

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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#### EDUCATION

1987-91 *Cornell University*, B.A. in Economics, *Summa Cum Laude*  
1989-90 *Cambridge University*, England, Visiting Scholar  
1991-95 *Yale University*, Ph.D. in Economics (M.Phil. 1993, M.A. 1992)

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1995-1997 *NIA Postdoctoral Fellow*, RAND, Santa Monica, CA  
1998 *Fulbright Senior Scholar*, University of Costa Rica  
1998-2004 *Assistant Professor*, Department of Health Policy and Administration (HPAA), School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (UNC-CH)  
2002-2004 *Research Associate*, National Bureau of Economic Research  
2004-2010 *Associate Professor of Health Economics*, School of Public Health, University of California, Berkeley  
2005-2006 *Senior Economist*, Council of Economic Advisers, The White House  
2010-2018 *Professor*, School of Public Health, University of California, Berkeley  
2018- *Professor*, Department of Demography, University of California, Berkeley

#### HONORS

8th Annual Kenneth J. Arrow Award (Given by the International Health Economics Association for the best health economics paper published worldwide in 1999)  
Recipient of 2001 John D. Thompson Prize for Young Investigators, awarded by the Association of University Programs in Health Administration  
Henry J. Kaiser Endowed Professorship, 2008-2015  
Kaiser Permanente Endowed Professorship, 2015-2020

#### RESEARCH AREAS

Health economics  
Global health  
Economic demography

#### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

International/National/State/Local

1995 Consultant, *Inter-American Development Bank* health care demand study for National Population Council (CONAPO), Mexico City, Mexico.

1997-2000 Consultant, *RAND*, Santa Monica, CA

2002-2011 *UnitedHealth Foundation*: Member of expert panel on methods for state health rankings

2003 Expert testimony before United States *Social Security Advisory Board*

2006-2009 MacArthur Network on Socio-Economic Status and Health member

2007-2010 *Consultant*, Kaiser Division of Research

2008 *Consultant*, World Bank

2009-2013 John Muir Health System, Physician Network Board of Directors

2012-2014 John Muir Health System, Strategic Planning Committee member

2013 *Consultant*, United Nations Population Division

2014–2018 NIH study section member, Social Sciences and Population Studies SSPB

2015 National Academy of Science’s Committee on Population: Steering Committee member for the Workshop on Priorities for Strengthening the Scientific Foundation for Policymaking to Meet the Challenges of Aging in Latin America

2017- Milken Institute Center for the Future of Aging Board of Academic and Policy Advisors

2018-2020 Policies for Action, National Advisory Committee member

2018-2019 American Society of Health Economists, Awards Committee member

2018-2019 Chair, Population Association of America’s Early Achievement Award Committee

2020- AcademyHealth Education Council member

2021- Annual Review of Public Health, editorial board member

### **Referee for Professional Journals**

American Journal of Agricultural Economics, American Journal of Public Health, BMJ, Contemporary Economic Policy, Demography, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Economic Inquiry, Economics of Education Review, Health Affairs, Health Economics, Health Policy, Health Policy and Planning, Health Services Research, International Economic Review, JAMA, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Health and Population in Developing Countries, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Public Health Dentistry, Medical Care, Social Science and Medicine, Southern Economic Journal, Value in Health, World Bank Economic Review

### **University Service (major service underlined)**

1999-2000 Co-Chair, Faculty Working Group on “Living Wages” (UNC-CH)

1999 Faculty Search Committee, Pharmaceutical Policy and Evaluative Sciences (UNC-CH)

2000-2004 Advisory Council member, Carolina Population Center (UNC-CH)

2004- Health Policy PhD program, Executive Committee member and admissions committee

2005-06 Global Health Sciences Interdisciplinary Curriculum Committee member (UCSF)

2005- Associate Director, Berkeley Population Center

2006-2008 Health & Immigration Consortium, faculty co-chair

2006-2010 Global Health Sciences, Steering Committee member (UCSF)

2006-2012 Chair, Health Services and Policy Analysis (HSPA) PhD program

2007-2008 Faculty Search Committee, Demography

2008-2010 Advisory Committee, Institute for Business and Economic Research

2008-2009 UC Graduate Student Health Insurance Working Group member (Univ. of California)

2009- Advisory Board, Institute for Research on Labor and Employment

2009-2013 Associate Director, Center on the Economics and Demography of Aging

2013 Search committee member, D-Lab Director

2013- Director, Center on the Economics and Demography of Aging (CEDA)

2017-2018 Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Demography

2019-2020, 21- Chair, Health Policy PhD program

2020-21 Equity advisor, Health Policy PhD program  
 2020- Space Assignments and Capital Improvements Committee member  
 2020- Graduate Council member (vice chair, 2121-).

### **School of Public Health Service**

1999-2003 HPAA Doctoral Steering Committee member (UNC-CH)  
 2000-2004 HPAA Global Health Committee member (UNC-CH)  
 2001-2004 SPH Global Health Committee member (UNC-CH)  
 2003-2004 Director, HPAA Global Health Program (UNC-CH)  
 2004-2005 Research Committee member (UC-Berkeley SPH)  
 2006- Joint Medical Program core faculty member (UC-Berkeley/UCSF)  
 2006-2008 Faculty Search Committee, Maternal and Child Health  
 2006-2010 Curriculum Committee member  
 2007-2008 Strategic Planning Task Force  
 2009-2012 Faculty Advisory Council member  
 2011-12 Chair, In-Residence faculty search committee  
 2011-12 Co-chair, Faculty Council  
 2012-15 Chair, SPH Building Workgroup/Committee  
 2012-13 SPH Dean Search Committee member  
 2012-14 Head, Division of Health Policy and Management  
 2013-14 Academic Personnel Committee member  
 2014-15 Co-chair, Strategic Planning research workgroup  
 2014-15 Education Policy and Curriculum Committee member  
 2014-15 Associate Dean for Research, School of Public Health  
 2017-18 Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Data Science  
 2018-19 Interim Dean, School of Public Health  
 2019- Online Education Faculty Steering Committee member  
 2019- GSI Adviser, Division of Health Policy and Management  
 2020- Academic Personnel Committee member  
 2020- Admissions committee, Health Policy and Management  
 2020-21 Sexual Violence and Sexual Harassment Prevention Committee member  
 2020- Equity advisor liaison, Division of Health Policy and Management  
 2020- Anti-Racism Steering Committee member  
 2021-22 Latinx Health Policy faculty search committee, member and equity advisor  
 2021-22 Chair, Faculty Council

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **Courses taught**

1999 Doctoral Seminar in Health Policy and Administration II, UNC-CH  
 1999-2000 Health Services Research Seminar (coordinator), UNC-CH  
 1999-2000 Doctoral Seminar in Health Policy and Administration I, UNC-CH  
 2000-2003 Triangle Health Economics Workshop (coordinator), UNC-CH  
 2001-2004 Advanced Methodology in HPAA Research, UNC-CH  
 2003-2004 Health Economics for Developing Countries (co-taught with J. Akin), UNC-CH  
 2005-2007 Research Methods for Health Services, UC-Berkeley (separate MPH and PhD courses)  
 2005-various Health Economics, UC-Berkeley (separate MPH and PhD courses)  
 2006-various Health Policy Core PhD Seminar  
 2007-various Health Services Research Colloquium (coordinator of public series)  
 2008-various Health Policy Dissertation Seminar

2012-2014 Health and Social Science Research Seminar (RWJ Scholars in Health Policy)  
2017- Economics of Population Health (residential and online)

### **Recent PhD Dissertation Chair activity**

Ha Nguyen, *Effects of Demand Side Health Financing Programs in Developing Countries –Evidence from Vietnam* (2009 graduation). Initial placement: **Abt Associates**.

Yevgeniy Goryakin, *Labor Market Importance of Health in the Russian Federation* (2009 graduation).

Sepideh Modrek (postdoc, Stanford University), *Effects of Income Inequality on Health in Costa Rica* (2009 graduation). Initial placement: **Postdoc, Stanford University**.

Jenny Liu, *Privatization and Entrepreneurship in China: Are Health and Health Insurance Driving Selection in the Labor Market?* (2010 graduation). Initial placement: **Postdoc, RAND**.

Carrie Hoverman Colla, *Effects of San Francisco Employer Health Spending Mandate* (2010 graduation). Initial placement: **Assistant Professor, Dartmouth Medical School**.

Justin White. *A Team-Based Behavioral Economics Experiment on Smoking Cessation* (2013 graduation). Initial placement: **Postdoc, Stanford University**.

Soledad Martinez. *Role of the public primary care network in accessing primary care services in Chile* (2014 graduation). Initial placement: **Assistant Professor, School of Public Health, University of Chile**.

Jing Li. *Altruism and Efficiency Preferences of U.S Medical Students and Their Expected Specialty Choice* (2016 graduation). Initial placement: **Assistant Professor, Weill Cornell Medical College, Cornell University**.

Zach Wagner. *Working With Community Health Workers to Increase Use of ORS and Zinc to Treat Child Diarrhea In Uganda: A Cluster Randomized Controlled Trial* (2017 graduation). Initial placement: **Postdoc, Stanford University**.

Kevin Feeney. *Cash Transfers and Adult Mortality: Evidence from Pension Policies* (2017 graduation). Initial placement: **Postdoc, University of Southern California**.

Paulette Cha. *Essays on Health Economics and Immigration* (2017 graduation). Initial placement: **Postdoc, UCLA**.

Chaoran Guo. *Social Learning in Health Insurance Choices: Evidence from Employer-Sponsored Health Plans* (2018 graduation). Initial placement: **Assistant Professor, Economics Department, China University of Hong Kong**.

Drew Cameron. *The effect of short-term subsidies on future demand for potable water in rural Bihar, India: A randomized controlled trial* (2020 graduation). Initial placement: **Assistant Professor, School of Public Health, Yale University**.

### **Recent Postdoctoral Mentoring**

Seema Jayachandran (*Assistant Professor of Economics, Stanford University*). Mentor during 2004-2006 Robert Wood Johnson Scholars in Health Policy Postdoctoral training at UC Berkeley.

Omer Gersten (***Demographer at Academia Sinica, Taiwan***). Postdoctoral Fellow Mentor at UC Berkeley in 2007 following his graduation with a PhD in Demography from UC Berkeley.

Jenna Nobles (***Assistant Professor of Sociology at University of Wisconsin, Madison***). Mentor during 2007-2009 Robert Wood Johnson Health and Society postdoctoral training at UC Berkeley.

Barbara Laraia (***Assistant Professor in the Department of Medicine at UCSF***). Member, Advisory committee for 2004-2009 K01 Mentored Research Development Award from NIH: *Socio-Environmental Influences on Nutrition and Obesity*

Grant Miller (***Assistant Professor of Medicine at Stanford University***). Member, Advisory committee for 2007-2012 K01 Mentored Research Development Award from NIH: *The Causes and Behavioral Foundations of Mortality Decline in Developing Countries*

Jessica Jones-Smith (***Assistant Professor, School of Public Health, Johns Hopkins University***). Mentor for 2012-2014 K99 award from NIH: *The Effects of Increasing Economic Resources on Obesity: A Quasi-Experimental Study*

Sandi McCoy (***Postdoctoral Fellow, UC-Berkeley***). Co-mentor for 2011-2016 K01 Mentored Research Development Award from NIH: *Agricultural Livelihoods, Food Security, and Women's Risk of HIV Infection*

Jennifer Falbe (***Assistant Professor, UC-Davis***). Co-mentor for 2018-2022 K01 Mentored Research Development Award from NIH: *Reducing sugar-sweetened beverage consumption among young adults: A point-of-selection experiment.*

Jordan Weiss (***Postdoctoral Fellow, UC-Berkeley***). Mentor for 2020-2022 NIA T32 Postdoctoral Traineeship in the Demography of Aging.

Mao-Mei Liu (***Assistant Researcher, UC-Berkeley***). Mentor for 2020-2022 NIA Re-Entry supplement: *Racial and migrant health disparities in cognitive aging among Puerto Ricans*

Julia Goodman (***Assistant Professor, Oregon Health Sciences University / Portland State University***). Mentorship committee for 2020-2022 NIH BIRCWH K12 traineeship: *Identifying and addressing work-related barriers to care among pregnant and postpartum women*

Hannah Thompson (***Research Scientist, UC-Berkeley***). Co-mentor for 2021-2026 K01 Mentored Research Development Award from NIH: *Increasing compliance with physical education laws to reduce health inequities*

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles**

1. Dow, W. and T. Philipson, "An Empirical Examination of the Implications of Assortative Matching on the Incidence of HIV," *Journal of Health Economics*, 15(6), 1996.
2. Philipson, T. and W. Dow, "Infectious Disease Transmission and Infection Dependent Matching." *Mathematical Biosciences* 148(2):161-80, 1998.

3. Dow, W., "Flexible Discrete Choice Demand Models Consistent with Utility Maximization: An Application to Health Care Demand." *American Journal of Agricultural Economics* 81(3):680-85, 1999.
4. Dow, W., T. Philipson, and X. Sala-i-Martin, "Longevity Complementarities under Competing Risks." *American Economic Review* 89(5):1358-1371, 1999.
5. Dow, W. and D. Harris, "Exclusion of International Medical Graduates from Federal Health Care Programs." *Medical Care* 40(1):68-72, 2002.
6. Anderson, W., E. Norton, and W. Dow, "Medicare Maximization by State Medicaid Programs: Effects on Medicare Home Care Utilization." *Medical Care Research and Review*, 60(2):201-222, 2003.
7. Shin, E., W. Dow, A. Kaluzny, Y. Park, and K. Park, "Disease Coding Errors by Health Care Organizations: Effects of a Government Quality Intervention." *International Journal of Health Planning and Management*, 18:151-159, 2003.
8. Dow, W. and E. Norton, "Choosing Between and Interpreting the Heckit and Two-Part Models for Corner Solutions." *Health Services and Outcomes Research Methodology*, 4(1):5-18, 2003.
9. Dow, W. and K. Schmeer, "Health Insurance and Child Mortality in Costa Rica." *Social Science and Medicine* 57(6):975-986, 2003.
10. Li, Y., E. Norton, and W. Dow, "Influenza and Pneumococcal Vaccination Demand Responses to Changes in Infectious Disease Mortality." *Health Services Research*, 39(4):905-926, 2004.
11. Lee, S-Y, W. Dow, V. Wang, and J. VanGeest, "Use of Deceptive Tactics in Physician Practices: Are There Differences Between International and U.S. Medical Graduates?" *Health Policy*, 67(3):257-264, 2004.
12. Akin, J.S., W. Dow, and P. Lance, "Did the Distribution of Health Insurance in China Continue to Grow Less Equitable in the Nineties? Results from a Longitudinal Survey." *Social Science and Medicine*, 58:293-304, 2004.
13. Lance, P., J. Akin, W. Dow, and C. Loh, "Is Cigarette Smoking in Poorer Nations Highly Sensitive to Price? Evidence From Russia and China." *Journal of Health Economics*, 23(1):173-189, 2004.
14. Liu, Z., W. Dow, and E. Norton, "Effect of Drive-Through Delivery Laws on Postpartum Length of Stay and Hospital Charges." *Journal of Health Economics*, 23(1):129-155, 2004.
15. Liu, G., W. Dow, A. Fu, and J. Akin, "Health Human Capital and Economic Returns: Evidence From Income Growth In China." *China Economic Quarterly*, 4(1):101-116, 2005.
16. Rosero-Bixby, L., W. Dow, and A. Lacle, "Insurance and Other Determinants of Elderly Longevity in a Costa Rican Panel." *Journal of Biosocial Science*, 37(6):705-720, 2005.
17. Akin, J., W. Dow, P. Lance, and C. Loh, "Changes in Access to Health Care in China 1989-1997." *Health Policy and Planning*, 20(2):80-89, 2005.

18. Xie, J. and W. Dow, "Longitudinal Study of Child Immunization Determinants in China." *Social Science and Medicine*, 61(3):601-611, 2005.
19. Bian, J., W. Dow, and D. Matchar, "Medicare HMO Penetration and Mortality Outcomes of Ischemic Stroke." *American Journal of Managed Care*, 12(1):58-64, 2006.
20. Price, M., S. Stewart, W. Miller, F. Behets, W. Dow, F. Martinson, D. Chilongozi, M. Cohen, "The cost-effectiveness of treating male trichomoniasis to avert HIV transmission in men seeking STD care in Malawi." *Journal of AIDS*, 43(2):202-209, 2006.
21. Dow, W., D. Harris, and Z. Liu, "Differential Effectiveness in Patient Protection Laws: What Are the Causes? An Example from the Drive-Through Delivery Laws." *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law*, 31(6):1107-1127, 2006.
22. Baicker, K., W. Dow, and J. Wolfson, "Health Savings Accounts: Implications for Health Spending." *National Tax Journal*, 59(3):463-475, 2006.
23. Fu A., W. Dow, and G. Liu "Propensity Score and Difference-in-Difference Methods: A Study of Second-Generation Antidepressant Use in Patients with Bipolar Disorder." *Health Services and Outcomes Research Methodology*, 7(1-2): 23-38, 2007.
24. Rajan, S., G. Pink ,and W. Dow, "Sociodemographic and Personality Characteristics of Canadian Donors Contributing to International Charity." *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, 38(3):413-440, 2009.
25. Baicker, K., W. Dow, and J. Wolfson, "Lowering the Barriers to Consumer-Directed Health Care: Responding to Concerns." *Health Affairs*, 26(5):1328-1332, 2007.
26. Liu, G., W. Dow, A. Fu, J. Akin, and P. Lance, "Income Productivity in China: on the role of health." *Journal of Health Economics*, 27(1):27-44, 2008.
27. Norton, E., W. Dow, and Y. Do, "Specification tests for the sample selection and two-part models." *Health Services and Outcomes Research Methodology*, 8(4):201-208, 2008.
28. Hsu, J., J. Huang, V. Fung, M. Price, R. Brand, R. Hui, B. Fireman, W. Dow, J. Bertko, and J. Newhouse, "Distributing \$800 Billion: An Early Assessment of the Medicare Part D Risk Adjustment Approach." *Health Affairs*, 28(1):215-225, 2009.
29. Rosero-Bixby, L. and W. Dow, "Surprising SES gradients in mortality, health, and biomarkers in a Latin American population of adults." *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, 64B(1):105-117, 2009.
30. Baicker, K., and W. Dow, "Risk Selection and Risk Adjustment: Improving Insurance in the Individual and Small Group Markets." *Inquiry*, 46:215-228, 2009.
31. Rehkopf, D., W. Dow, and L. Rosero-Bixby, "Differences in the association of cardiovascular risk factors with education: a comparison of Costa Rica (CRELES) and the United States (NHANES)." *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health*, 64(9):821-8, 2010.

32. Gersten, O., W. Dow, and L. Rosero-Bixby, "Stressors over the life course and neuroendocrine system dysregulation in Costa Rica." *Journal of Aging and Health*, 22(6):748-771, 2010.
33. Kawachi I., N. Adler, and W. Dow, "Money, Schooling, and Health: Causal Evidence and Mechanisms." In N. Adler and J. Stewart (eds.) *Biology of Disadvantage. Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences*, 1186:56-68, 2010.
34. Dow, W. and D. Rehkopf, "Socioeconomic gradients in health in international and historical context." In N. Adler and J. Stewart (eds.) *Biology of Disadvantage. Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences* 1186:24-36, 2010.
35. Dow, W., R. Schoeni, N. Adler, and J. Stewart, "Evaluating the Evidence Base: Policies and Interventions to Address SES Gradients in Health." In N. Adler and J. Stewart (eds.) *Biology of Disadvantage. Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences*, 1186:240-251, 2010.
36. Dow, W., B. Fulton, and K. Baicker, "Reinsurance for High Health Costs: Benefits, Limitations, and Alternatives." *Forum for Health Economics & Policy*, 13(2), 2010.
37. Hsu, J., V. Fung, J. Huang, M. Price, R. Brand, R. Hui, B. Fireman, W. Dow, J. Bertko, J. Newhouse, "Fixing Flaws In Medicare Drug Coverage That Prompt Insurers To Avoid Low-Income Patients." *Health Affairs*, 29(12), 2010.
38. Colla, C., W. Dow, and A. Dube, "How do Employers React to a Pay-or-Play Mandate? Early Evidence from San Francisco." *Forum for Health Economics & Policy*, 14(2) article 4, 2011. (Prior version as NBER working paper 16179, 2010.)
39. Schoeni, R., W. Dow, W. Miller, and E. Pamuk, "The Economic Value of Improving the Health of Disadvantaged Americans." *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 40(1S1):S67-S72, 2011. (Prior version published as Technical Report for Overcoming Obstacles to Health: Report from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation to the Commission to Build a Healthier America, 2008.)
40. Fulton, B., and W. Dow, "Is California Different? State-Specific Risk Adjustment Needs under Health Reform." *California Journal of Politics & Policy*, 3(1), 2011.
41. Modrek, S., W. Dow, and L. Rosero-Bixby, "Long-Term Association of Economic Inequality and Mortality in Adult Costa Ricans." *Social Science & Medicine*, 74:158-166, 2012.
42. de Walque, Damien, William H. Dow, Rose Nathan, Ramadhani Abdul, Faraji Abilahi, Erick Gong, Zachary Isdahl, Julian Jamison, Boniphace Jullu, Suneeta Krishnan, Albert Majura, Edward Miguel, Jeanne Moncada, Sally Mtenga, Mathew Alexander Mwanyangala, Laura Packel, Julius Schachter, Kizito Shirima, and Carol A. Medlin, "Incentivising safe sex: a randomized trial of conditional cash transfers for HIV and sexually transmitted infection prevention in rural Tanzania." *BMJ Open* 2012;2:e000747. doi:10.1136/bmjopen-2011-000747, 2012. [Extensive international media coverage including Financial Times, BBC, AFP, etc.]
43. Rosero-Bixby, L., and W. Dow, "Predicting mortality with biomarkers: a population-based prospective cohort study for elderly Costa Ricans." *Population Health Metrics*, 10:11, 2012.



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45. Packel, L., A. Keller, W. Dow, D. de Walque, R. Nathan, S. Mtenga. "Evolving Strategies, Opportunistic Implementation: HIV Risk Reduction in Tanzania in the Context of an Incentive-Based HIV Prevention Intervention." *PLoS ONE*, 7(8): e44058. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0044058, 2012.
46. Krishnan, S., D. Vohra, D. de Walque, C. Medlin, R. Nathan, and W. Dow. "Tanzanian Couples' Perspectives on Gender Equity, Relationship Power, and Intimate Partner Violence: Findings from the RESPECT Study." *AIDS Research and Treatment*, vol. 2012, Article ID 187890, 9 pages. doi:10.1155/2012/187890, 2012.
47. Fulton, B., O. Galarraga, and W. Dow, "Informing Public Policy Toward Binational Health Insurance: Empirical Evidence from California." *Salud Publica de Mexico*, 55(4):S468-S476, 2013.
48. Colla, C., W. Dow, and A. Dube, "San Francisco's 'Pay or Play' Employer Mandate Expanded Private Coverage By Local Firms and A Public Care Program." *Health Affairs*, 32(1):69-77, 2013.
49. Fung, V., M. Price, A. Busch, M. Landrum, B. Fireman, A. Nierenberg, W. Dow, R. Hui, R. Frank, J. Newhouse, and J. Hsu. "Adverse Clinical Events Among Medicare Beneficiaries Using Antipsychotic Drugs: Linking Health Insurance Benefits and Clinical Needs." *Medical Care*, 51(7):614-21, 2013.
50. Fung, V., M. Reed, M. Price, R. Brand, W. Dow, J. Newhouse, and J. Hsu. "Responses to Medicare Drug Costs Among Near-Poor versus Subsidized Beneficiaries." *Health Services Research*, 48(5):1653-68, 2013.
51. White, J., W. Dow, and S. Rungruanghiranya. "Commitment Contracts and Team Incentives for Smoking Cessation: A Randomized Controlled Trial in Thailand." *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 45(5):533-42, 2013.
52. Rehkopf, D., W. Dow, L. Rosero-Bixby, J. Lin, E. Epel, and E. Blackburn. "Longer Leukocyte Telomere Length in Costa Rica's Nicoyan Peninsula: A Population-Based Study." *Experimental Gerontology*, 48(11):1266-1273, 2013. [Featured in *Nature* (news section), September 3, 2013.]
53. Rosero-Bixby, L., W. Dow, and D. Rehkopf. "The Nicoya Region of Costa Rica: A High Longevity Island for Elderly Males." *Vienna Yearbook of Population Research*, 11:109-136, 2013.
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55. Rehkopf, D, W. Dow, L Rosero-Bixby, J. Lin, E. Epel, E. Blackburn. "Seasonal variation of peripheral blood leukocyte telomere length in Costa Rica: a population based observational study." *American Journal of Human Biology*, 26(3):367-375, 2014.

56. Domino, M., W. Dow, and F. Coto. "Educational gradients in psychotropic medication use among older adults: A Costa Rica – U.S. comparison." *Psychiatric Services*, 65(10):1218-25, 2014.
57. Jones-Smith J, W. Dow, K. Chichlowska. "Association between casino opening or expansion and risk of childhood overweight and obesity." *JAMA*, 311(9):929-936, 2014. [With accompanying editorial]
58. Colla, C., W. Dow, A. Dube, and V. Lovell. "Early effects of the San Francisco paid sick leave policy." *American Journal of Public Health*, 104(12):2453-2460, 2014.
59. Rehkopf, D., K. Strully, and W. Dow. "The short-term impacts of Earned Income Tax Credit disbursement on health." *International Journal of Epidemiology*, 43(6):1884-94, 2014.
60. Li, J., W. Dow, and L. Rosero-Bixby. "The Declining Effect of Sibling Size on Children's Education in Costa Rica." *Demographic Research*. 31(48):1431-1454, 2014.
61. Minnis, A., E. vanDommelen-Gonzalez, E. Luecke, H. Cheng, W. Dow, S. Bautista-Arredondo, and N. Padian. "Social network recruitment for Yo Puedo: an innovative sexual health intervention in an underserved urban neighborhood—sample and design implications." *Journal of Primary Prevention*, 36(1):51-64, 2015.
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64. McCoy S., P. Njau, N. Czaicki N, S. Kadiyala, N. Jewell, W. Dow, and N. Padian. "Rationale and design of a randomized study of short-term food and cash assistance to improve adherence to antiretroviral therapy among food insecure HIV-infected adults in Tanzania." *BMC Infectious Disease*, 15:490, 2015.
65. Montoy, J., W. Dow, and B. Kaplan. "Patient Choice in Opt-In, Active-Choice, and Opt-Out HIV Screening: A Randomized Clinical Trial." *British Medical Journal*, 352:h6895, 2016. [With accompanying editorial]
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## **PAPER PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCES**

### **National/International Conference Paper Presentations**

Northeast Universities Development Conference, Yale, 1994  
 Northeast Universities Development Conference, Harvard University, 1995  
 Northeast Universities Development Conference, Boston University, 1996  
 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Health Economics Conference, Boston University, 1996  
 VI Seminar on Applied Statistics, Inter-American Statistical Institute, Costa Rica, 1997  
 Econometric Society winter meeting, 1997  
 Western Economic Association annual meeting, 1997  
 Northeast Universities Development Conference, Williams College, 1997  
 Population Association of America annual meeting, 1997  
 American Economics Association annual meetings, HERO session, 1998  
 International Seminar on Central American Population at the End of the Millenium, 1999  
 American Agricultural Economics Association winter meeting, 1999  
 Population Association of America annual meeting, 1999

International Health Economics Association 2nd world congress, 1999  
12<sup>th</sup> Annual Health Economics Conference, Duke, 2001  
Population Association of America annual meeting, 2002  
IUSSP seminar on Poverty, Programs and Demographic Outcomes, Mexico City, 2003  
American Public Health Association annual meeting, 2003  
Population Association of America annual meeting, 2003  
NBER Summer Institute, 2003  
International Health Economics Association 4<sup>th</sup> world congress, 2003  
14<sup>th</sup> Annual Health Economics Conference, RAND, 2003  
American Economics Association annual meeting, HERO session, 2003  
Gerontological Society of America annual meeting, 2004  
Population Association of America annual meeting, 2004  
NBER Health Care meeting, 2004  
Population Association of America annual meeting poster session, 2005  
American Economics Association annual meetings, 2005  
AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, 2007  
NBER Frontiers in Health Policy Research meeting, 2007  
ERIU Economic Research Initiative on the Uninsured summer meeting, 2007  
International Health Economics Association world congress, 2007  
American Public Health Association annual meeting, 2008  
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American Society of Health Economists annual meeting, 2008  
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International Health Economics Association world congress, 2009 (papers presented by coauthors)  
American Economics Association annual meeting, 2010 (paper presented by coauthor)  
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American Society of Health Economists annual meeting, 2010  
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University of Minnesota, School of Public Health seminar, 1994  
University of Minnesota, Development Economics workshop, 1994  
RAND, Aging, Development, and Population Workshop, 1995  
CIDE, Department of Economics, Mexico City, 1995  
University of Southern California, Economic Development seminar, 1996  
UCLA Labor and Population Workshop, 1997  
Abt Associates, invited seminar, 1997  
Cornell University, Department of Health Policy and Management, 1998  
Iowa State University, Economics Department, 1998  
SUNY Stony Brook, Economics Department, 1998  
Texas A&M University, Economics Department, 1998  
University of Illinois, Agriculture and Consumer Economics Department, 1998

University of North Carolina, Department of Health Policy and Administration, 1998  
Nihon University, Japan, Population Research Institute, 1998  
University of North Carolina, Carolina Population Center seminar, 1999  
East Carolina University, Economics Department Workshop, 2000  
University of North Carolina, Triangle Health Economics Workshop, 2000  
University of North Carolina, Health Services Research Seminar, 2000  
University of North Carolina, Maternal and Child Health Seminar, 2000  
International Seminar on Pharmaceutical Economics and Administration, 2001  
North Carolina State University, Labor Economics Workshop, 2002  
RAND, Health Economics Workshop, 2002  
Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, invited seminar, 2003  
University of Costa Rica, Central American Population Center seminar, 2003  
University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Economics Department workshop, 2003  
University of California at Berkeley, School of Public Health, 2004  
Yale University, School of Public Health, 2004  
University of California at Los Angeles, School of Public Health, 2004  
University of South Florida, Economic Seminar, 2004  
Medical University of South Carolina, 2004  
Duke University, Fuqua School of Business, 2004  
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UC-Irvine, Applied Micro Seminar, 2005  
UCLA, Population Workshop, 2005  
UNC-Chapel Hill, Triangle Health Economics Workshop, 2005  
Stanford University, Health Research and Policy Seminar, 2005  
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UCLA, Biodemography Miniconference, 2009  
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NBER Summer Institute, Health Economics, 2010  
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University of Michigan, Population Studies Center seminar, 2011  
University of Chicago, Public Policy and Economics seminar, 2011  
University of Pennsylvania, Leonard Davis Health Economics research seminar, 2012  
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Tokyo University, Applied Microeconomics Seminar, 2015  
National Sun-Yat Sen University, Taiwan, 2016  
Academia Sinica, Taiwan, 2016  
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[www.creles.berkeley.edu](http://www.creles.berkeley.edu)  
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation grant, "Effects of San Francisco Employer Health Spending Mandate" (\$171,094), 2008-2011. Co-funded by UC California Program on Access to Care, and Labor & Employment Research Fund (\$160,000), 2006-2011. *Fields baseline and follow-up waves of a new longitudinal Bay Area Employer Health Benefits Survey to analyze the impact of San Francisco's employer health spending ordinance.*

Hewlett Foundation grant, “Poverty, Gender Inequities, and Sexual/Reproductive Health: An Impact Evaluation of a Combined Economic and Psycho-social Intervention in southern Tanzania.” (2008-2011), PI: Dow (\$800,927). Co-funded by World Bank \$1,128,968, PI: de Walque; and NBER Africa Fund/Gates Foundation \$60,000, PI: Dow, 2008-11. *Design, implement, and evaluate a randomized AIDS/STI prevention trial in southern Tanzania using conditional cash transfers to reward young adults who reduce risky sexual behaviors.*

NIA RC4 grant, “HIV Screening Take-up: Evaluating Incentives and Opt-out Strategies” (\$910,993), 2010-13. *Fields a behavioral economics experiment to test opt-out and incentive-based strategies for increasing HIV screening rates.*

CEDA/NIA and Berkeley Population Center/NICHHD pilot grants, “Using Group Commitment to Promote Smoking Cessation in Thailand” (\$35,000), 2010-12. *Fields randomized behavioral economics trial using commitment devices with group support to promote smoking cessation.*

Brown Miller Communications for California Department of Health Care Services, “Long-Term Care Economic Insight Report” (\$44,700), 2012. *Projects California’s long-term care needs and informal caregiving burdens.*

NIDA R01 grant, “Smoking Cessation Contracts with Social and Monetary Incentives” (\$1,857,704), 2013-17. *Behavioral economics project fields randomized trial to test commitment contracts, financial incentives, and social influences on smoking cessation in low resource settings.*

NIA R01 grant, “Studies in Global Mortality” (original PI: J. Wilmoth), 2014-15. *Extends the Human Mortality Database to additional years and countries.*

NIA R01 grant, “Variability of Mortality Levels and Trends by State in the United States” (original PI: J. Wilmoth), 2014-16. *Add state-level data to the Human Mortality Database.*

California Health Benefit Exchange, “Participation and Plan Choices within the 2016 California Individual Health Insurance Market” (\$10,000), 2016-17. *Examine risk selection into the California individual health insurance market and between CoveredCA and related markets.*

Gates Foundation (subcontract from Pathfinder), “Addressing Provider Bias towards Serving Adolescents and Youth” (\$319,911), 2017-19. *Test innovative solutions to reduce provider bias toward adolescent family planning.*

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation grant, “Evaluating the San Francisco Paid Parental Leave Ordinance” (\$499,292), 2016-19. *Evaluate effects of San Francisco’s ordinance requiring employers to pay for parental leave.* [www.populationsciences.berkeley.edu/PPLO](http://www.populationsciences.berkeley.edu/PPLO)

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation grant (subaward from IWPR), “Work-Family Support and Health Research Hub” (\$900,000), 2018-21. *Creates a research hub to study income-enhancement and workplace policies that help working parents care for their families and improve family health.*

NIA R01 grant, “Dementia Determinants in Caribbean and U.S. Hispanics” (\$3,302,176), 2019-24. *International comparative analysis of life course determinants and consequences of dementia in Caribbean populations.*

NIA P30 grant, “Center on the Economics and Demography of Aging” (\$3,987,384) 2014-2020, renewed (\$3,753,224) 2020-25. *Center grant to promote UC-Berkeley research on the economics and demography of aging via a pilot grant mechanism, workshop support, and computer core.* [www.populationsciences.berkeley.edu/ceda](http://www.populationsciences.berkeley.edu/ceda)

### **Key personnel**

NIA R03 grant, “Adult Mortality Response to Health Insurance” PI: A. Pebley, 1997-98.

NIA R03 grant, “The Value of Medicare” PI: M. Hurd (\$49,974), 1997-98.

NICHHD P01/R01, “Health, Human Capital, and the Labor Market” PI: D. Thomas, 1998-02.

NICHHD R01 grant, “Economic Transition: The Effects on Health Care in China” PI: J. Akin, 2001-2005.

Wellcome Trust, “Costa Rican Healthy Aging” PI: L. Rosero-Bixby (\$1,538,000), 2004-2009. Role: Co-PI. *Establish the Costa Rican Longevity and Healthy Aging Study (CRELES).*

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation grant, “The Earned Income Tax Credit and Child Obesity: Modifying Effects of Food Prices and Neighborhood” PI: D. Rehkopf, 2009-2011. *Examines the effects of the earned income tax credit on child obesity.*

NIDDK R01 grant, “Neighborhood Effects on Weight Change and Diabetes Risk Factors” PI: B. Laraia, 2009-2014. *Creates a longitudinal database of neighborhood characteristics to assess causal effects of neighborhood food environment on metabolic markers of risk among diabetics at Kaiser.*

NICHD R21 grant, “Yo Puedo: Future Opportunities for Youth” PI: A. Minnis, 2010-12. *Formative project to pilot randomized conditional cash transfers intervention to reduce unintended pregnancy among Latina youth in San Francisco.*

NICHD T32 grant, “Interdisciplinary Training in Demography” PI: R. Lee, 2011-2016. Role: Co-Director. *Multidisciplinary training grant for predoctoral students in population sciences.*

Commonwealth Fund, “Risk Stabilization and Coverage Expansion (RISC): The Individual Health Insurance Market in California.” PI: J. Hsu, 2013-14. *Survey a sample of new enrollees in the CoveredCA health insurance exchange to assess risk balance and market stability.*

NICHD DP2 grant, “A Rigorous System to Determine the Health Impacts of Policies and Programs” PI: J. Ahern, 2013-18. *Develop web-based tool using population health data to analyze health impacts of public policies, with special application to criminal justice policy in California.*

NIA R01 supplement, “Integrating Information about Aging Surveys.” PI: Jinkook Lee, 2014-17. *Add Costa Rican CRELES survey to the Gateway to Global Aging Data website.*

CDC (UCSF subcontract), “Economic Modeling for Prevention of Disease” PI: J. Kahn, 2014-19. *Provide methodological guidance on economic models of disease prevention.*

EASST (East Africa Social Science Translation)/CEGA, “Working with Village Health Teams to Increase ORS Use in Uganda: A Randomized Controlled Trial” 2015-17. *Fielding an RCT to test innovative approaches to increasing use of oral rehydration therapy.*

Strategic Impact Evaluation Fund / World Bank, “RESPECT Study for women at high risk of HIV infection in Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania” PI: D. de Walque, 2015-20. Role: Co-PI. *Design and field randomized trial of an incentive-based intervention to reduce HIV risk.*

NIMH R01 grant, “Optimizing the Efficiency and Implementation of Cash Transfers to Improve Adherence to Antiretroviral Therapy” PI: S. McCoy, 2017-2022. *Evaluate viral suppression effects of an ART-linked cash transfer intervention.*

NIMH R21 grant, “Effectiveness of a short-term incentive program for HIV treatment adherence, retention, and re-engagement in care” PI: S. McCoy, 2018-2020. *Evaluate the long-term effectiveness of an incentive-based intervention for Tanzanian adults living with HIV infection that improved short-term retention in care and adherence to antiretroviral treatment.*

AHRQ T32 grant, “Berkeley Health Services Research Training Program” PI: S. Shortell 2013-18, renewed 2018-2023). Role: Associate Director. *Predocotrinal training grant in health services research.*

NICHD R24/P2C center grants, “Berkeley Population Center” PI: M. Hout 2013-2018, renewal PI: J. Goldstein 2019-2024. Role: Associate Director. *Core funding for campus-wide population center that Dow led effort in founding.*

CA Preterm Birth Initiative/UCSF, “Evaluating the effect of San Francisco’s Paid Parental Leave Ordinance on preterm birth.” PI: D. Karasek, 2020.

NICHD R01 grant, “Community violence and disparities in maternal and infant health: effects and mechanisms” PI: J. Ahern, 2020-2024. Role: Co-investigator. *Quantify the effects of community violence on burden of and disparities in maternal and infant health outcomes, and to examine psychological, behavioral and biological mechanisms that underline these effects.*