

Center for Mental Health Services Research

Brown School

Dear Colleagues,

Happy New Year and we hope this newsletter finds you all well! Please see below for the latest news from the CMHSR. We appreciate all your support and are looking forward to connecting with you all in the new year!

Best.

Leopoldo J. Cabassa and Byron J. Powell Co-Directors, Center for Mental Health Services Research Brown School at Washington University in St. Louis

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CMHSR News

CMHSR Seminar

January 24, 2024, 4:00-5:00 PM

Theresa Anasti presents *Syringe Service Programs as a Mental Health Safety Net for Drug Users* Hillman Hall, Room 120 Click here to register

February 14, 2024, 4:00-5:00 PM

Natsu Sasaki presents Promoting Mental Wellness: Psychosocial Approaches in Workplace and Perinatal Perspectives
Hillman Hall, Room 120
Click here to register

March 20, 2024, 4:00-5:00 PM

Dani Adams presents *Psychedelic-Assisted Therapy: An introduction to a novel treatment for behavioral health disorders*

Hillman Hall, Room 120 Click here to register

Maya Holmes was named the inaugural Kelsey R. Kennedy "Love in Action" MSW Research Fellow. Maya Holmes is a first year MSW student planning to concentrate in mental health. She was

born and raised here in St. Louis, MO. Immediately after graduating from the Brown School, she plans to work toward becoming an LCSW. Maya also plans to do mental health policy work, in some capacity. Her interest in research and mental health began in college while studying psychology. In her free time, Maya enjoys pottery, being outdoors, and swimming. She looks forward to being the inaugural K.R.K. Love in Action Fellow! During her fellowship, Maya will work with Dr. Shields on a project aimed at developing a measure of trust in crisis mental healthcare services.

Dr. **Dani Adams** accepted a tenure-track Assistant Professor position in the School of Social Work at the University of Missouri-Columbia (Mizzou) to begin Fall of 2024.

Grants, Awards, and Recognition

Rebecca Lengnick-Hall was awarded a <u>Tier 2 (Interdisciplinary Project Funding) Here and Next</u> grant titled, "Developing a contracting measurement tool for decisionmakers who are scaling up evidence-based treatments in publicly funded children's mental health." Rebecca will be collaborating with **Elvin Geng**, Professor in the Division of Infectious Diseases in the Department of Medicine and Nicholas Argyres, Professor at the Olin Business School.

Morgan Shields was awarded a <u>Tier 1 (Spark Funding) Here and Next</u> grant titled, "Developing a measure of trust in crisis mental healthcare services." This work is in collaboration with Karen Joynt Maddox and Chih-Hung Chang at the School of Medicine.

Ross Brownson, Enola Proctor, and **Byron Powell** were recognized as "Highly Cited Researchers" by Clarivate. For further details, see the Brown School's article.

Recent Publications by CMHSR Faculty and Fellows

Adams, D. R., Pérez-Flores, N. J., Mabrouk, F., Minor, C. (2023). <u>Assessing access to traumainformed mental health services for adolescents:</u> A mystery shopper study. *Psychiatric Services*.

Fernandez, M. E., **Powell, B. J.**, & Ten Hoor, G. (Eds.). (2023). <u>Implementation mapping for selecting, adapting and developing implementation strategies</u>. Lausanne: Frontiers Media SA. doi: 10.3389/978-2-8325-3825-8

Luke, D. A., **Powell, B. J.**, & Paniagua-Avila, A. (2024). <u>Bridges and mechanisms: Integrating systems science thinking into implementation research</u>. *Annual Review of Public Health*, 45(9), 1-19.

Mody, A., Filiatreau, L. M., Goss, C. W., **Powell, B. J.**, & **Geng, E. H.** (2023). <u>Instrumental variables for implementation science: Exploring context-dependent causal pathways between implementation strategies and evidence-based interventions</u>. *Implementation Science Communications, 4*(157), 1-13.

Williams, N. J., Russo, J., Vredevoogd, M., Grover, T., Green, P., **Proctor, E.**, Bhat, A., Unützer, J., & Bennett, I. M. (2023). <u>Association of organizational culture and climate with variation in the clinical outcomes of collaborative care for maternal depression in community health centers.</u> *Implementation Research and Practice*, 4.

Recent and Upcoming Presentations

- **Adams, D. R.** presented Assessing real-world access to community-based mental health services for adolescents: A mixed-methods mystery shopper study. Oral presentation at the *Center for Mental Health Services*, SAMHSA, November 2023.
- Baumann, A. A., **Adams, D. R.**, Stevens, K. R., Baldwin, L., Brown, H., Fernandez, M. E., Kripalani, S., Misra-Hebert, A. D. A narrative review of D&I training programs to identify emerging themes in workforce competencies. *National Institutes of Health Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation*, Washington, D.C., December 2023.
- **Proctor, E.** presented a talk, Rigor in Implementation Science, and participated in the *International External Advisory Committee for the Global Alliance for Chronic Disease*, October 25-56, 2023, London, England.
- **Shields, M.** presented at *WashU's Center for Advancing Health Services*, Policy & Economics Research: The Need to Prioritize Patient-Centered Care in Inpatient Psychiatry. November 8th, 2023.
- Chambers, D., Beidas, R. S., Lane-Fall, M., Lewis, C. C., & **Powell, B. J.** (2023, December 11). <u>Continue the conversation: Orientation to the science of dissemination and implementation</u>. Panel presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation*, Arlington, Virginia.
- Kolko, D., McGuier, E. A., Kilbourne, A., Thompson, E., Turchi, R., Smith, S., Bennett, I., **Powell, B. J.**, & Hoagwood, K. (2023, December 11). Studying team- and leadership-level implementation strategies for a pediatric chronic care model: Early practical and methodologic challenges. Oral presentation at the 16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health, Arlington, Virginia.
- Nagy, G., Rivera-Segarra, E., & **Cabassa, L. J.** (2023, December 12). <u>Integrating Implementation Science into health equity research: Exemplars from the field</u>. Poster presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.
- **Sasaki, N.**, Shimazu, T., Ogawa, S., Sawada, U., Saito, J., Tsutsumi, A., **Powell, B. J.**, & Imamura, K. (2023, December 11). Implementation of an internet-based stress management program in microand small-sized enterprises: Findings from a mixed methods study. Poster presentation at the 16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health, Arlington, Virginia.
- Lovero, K., Wagenaar, B., Kemp, C., Giusto, A., Greene, C., **Powell, B. J.**, & **Proctor, E. K.** (2023, December 12). <u>Application of the Expert Recommendations for Implementing Change (ERIC) compilation of implementation strategies in low- and middle-income countries: A systematic review.</u> Poster presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.
- **Powell, B. J.**, Sales, A., & Aarons, G. (2023, December 12). <u>Meet the Editors</u>. Panel presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.

Powell, B. J., King, A., McKay, V., Sturm, A., Trolard, A., Macon, J., Schwartz, C., Underood, A., van Rheenen, J., & Geng, E. (2023, December 13). <u>Building capacity for dissemination and implementation research and practice at Washington University in St. Louis and beyond</u>. Oral presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.

Rivera-Segarra, E., Carminelli, P., Pietri, W., Banchs, G., Ocasio, A., Ramos-Pibernus, A., Deippa, N., Torres, N., Berrocal, A., Tollinchi, N., & **Cabassa, L. J.** (2023, December 12). <u>Adapting bridges to better health and wellness for people living with serious mental illness in Puerto Rico</u>. Poster presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.

New Initiatives

CMHSR Psychedelic Assisted Therapies Learning Community (PAT-LC)

This summer Dr. Leopoldo J. Cabassa and Dr. Dani Adams established the new CMHSR Psychedelic-Assisted Therapies Learning Community (PAT-LC). The goals of these new learning community are to:

- Support and energize a community of scholars interested in advancing the science and practice of Psychedelic-Assisted Therapies (PAT).
- Generate rigorous and meaningful research projects to advance health equity by studying the access, quality, impact, and implementation of PAT in historically marginalized communities.
- Host dialogues and gatherings to discuss how PAT can help transform the behavioral health care system.
- Support the training of the next generation of social work students and scholars dedicated to advancing PAT for all.
- Understand and support efforts and policies to legalize PAT in Missouri and Nationwide.

To get involved, please contact: Dr. Leopoldo J Cabassa, <u>ljcabassa@wustl.edu</u> or Dr. Dani Adams, a.danielle@wustl.edu

Call for Papers Related to Patient Experience of Inpatient Psychiatry and Crisis Services

Dr. **Morgan Shields** is leading a Call for Papers at <u>Psychiatric Services</u> related to the patient experience of inpatient psychiatry and crisis services. When submitting a manuscript for consideration, authors should mention the solicitation and topic in a cover letter as part of the submission. All submissions will undergo the journal's standard peer review process. Authors are invited to send general questions about this call to <u>psjournal@psych.org</u>. If authors have questions about the fit of their paper, they are welcome to contact Dr. Morgan Shields at <u>mshields@wustl.edu</u>.

Call for Papers: Implementation Science in Epidemiology: Measurement, Mechanisms, and Novel Methods

Elvin Geng, Byron Powell, & Gila Neta are guest editors for an <u>Annals of Epidemiology</u> special issue focusing on implementation science. Manuscripts are due March 15, 2024. For more information, please see the <u>call for papers</u>.