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- Health Care Team Competition Committee (1998-2001)
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 - The neurology working group
 - The epidemiology/evidence medicine working group
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COMMITTEES OF UT SPH

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COMMUNITY COMMITTEES

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10. Risser WL and **Risser JMH**. Nutritional behavior of high school athletes. Presented at the Southern Society for Pediatric Research, New Orleans, LA, January, 1992. *Clinical Research* 1992;39:819A.
9. Schober W, Thompson J, Lewis D and **Risser J**. Fluorescent intensity in immunophenotyping. Presented at the Clinical Applications of Cytometry, 6th Annual Meeting, Charleston, SC, September, 1991. Published in the meeting program.
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7. **Risser JMH** and Risser WL. Relationship of calculated absorbable iron intake to iron status in female intercollegiate athletes. Presented at the American Dietetic Association, Annual Meeting, October, 1990. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association* 1990;90:A-131.
6. Risser W and **Risser J**. Bone Density in Young Athletes. Presented at the Texas Pediatric Society Annual Meeting, 1990. Published in the meeting program.
5. Risser W and **Risser J**. Weight Training Injuries in Adolescent Athletes. Presented at the Texas Pediatric Society Annual Meeting, 1989. Published in the meeting program.

4. Risser W and **Risser J**. Bone density in eumenorrheic college athletes. Presented at the Ambulatory Pediatric Society Annual Meeting, 1989. Published in the meeting program.
3. Risser W, **Risser J**, and Preston D. Strength training injuries in adolescents. Presented at the North American Society for Primary Care, Research Annual Meeting, 1989. Published in the meeting program.
2. Risser W, Lee E, Poindexter H, West M and **Risser J**. Iron deficiency in female athletes: its prevalence and impact on performance. Presented at the Society for Adolescent Medicine Annual Meeting, 1987. Published in the meeting program.
1. Lewis D, Thompson J, **Risser J**, and Schober W. CD4 and CD16/56 expression is reduced and CD8 activation antigen expression is increased in asymptomatic HIV-infected people. Presented at the 9th Texas Immunology Conference, Galveston, TX, November, 1991. Published in the meeting program.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS:

Epidemiology of Chlamydia, Gonorrhea, and PID.

Presented to the Department of Health Promotion and Epidemiology. University of Florida, Gainesville. March, 2003.

Health Assessment of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Presented to the Lower Rio Grande Valley Public Health Community Assessment Group. June 8, 2000.

Epidemiology of sexually transmitted diseases: Houston, Texas, 1991-1998. What the practitioner should know. Harris County Health Department. September 8, 1999.

Introduction to Observational Studies. Clinical Medicine Mentorship Program, University of Texas School of Medicine, Fall 1999.

Epidemiology of Syphilis in the waning years of an epidemic: Houston, Texas, 1991-1997. Presented to the City of Houston Department of Health and Human Services Division of Sexually Transmitted Diseases Surveillance Bureau-wide quarterly Meeting, June, 1998.

Epidemiology of Syphilis in Houston, Texas, 1991-1995. Syphilis in Houston, a joint project with: Centers for Disease Control, City of Houston Department of Health and Human Services and Over the Hill, presented to the City of Houston Department of Health and Human Services Division of Sexually Transmitted Diseases Surveillance Bureau-wide quarterly Meeting, October 9, 1996.

The association between dietary salicylates and cancer mortality: Let them eat Doritos. MD Anderson Cancer Center, Division of Epidemiology, October 4, 1996.

HIV and Wasting. Tufts University School of Medicine, Department of Community Health and Medicine, September, 1995.

Courses

2006

Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology – web-based online course.

1. Spring, 2006.
2. Summer, 2006.

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology UT SPH

1. Fall 2006

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology Lab UT SPH

1. Fall 2006

2005

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

1. Fall 2005

Course Director: Laboratory in Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

2. Fall 2005

2004

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

1. Fall 2004

Course Director: Laboratory in Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

2. Fall 2004

2003

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

1. Fall 2003

Course Director: Laboratory in Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

2. Fall 2003

2002

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

1. Fall 2002

Course Director: Advanced Methods in Epidemiology II, UT SPH

2. Spring 2002

2001

Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology – Blue-book elective. UT Med School

1. Fall 2001

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

2. Fall 2001
3. Spring 2001

Co-Course Director: Epidemiology and control of Infectious Diseases

4. Spring 2001

Facilitator, Problem Based Medicine, UT Med School

5. Fall 2001

2000

Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

1. San Antonio, Summer 2000

2. Brownsville, Fall 2000

3. Distance Education, Fall 2000

Course Director: Introduction to Clinical Epidemiology, Clinical Research Curriculum Award.

UT Medical School.

4. Spring, 2000

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

5. Fall 2000

Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology – Blue-book elective, UT Med School

6. Fall 2000

Facilitator: Problem Based Medicine, UT Med School

7. Fall 2000

Facilitator and lecturer: Clinical Epidemiology, *Evidence-Based Medicine and Critical Appraisal* (4th year medical students), UT Med School

8. Spring 2000

1999

Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology – Blue-book elective, UT Med School

1. Spring 1999

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

2. Fall 1999

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology – Distance Education, UT SPH

3. Fall 1999

Facilitator: Problem Based Medicine, UT Med School

4. Fall 1999

5. Spring 1999

Facilitator and lecturer: Clinical Epidemiology, *Evidence-Based Medicine and Critical Appraisal* (4th year medical students), UT Med School

6. Spring 1999

1998

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology, UT SPH

1. Fall 1998

Co-Course Director: Introduction to Epidemiology - Distance Education, UT SPH

2. Fall 1998

Facilitator: Problem Based Medicine, UT Med School

3. Fall 1998

4. Spring 1998

Facilitator and lecturer: Clinical Epidemiology, *Evidence-Based Medicine and Critical Appraisal* (4th year medical students), UT Med School

5. Spring 1998

Invited Lecturer, *Introduction to Epidemiology*, presented to Baylor College of Medicine, Department of Medicine, Medicine Fellows Spring course in research design, 1995.
Co-Instructor, Baylor College of Medicine, *Clinical Epidemiology* for Endocrinology Fellows. Spring 1995.

Co-Instructor, *Introduction to Statistics*, Veterans Affairs Medical Center Department of Physical Medicine, Spring 1995.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Texas School of Public Health, Department of Biometry, Fall and Spring, 1992-93 and 1993-94. *Statistical Methods in Epidemiology*.

STUDENTS:

Advising: I am currently the advisor to 9 students (7 MPH, 1 PhD, 1 DrPH).

I am on an additional 16 committees.

I have advised (either as advisor or committee member) 35 students who have graduated with an MPH or MS, and 15 students who have graduated with DrPH or PhD.

Grants and Contracts:

SUBMITTED IN 2005-2006.

WAR: young Minority Women at Risk of HIV

Agency: ORA PSI and CFAR: prevention/behavioral supplement announcement

Period: 9/30/2006 – 9/29/2007

My Role: PI

Total Award: \$ 172,248 – NOT FUNDED

This pilot study is designed to examine the association between social, economic, cultural, and contextual factors and HIV/AIDS risk behaviors comparing African American and Hispanic women from Houston/Harris County Texas, and Birmingham/Jefferson County Alabama.

Qualitative pilot study of sexual partnerships

Agency: CFAR

Period: 9/30/2006 – 9/29/2007

My Role: PI

Total Award: \$ 23,430 – NOT FUNDED

We propose an in-depth qualitative pilot study of sexual partnerships among African American women who live in geographic areas of Houston with high seroprevalence of HIV/AIDS. This

study will describe the association between having concurrent partners and risky sexual behaviors.

Research to evaluate an effective community-level intervention adapted for black men who have sex with men

Agency: CDC

Period: 9/01/2006 – 8/31/2010

My Role: PI of subcontract from UCSF

Total Award of subcontract: \$ 399,473 - FUNDED

We will be the subcontract to a larger proposal submitted by Susan Kegeles from the University of California Center for Aids Prevention Studies. This will be a community-level HIV prevention intervention that involves community-building and community mobilization of young black men who have sex with men. Houston will be the control site, Atlanta the intervention site.

HCHS – Hispanic Community Health Study Coordinating Center

Agency: NHLBI

Period: 9/1/2006 – 8/31/2014

My Role: Co-investigator (PI: Barry Davis)

Total Award: ~\$ 34 million. – NOT FUNDED

This study is designed to describe the prevalence of risk factors for chronic diseases among Hispanic populations that are majority Mexican American, Puerto Rican, Cuban, and Central and South American. This is a multi-site, 8 year, population-based cohort study.

SSRF – Social and Sexual Risk Factors for HIV among Black Women in Houston Texas

Agency: CDC

Period: 09/01/05 – 08/31/09

My Role: PI (30%)

Total Award: \$290,917 – Approved, NOT FUNDED

This study is designed to investigate the epidemiology of sexual risk behaviors among black women in Houston, Texas, and to describe the influence of social norms and pressures.

CURRENT:

National HIV Behavioral Surveillance, HET (High Risk Heterosexuals)

Agency: CDC Cooperative agreement through City of Houston Contract

Period: 01/01/05 – 12/31/06

My Role: Principal Investigator (20%)

Total Award: \$176,000.

The goal of this contract is to pilot a respondent driven sampling method among high risk heterosexual minority men and women to determine the feasibility of using this methodology in a larger study of HIV risk behaviors in minority populations. Information from the study will be used in 2009 for a national behavioral surveillance project among high risk heterosexuals.

National HIV Behavioral Surveillance Partners Study

Agency: CDC Cooperative agreement through City of Houston Contract
Period: 07/01/06 – 10/31/06
My Role: Principal Investigator (20%)
Total Award: \$60,000.

The goal of this contract is to determine the risk factors of male partners of minority women living in areas of high risk for HIV and other sexually transmitted infections. 100 male partners of females recruited through the NHBS – HET study will be recruited and interviewed. The risk profiles of the males will be compared to the partner risk profiles provided by the females.

Baylor-UT Houston Center for AIDS Research / Core Group. Behavioral Science Core.

Agency: Contract through Baylor College of Medicine.
Period: 08/01/05 – 07/31/10
My Role: Co-Investigator (10%) (PI: Richard Grimes)
Total Award (all years, direct and indirect): \$57,516.

This contract serves to establish the Behavioral Science Core of the Houston Center for AIDS Research. This core will provide research design expertise to other member of the HCAR.

Previous

Positive Choices Research Project

Agency: National Institute of Health (RO1-DA14485-01A2)
Period: 06/01/03 – 05/31/06 (grant period)
11/01/03 – 05/31/06 (my involvement)
My Role: Co-Investigator (10%) (PI: Mark Williams)
Total Award (all years, direct and indirect): \$495,853

The purpose of the Positive Choices Research Project is to evaluate the efficacy of a risk reduction protocol designed to reduce the sexual transmission of HIV by crack cocaine smokers receiving medical treatment for HIV disease.

A Test of Peer Delivered Self-Efficacy Intervention

Agency: National Institute on Drug Abuse R01-DA014519-03)
Period: 07/01/01 – 06/30/06 (grant period)
11/01/03 – 06/30/06 (my involvement)
My Role: Co-Investigator (10%) (PI: Mark Williams)
Total Award (all years, direct and indirect): \$784,024

This is an investigation of the efficacy of peer outreach as an HIV risk reduction intervention. The unique aspect of this cohort study is that it is investigating the effects of outreach on individual level psychosocial precursors to risk reduction behavior.

Social Network Characteristics of a Highly Active HIV/AIDS Core Group

Agency: National Institute of Health (RO1-DA015025-02)
Period: 09/27/02 – 06/30/06 (grant period)
11/01/03 – 06/30/06 (my involvement)

My Role: Co-Investigator (10%) (PI: Mark Williams)

Total Award (all years, direct and indirect): \$425,578

The principal aims of this study are to examine drug abuse in male prostitutes, properties of their drug use, sexual and social networks, and the extent to which these are associated with the emergence and re-emergence of disease in previously unaffected populations.

Non-gay identifying men who have sex with men.

Agency: ASPH

Period: 10/01/03 – 09/30/05

My Role: Co-Investigator (10%)

Total Award (all years, direct and indirect): \$125,550.

This study aims to describe how non-gay identifying men find sexual partners through the internet.

National HIV Behavioral Surveillance, (MSM & Injection Drug Users)

Agency: CDC Cooperative agreement through City of Houston Contract

Period: 01/01/03 – 12/31/05

My Role: Principal Investigator (20%)

Total Award (all years, direct and indirect): \$321,755.

This is a multi-year study, involving several sub-projects. The goal of this grant is to use respondent driven sampling to enroll and survey injection drug users into the National HIV Behavioral Surveillance project. Information from this study will be used to evaluate HIV prevention programs targeted at injection drug users, and to inform HIV prevention programs.

RDS IDU Pilot project (Respondent Driven Sampling – Injection Drug Users)

Period: 08/01/04 – 12/31/04

The goal of this grant is to pilot a respondent driven sampling method among injection drug users to determine the feasibility of using this methodology in a larger study of HIV risk behaviors in injection drug users. Information from the study will be used in 2005 for a national behavioral surveillance project among IDUs.

Behavioral Surveillance in the MSM population

Project HEAL: HIV Education for All Lifestyles

Period: 10/01/02 – 12/31/04

This project involves establishing a surveillance procedure and conducting a behavioral surveillance survey among the men who have sex with men population to determine current high-risk sexual behaviors. This is an ongoing behavioral surveillance project as part of the CDC surveillance of high-risk sexual behaviors.

Epidemiologic Needs Assessment – Texas Department of Health

Agency: CDC Bioterrorism through TDH

Period: 03/01/2004 – 08/31/2004

My Role: Principal Investigator (25%)

This study is designed to survey the epidemiology training needs of individuals in local health departments who would be responsible for responding to a bioterrorism event.

BASIC (Brain Attack Surveillance in Corpus Christi)

Agency: NINDS

R01 (renewal)

Period: 07/01/2004 – 12/31/2004

My Role: Co-Investigator (25%) (PI: Lewis Morgenstern)

This is a renewal for the BASIC project, a rigorous stroke surveillance project in the biethnic community of Corpus Christi, Texas. This project will determine incidence, recurrence, and stroke rates for Mexican Americans and non-Hispanic Whites in a population based study. The project will investigate stroke risk factors and access to care variables in this biethnic community. In addition, social aspects to post-stroke morbidity will be investigated, including depression, religiosity, spirituality, social support.

Formative Research to Develop Behavioral Surveillance for STD Transmission Among High Risk Heterosexual Populations

Agency: CDC grant through Texas Department of Health

Period: 09/01/02 – 11/30/03

My Role: Co-Investigator (5%) (PI: Michael Ross)

The goal of this grant focuses on enhancing capacity to use behavioral, social and environmental information for all decision-making during the various stages of the STD prevention planning process.

End Organ Injury in Hypertensive Children

Agency: NHLBI

K23 HL04217-02

Period: 4/1/01 – 3/31/06

My Role: Co-Investigator (7% time) (PI: Jonathan Sorof)

This is an intensive screening project with referral for complete work-up for end organ damage among those found to be hypertensive after three screenings.

Behavioral Surveillance of the HIV infected and the Transgender Population

Agency: CDC grant through City of Houston

Period: 10/1/02 – 2/10/03

My role: Principal Investigator

This was a rapid assessment of the HIV infected and the Transgender populations, designed to gather current high risk sexual behavior in these populations at increased risk of spreading HIV or getting HIV.

Estimate of Pool of Eligible Blood Donors

Agency: Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center
Contract

Period: 1/01 – 7/01

My Role: Principal Investigator

This study involved using extant data, including NHANCE, NHIF, BRFSS and published literature, to estimate the proportion of the population eligible to donate blood in the 21 county

area of the sponsoring agency.

Social Determinants and Health

Agency: State of Texas
Period: Fall 2000 – Fall 2001
My role: Co-Investigator (17% time) (PI: Luisa Franzini)

This community survey examined the importance of social determinants (trust, spirituality, social cohesion, acculturation, fatalism) in four communities: immigrant Hispanic, stable Hispanic, low-income White and Black.

Community Health Assessment of the Lower Rio Grande Valley State of Texas

Agency: State of Texas
Period: 1/1/2000 – 6/30/2001
My role: Co-Investigator (25% time) (PI: Jimmy Perkins)

This community survey and evaluation of existing data was designed to describe the health of the Lower Rio Grande Valley, and to assess the health care needs of that area. Community surveys, focus groups, and discussion with community leaders identified health-care needs. I evaluated morbidity and mortality data to describe changes in health status over time.

STD Surveillance, Houston/Harris County, 1991-2000

Agency: Houston Department of Health and Human Services
Period: 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001.

Epidemiology analysis of sexually transmitted diseases (syphilis, chlamydia, gonorrhea, and HIV/AIDS) in Houston/Harris County, Texas, from 1991-2000.

Each year I am responsible for developing an epidemiologic profile of chlamydia, gonorrhea, syphilis, and HIV/AIDS for the City of Houston, and Harris County, using reported morbidity data from the Houston Department of Health and Human Services

Prevention Counseling and Partner Elicitation (PCPE)

Agency: Houston Department of Health and Human Services
Period: 1999, Extended 2000, 2001

This project involved providing health information, pretest and post test counseling and HIV prevention information to youths seeking care at a mobile outreach health van. Estimate of Pool of Eligible Blood Donors

Evaluation of the Medical Services, Children's Assessment Center

Agency: Children's Assessment Center.
Period: 4/17/98 – 9/17/98.
My Role: PI (20% time)

Evaluation of medical needs among homeless youth

Agency: St. Luke's Episcopal Charities (Will Risser, PI)
Period: 1/1/98 – 12/31/98
My Role: Co-Investigator (25% time)

Innovations in Syphilis Prevention

Agency: CDC Cooperative Agreement

Period: 01/01/1996-08/31/2000

My Role: Co-Investigator (25% time)