

CURRICULUM VITAE
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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

2011 Ph.D., Health Policy & Management, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2006 M.S., Health Policy, George Washington University
2003 B.S., Biology, University of Georgia

PRINCIPAL RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Health & Health Care Disparities	Federally Qualified Health Centers
Medicare-Medicaid Dual Eligibles	Underserved Populations
Observation & Emergency Medicine	Primary Care
Health Politics & Policy	Health Care Reform

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2019 – Associate Professor, Department of Family Medicine, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2019 – Co-Director, Program on Health Care Economics and Finance, Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2019 – Adjunct Associate Professor, Department of Health Management and Policy, College of Public Health, University of Iowa

2018 – 2019 Associate Professor with Tenure, Department of Health Management and Policy, College of Public Health, University of Iowa

2018 – 2019 Associate Professor, Public Policy Center, University of Iowa

2018 – 2019 Director, MS in Health Policy Program, Department of Health Management and Policy, College of Public Health, University of Iowa

2013 – 2018 Assistant Professor, Public Policy Center, University of Iowa

2012 – 2018 Assistant Professor, Department of Health Management and Policy, College of

Public Health, University of Iowa

2012 – 2018 Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice, School of Public Health, Brown University

2011 – 2012 AHRQ/NRSA Postdoctoral Fellowship, Center for Gerontology and Healthcare Research, Brown University

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles (Running Count: 53)

- 2019 Missikpode C, Peek-Asa C, **Wright B**, Ramirez M. Characteristics of Agricultural and Occupational Injuries by Worker's Compensation and other Payer Sources. Forthcoming in *American Journal of Industrial Medicine*.
- 2019 **Wright B**, Porter A, Singer PM, Jones DK. The Devolution of Health Reform? A Comparative Analysis of State Innovation Waiver Activity. *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law*. 44(2): 315-331.
- 2019 Sabbatini AK, **Wright B**, Hall MK, Basu A, Kocher K. Postdischarge Unplanned Care Events Among Commercially Insured Patients with an Observation Stay Versus Short Inpatient Admission. Forthcoming in *Annals of Emergency Medicine*.
- 2018 **Wright B**, Dusetzina SB, Upchurch G. Medicare's Variation in Out-of-Pocket Costs for Prescriptions: The Irrational Examples of In-Hospital Observation and Home Infusion. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*. 66(12): 2249-2253.
- 2018 Sabbatini AK, **Wright B**. Excluding Observation Stays from Readmission Rates—What Quality Measures Are Missing. *New England Journal of Medicine*. 378(22): 2062-2065.
- 2018 Cole MB, Galárraga O, Wilson IB, **Wright B**, Trivedi AN. Medicaid Expansion and Community Health Centers: Care Quality and Service Use Increased for Rural Patients. *Health Affairs*. 37(6): 900-907.
- 2018 **Wright B**, Zhang X, Rahman M, Abir M, Ayyagari P, Kocher K. Evidence of Racial and Geographic Disparities in the Use of Medicare Observation Stays and Subsequent Patient Outcomes Relative to Short-Stay Hospitalizations. *Health Equity*. 2(1): 45-54.
- 2018 Cole MB, **Wright B**, Carey K, Trivedi A. Health Insurance Coverage and Access to Care for Community Health Center Patients. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*. 33(9):1444-1446.
- 2018 **Wright B**, Martin GP, Ahmed A, Banerjee J, Mason S, Roland D. How the Availability of Observation Status Affects Emergency Physician Decisionmaking. *Annals of Emergency Medicine*. 72(4):401-409.

- 2018 Silver B, Rahman M, **Wright B**, Besdine R, Gozalo P, Mor V. Effects of Medicare Medical Reviews on Ambiguous Short-Stay Hospital Admissions. *Health Services Research*. 53(6):4747-4766.
- 2018 **Wright B**, Zhang X, Rahman M, Kocher K. Informing Medicare's Two-Midnight Policy with an Analysis of Hospital-Based Long Observation Stays. *Annals of Emergency Medicine*. 72(2):166-170.
- 2018 Sabbatini AK, **Wright B**, Hall MK, Basu A. The Cost of Observation Care for Commercially Insured Patients Visiting the Emergency Department. *American Journal of Emergency Medicine*. 36(9):1591-1596.
- 2018 Cole MB, **Wright B**, Wilson IB, Galárraga O, Trivedi AN. Longitudinal Analysis of Racial/Ethnic Trends in Quality Outcomes in Community Health Centers, 2009-2014. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*. 33(6): 906-913.
- 2018 **Wright B**, Mestan S, Ahrens M, Bottei E. Trends in Teenagers' Non-Opioid Substance Exposures Reported to Poison Control Centers, 2010 – 2015. *Journal of Pediatrics*. 196: 258-263.
- 2018 **Wright B**, Askelson N, Ahrens M, Bentler S, Momany E, Damiano P. Completion of Requirements in Iowa's Medicaid Expansion Premium Disincentive Program, 2014-2015. *American Journal of Public Health*. 108(2): 219-223.
- 2017 **Wright B**, Potter AJ, Trivedi AN, Mueller KJ. The Relationship Between Rural Health Clinic Use and Potentially-Preventable Hospitalizations and Emergency Department Visits Among Medicare Beneficiaries. *Journal of Rural Health*. 34(4):423-430.
- 2017 Askelson NM, **Wright B**, Bentler S, Momany E, Damiano P. Iowa's Medicaid Expansion Promoted Healthy Behaviors But Was Challenging to Implement and Attracted Few Participants. *Health Affairs*. 36(5): 799-807.
- 2017 Lee MJ, Khan MM, **Wright B**. Is Childhood Socioeconomic Status Related to Coronary Heart Disease? Evidence from the Health and Retirement Study (1992 – 2012). *Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine*. 3: 1-9.
- 2017 Cole MB, Galárraga O, Wilson IB, **Wright B**, Trivedi AN. At Federally-Funded Health Centers, Medicaid Expansion Was Associated with Improved Quality of Care. *Health Affairs*. 36(1): 40-48.
- 2017 **Wright B**, Potter AJ, Trivedi AN. Use of Federally Qualified Health Centers and Potentially-Preventable Hospital Utilization among Older Medicare-Medicaid Enrollees. *Journal of Ambulatory Care Management*. 40(2): 139-149.
- 2016 **Wright B**, O'Shea AMJ, Glasgow JM, Ayyagari P, Vaughan-Sarrazin MS. Outcomes Associated with Observation versus Short-Stay Admission among Chest Pain Patients in

- the Veterans Health Administration. *BMC Emergency Medicine*. DOI: 10.1186/s12873-016-0103-4
- 2016 Martin GP, **Wright B**, Ahmed A, Banerjee J, Mason S, Roland D. Use or Abuse? A Qualitative Study of Physicians' Views on Use of Observation Stays at Three Hospitals in the United States and England. *Annals of Emergency Medicine*. 69(3): 284-292
- 2016 **Wright B**, O'Shea AMJ, Glasgow JM, Ayyagari P, Vaughan-Sarrazin MS. Patient, Hospital, and Local Health System Characteristics Associated with the use of Observation Stays in VHA Hospitals, 2005 to 2012. *Medicine*. 95(36): e4802.
- 2016 **Wright B**, O'Shea AMJ, Glasgow JM, Ayyagari P, Vaughan-Sarrazin MS. Chest Pain Patients at Veterans Hospitals Are Increasingly More Likely to Be Observed Than Admitted for Short Stays. *Inquiry*. 53: 1-6.
- 2016 **Wright B**. Consumers or Citizens? Whose Voice Will Healthwatch Represent and Will It Matter? Commentary on "Challenges Facing Healthwatch, a New Consumer Champion in England." *International Journal of Health Policy and Management*. 5(11): 667-669.
- 2016 Potter AJ, Trivedi AN, **Wright B**. Younger Dual-Eligibles Who Use Federally Qualified Health Centers Have More Emergency Department Visits, But Some Have Fewer Hospitalizations. *Journal of Primary Care & Community Health*. 8(1): 3-8.
- 2016 **Wright B**, Potter AJ, Nattinger MC. Iowa Wavering on Medicaid: From Expansion to "Modernization." *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law*. 41(2): 287-300.
- 2015 **Wright B**, O'Shea AMJ, Ayyagari P, Ugwi P, Kaboli P, Vaughan-Sarrazin MS. Observation Rates at Veterans' Hospitals More Than Doubled During 2005 – 2013, Similar to Medicare Trends. *Health Affairs*. 34(10): 1730-1737.
- 2015 **Wright B**, Potter AJ, Trivedi AN. Federally Qualified Health Center Use Among Dual Eligibles: Rates of Hospitalizations and Emergency Department Visits. *Health Affairs*. 34(7): 1147-1155.
- 2015 **Wright B**, Ugwi P, Nice AJ. Organizational Scope of Practice: Assessing the Primary Care and Public Health Activities of Health Centers and Health Departments in Iowa. *Population Health Management*. 18(2): 137-145.
- 2015 **Wright B**, Nice AJ. Variation in Local Health Department Primary Care Services as a Function of Health Center Availability. *Journal of Public Health Management and Practice*. 21(1): E1-E9.
- 2015 **Wright B**. Voices of the Vulnerable: Community Health Centers and the Promise and Peril of Consumer Governance. *Public Management Review*. 17(1): 57-71.
- 2015 **Wright B**, Damiano PC, Bentler SE. Implementation of the Affordable Care Act and

- Rural Health Clinic Capacity in Iowa. *Journal of Primary Care & Community Health*. 6(1): 61-65.
- 2014 **Wright B**, Damiano PC, Bentler SE. Assessing the Capacity of Iowa's Community Health Centers to Respond to the Opportunities and Challenges of the Affordable Care Act. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*. 25(4): 2032-2043.
- 2014 Feng Z, Jung H-Y, **Wright B**, Mor V. The Origin and Disposition of Medicare Observation Stays. *Medical Care*. 52(9): 796-800.
- 2014 **Wright B**, Jung H-Y, Feng Z, Mor V. Hospital, Patient, and Local Health System Characteristics Associated with the Prevalence and Duration of Observation Care. *Health Services Research*. 49(4): 1088-1107.
- 2014 **Wright B**, Nice AJ. Health Centers in States with Public Health Agency Support Do Not Have Better Chronic Disease Outcomes. *Journal of Primary Care & Community Health*. 5(3): 166-172.
- 2014 **Wright B**, Martin GP. Mission, Margin, and the Role of Consumer Governance in Decision-Making at Community Health Centers. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*. 25(2): 930-947.
- 2013 **Wright B**. Do Patients Have a Voice? The Social Stratification of Health Center Governing Boards. *Health Expectations*. 18(3): 430-437.
- 2013 **Wright B**. Consumer Governance May Harm Health Center Financial Performance. *Journal of Primary Care & Community Health*. 4(3): 202-208.
- 2013 **Wright B**, Jung H-Y, Feng Z, Mor V. Trends in Observation Care among Medicare Fee-for-Service Beneficiaries at Critical Access Hospitals, 2007 – 2009. *Journal of Rural Health*. 29(s1): s1-s6.
- 2013 **Wright B**, Ricketts TC. When Patients Govern: Federal Grant Funding and Uncompensated Care at Federally Qualified Health Centers. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*. 24(2): 954-967.
- 2013 **Wright B**. Rural-Urban Differences in Consumer Governance at Community Health Centers. *Journal of Rural Health*. 29(2): 125-131.
- 2013 **Wright B**. Who Governs Federally Qualified Health Centers? *Journal of Health Politics, Policy & Law*. 38(1): 27-55.
- 2012 Feng Z, **Wright B**, Mor V. Sharp Rise in Medicare Enrollees Being Held in Hospitals for Observation Raises Concerns About Causes and Consequences. *Health Affairs*. 31(6): 1251-1259.

- 2012 **Wright DB.** Consumer Governance and the Provision of Enabling Services at Community Health Centers. *Medical Care*. 50(8): 668-675.
- 2011 **Wright DB,** Scarborough JE. Characterizing and Fostering Charity Care in the Surgeon Workforce. *Annals of Surgery*. 254(1): 169-173.
- 2010 Nelligan C, **Wright B,** Scarborough J, Poley S, Walker E, Ricketts TC. Charity Care among Surgeons. *Bulletin of the American College of Surgeons*. 95(11):40-41.
- 2010 **Wright DB.** Time is Money: Opportunity Cost and Physicians' Provision of Charity Care, 1996-2005. *Health Services Research*. 45(6): 1670-1692.
- 2010 **Wright DB,** Ricketts TC. The Road to Efficiency? Re-Examining the Impact of the Primary Care Physician Workforce on Health Care Utilization Rates. *Social Science & Medicine*. 70(12): 2006-2010.
- 2009 **Wright DB.** Care in the Country: An Historical Case Study of Long-Term Sustainability in Four Rural Health Centers. *American Journal of Public Health*, 99(9): 1612-1618.
- 2008 **Wright DB.** No Way to Go: A Review of the Literature on Transportation Barriers in Health Care. *World Transport Policy and Practice*, 14(3): 7-23.
- 2005 **Wright DB.** Social Justice and Community Health Centers: Commitment to One Gave Rise to the Other. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, 16(4): 607-611.

Monographs

- 2005 Potetz L, **Wright B,** Weiss ML. *March of Dimes Data Book for Policymakers*. Washington, D.C.: March of Dimes Office of Government Affairs. 113 pp.

Encyclopedia Entries

- 2009 **Wright B.** "Congressional Budget Office." in Ross Mullner, et al. (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Health Services Research*. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications.
- 2009 **Wright B.** "Health Resources and Services Administration." in Ross Mullner, et al. (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Health Services Research*. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications.

Book Reviews

- 2010 **Wright DB.** Review of *Taking Care of the Uninsured: A Path to Reform* by James D. Chesney and colleagues in *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, 21(1): 406-409.
- 2007 **Wright B.** Review of *Incidental Findings: Lessons from my Patients in the Art of Medicine* by Danielle Ofri in *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, 18(3): 722-724.

- 2006 **Wright B.** Review of *Community-Based Health Organizations: Advocating for Improved Health* by Marcia Bayne Smith, Yvonne J. Graham, and Sally Guttmacher in *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, 17(1):240-241.

Research Letters, Commissioned Papers/Reports, and Policy Briefs

- 2018 **Wright B**, Martin GP, Ahmed A, Banerjee J, Mason S, Roland D. Reply to Decisionmaking in Emergency Medicine: Experience-Based and Contextually Anchored Rather than Evidence Based and Universal. *Annals of Emergency Medicine*. 72(5):625-626.
- 2016 **Wright B**, Askelson NM, Ahrens, ML, Momany E, Bentler S, Damiano P. Healthy Behaviors Incentive Program Evaluation Claims-Based Outcomes Interim Report. August 31, 2016. Prepared for the Iowa Department of Human Services.
- 2016 Askelson NM, **Wright B**, Bentler S, Momany E, McInroy B, Heeren T, Damiano P. Healthy Behaviors Incentive Program Evaluation Interim Report. March 1, 2016. Prepared for the Iowa Department of Human Services.
- 2014 **Wright B**, Damiano PC, Bentler SE. Ready or Not? The Affordable Care Act and Safety-Net Primary Care Clinic Capacity in Iowa. Prepared for the Commonwealth Fund. Available: http://ppc.uiowa.edu/sites/default/files/fqhc_rhc_capacity_brief.pdf
- 2010 Nelligan C, **Wright B**, Scarborough J, Poley S, Walker E, Ricketts TC. "Charity Care Among Surgeons." American College of Surgeons Health Policy Research Institute, Chapel Hill, North Carolina. Available:http://www.acshpri.org/documents/ACSHPRI_FS4.pdf
- 2005 Rosenbaum S, Wilensky S, Cox M, **Wright DB**. Reducing Obesity Risks During Childhood: The Role of Public and Private Health Insurance. Prepared for RWJF. Available:<http://www.gwumc.edu/sphhs/departments/healthpolicy/CHPR/downloads/Obesity%20Report%20Final.pdf>
- 2005 **Wright B**, Wilensky S, Mauery DR. An Overview of California's Health Centers. Prepared for the California Endowment, February 26, 2005.

Essays and Opinion Pieces

- 2017 Anderson D, **Wright B**. Enhancing Iowa's Flexibility to Reform Insurance Markets in a Single Step. *Des Moines Register*. December 28, 2017. <https://www.desmoinesregister.com/story/opinion/columnists/iowa-view/2017/12/28/enhancing-iowas-flexibility-reform-insurance-markets-single-step/988241001/>
- 2013 **Wright B**. Coming Soon: Your Doctor, the Life Coach. CVS Caremark sponsored series on the Innovation of Care. *The Atlantic*. December 16, 2013.

<http://www.theatlantic.com/sponsored/cvs-innovation-care/coming-soon-your-doctor-life-coach/79/>

- 2007 **Wright B.** A Presidential Healthcare Platform. “AmeriChoice: The Right Choice for Health Care Reform.” *Medicare Patient Management*, 2(5): 16-19.
(Also available at: http://www.kaiseredu.org/essayprizes_wright.asp)

Blog Entries

- 2009 – *Wright on Health* (Indexed by the ACI Scholarly Blog Index)
www.healthpolicyanalysis.com
(Posts also appear in *Huffington Post*, *Health Works Collective*, *KevinMD*, and *Public Health Post*)

Unpublished Research

- 2006 **Wright DB.** Community Governance: An Assessment of the Patient Majority Governing Boards of Georgia’s Federally Qualified Health Centers. Masters Thesis, George Washington University. 105 pp.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS

- 2019 Can a Healthy Behaviors Program Reduce the Likelihood of Hospitalization? Findings from Iowa’s Medicaid Expansion. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Washington, DC. June 4.
- 2019 Understanding Medicaid Enrollees’ Participation in Iowa’s Healthy Behaviors Program, 2014 – 2017. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Washington, DC. June 3. (poster)
- 2018 Health Disparities Implications of the Rapid Rise in Observation Stays. Emergency Medicine Grand Rounds, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL. October 17.
- 2018 A Report on Iowa’s Health Insurance Marketplace. Destabilizing the ACA’s Insurance Market. Brookings Institution / USC Schaeffer Initiative for Health Policy. Washington, DC. July 13.
- 2018 Racial, Geographic, and Gender Disparities in the Use of Medicare Observation Stays within Hospitals. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Seattle, WA. June 24. (poster)
- 2018 Health Care Reform Somewhere in Middle America. 14th Annual Lakes Health Conference, Okoboji, IA. June 8.
- 2018 A Medicare & Medicaid Town Hall. Vintage Cooperative of Coralville. Coralville, IA May 30.

- 2018 The Role of Evidence in Health Reform. 25th National Evidence-Based Practice Conference, Coralville, IA. April 26.
- 2017 Who's In and Who's Out? Racial and Geographic Disparities in Observation Care. Leonard Davis Institute Research Seminar. University of Pennsylvania. December 13.
- 2017 Strategies for Engaging Underserved Communities. National Network of Libraries of Medicine Webinar. May 18.
- 2016 Best Practices in the New Age of Mentorship. AcademyHealth Webinar. Invited Panelist. December 8.
- 2015 Exploring Variation in the Use and Duration of Observation Care. Social Science Applied to Healthcare Improvement Research (SAPPHIRE), University of Leicester, United Kingdom. July 13.
- 2015 Trends and Variation in the Use of Observation Care at VA Hospitals, 2005 – 2013. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Minneapolis, MN. June 15. (poster)
- 2015 Organizational Scope of Practice: Assessing the Primary Care and Public Health Activities of Health Centers and Health Departments in Iowa. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Minneapolis, MN. June 15. (poster)
- 2015 Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Ambulatory-Care Sensitive Hospital Utilization Among Dual Eligibles Receiving Care at Federally Qualified Health Centers. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Minneapolis, MN. June 14.
- 2015 Hospital, Patient, and Local Health System Characteristics Associated with the Prevalence and Duration of Observation Care. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Minneapolis, MN. June 14. (poster)
- 2015 The Primary Care and Public Health Activities of Community Health Centers and Local Health Departments in Iowa. Iowa Governor's Conference on Public Health, Cedar Rapids, IA. April 15.
- 2015 Words Matter: Effective Communication for Busy Professionals. College of Public Health Research Week, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. April 6.
- 2014 What We Know, What We Don't Know, and What We Think We Know About the Affordable Care Act. 36th Annual Iowa Healthcare Executive Symposium, Iowa City, IA. October 31.
- 2014 The Impact of the Affordable Care Act on Your Business, Your Employees, and Yourself. Community Educators Series, Waterloo, IA. July 10.
- 2014 Health Centers: A Strategy for Reducing Potentially Preventable Hospital-Based Care

- Among Dual Eligibles. School of Health and Related Research (ScHARR), University of Sheffield, United Kingdom. July 8.
- 2014 Health Centers: A Strategy for Reducing Potentially Preventable Hospital-Based Care Among Dual Eligibles. Social Science Applied to Healthcare Improvement Research (SAPPHIRE), University of Leicester, United Kingdom. July 7.
- 2014 The Impact of the Affordable Care Act on Your Business, Your Employees, and Yourself. Community Educators Series, Des Moines, IA. January 23.
- 2014 The Impact of the Affordable Care Act on Your Business, Your Employees, and Yourself. Community Educators Series, Marion, IA. January 9.
- 2013 The Impact of the Affordable Care Act on Your Business, Your Employees, and Yourself. “Business to You” Series, Iowa Valley Community College District. Iowa Falls, IA. October 30.
- 2013 Minding the Gaps: The Post-ACA Role of Safety-Net Providers. Affordable Health Care’s Next Act Symposium, Gitenstein Institute for Health Law and Policy, Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY. October 16.
- 2013 Access to Health Care in the United States: A Human Rights Issue? AmeriCorps NCCC North Central Region. Human Rights Day. Vinton, IA. July 11.
- 2013 Trends in Observation Care among Medicare Fee-for-Service Beneficiaries at Critical Access Hospitals versus Prospective Payment Hospitals, 2007 – 2009. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Baltimore, MD. June 24. (poster)
- 2012 The Increasing Use of Hospital Observation Services among Fee-for-Service Medicare Beneficiaries: 2007-2009. 18th Annual NRSA Trainees Research Conference, Orlando, FL. June 23.
- 2011 A Qualitative Inquiry into the Role of Consumer Governance in Health Center Decision-Making. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Seattle, WA. June 14.
- 2010 The Road to Efficiency? Re-exploring the Link between Primary Care Workforce and Health Care Utilization Rates. Urban Institute Health Policy Center, Washington, DC. December 2.
- 2010 The Effects of Data Aggregation on the Link between Primary Care Workforce and Health Care Utilization Rates. 16th Annual NRSA Trainees Research Conference, Boston, MA. June 26.
- 2010 FQHC Governance: Requirements & Oversight. 29th Annual North Carolina Local Health Directors Legal Conference, School of Government, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. April 22.

- 2008 Care in the Country: A Multi-Case Study of Long-Term Sustainability in Four Rural Health Centers. American Public Health Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. October 27.
- 2008 Class Ceilings: Patient Representation on Community Health Center Boards. American Public Health Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. October 27.

MEDIA COVERAGE

- 2018 C-SPAN, National Public Radio, Becker's Hospital Review, Healthcare Informatics, First Report Managed Care, ED Legal Letter
- 2017 New York Times, Bloomberg, Huffington Post, Cedar Rapids Gazette, ED Management, Think Progress
- 2016 Des Moines Register
- 2015 National Public Radio, Modern Healthcare, Kaiser Health News, Chicago Tribune, The Lund Report
- 2014 Cedar Rapids Gazette

FUNDED RESEARCH

Current

- 2017 – 2021 **NIH R01 (National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities)**
The Role of Health Centers in Reducing Disparities in Potentially-Preventable Hospital-Based Care among Dual Eligibles
\$1,588,187
PI: Wright (40% FTE)
- 2015 – 2019 **Iowa Department of Human Services (Contract MED-15-004)**
Healthy Behaviors Incentive Program Evaluation
\$998,078
PI: Askelson / Wright (25% FTE)

In-Preparation/Pending

- 2020 – 2025 **NIH R01 (National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities)**
A Mixed-Methods Study to Assess the Role of Health Centers in Reducing Disparities in Opioid Use Disorder among Dual-Eligibles
PI: Wright (30% FTE)
November 2019 submission planned
- 2020 – 2024 **NIH R01 (National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities)**
The Role of Health Centers in Reducing Disparities in Hepatitis C and Liver Cancer among Dual Eligibles
PI: Wright (35% FTE)
Resubmitted April 2019
- 2020 – 2023 **NIH R01 (National Institute on Aging)**

Observation Stays and Readmissions for Older Adults: Implications for Medicare Policies

PI: Sabbatini Role: Co-Investigator (10% FTE)

July 2019 Resubmission planned

2020 – 2021 **NIH R21 (National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities)**
Keeping Patients Safe: Patient and Event Characteristics Associated with Nurse
Judgments about Safety Concerns Expressed by Hospitalized Patients in Minority
and Other Health Disparity Populations

PI: Groves Role: Co-Investigator (10% FTE)

July 2019 Resubmission planned

2020 **Retirement Research Foundation**

Rural and Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Access to Supports and Services for Older
Adults' Caregivers: The Role of Hospitals

PI: Potter Role: Co-Investigator (10% FTE)

August 2019 submission planned

Completed

2014 – 2016 **NIH R21 (National Institute on Aging)**
Understanding Racial and Geographic Disparities in Hospital Observation Care
\$439,750

PI: Wright (30% FTE)

2014 – 2016 **ORHP Rural Health Research Center Cooperative Agreement**

Rural Health Clinic Care Impact on Preventable Hospitalization

\$660,000

PI: Mueller Role: Co-Investigator (25% FTE)

2015 **University of Iowa Faculty Development Award for Global Public Health**

How Doctors Decide: Observation Care and Clinical Decision Making in
Emergency Departments in the United States and the United Kingdom

\$14,908

PI: Wright (Internal pilot award does not support salary)

2013 – 2014 **U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs VA-IPA**

Trends and Variation in Observation Care at VA Hospitals

\$89,843

PI: Wright (48.5% FTE)

2013 – 2014 **U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs VA-IPA**

FQHC Availability and Variation in VA Outpatient Care

\$23,614

PI: Wright (15% FTE)

- 2013 **Retirement Research Foundation #2012-225**
Do Federally Qualified Health Centers Reduce Hospital-Based Care of Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions among Medicaid-Medicare Dual Eligibles?
\$71,532
PI: Wright (30% FTE)
- 2013 **University of Iowa College of Public Health New Investigator Award**
Federally Qualified Health Center and Local Health Department Efforts to Integrate Primary Care and Public Health in Combating Chronic Disease
\$10,000
PI: Wright (Internal pilot award does not support salary)

HONORS

- 2018 Dr. Carol S. Gleich Development Award, University of Iowa
2018 Editor's Pick: Top 10 Article of 2017, *Health Affairs*
2016 Exceptional Reviewer, *Journal of Rural Health*
2016 John D. Thompson Prize for Young Investigators, AUPHA
2016 James N. Murray Award (for excellence in research, teaching, and service), University of Iowa
2015 Exceptional Reviewer, *Journal of Rural Health*
2015 Presidential Scholar, AcademyHealth Institute on Advocacy and Public Policy
2014 Invited Participant, Communicating Ideas Workshop, University of Iowa
2012 – 2016 NIH Extramural Loan Repayment Program Award Recipient – Health Disparities
2010 Exceptional Reviewer, *Medical Care*
2010 First Place, Costs of Care Essay Competition, Non-Clinician Category
2009 Harry T. Phillips Award for outstanding doctoral student teaching, UNC-Chapel Hill
2007 First Place, KaiserEDU.org Student Essay Competition, Graduate Student Division
2006 University Merit Assistantship, UNC-Chapel Hill
2006 – Member, Delta Omega Public Health Honor Society
2004 Departmental Merit Scholarship, George Washington University

TEACHING

Graduate-Level Courses Taught

- Independent Research (Spring 2017)
Health Policy (EMHA course) (Spring 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019)
Health Policy Analysis (Spring 2014 – 2016, 2018, 2019)
Introduction to the US Healthcare System (online) (Summer 2014 – 2019)
Introduction to Healthcare Organization & Policy (Fall 2013 – 2018)
Guided Research (Fall 2013, Spring 2014)
Independent Study: Iowa's Alternatives to the Medicaid Expansion (Spring 2013)

PhD Student Dissertation Committees

- 2019 – Abiodun Salako (University of Iowa). *The Impact of State Nurse Practitioner Scope-of-Practice Regulations on Access to Primary Care in Health Professional Shortage Areas*. Committee member
- 2019 – Rebecca Whitaker (UNC-Chapel Hill). *A Study of Preventable Hospital Utilization among Medicaid-Insured Pediatric Patients in North Carolina’s Federally Qualified Health Centers*. Committee member
- 2017 – Benjamin Silver (Brown University). *The Effects of Medicare’s “Medical Review” Program on Inpatient Hospitalization, Patient Outcomes, and Costs of Care*. Committee member
- 2017 – Megan Cole (Brown University). *The Impact of Medicaid Expansion on Community Health Centers: Effects on Health Insurance Coverage, Quality of Care, and Patient Volume*. Committee member
- 2016 – Matthew Nattinger (University of Iowa). *Examining the Formation of Medicaid Elderly 1915(c) Waivers*. Committee member

Student Advising (to date)

- PhD Program: 6 students
 MHA Program: 16 students
 MPH Policy Program: 3 students
 MS in Health Policy Program: 2 students

SERVICEDepartmental / Collegiate Service (University of Iowa)

- 2019 Departmental Consulting Group for Promotion Review of Mary Hensley
 2019 Departmental Consulting Group for Promotion Review of Sabi Singh
 2018 – Faculty Advisor to HMP Social Media Committee
 2018 – Academic Programs Quality Improvement Committee
 2018 College of Public Health Global Health Case Competition Writing Team
 2017 – 2018 College of Public Health Global Health MOU Subcommittee
 2017 – College of Public Health Global Health Committee
 2016 – 2018 College of Public Health Rural Health and Safety Opportunity Committee
 2016 Summer Research Opportunities Program (SROP) Mentor
 2016 College of Public Health Visibility Work Group
 2016 – MS in Health Policy Admissions Committee
 2013 – 2016 College of Public Health Research Council
 2013 – 2016 PhD Preliminary Examination Committee
 2013 – 2016 PhD Quality Improvement Committee
 2012 – 2018 PhD Admissions Committee
 2012 – 2016 MPH in Policy Quality Improvement Committee
 2012 – MPH in Policy Admissions Committee

Professional Service

- 2019 Co-Leader, Disparities and Health Equity Theme, AcademyHealth ARM
 2019 Session Chair, Disparities and Health Equity, AcademyHealth ARM

- 2018 – 2021 Member, Technical Advisory Panel, Financial Analysis Research Agenda, HRSA/BPHC
- 2018 – 2019 Chair, Disparities Interest Group Advisory Committee, AcademyHealth
- 2018 Abstract Reviewer, Best of the Interest Group Meetings Abstracts, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2018 Session Chair, Late-Breaking Abstracts, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2018 Abstract Reviewer, Late-Breaking Abstracts, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2018 Abstract Reviewer, Disparities and Health Equity, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2017 – 2018 Vice Chair, Disparities Interest Group Advisory Committee, AcademyHealth
- 2016 – 2022 Winston Scholarship Selection Committee, AUPHA
- 2016 Expert, Meet-the-Experts Student Breakfast, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2016 Leader, Disparities and Health Equity Poster Walk, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2016 Reviewer and Best Poster Judge, Student Poster Theme, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2016 Session Chair, Disparities Interest Group Meeting, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2016 Chair, Abstract Review, Disparities Interest Group Meeting, AcademyHealth
- 2015 – 2017 Member, Disparities Interest Group Advisory Committee, AcademyHealth
- 2014 Session Chair & Reviewer, Health Disparities, AcademyHealth ARM
- 2013 – 2015 Member, Translation and Dissemination Interest Group Advisory Committee, AcademyHealth
- 2011 – 2012 Session Co-Chair & Reviewer, Health Workforce, AcademyHealth ARM

Grant Proposal Reviewer

- 2017 – 2019 National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD)
- 2015 – 2017 Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute
- 2014 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Editorial Boards

- 2018 – *BMC Health Services Research*, Associate Editor
- 2017 – *Inquiry*, Editorial Review Board Member

Manuscript Reviewer (ad hoc):

American Journal of Emergency Medicine
American Journal of Public Health
Annals of Emergency Medicine
BMC Health Services Research
BMJ
BMJ Open
Family Medicine
Health Affairs
Health Care Management Review
Health Equity
Health Expectations
Health & Place
Health Policy
Health Policy and Technology
Health Services Research

Inquiry

JAMA

Journal of General Internal Medicine

Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved

Journal of Health Politics, Policy & Law

Journal of Hospital Medicine

Journal of Public Health Management & Practice

Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities

Journal of Rural Health

Medical Care

Medical Care Research and Review

New England Journal of Medicine

PLOS ONE

Progress in Community Health Partnerships

Publius: The Journal of Federalism

SAGE Publishing, Inc. (textbook review)

Social Science & Medicine

World Medical & Health Policy

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2017 – Present	Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management
2014 – Present	American Political Science Association, Health Politics & Policy Section
2013 – Present	Association of University Programs in Health Administration
2009 – Present	AcademyHealth
2006 – Present	American Public Health Association