

Center for Mental Health Services Research

Brown School

Dear Colleagues,

We hope this email finds you well and that your summer is off to an excellent start!

At CMHSR, we are gearing up for a busy summer. We look forward to hosting the Implementation Research Institute fellows and faculty in St. Louis in mid-June for an intense four days of training and networking related to implementation science in behavioral health. We are particularly excited to welcome a new cohort of fellows. We are also engaging in efforts to build capacity for implementation science and health services research internationally, including through our participation in the Basque Implementation Research Scientific Conference, UK Implementation Science Masterclass, and the 6th UK and Ireland Implementation Science Research Conference 2023. We look forward to these opportunities for scholarly exchange and collaboration and will share more when we return in the fall.

Please see below for updates on our seminar series, grants and awards, recent publications, recent and upcoming presentations, workshops and conferences, and what we are reading. This will be our last newsletter of the academic year. We hope that you all have a wonderful summer and hope that we will have a chance to connect in the coming months. We will look forward to resuming our monthly newsletter in September. Take good care!

Best. Leopoldo J. Cabassa and Byron J. Powell

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CMHSR News

CMHSR Seminar

Our CMHSR seminars are over for this semester but be on the lookout for our line-up for Fall, 2023. To watch past recordings from our monthly CMHSR seminar series, find our YouTube channel here.

Grants and Awards

Byron Powell was recently named Co-Editor-in-Chief of Implementation Research and Practice, which is "an international, peer-reviewed, open access, online-only journal providing rapid publication of interdisciplinary research that advances the implementation in diverse contexts of effective approaches to assess, prevent, and treat mental health, substance use, or other addictive behaviors, in the general population or among those at-risk or suffering from these disorders." The

journal is published by Sage in partnership with the <u>Society for Implementation Research</u> <u>Collaboration</u>. Please consider submitting your best work to Implementation Research and Practice!

Gretchen Buchanan was selected to participate in the Society for Prevention Research's Early Career Prevention Scientist Training and Mentoring Program, a two-year mentorship program with leaders in the field of prevention science including grant-writing and conference attendance support.

Recent Publications by CMHSR Faculty and Fellows

Adams, D. R. (2023). Availability and Accessibility of Mental Health Services for Youth: A Descriptive Survey of Safety-Net Health Centers During the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Community Mental Health Journal*.

https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s10597-023-01127-9

Buchanan, G. J. R., Sullivan, E., Berkel, C., Breitenstein, S., Feinberg, E., Valado, T., Willis, D. (2023). Implementing parenting programs in primary care: A framework and a call for action. *Academic Pediatrics*.

https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S1876285923001419

Lengnick Hall, R., Willging, C. E., Aarons, G. A. & Reeder, K. (2023) Site-Level Evidence-Based Practice Accreditation: A Qualitative Exploration Using Institutional Theory. *Human Service Organizations: Management, Leadership & Governance* https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/23303131.2023.2194940

McGuier, E. A., Aarons, G. A., Wright, J., Fortney, J. C., **Powell, B. J.**, Rothenberger, S. D., Weingart, L. R., Miller, E., & Kolko, D. J. (2023). Team-focused implementation strategies to improve implementation of mental health screening and referral in rural Children's Advocacy Centers: Study protocol for a pilot cluster randomized hybrid type 2 trial. *Implementation Science Communications*, *4*(58), 1-14. https://implementationsciencecomms.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/s43058-023-00437-z

Salvo, D., Resendiz, E., Stefancic, A., & **Cabassa, L. J.** (2023). Examining Place-Based Neighborhood Factors in a Multisite Peer-Led Healthy Lifestyle Effectiveness Trial for People with Serious Mental Illness. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 20(9), 5679. https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph20095679

Yakovchenko, V., Chinman, M., Lamorte, C., **Powell, B. J.**, Waltz, T. J., Merante, M., Gibson, S., Neely, B., Morgan, T. R., & Rogal, S. S. (2023). Refining Expert Recommendations for Implementing Change (ERIC) strategy surveys using cognitive interviews with frontline providers. *Implementation Science Communications*, 4(42), 1-14.

https://implementationsciencecomms.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/s43058-023-00409-3

Recent and Upcoming Presentations

Cabassa, L. J. (25 de Abril). Introducción a la Ciencia de Implementación: Principios, Diseños y Prácticas. Universidad de Valparaíso, Chile.

Cabassa, L. J., Bello, I, Alvarado, R. & Burrone, M. S. (26 de Abril). Desafios para la Salud Mental Comunitaria en Latinoamerica: Aportes del Proyecto OnTrack Chile. Instituto de Ciencias de Salud. Universidad de O'Higgins, Rancagua, Chile.

On May 3, **Gretchen Buchanan** presented *Practice-Based Implementation Strategies for Integrating Behavioral Health in Primary Care: Preliminary Results from a Pilot Study* To watch, click the following link: <u>CMHSR Seminar | Gretchen Buchanan</u>

Workshops and Conferences

Basque Implementation Research Scientific Conference

Join us at the Implementation Research Scientific Conference which will be held in Bilbao in 2023.

This conference comes at a crucial juncture in which it is essential to think about how Implementation Science and practice may work together in order to facilitate the translation of evidence-based interventions into routine clinical practice aiming to increase their reach, adoption, implementation and maintenance. https://www.basqueimplementationresearch.com/

Implementation Science Masterclass 2023

The Implementation Science Masterclass 2023 is for health and social care professionals, researchers, patients and service users who want to make sure health and social care services routinely offer treatment and care that is based on the most recent research evidence. https://arc-sl.nihr.ac.uk/events-training/events-training/implementation-science-masterclass-2023

6th UK and Ireland Implementation Science Research Conference 2023

This year NIHR ARC South London will be co-hosting the annual implementation science research conference as a hybrid event with the University of Limerick. Participants will be able to join the conference either online or in person at the University of Limerick in Ireland. https://arc-sl.nihr.ac.uk/events-training/events-training/6th-uk-and-ireland-implementation-science-research-conference-2023

TIDIRH Australia 2023

TIDIRH (Training Institute for Dissemination and Implementation Research in Health) Australia is a training course in implementation science run by the National Centre of Implementation Science (NCOIS), developed in collaboration with the successful U.S based TIDIRH.

This training will equip participants with knowledge and skills to undertake high-quality dissemination and implementation (D&I) research relevant to their field. https://ncois.org.au/training/

During her stay as a visiting scholar at the University of South Australia, Adelaide AUS during February 2023, **Enola Proctor** led a masterclass titled "Establishing and undertaking evaluations in the Health System".

What We Are Reading

Purtle, J., Wynecoop, M., Crane, M. E., & Stadnick, N. A. (2023). Earmarked Taxes for Mental Health Services in the United States: A Local and State Legal Mapping Study. The Milbank Quarterly.

https://europepmc.org/article/med/37070393