Katie McCormick, MSW, PhD Candidate

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EDUCATION

2024 (expected) University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX

Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work

Dissertation Title: Contributors of Occupational Stress and Burnout Among

Texas Harm Reduction Workers

Dissertation Committee: Lori K. Holleran Steiker, Ph.D. (co-chair), Kasey R. Claborn, Ph.D. (co-chair), Fiona N. Conway, Ph.D., Samira B. Ali, Ph.D.

2018 University of Houston, Houston, TX

Master in Social Work

2017 Baylor University, Waco, TX

Bachelor in Social Work

RESEARCH INTERESTS

HIV/AIDS; harm reduction ideology and interventions; substance use; service provider mental health and well-being; implementation science; organizational change

TEACHING INTERESTS

Organizations and communities; social work practice with groups; program evaluation; research methods; community-engaged research methods; mixed-methods research; foundations of social justice

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

09/22-Pres. Research Assistant to Dr. Kasey Claborn

Addictions Research Institute

Steve Hicks School of Social Work, The University of Texas at Austin (Austin, TX)

- Score, analyze, and synthesize survey data for various projects related to HIV, drug use, and mental health.
- Code, analyze, and synthesize qualitative interview data for a project related to the implementation of a technology-based overdose reporting tool.

- Translate research activities into tangible deliverables (presentations, papers, infographics) for dissemination.
- Support PI with grant writing for state and federal funding opportunities.

09/2020- Research Assistant to Dr. Deborah A. Cohen

08/2021 Center for Youth Mental Health

Dell Medical School, The University of Texas at Austin (Austin, TX)

- Design research methodology and proposals for conducting research with community partners.
- Administer, monitor, and analyze longitudinal surveys.
- Conduct in-depth qualitative interviews with young people experiencing mental health challenges.
- Transcribe, code, and analyze qualitative interview data.
- Translate research activities into tangible deliverables (presentations, papers, infographics) for dissemination.

01/2018- Program Manager 2

09/2020 SUSTAIN Wellbeing COMPASS Coordinating Center

Graduate College of Social Work, University of Houston (Houston, TX)

- Conduct quantitative and qualitative assessments with communities disproportionately impacted by HIV/AIDS.
- Co-develop harm reduction-oriented interventions using data from aforementioned assessments.
- Co-facilitate and manage multiple shared learning communities and training opportunities centered on various topic areas.
- Co-design and implement measurement tools to capture multi-level evaluation information for various funding mechanisms.
- Collect and analyze data from various funding mechanisms to measure change in knowledge, attitudes, skills, and impact.

09/2017- Research Assistant to Dr. Luis Torres

12/2017 Office of the Associate Dean of Research

Graduate College of Social Work, University of Houston (Houston, TX)

- Supported faculty in writing a successful \$5 million grant proposal from a private funder.
- Conducted a systematic literature review on trauma, wellness, mental health, and substance use.
- Utilized GIS mapping to conduct and synthesize 9 state assessments of HIV prevalence and incidence rates.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Spring 2023 Teaching Assistant to Dr. Kirk von Sternberg

Structural Equation Modeling

The University of Texas at Austin (Austin, TX)

- Provided individualized technical assistance on Parallels and SPSS software platforms required for statistical analyses.
- Supported students in clarifying content and concepts introduced during lectures.
- Graded quizzes, homework, and major course assignments.

Fall 2022 Teaching Assistant to Drs. Lori Holleran Steiker and Kasey Claborn

Young People and Drugs Signature Course

The University of Texas at Austin (Austin, TX)

- Lectured on The Opioid Epidemic and Harm Reduction Interventions to 250 students.
- Reviewed and advised on Integrative Projects for 50 student groups.
- Provided content area expertise and consultation to five student groups (25 students) for Integrative Projects.
- Led group discussions on course content.

Spring 2021 Teaching Assistant to Dr. Lori Holleran Steiker

Young People and Drugs Signature Course

The University of Texas at Austin (Austin, TX)

- Developed and graded quizzes and major course assignments.
- Lectured on Trauma and Substance Use and the Community-Based Expansion of the Hub-and-Spoke Ecosystem to 18 students.
- Led group discussions on course content.

Fall 2020 Co-Instructor with Dr. Kasey Claborn

Young People and Drugs Signature Course

The University of Texas at Austin (Austin, TX)

- Taught 150 undergraduate students virtually.
- Designed and authored course syllabus, lectures, and assignments.
- Collaborated with community members and professionals as guest speakers.
- Graded quizzes and major course assignments.
- Earned high ratings of over 4 on all UT Austin's Course Instructor Survey items (5.0 scale).

GUEST LECTURES

- 1. *Integrating Theory into Your Dissertation Research* (April 2023). Invited guest lecture, Social Science Theories class at the University of Houston Graduate College of Social Work in Houston, Texas.
- 2. A Crash Course on Harm Reduction. (April 2023). Invited guest lecture, Generalist Practice with Groups and Communities class at Eastern Connecticut University in Willimantic, Connecticut.
- 3. Supporting Youth with Substance Use Disorders. (January 2023). Invited guest lecture, Postgraduate Year Two Pharmacy Residency Program at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.
- 4. Can Policy Prevent Substance Use (or Mitigate its Negative Effects)? (May 2022). Invited guest lecture, Addiction Psychiatry Fellows at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.
- 5. A Crash Course on Harm Reduction. (March 2022). Invited guest lecture, Generalist Practice with Groups and Communities at Eastern Connecticut University in Willimantic, Connecticut.
- 6. *Give to Get: Treating Adolescent Substance Abuse.* (February 2022). Invited guest lecture, Addiction Psychiatry Fellows at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.
- 7. *Adolescent Substance Use.* (February 2022). Invited guest lecture, Postgraduate Year Two Pharmacy Residency Program at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.
- 8. *Co-Conspiratorship in Practice*. (November 2021). Invited guest lecture, Confronting Oppressing and Injustice at the University of Houston Clear Lake in Clear Lake, Texas.
- 9. *Activism*. (November 2021). Invited guest lecture, Foundations of Social Justice Course at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.
- 10. *Opioid Abatement Model*. (October 2021). Invited guest lecture, Young People and Drugs Signature Course at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.
- 11. *Positionality and Intersectionality*. (October 2021). Invited guest lecture, Foundations of Social Justice Course at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.
- 12. Social Determinants of Health and Barriers to Treatment for Young People who use Drugs. (October 2021). Invited guest lecture, Young People and Drugs Signature Course at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.
- 13. *The Intersections of Trauma and Substance Use among Young People*. (September 2021). Invited guest lecture, Young People and Drugs Signature Course at the University of Texas at Austin in Austin, Texas.

FIELD INSTRUCTION

2021 *Task Supervisor* to Camille DiGiaimo
Bridging Disciplines Program, University of Texas at Austin

2020-2021	Task Supervisor to Ishaan Manohar Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Dell Medical School, University of Texas at Austin
2020	Field Instructor to Alejandra Aviles Graduate College of Social Work, University of Houston
2019-2020	Task Supervisor to Audrey Erwin Graduate College of Social Work, University of Houston

HONORS, FUNDING AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

2023-2024	Donald D. Harrington Dissertation Fellowship, The University of Texas at Austin Graduate School (\$51,000)
2023-2024	Harry E. and Bernice M. Moore Fellowship, Hogg Foundation (\$20,000)
2023	Graduate School Summer Fellowship, The University of Texas at Austin Graduate School (\$9,550)
2021-2024	Graduate School Fellowship, The University of Texas at Austin Graduate School (\$67,000)
2021-2024	Provost's Fellowship Supplement, The University of Texas at Austin Graduate School (\$20,000)
2017	Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) SHINE Scholarship, Graduate College of Social Work, University of Houston
2017	Spirit of Social Work Award, Diana R. Garland School of Social Work, Baylor University
2016-2018	Phi Alpha Honors Society, Baylor University and University of Houston

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Publications

^{*}Indicates community partner

- 1. **McCormick, K.,** Stanton, M., & Ali, S. (2023). A mixed methods analysis of Southern HIV service organizations' implementation of harm reduction to address the intersecting HIV and opioid syndemic. *Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research*. 10.1007/s11414-023-09859-y
- 2. **McCormick, K. A.,** Smith-Bankhead, N., Ali, S., Colbert, K., Reif, S., Mathews, A., ... & Ward, D. (2023). The POWER of LEARNing and LEADing Together: Shared Learning Communities. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, *34*(3), 88-98. https://doi.org/10.1353/hpu.2023.a903355
- 3. Stanton, M. C., Ali, S. B., **McCormick, K. A.,** Aguilar, L., Aviles, A., Keo, B. S., ... & Wilson, M. (2023). Operationalizing equity-centered implementation through personcentered care capacity-building with HIV service organizations: The SUSTAIN approach. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, *34*(3), 183-207. http://doi.org/10.1353/hpu.2023.a903360
- 4. Smith-Bankhead, N., Colbert, K., Ali, S., **McCormick, K. A.,** Blais, L., Ward, D., ... & Meadows, C. (2023). Southern Care: A rapid response to supporting Southern CBOs at the onset of COVID-19. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, *34*(3), 77-87. https://doi.org/10.1353/hpu.2023.a903354
- Keo, B. S., McCormick, K. A., Stanton, M., & Ali, S. (2023). A Gender Affirmative Model of Training and Service Provision Among HIV Service Organizations in the US South. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, 34(3), 119-136. http://doi.org/10.1353/hpu.2023.a903357
- 6. Claborn, K., Samora, J., **McCormick, K.,** Whittfield, Q., Courtois, F., Lozada, K., ... & Potter, J. (2023). "We do it ourselves": strengths and opportunities for improving the practice of harm reduction. *Harm Reduction Journal*, 20(1), 1-14. https://doi.org/10.1186/s12954-023-00809-7
- 7. **McCormick, K.,** Stanton, M., Ali, S. & Chavez, S.* (2023). LEARN Harm Reduction: A mixed methods study of pilot outcomes. *Journal of HIV/AIDS & Social Services*. https://doi.org/10.1080/15381501.2023.2189198
- 8. Myers N., Hutnyan M., Daley, T. C, Bello, I., Chacon, M., Currie, A., Davis, B.J., Dixon, L., George, P. E., Giannicchi A., Kwashie A. N., **McCormick, K.,** Meyer-Kalos, P., Nagendra, A., Nayar S., Sarpal, D. K., Sepahpour, T. Y., Shapiro, D. I., & Taylor-Zoghby, J. (2023). Pathways through early psychosis care for ethnically and racially minoritized youth in the U.S.: A systematic literature review. *Psychiatric Services*. https://doi.org/10.1176/appi.ps.20220121
- McCormick, K., Chatham, A., Klodnick, V., Schoenfeld, E.,* & Cohen, D. (2022). Mental health service experiences among transition-age youth: Interpersonal continuums that influence engagement in care. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal*. https://doi.org/10.1007/s10560-022-00890-0
- 10. **McCormick, K.,** Sevillano, L., Klodnick, V., Lopez, M. & Cohen, D. (2022) Virtual technology's critical role in sustaining Coordinated Specialty Care in Texas during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Psychiatric Services*. https://doi.org/10.1176/appi.ps.202100429

- 11. Stanton, M., **McCormick, K.,** & Ali, S. (2022). Harm reduction implementation among HIV service organizations (HSOs) in the U.S. south: A policy context analysis and results from a survey of HSOs. *BMC Health Services Research*. https://doi.org/10.1186/s12913-022-08277-8
- 12. Ali, S., Stanton, M., Keo, B., Stanley, M., & **McCormick, K.** (2022). HIV and mental health services in the South: A meso analysis. *Community Mental Health Journal*. https://doi.org/10.1007/s10597-021-00925-3
- 13. Stanton, M., Ali, S., & **The SUSTAIN Center Team**. (2022). Identifying a typology of power: A critical implementation praxis to advance mental health and HIV health equity using the exploration, preparation, implementation, sustainment (EPIS) framework. *Implementation Research and Practice*. https://doi.org/10.1177/26334895211064250
- 14. Ali, S., Stanton, M., **McCormick, K.** & Reif, S. (2022). The landscape of trauma informed care in community-based organizations in the United States South. *AIDS Care*. https://doi.org/10.1080/09540121.2022.2079599
- 15. Ali, S., **McCormick, K.** & Chavez, S.* (2021). LEARN Harm Reduction: A collaborative organizational intervention in the Deep US South. *Journal of Social Service Research*. https://doi.org/10.1080/01488376.2020.1860183
- 16. **McCormick, K**. & Holleran Steiker, L. (2021). A social work perspective on the opioid solution: A community-based expansion of the Hub-and-Spoke Ecosystem. *Journal of Social Work Practice in Addictions*. http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/1533256X.2021.1923894

Manuscripts Under Review

- 1. **McCormick, K.,** Samora, J., Claborn, K., Holleran Steiker, L., & DiNitto, D. (under review). A systematic review of harm reduction interventions addressing the U.S. opioid overdose epidemic. *Drugs: Education, Prevention, and Policy*.
- 2. Cohen, D., Boyer, B., Stevens, L., **McCormick, K.,** Morpeth, E., Caporale-Berkowitz, N., Brownson, C., & Starkowski, S. (under review). Do mobile mental health applications increase access to university mental health supports? *Journal of Technology in Human Services*.
- 3. Claborn, K. R., McDavitt, K., **McCormick, K. A.,** Gooch, G., Cox, N., & Novack, T. (under review). Increasing the impact of opioid settlement funds through investing in health information and technology infrastructure. *Public Health Reports*.

Manuscripts in Preparation

- 1. **McCormick, K.,** Creech, S., Benzer, J., Courtois, F., & Claborn, K. Mental health, burnout, and work-related stress among harm reduction workers in Texas.
- 2. **McCormick, K.,** Manohar, I., Stevens, L., & Cohen, D. A mixed methods study of college freshmen mental health during the COVID-19 pandemic.

- 3. Claborn, K., **McCormick, K.**, Cunningham, T., McElrath, J.,* & Holleran Steiker, L. Creating a digital platform to support an integrated system of care for youth substance use treatment and recovery supports.
- 4. Aquino-Adriatico, G., **McCormick, K**., Ali, S. & Harris, A. Building connection to support people living with HIV/AIDS: Multilevel predictors of social networks.

Research Reports

- 1. Cohen, D., **McCormick, K**., & Stevens, L. (2021, September). *LifeWorks Interviews with Transition-Age Youth*. Center for Youth Mental Health, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Dell Medical School, University of Texas at Austin.
- 2. Holleran Steiker, L. & McCormick, K. (2021, August). A Community-Based Hub-and Spoke Ecosystem for Bexar County Opioid Abatement.
- 3. Holleran Steiker, L. & McCormick, K. (2021, June). A Community-Based Hub-and Spoke Ecosystem for Dallas County Opioid Abatement.
- 4. Cohen, D. & **McCormick, K**. (2020, December). *Evaluation of clinical high risk* psychosis at Integral Care fiscal year 2020. Center for Youth Mental Health, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Dell Medical School, University of Texas at Austin.

PRESENTATIONS

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Invited Oral Presentations

- 1. **McCormick, K.** (2023, July). Youth and Substance Use: Prevention, Intervention, and Recovery. Invited presentation at the Texas Health and Human Services Commission Institute, Virtual.
- 2. **McCormick, K.** & Holleran Steiker, L. (2022, April). *The shadow epidemic:* Disenfranchised grief resulting from the opioid epidemic. Workshop at the Central Texas Grief and Loss Symposium, Virtual.
- 3. **McCormick, K.** (2021, November). *Substance Use Interventions with Students*. Invited presentation at the 10th Annual Williamson County Mental Health in Schools Conference, Virtual.
- 4. Ali, S., **McCormick, K.,** & Stanton, M. (2019, February). *The impact of AIDSVu on community engagement*. Invited by AIDSVu, Emory University Rollins School of Public Health, Houston, TX.
- 5. Ali, S., Stanley, M., **McCormick, K.** & Banister, D. (2018, October). *Harm reduction in the South: Funding opportunities*. Oral presentation at the Harm Reduction Coalition (NHRC) Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Peer-Reviewed Oral Presentations

- Aquino-Adriatico, G., McCormick, K., Ali, S. & Harris, A. (2023, January). Building Connection to Support People Living with HIV/AIDS: Multilevel Predictors of Social Networks. Oral paper at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 27th Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.
- 2. Keo, B. S., **McCormick, K.**, Stanton, M., & Ali, S. (2023, January). The Landscape of Gender Affirmative Care in Community-Based HIV Service Organizations in the U.S. South. Oral paper at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 27th Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.
- 3. **McCormick, K.,** Keo, B. S., & Ali, S. (2022, November). *Integrating Public Impact Scholarship into Social Work Doctoral Student Education*. Interactive workshop at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 678h Annual Program Meeting, Anaheim, CA.
- 4. Claborn, K., McCormick, K., Cance, J. & Lozada, K. (2022, October). Co-Design Process to Build a Digital Platform for Community Overdose Response in Texas: TxCOPE.

 Innovation, Design Thinking, and Scholarship session at the National Harm Reduction Coalition (NHRC) Conference, San Juan, PR.
- 5. **McCormick, K.** & DiNitto, D. (2022, October). *Technology-enabled Harm Reduction Strategies: Helpful or Harmful?* Roundtable at the National Harm Reduction Coalition (NHRC) Conference, San Juan, PR.
- 6. Stanton, M., Ali, S., **McCormick, K.**, Smith-Bankhead, N., & Hart, A. (2022, September). *Best Practices for Equity-Centered Exploration using Listen-In Session*. Oral presentation at the Society for Implementation Research Collaboration Conference (SIRC), San Diego, CA.
- 7. **McCormick, K.** (2022, August). *Technological Advances in Harm Reduction Approaches*. Oral presentation at the Southern Harm Reduction Conference (SHRC), Virtual.
- 8. **McCormick, K.** (2022, August). *Southern HIV Service Organizations' Implementation of Harm Reduction*. Oral presentation at the Southern Harm Reduction Conference (SHRC), Virtual.
- 9. Stanton, M. Ali. S., **McCormick, K**., & Reif, S. (2022, July). *The Landscape of Person-Centered Approaches in Community-Based Organizations in the US South*. Oral presentation at the 24th International AIDS Conference, Virtual.
- 10. **McCormick, K.** & Ali, S. (2022, June). *Strategies to Facilitate Group-based Interventions during the COVID Pandemic*. Oral presentation at the International Association of Social Work Groups, Virtual.
- 11. Keo, B. S., **McCormick, K.** & Ali, S. (2022, January). We Don't Lead with Research: We Lead with Community: Applying Critical Race Theory and Intersectionality in Social Work Research. Workshop at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 26th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C. **Accepted but withdrawn due to COVID-19 precautions.
- 12. Stanton, M., McCormick, K. & Ali, S. (2022, January). *Turning Individual Growth into Organizational Change: An Analysis of a Harm Reduction Learning Collaborative Implementation Methods Resulting in Organization Change*. Oral presentation at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 26th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C. **Accepted but withdrawn due to COVID-19 precautions.

- 13. Stanton, M., McCormick, K. & Ali, S. (2022, January). *Understanding Harm Reduction in the US South: Results from a Survey of Southern HIV Service Organizations*. Oral presentation at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 26th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C. **Accepted but withdrawn due to COVID-19 precautions.
- 14. Ali, S., **McCormick, K.,** & Stanton, M. (2022, January). *The Landscape of Trauma Informed Care in Community-based HIV Service Organizations in the US South.* Oral presentation at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 26th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C. **Accepted but withdrawn due to COVID-19 precautions.
- 15. **McCormick, K.,** & Chavez, S.* (2021, December). *Harm reduction and trauma-informed care: Competing or complementary approaches?* Oral presentation at the United States Conference on HIV/AIDS (USCHA), Virtual.
- 16. **McCormick, K**. & Holleran Steiker, L. (2021, November). *Addressing the opioid epidemic through interdisciplinary coordination: A community-based Hub-and-Spoke ecosystem*. Oral presentation at the AMERSA 45th Annual Conference, Virtual.
- 17. **McCormick, K**. & Ali. S. (2021, November). *Integrating harm reduction approaches into social work education and practice*. Workshop at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 67th Annual Program Meeting, Orlando, FL. **Accepted but withdrawn due to COVID-19 precautions.
- 18. Chatham, A., **McCormick, K.,** & La Frienere-Sandoval, N. (2021, November). *The role of US Christian churches in immigrant integration: A scoping review*. Oral presentation at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 67th Annual Program Meeting, Orlando, FL. **Accepted but withdrawn due to COVID-19 precautions.
- 19. **McCormick, K.,** & Chavez, S.* (2021, August). *LEARN: A Southern shared learning community on harm reduction*. Oral presentation at the Southern Harm Reduction Conference (SHRC), Virtual.
- 20. **McCormick, K.,** Chavez, S.,* Shimberg, D.,* & Baugh, D.* (2021, August). *Harm reduction: Moving toward client-centered care through lessening provider harm.* Panel presentation at the Southern Harm Reduction Conference (SHRC), Virtual.
- 21. **McCormick, K.,** Aguilar, L., & Ali, S. (2021, May). *Trauma-informed supervision: Prioritizing the principle of safety for staff during social crises.* Workshop at the 33rd National Conference on Social Work and HIV/AIDS, Virtual.
- 22. Aguilar, L., **McCormick, K.** & Ali, S. (2021, May). *Trauma-informed care: Centering healing in times of unrest.* Workshop at the 33rd National Conference on Social Work and HIV/AIDS, Virtual.
- 23. **McCormick, K**. & Holleran Steiker, L. (2021, January). A social work perspective on the opioid solution: A community-based expansion of the Hub-and-Spoke Ecosystem. Oral presentation at the Texas Research Society on Alcoholism (TRSA), Virtual.
- 24. **McCormick, K.,** Ali, S., & Stanton, M. (2021, January). *LEARN Harm Reduction: Outcomes and impact of a shared learning community in the US South.* Oral presentation at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 25th Annual Conference, Virtual.

- 25. Cohen, D., Stevens, L., & McCormick, K. (2020, November). *COVID-19 and the University of Texas Student Mental Health Needs*. Lightning Talk at the University of Texas at Austin COVID-19 Conference, Virtual.
- 26. **McCormick, K.,** Aguilar, L., & Ali, S. (2020, August). *The role of trauma-informed supervision in ending the epidemic*. Oral presentation at the 2020 Ryan White Conference, Virtual.
- 27. **McCormick, K.,** Chavez, S.* & Ali, S. (2020, July). *LEARN: A community-informed shared learning program addressing HIV through harm reduction in the deep U.S. South.* Oral presentation at the International Social Work and Social Development Conference, Virtual.
- 28. **McCormick, K.,** Aguilar, L., & Ali, S. (2020, May). *Trauma-informed supervision:* Supporting staff in ending the epidemic. Workshop at the 32nd National Conference on Social Work and HIV/AIDS, Virtual.
- 29. Ali, S., **McCormick, K.,** & SUSTAIN Team. (2020, January). *LEARN: Building evidence through the development of a shared learning community focused on harm reduction in the deep U.S. South.* Oral presentation at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 24th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.
- 30. Keo-Meier, B., Ali, S., & **McCormick, K.** (2020, January). *An intersectional approach to research: Meaningfully incorporating community in the research process*. Oral presentation at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 24th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C

Poster Presentations

- McCormick, K., Cohen, D., & Stevens, L. (Forthcoming: October 2023). A Mixed Methods Study of First-Year Students' Mental Health Help-Seeking During the COVID-19 Pandemic. Oral presentation at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 69th Annual Program Meeting.
- 2. **McCormick, K**., Ali, S. & Stanton, M. (2023, January). Diffusion of Harm Reduction Knowledge and Skills: Results from a Learning Collaborative for Southern HIV Service Organizations. Poster at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 27th Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.
- 3. Stanton, M., **McCormick, K**. & Ali, S. (2023, January). *Harm Reduction Implementation Among HIV Service Organizations in the U.S. South*. Poster at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 27th Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.
- 4. Claborn, K., Courtois, F., Samora, J., McCormick, K., Lozada, K., (2022, October). *Building a Platform to Data-Driven Outreach for Harm Reduction Organizations*. Poster presentation at the International Association of Providers of AIDS Care (IAPAC), Sevilla, Spain.
- 5. **McCormick, K.,** Cohen, D. A., & Klodnick, V. (2022, January). *The Tensions of Informal Support: First-Year College Student Support Navigation during the Pandemic.* Virtual poster at the Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 26th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.

- 6. **McCormick, K**., Stevens, L., & Cohen, D. (2021, January). *Does system involvement play a role in youth disclosure of substance use?* Poster presentation at the Texas Research Society on Alcoholism (TRSA), Virtual.
- 7. **McCormick, K.,** Chatham, A., Klodnick, V., Schoenfeld, E.,* & Cohen, D. (2022, April). Understanding, Respect, and Trust: What Keeps Highly Vulnerable Transition-Age Youth Engaged in Mental Health Services. Poster presentation at the 4th Interprofessional Health Showcase, The University of Texas at Austin, Virtual.
- 8. **McCormick, K.** (2022, April). The Evolution of Harm Reduction: A Case Study. Poster presentation at the 4th Interprofessional Health Showcase, The University of Texas at Austin, Virtual.
- 9. **McCormick, K**. & Holleran Steiker, L. (2021, April). *An interdisciplinary solution to the opioid solution: A community-based expansion of the Hub-and-Spoke Ecosystem*. Poster presentation at the 3rd Interprofessional Health Showcase, The University of Texas at Austin, Virtual.
- 10. **McCormick, K**. & Cohen, D. (2021, January). *Impact of COVID-19 on college student mental health*. Poster presentation at the St. David's CHPR Conference on Health Promotion in the COVID-19 Era, Virtual.
- 11. Manohar, I. & McCormick, K. (2021, January). *How current events impact college student mental health*. Poster presentation at the St. David's CHPR Conference on Health Promotion in the COVID-19 Era, Virtual.

Presentations Under Review

- 1. **McCormick, K.,** Samora, J., Claborn, K., Holleran Steiker, L., & DiNitto, D. A systematic review of harm reduction interventions addressing the U.S. opioid overdose epidemic. Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 28th Annual Conference.
- 2. **McCormick, K.,** Stanton, M., & Ali, S. A mixed methods analysis of harm reduction implementation in HIV service organizations across the U.S. South. Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 28th Annual Conference.
- 3. Stanton, M., **McCormick, K.,** Ali, S., Stanley, M., & Traylor, M. Pilot intervention and implementation outcomes of a trauma-informed organizational change intervention for HIV service organizations in the U.S. South. Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 28th Annual Conference.
- 4. Samora, J., Claborn, K., & **McCormick, K.** "We do it ourselves:" Strengths and opportunities for harm reduction practice in Texas. Society of Social Work Research (SSWR) 28th Annual Conference.

GRANTS

Ongoing

2021-2024 **Program Evaluator**, Enhancing Peer Involvement in Care (EPIC), ViiV Positive Action 2021 Amp Grant, \$750,000. Principal Investigators: Vanessa Johnson, JD, and Linda Scruggs, MHS.

2021-2023 **Research and Evaluation Manager,** *SUSTAIN Wellbeing COMPASS Coordinating Center*, Gilead Sciences, Inc. COMPASS Coordinating Centers Phase 2, \$5 million. Principal Investigator: Samira Ali, PhD, MSW.

Completed

2018-2020 Research and Evaluation Manager, SUSTAIN Wellbeing COMPASS
 Coordinating Center, Gilead Sciences, Inc. COMPASS Coordinating Centers Phase
 1, \$5 million. Principal Investigator: Samira Ali, PhD, MSW.

 2017 Principal Investigator, Early Childhood Education Program, Junior League of

Waco Community Grants, \$2,500.

Unfunded Application(s)

2021-2026 **Co-Investigator**, Supporting Replication (SURE) of Housing Interventions in the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Evaluation Provider, Health Resources and Services Administration, \$3.2 million (score: 95/100). Principal Investigator: Samira Ali, PhD, MSW.

MEDIA APPEARANCES

"New overdose data collection app from UT launches in Texas" (Interview). *The Daily Texan*. February 2023. Topic: TxCOPE, a community-based overdose reporting app. Role: Quoted as an expert on the role of data in enhancing harm reduction-oriented overdose response efforts. Retrieved from https://thedailytexan.com/2023/02/09/new-overdose-data-collection-app-from-ut-launches-in-texas/.

"Moore Fellowship Winner: Katie McCormick" (Blog). *The Hogg Foundation*. July 2023. Topic: Dissertation award. Role: Highlighted as an award winner for my dissertation research on contributors of occupational stress and burnout among Texas harm reduction workers. Retrieved from https://hogg.utexas.edu/moore-fellowship-winner-katie-mccormick.

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

2020-Pres. Conference Co-Chair of the Doctoral Student Committee Society of Social Work Research

2022-Pres. Ad Hoc Peer Reviewer

Community Mental Health Journal

Psychiatric Services

Journal of Social Work Practice in the Addictions

03/2022 Ad Hoc Grant Evaluator

Harm Reduction Grant Program, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services

Administration (Alexandria, VA)

2020-2021 Ad Hoc Abstract Reviewer

Council on Social Work Education (Alexandria, VA)

03/2021 Ad Hoc Grant Evaluator

National Child Traumatic Stress Initiative – Cat. III, Community Treatment and Service Centers (NCTSI III SM-21-010), Substance Abuse and Mental Health

Services Administration (Alexandria, VA)

03/2020 Ad Hoc Abstract Reviewer

Harm Reduction Coalition (New York City, NY)

Regional

06/2019 Ad Hoc Grant Evaluator

DSHS HIV Prevention Services (HHS0000778), Texas Department of Health and

Human Services (Austin, TX)

02/2019 Ad Hoc Abstract Reviewer

National Association of Professional Social Workers, Texas Chapter (Houston, TX)

01/2017- Ad Hoc Grantmaker and Evaluator

03/2019 Philanthropy Lab, Baylor University (Waco, TX)

PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

08/2017- Texas Hunger Initiative, Baylor University (Houston, TX)

04/2018 Community Building and Engagement Intern

- Built organizational capacity by creating and disseminating a policies and procedures manual for staff onboarding.
- Conducted research on federal funding opportunities and disseminated information to stakeholders to inform a collaborative successful grant application for SNAP accessibility and local farmers markets.

08/2016- Waco Housing Authority (Waco, TX)

04/2017 Social Work Intern

- Successfully independently wrote a grant for \$2,500 focused on early childhood education from a private funder.
- Managed a caseload of 25 clients ranging from youth to older adults.
- Conducted informal qualitative interviews with local residents about experiences of gentrification.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Licensed Master Social Worker (#67407), State of Texas

Member, Society of Social Work Research (SSWR)

Member, Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)

Member, Society for Implementation Research and Collaboration (SIRC)

TRAININGS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- June 2023 Using Dedoose to Enhance Collaborative Research. Training of the Institute for Mixed Methods Research and Qualitative Data Analysis Services, virtual.
- Fall 2021 Teaching Preparation Series. Training at the University of Texas at Austin: Faculty Innovation Center, Austin, Texas. Received Teaching Certificate.
- January 2020 Undoing Racism. Training of the People's Institute for Survival and Beyond, Houston, Texas.