breakfast consumption of whole-grains by primarily Hispanic adolescents: An application of the Theory of Planned Behavior. Presented at the 2012 Annual Conference of the International Society for behavioral nutrition and physical activity, Austin, TX.

Dean, W. R., Sharkey, J. R., & Johnson, C. M. (2012, May). The interplay of agency, constraints, and opportunities in the management of food-related hardships among low-income rural residents of the Brazos Valley, Texas. Presented at the 2012 Annual Conference of the International Society for behavioral nutrition and physical activity, Austin, TX.

CTxCARES

Ory, M. G., Smith, M. L., Hochhalter, A. K., Wernicke, M., & Ahn, S. (2010, March). Indicators of lifetime and annual mammography screening in the Brazos Valley. Presentation at the Annual HMO Research Network Conference, Austin, TX.

Dorman, M. K., Wernicke, M. M., Ory, M. G., & Peña-Purcell, N. (2010, October). Talkin' About Better Skin (TABS): Cosmetologists: Community Embedded Health Educators. Poster session presented at the Texas Society for Public Health Education Conference, College Station, TX.

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Hong, Y., Peña-Purcell, N., Saldivar, I. M., Ory, M. G. (2010, November). "Outcomes of Online Support for Cancer Patients and Survivors: A Systematic Literature Review." Paper presented at the Texas A&M Health Science Center Research Symposium, College Station, TX.

Ory, M.G., Hoelscher, D.M., Dickerson, J.B., Nichols, D., Madsen, K.K., Dowdy, D.M., & Menendez, T. (2011, February). Addressing the rise of obesity in Texas research, public health practice, and legislative policy. Presented at Active Living Research, San Diego, CA.

Smith, M.L., Ory, M.G., McKinley, A., Ahn, S., Ribardo, J., Burdine, J.N., & Wendel, M.L. (2011, March). Using community-based participatory research to address obesity issues in the Brazos Valley, Texas. Presented at the 2011 American Academy of Health Behavior Meeting, Hilton head, SC.

Rice, C., Kirk, A., Talwar, D., Wood, R. J., & Ory, M. G. (2011, November). Implementation of an evidence-based cancer prevention and control program through Texas AgriLife Extension: Friend to Friend. Presented at the 2nd annual Conference of Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas (CPRIT), Austin, TX.

Ory, M. G., Wood, R., Talwar, D., Eugene, N., Kirk, A., & Rice, C. (2012, June). Race and ethnicity variation in commitment to mammography screening behavior among rural Texas women: Friend to Friend. Presented at the Biennial Symposium on Minorities, the Medically Underserved, and Health Equity, Houston, TX.

Disparities

Smith, M. L., & Ory, M. G. (2010, January). Introducing the center for internet-based health research advancements through active exchange. Presented at Hawaii International Conference on Education in Honolulu, HI.

Smith, M.L., Ory, M. G., Hochhalter, A. K., Stevens, A., & Ahn, S. (2010, March). Factors associated with medication adherence and emergency room visits in the Brazos Valley. Presentation at the Annual HMO Research Network Conference in Austin, TX.

Sharkey, J.R. (2010, March). Measuring Environments in Rural Settings. Presented at Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity (DNPAO) at CDC State Training, Atlanta, GA.

Forjuoh, S., Bolin, J., Ory, M., Huber, J. C., Moudouni, D., Gupta, M., & Helduser, J. (2010, April). P20 project 2 update: Implementing and evaluating chronic disease self-management models to reduce health disparities in central Texas. Poster Presentation at the 5th Annual School of Rural Public Health Research Week, College Station, TX.

Bolin, J. N., Forjuoh, S. F., Huber, J. C., Moudouni, D., Helduser, J. W., Gupta, M., & Ory, M. (2010, April). Self-management skills and racial/ethnic disparities in diabetes outcomes. Presentation at the CDC Diabetes Translation Conference 2010, Kansas City, MO.

Sharkey, J.R. (2010, June). Challenges to healthy eating in rural areas. Presented at Cardiovascular Disease Prevention in High Risk Rural Communities Workshop, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD.

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Gustafson, A.A., Sharkey, J.R., Jones-Smith, J., Folds, M.C., Samuel-Hodge, C.D., Cai, J., Ammerman, A.S. (2010, June). Perceived and objective measures of the local food store environment and the association with weight and diet among low-income women. Presented at 2010 Annual Meeting of The International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Minneapolis, MN.

Forjuoh, S. N., Bolin, J. N., Huber, C., Helduser, J., Moudouni, D. M., & Ory, M. G. (2010, June). Self-management and clinical outcomes in adults with diabetes: Are there any racial/ethnic disparities? Presentation at the 2010 Agency for Health Research Network Conference, Bethesda, MD.

Forjuoh, S. N., Lee, C., Wang, S., & Ory, M. G. (2010, June). Walking for health among overweight/obese patients: Barriers and facilitators. Presentation at the 2010 Agency for Health Research and Quality Annual Practice Based Research Network Conference, Bethesda, MD.

Hoelscher, D., & Ory, M. G. (2010, September). Texas Childhood Obesity Prevention Policy Evaluation Updates: Safe Routes to School. Legislative Briefing for Texas Obesity Awareness Week. Austin State Capitol. Austin, TX. September 2010.

Ahn, S., Tai-Seale, M., Huber, C., Smith, M. L., & Ory, M. G. (2010, November). Psychotropic Medication Discussion among Older Adults in Primary Care Office Visits. Paper presented at the 138th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition, Denver, CO.

Bolin, J. N., Forjuoh, S. N., Ory, M. G., Huber, C., Moudouni, D. M., & Gupta, M. (2010, November). Are Self-Management Factors Associated With Racial/Ethnic Disparities in HbA1c Control? Paper presented at the 138th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Denver, CO.

Smith, M. L., Herrera, A. P., Ory, M. G. (2010, November). Examining Relationships between Sexuality and Successful Aging among Hispanic/Latino Post-menopausal Women. Presentation to the 63rd Annual Meeting of Gerontological Society of America. New Orleans, LA.

Helduser, J. W., Bolin, J. N., Ory, M. G., Forjuoh, S. N., Huber, J. C., Moudouni, D. K., Gupta, M., Schimank, J. (2010, November). Factors Influencing Successful Completion of the Chronic Disease Self-Management Program. Paper presented at the 138th American Public Health Association Annual Meeting. Denver, CO.

Ahn, S., Zhao, H., Smith, M. L., & Ory, M. G. (2010, November). Longitudinal Effects of Body Mass Index on Chronic Diseases among Chinese Older Adults. Paper presented at the 138th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Denver, CO.

Ahn, S., Hochhalter, A. K., Stevens, A. B., Covin, J., Smith, M. L., & Ory, M. G. (2010, November). Resources Preparedness and Caregiving Self-Rating among Older Informal Caregivers. Paper presented at the 63rd Annual Meeting of Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.

Dickerson, J.B., Smith, M.L., McNeal, C.J., & Ory, M.G., (2011, February). Evaluating the quality of primary care processes in treating individuals with chronic diseases indicative of the metabolic syndrome. Presented at the American College of Medical Quality Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX.

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DPMP

Ory, M.G., Liles, C., Alaniz, A., Wade, A., & Gipson R. (2008, October). Building Healthy Communities for Active Aging: The Brazos Valley. Presentation to the 136th Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association. San Diego, CA.

Salazar CI, Ory MG, Fulton D, Perez AG, Wade, A. "Texas Healthy Lifestyles: An Evidence-Based Approach to Improving Health Outcomes in a Senior Population." Presentation to 137th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Philadelphia PA. November 2009.

Smith ML, Wade A, Mounce C, Prochaska, JD, Larsen RA, and Ory MG. "Characteristics and Benefits for Older Women in an Evidence-based Falls Prevention Program." Presentation to 137th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Philadelphia PA. November 2009.

Smith ML Ory MG, Wade A, Mounce C, Larsen RA, and Prochaska JD. "Successful Evidence-based Programming for Older Racial and Ethnic Minority Participants: Implications for Program Implementation and Dissemination." Poster to be presented at the 137th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Philadelphia PA. November 2009.

Smith ML, Wade A, Mounce C, Prochaska JD, Larsen RA, Horel S, Ory MG. "Successful Evidence-based Programming for Older Rural Participants: Geographic Variations." Presentation to 137th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Philadelphia PA. November 2009.

Parrish R, Rogers G, Billa D, Van Ryswyk D, and Ory MG. "Texas Falls Prevention Coalition: Mobilizing Falls-Prevention through the Area Agencies on Aging." Presentation to 137th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Philadelphia PA. November 2009.

Smith ML, Ory MG, Wade A, Mounce C, Larsen RA. "Factors Influencing Outcomes of an Evidence-based Falls Prevention Program for Texas Seniors." Presentation at the 62nd Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Atlanta GA. November 2009.

Smith, M. L., Ory, M. G., & Quinn, C. (2010, February). Evidence-based fall prevention programs in Texas: A matter of balance. Presented at the Texas EMS Trauma and Acute Care Foundation, Austin, TX.

Smith, M.L., Ory, M. G., & Parrish, R. (2010, March). Impact of falls in Texas and a matter of balance: Evidence-based programming to promote healthy aging. Presentation at the 2010 Annual Conference of the National Council on Aging and the American Society on Aging, Chicago, IL.

Ory, M. G., Belza, B., Altpeter, M., & Smith, M. L. (2010, March). Using re-AIM for the implementation of evidence-based disease prevention programs: Showcasing a matter of balance/volunteer lay leader in Texas. Presentation at the 2010 Annual Conference of the National Council on Aging and the American Society on Aging, Chicago, IL.

Smith, M. L., Ory, M. G., Resnick, B., Ahn, S., & Bazzarre, T. (2010, May). Utility of the EASY tool screening for evidence-based intervention enrollment: Assessment of program completion and outcomes among older adults in Texas. Presentation to the 22nd REVES Annual Conference, Havana, Cuba.

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Ory, M. G. (2010, May). Evidence-based health promotion programming for seniors: The United States experience. Presentation at the Gertner Institute for Public Health and Policy, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Herrera, P., Smith, M. L., Ory, M. G., & Thompson, W. (2010, June). The influences of psychological distress and disability on diabetes preventive screening practices among older Latinos. Presentation at the 2010 Critical Research Issues in Latino Mental Health Conference, New Brunswick, NJ.

Ory, M. G. (2010, September). From Assessment to Action: Promoting Chronic Disease Self Management Programs in the Brazos Valley. Presentation to Brazos Valley Health Summit. Bryan, TX. September 2010.

Dickerson, J.B., Smith, M.L., Sosa, E.T., Ory, M.G., & McKyer, E.L. (2011, February). Taking responsibility for discussing family health history with your physician: Perspectives of college women associated with individuals diagnosed with heart disease. Presented at the American College of Medical Quality Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX.

Falls

Ory, Marcia & Smith, Matthew. Implementation and delivery of an evidence-based fall prevention program for older adults in Texas. Content Expert. Fall Prevention Awareness Week Press Release with Representative Patrick M. rose, Austin, TX. (2010, September).

Sabemos

St. John, J.A., Clark, H.R., Stephenson, M.T., Johns, M., Berkowitz, J., Wendel, M.L., Burdine, J.N., and Wilson, A. Implementing and evaluating Sabemos in two Texas colonias: Examining interpersonal and media influences on parenting tobacco-free Hispanic /Latino youth. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, November 2009.

Standing Desk

Wendel, M. L., Benden, M. E., Blake, J. J., & Jones, P. (2010, November). Modifying classroom environments to reduce childhood obesity: Implications for practice and policy. Paper presented at 138th Annual American Public Health Association Meeting, Denver, CO.

Benden, M.E., Wendel, M.L., & Smith, M.L. (2011, January). Modifying classroom environments to reduce health risk among elementary students. Poster session presented at the Annual International Conference on the Health Risks of Youth, Cancun, Mexico.

TCOPPE

Hoelscher, D., Ory, M., Dowdy, D., & Madsen, K. (2010, April). Improving evidence-based practice in obesity prevention: An update on the Texas childhood obesity prevention policy evaluation project. Presentation at the 2010 Uniting Against Childhood Obesity Conference, Houston, TX.

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TxHAN

Ory MG. "Self-Management Strategies: Preventing and Managing Chronic Illnesses in Aging Populations." Presentation to the Regional Institute on Aging Conference on Aging on the Plains. Wichita State University. Wichita KS, September 2008.

Wang Z* and Lee C (2009). Site and Neighborhood Environments Associated with Older Adults' Walking, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Crystal City, VA.

Lee, C. (2009). Active Living Environments. Presentation at Healthcare Design, Orlando, FL.

Sharkey, J.R. Poor Access and Availability of Healthy Foods to Rural Adults presented at 19th International Congress of Nutrition, October 2009, Bangkok, Thailand.

Sharkey, J.R. (2009, October). Challenge to nutrition security among diverse and vulnerable populations in the U.S. and Canada: Access and availability to healthier foods in a changing food environment. Presented at the 19th International Congress of Nutrition, Bangkok, Thailand.

Ory MG, Wade A, Smith M, Mounce C, Larsen RA, Parrish R. "Falls Prevention as a Pathway to Successful Aging: Statewide Implementation and Dissemination of an Evidence-based Program." Presentation to 137th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Philadelphia PA. November 2009.

Rodiek, S. "Multimedia Educational Tool to Improve Outdoor Access in Long Term Care." Individual paper presented at the annual conference of the Gerontological Society of America, November 21, 2009, Atlanta, GA.

Griesenbeck JS, Brender JD, Sharkey JR, Steck MD, Huber JC, Rene AA, McDonald TJ, Romitti PA, Canfield M, Langlois P, Suarez L, and the National Birth Defects Prevention Study.

Sharkey, J.R. (2010, March). Nutritional challenges faced by seniors living in rural areas: The role of the food environment and neighborhood characteristics. Webinar conducted for the Society for Nutrition Education, Healthy Aging Division.

Rodiek, S. (2010, March). Access to Nature – An affordable way to upgrade quality of life. Two-hour preconference workshop presented at Environments for Aging annual conference, San Diego, CA.

Ory, M. G. (2010, April). Influencing practice and policy through a collaborative research network: The administration on aging evidence-based prevention initiative. Presentation to the Annual Meeting of the Society for Public Health Education, Atlanta, GA.

Ory, M. G. (2010, August). Healthy Communities in the USA. Plenary speaker at the International Symposium of the Healthy City, Gumi, South Korea.

Ory, M. G. (2010, August). Public Health Research: Health Promotion Activities for Increasing Physical Activity. Presentation to the Korean Centers for Disease Control, Seoul, South Korea.

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Ory, M.G. “Promoting Healthy Aging through Evidence-Based Programs and Policies.” Plenary Speaker at the Texas Society for Public Health Education Conference. College Station TX. October 2010.

Salazar, C., Smith, M. L., Perez, A. G., Ahn, S., Wilson, A., & Ory, M. G. (2010, November). An evidence-based chronic disease program for seniors in San Antonio, Texas: Geospacial characteristics of program participation and outcomes. Presentation at the 63rd Annual Meeting of Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.

Mier, N., Wang, X., Smith, M. L., Villarreal, E. K., Alen, M., Trevino, L., Ory, M. G. (2010, November) “Correlates of Healthcare Utilization among Border Mexican American Seniors with Diabetes.” Presentation to the 63rd Annual Meeting of Gerontological S Society of America, New Orleans, LA.

Ory, M. G., Ahn, S., Smith, M. L., Herrera, A. P. (2010, November) Volunteering as a Major Component of Aging Well: Examining Minority Participation. Presentation to the 138th APHA Annual Meeting and Exposition. Denver, CO. November 2010.

Ory, M.G., Belza, B., Altpeter, M., Smith, M.L., & Rafal, A. (2011, April). National dissemination and enrollment in evidence-based programs for seniors. Presented at the Aging in America Annual Conference (National Council on Aging and American Society on Aging), San Francisco, CA.

Sharkey, J.R. (2011, April). Manual Activities of Meal Preparation and Consumption Play a Significant Role in Musculoskeletal Nutrient Intake among Homebound Older Adults, presented at Experimental Biology 2011, Washington, DC. April 9-13.

Ahn, S., Smith, M.L., & Ory, M. G.(2011, April). Does mental health mediate spiritual and physical health among older adults? Presented at the Aging In America Annual Conference (National Council on Aging and American Society on Aging), San Francisco, CA.

Ahn, S., Smith, M.L., & Ory, M. (2011, April). Physician communication of body weight, healthy diets, and physical activity with overweight or obese older adults. Presented at the 32nd Annual Meeting of the Society for Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

Dean, W. R., Sharkey, J. R., & Johnson, C. M. (2011, July). Food insecurity and collective social functioning among older adults and seniors in a largely rural Texas region. Presented at the 74th Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society and 43rd Annual Meeting of Community Development Society, Boise, ID.

Sharkey, J. R. (2011, October). Nutrition screening at discharge and in the community. Presented at the Institute of Medicine Workshop Nutrition & Healthy Aging in the Community, Washington, D.C.

Ory, M. G., & Mier, N. (2011, October). Conceptual frameworks and approaches to translational science: Bringing research to practice communities. Presented at the Pan American Health Organization and the Healthy Aging Network University Consortium on Public Health & Aging Meeting, Mexico City, Mexico.

Ory, M. G. (2011, November). Managing life's transitions: Evidence-based practices for healthy aging. Presented to the Texas Department of State Health Services Grand Rounds, Austin, TX.

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Sharkey, J. R., Nalty, C., Dean, W., & Johnson, C. (2012). Increased risk for very low food security among Mexican-origin women born in Mexico. Presented at the 1st World Congress on Healthy Ageing, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

Sharkey, J. R. (2012, April). Nutritional challenges to healthy aging among Mexican-origin seniors in Texas border. Presented at the SOPHE Midyear Scientific Conference, Nashville, TN.

Hunter, R., Goins, R. T., Hughes, S., & Sharkey, J. R. (2012, April). Aging in diverse communities: Lessons from the CDC-Healthy Aging Research Network. Presented at the SOPHE Midyear Scientific Conference, Nashville, TN.

Sharkey, J. R. (2012, April). Manipulative dexterity and handgrip strength are associated with greatest difficulty with multiple meal preparation/consumption tasks. Presented at Experimental Biology 2012, San Diego, CA.

Sharkey, J. R., & Dean, W. R. (2012, April). Nutritional challenges to healthy aging in rural and underserved areas. Presented at the SOPHE Midyear Scientific Conference, Nashville, TN.

Sharkey, J. R. (2012, May). Nutrition, aging & health outcomes in diverse communities. Presented at the Healthy Aging & the Environment: The Importance of Place, 5th annual UAB/AARP Aging Policy Conference, Birmingham, AL.

TxNOPRN

Sharkey, J. R., Johnson, C., & Dean, W. (2011, October). Point-of-decision guidance in small stores in rural and colonia areas. Presented at the 139th Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Washington, D.C.

Sharkey, J. R., Nalty, C., Johnson, C. M., & Dean, W. R. (2011, November). Children's experience of very low food security is associated with increased dietary intakes in energy, fat, and added sugar among Mexican-origin children (6-11 y) in Texas border.

Sharkey, J. R., Nalty, C., Johnson, C. M., & Dean, W. R. (2011, November). Children's experience of very low food security is associated with increased dietary intakes in energy, fat, and added sugar among Mexican-origin children (6-11y) in Texas border Colonias. Presented at The International Symposium and The Western Pacific Regional Conference on Health Research and Development to Address Health Inequity, Bali, Indonesia, November 2011.

Sharkey, J. R., Nalty, C., Dean, W. R., & Johnson, C. M. (2012, April). Children's very low food security is associated with increased dietary intakes in energy, fat, and added sugar among Mexican-origin children (6-11y) in Texas border colonias. Presented at Experimental Biology 2012, San Diego, CA.

Sharkey, J. R. (2012, May). Addressing inequalities in in-store marketing of healthier food and beverages; Focus on existing small stores. Presented at the Weight of the Nation Conference, Washington, D.C.

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Umstattd-Meyer, M. R., Patterson, M., Salazar, C., & Sharkey, J. R. (2012, May). Physical activity options, locations, and transportation among Mexican-origin children in Texas border colonias. Presented at the 2012 Annual Conference of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Austin, TX.

Carson, D. E., Kubena, K. S., Goodson, P., Sharkey, J. R., & McIntosh, W. A. (2012, May). Predicting breakfast consumption of whole-grans by primarily Hispanic adolescents. An application of the Theory of Planned Behavior. Presented at the 2012 Annual Conference of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Austin, TX.

Sharkey, J. R. & Dean, W. R. (2012, May). Spatial utilization of the food environment associated with consumption of fruits and vegetables among Mexican-origin women in Texas border colonias. Presented at the 2012 Annual Conference of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Austin, TX.

Dean, W. R., Sharkey, J. R., & Johnson, C. M. (2012, May). The interplay of agency, constraints, and opportunities in the management of food-related hardships among low-income rural residents of the Brazos Valley, Texas. Presented at the 2012 Annual Conference of the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Austin, TX.

USDA

Curry, G., Sharkey, J. R., & Dean, W. R. (2010, April). An apple a day? Factors associated with fruit and vegetable intake among African Americans in rural Texas. Presented at Experimental Biology 2010, Anaheim, CA.