

**CENTER *for* HEALTH POLICY *and* RESEARCH**  
COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

## *Center Report*

# **Research and Educational Activities**

**July 1, 2005 – December 31, 2006**



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Dear Colleagues,

It is our pleasure to provide you with this report of the research and educational activities of the Center for Health Policy and Research (CHPR). We are changing our reporting timeframe to match the calendar year. Thus, this report covers an 18-month period from July 1, 2005 through December 31, 2006.

This report provides descriptions of the 20 funded research projects housed in the Center. Affiliated with CHPR are 21 Center Associates who use CHPR as their base for research activities. CHPR-based projects provided salary support to an additional 19 Center Affiliates and 24 Graduate Research Assistants. Also listed are other research projects, housed outside CHPR, that support Center Associates and publications and presentations during this period involving our Center Associates.

The Center supports the Department of Health Management and Policy doctoral program and offers weekly educational activities. This annual report lists the Seminar Series, Research Updates, and Methods Workshop presentations during this period. In addition, the Center co-sponsored a conference in Des Moines – the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference for Quality, Patient Safety and Value.

As you will see from this report, the CHPR Associates, Affiliates, and Graduate Research Associates are working on important health policy and research issues. We enjoy sharing news of our research and educational activities and hope you find this report useful.

Sincerely yours,

Marcia M. Ward, Ph.D.  
Director

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**July 1, 2005 to December 31, 2006**

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Audrey Saftlas, Ph.D.	Department of Epidemiology
John Schneider, Ph.D.	Department of Health Management and Policy
James Torner, Ph.D.	Department of Epidemiology
Tanya Uden-Holman, Ph.D.	Department of Health Management and Policy
Thomas Vaughn, Ph.D.	Department of Health Management and Policy
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\* Center Associates include faculty who are principal investigators on research projects based in the Center for Health Policy and Research.

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**July 1, 2005 to December 31, 2006**

Hyonggin An, Ph.D.	Department of Biostatistics
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John Ely, M.D.	Department of Family Medicine
Michael Flaum, M.D.	Department of Psychiatry
Josephine Gittler, J.D.	College of Law
Arthur Hartz, M.D., Ph.D.	Department of Family Medicine
Paul James, M.D.	Department of Family Medicine
Scott Lindgren, Ph.D.	Department of Pediatrics
Robert Ohsfeldt, Ph.D.	Texas A&M University
Claire Pavlik, Ph.D.	Department of Geography
Jane Pendergast, Ph.D.	Department of Biostatistics
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Bonnie Wakefield, R.N., Ph.D.	Harry S Truman Memorial Veterans Hospital
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Robert Wallace, M.D., M.Sc.	Department of Epidemiology
Dale Zimmerman, Ph.D.	Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science/Biostatistics

\*\* Center Affiliates include faculty who receive a portion of salary support from research projects based in the Center for Health Policy and Research.

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**July 1, 2005 to December 31, 2006**

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\*\*\* Graduate Research Assistants are students in masters and Ph.D. programs who receive a portion of salary support from research projects based in the Center for Health Policy and Research.

**RESEARCH PROJECTS WITH CHPR ASSOCIATES AS PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATORS  
July 1, 2005 to December 31, 2006**

Title: "Midwest AIDS Training and Education Center"  
Source: Health Resources and Services Administration through the University of Illinois  
Principal Investigator: Jeffrey Meier  
Direct funds: \$1,566,286  
Period of funding: 1988 – 2007  
Description: This project conducts training programs and disseminates expert, up-to-date information on HIV/AIDS. Over its 19 years, it has offered thousands of programs and is responsive to the needs, challenges, and concerns of all types of healthcare providers.

Title: "Domestic Abuse in Pregnancy and Adverse Birth Outcomes"  
Source: National Institutes of Health/NICHD  
Principal Investigator: Audrey Saftlas  
Direct funds: \$1,172,510  
Period of funding: 2001 – 2007  
Description: This project is a population-based case-control study of Iowa women. The goal is to determine if domestic violence and prenatal stress increase the risk of preterm delivery and intrauterine growth retardation.

Title: "A GIS-Based Workbench to Interpret Cancer Maps"  
Source: National Institutes of Health/National Cancer Institute  
Principal Investigator: Gerard Rushton  
Key Personnel: Marc Armstrong, David Bennett, Elizabeth Chrischilles, Bradley Doebbeling, Barry Greene, Claire Pavlik, Jane Pendergast, Michele West  
Direct funds: \$905,505  
Period of funding: 2002 – 2006  
Description: This research developed and tested a methodology for identifying regions of excess cancer burden for breast and colorectal cancer in Iowa. It refined measures of geographic access to cancer prevention, treatment, and screening services in Iowa by computing values using fine-scaled geographic data on individuals, the spatial choices for individuals, and the locations of service providers.

Title: "The Real Choices Initiative: Developing a Screening and Assessment Process for Older Iowans"  
Source: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services  
Principal Investigator: Brian Kaskie  
Key Personnel: Rachel Anderson  
Direct funds: \$67,465  
Period of funding: 2003 – 2005  
Description: This research documented the institutional bias that affects where older Iowans receive long-term care services. The project also evaluated and piloted a clinical screening process that allows older adults to have "real choices" in how and where they will receive long-term care services. As a part of the Iowa Real Choices Initiative, a screening and assessment process was developed for older adults in need of long-term care services. The goal in developing and disseminating a statewide screening and assessment process is to prevent unwanted institutionalization among older adults in need of long-term care. The process specifically will help older Iowans identify appropriate and affordable home and community-based alternatives to residential care.

Title: "Integrating VA Cost Data into Organizational Analyses"  
Source: VA Merit Review Entry Program. Veteran's Health Administration; Health Services Research and Development  
Principal Investigator: John Schneider  
Key Personnel: Robert Ohsfeldt  
Direct funds: \$147,000  
Period of funding: 2003 – 2006  
Description: This is a career award to build a research agenda on integrating clinical, economic, and organizational data within the VA system. The studies that were generated focus on the clinical and organizational effects of process innovation (e.g., clinical practice guidelines) on facility and system costs. This award funding is currently assumed under the VA IIR Grant "Economic Effects of Clinical Practice Guidelines".

Title: "Prostate Cancer Geocoding: Ensuring Fitness for Use"  
Source: Association of Schools of Public Health/Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
Principal Investigator: Barry Greene  
Key Personnel: Marc Armstrong, Josephine Gittler, Gerard Rushton, Michele West, Dale Zimmerman,  
Direct funds: \$509,441  
Period of funding: 2003 – 2007  
Description: This project focused on reviewing prostate cancer geocoding issues in relation to the geographic information science principle of "fitness for use". A meeting of experts from academe, relevant government departments, cancer registry operations, and legal practice was convened to identify key geocoding issues. An edited book is being prepared that will cover the major issues identified as well as a primer on geocoding for prostate cancer control and prevention activities.

Title: "Joint Study of Hospital Governance and Leadership: An Assessment of QI Relationships"  
Source: Island Peer Review Organization, Inc./US Department of Health & Human Services, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
Principal Investigator: Samuel Levey  
Key Personnel: Thomas Vaughn  
Direct funds: \$149,905  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2005  
Description: The Three State Hospital Pilot studied the impact of hospital governance and leadership on hospital quality of care. Interviews with hospitals' board members and executive leadership were conducted to gather information about the quality structures and processes in place at 20 hospitals in New York and Iowa. These structures and processes were analyzed in relation to hospital and system performance on objective quality measures so as to identify and encourage those characteristics most likely to improve the clinical performance of hospitals.



Title: "Maternal-Fetal HLA Sharing and Risk of Preeclampsia"  
Source: Association of Schools of Public Health  
Principal Investigator: Audrey Saftlas  
Direct funds: \$1,564,614  
Period of funding: 2004-2007  
Description: This project is a population-based case-control study of Iowa women. The goal is to determine if maternal-fetal HLA sharing is a risk factor for preeclampsia.

Title: "Physical Frailties in Urban African Americans"  
Source: Indiana University/National Institutes of Health  
Principal Investigator: Fredric Wolinsky  
Direct funds: \$204,173  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2007  
Description: The objective of this study is to continue annual follow-ups of the 865 surviving members of the original random sample of 998 middle aged African Americans living in two geographic areas of St. Louis, Missouri. The project focuses on three specific aims: 1) investigate further the timing, antecedents, sequence, and consequences of the disablement process; 2) study recovery from disablement; and 3) examine longitudinally the antecedents and consequences of sarcopenia.

Title: "Health Information Technology Value in Rural Hospitals"  
Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality  
Principal Investigator: Marcia Ward  
Key Personnel: James Bahensky, John Ely, Arthur Hartz, Paul James, Robert Ohsfeldt, Tanya Uden-Holman, Thomas Vaughn, Bonnie Wakefield, Douglas Wakefield  
Direct funds: \$901,793  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2007  
Description: This project is designed to determine the extent of current HIT capacity in rural hospitals, the potential value of enhanced HIT use, and barriers to adoption of HIT. Using this information, decision support tools for HIT investment decisions in rural hospitals will be developed aimed at enhancing healthcare quality and patient safety.

Title: "Rural Iowa Redesign of Care Delivery with EHR Functions"  
Source: Trinity Health/Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality  
Principal Investigator: Marcia Ward  
Key Personnel: Rujuta Vidal, Douglas Wakefield  
Direct funds: \$332,691  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2008  
Description: This project is an evaluation of the implementation of a comprehensive, integrated EHR system with CPOE and clinical decision support tools in a rural referral hospital in Iowa. Change in medication errors, use of evidence-based practices, and patient/provider satisfaction are being assessed as part of a multimodel evaluation.

Title: "Health and Health Services Use in the HRS/AHEAD"  
Source: National Institutes of Health  
Principal Investigator: Fredric Wolinsky  
Key Personnel: Hyonggin An, Elizabeth Chrischilles, Robert Ohsfeldt, Gary Rosenthal, Robert Wallace  
Direct funds: \$1,244,592  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2009  
Description: The objective of this study is an in-depth examination of the health and health services use of the 7,447 HRS/AHEAD respondents aged 70 years old or older at baseline. Public use data are being analyzed from the baseline (1993) and the 1995, 1998, 2000, 2002, and 2004 follow-up interviews merged with data from three of the restricted access files: Medicare claims, National Death Index, and geocodes. One goal is to address the role of market structures and supply factors on the use of health services for older adults, including oversamples of African Americans and Hispanics.

Title: "U of I College of Public Health HMP Doctoral Student Data Analysis Projects 2005 - AHRQ Inpatient, Safety and Prevention Quality Reports"  
Source: Iowa Hospital Association/Iowa Healthcare Collaborative  
Principal Investigator: Marcia Ward  
Direct funds: \$48,515  
Period of funding: 2005 – 2006  
Description: This project supports an HMP doctoral student to conduct analysis of the AHRQ patient safety indicators and the inpatient quality indicators. These analyses will be used by the Iowa Healthcare Collaborative for public reporting of hospital quality.

Title: "Iowa Care/Behavioral Health"  
Source: Iowa Department of Human Services  
Principal Investigator: Rachel Anderson  
Key Personnel: Michael Flaum, Brian Kaskie, Scott Lindgren, Jeffrey Lobas  
Direct Funds: \$18,565  
Period of funding: 2005 – 2006  
Description: This critical review of the literature focused on identifying a continuum of care for adults with serious mental illness and children with serious emotional disturbance. This review documented the established guidelines for inpatient hospitalization, and factors associated with a reduction in length of stay. A critical review of the literature was also provided to identify cost-efficient community-based alternatives that have been shown to be effective in reducing the risk of hospitalization.

Title: "Iowa Care/Mental Health Transformation"  
Source: Iowa Department of Human Services  
Principal Investigator: Rachel Anderson  
Key Personnel: Michael Flaum  
Direct Funds: \$25,201  
Period of funding: 2005 – 2006  
Description: The research established a continuum of care for adults and children with serious mental illness in Iowa, defined the appropriateness of placement along levels of care, identified the outcomes associated with these levels of care across cost and quality indicators, and identified factors associated with reduced length of stay for persons who had been hospitalized.

Title: "Iowa Care/Reviews of Evidence-Based Practices"  
Source: Iowa Department of Human Services  
Principal Investigator: James Bahensky  
Key Personnel: Marcia Ward  
Direct Funds: \$25,562  
Period of funding: 2005 – 2006  
Description: A review of the literature on the effect of electronic medical records on patient care quality was conducted. Special attention was paid to barriers that exist in rural setting and recommendations for addressing those barriers in Iowa were presented.

Title: “Primary and Mental Health Services for Rural Children”  
Source: US Department of Health & Human Services  
Principal Investigator: Rachel Anderson  
Direct Funds: \$98,500  
Period of funding: 2006 – 2007  
Description: This research examines the extent to which primary physicians recommend care along national standard guidelines for youth with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, barriers to the recommendation of guideline concordant care and the impact on clinical and psychosocial outcomes. Further, this work examines the extent to which primary care physicians collaborate with the specialty sector and whether collaboration has any impact on clinical and psychosocial outcomes.

Title: “Governance in Nonprofit Community-Based Health Systems”  
Source: W.K. Kellogg Foundation  
Principal Investigator: Lawrence Prybil  
Direct Funds: \$237,000  
Period of funding: 2006 – 2008  
Description: This study will examine governance structures, practices, and culture in a group of non-profit community health systems. It will compare the existing structures, practices, and culture to emerging standards (“best practices”) in the nonprofit field.

Title: “Adverse Outcomes of Dual Use of Health Systems among Male Veterans”  
Source: US Department of Health & Human Services  
Principal Investigator: Fredric Wolinsky  
Key Personnel: Hyonggin An  
Direct Funds: \$45,000  
Period of funding: 2006 – 2008  
Description: This student examines the potentially adverse outcomes of dual use of both the VHA and Medicare among older male veterans. The overall hypothesis is that dual use increases the risk of being hospitalized for ambulatory care sensitive conditions, and increases the risk of mortality. The presumed etiologic mechanism is the lack of continuously coordinated health care.

Title: Health Services and Outcomes in Elderly Black Women  
Source: US Department of Health & Human Services  
Principal Investigator: Adaeze Akamigbo  
Direct Funds: \$125,648  
Period of funding: 2004-2008  
Description: The goal of this research project is to examine risk perceptions, access, and outcomes of nursing home placement among Black and White older adults in the Health and Retirement Study. This pre-doctoral training grant investigates the antecedent factors that determine disparities in risk and outcomes of nursing home placement.

**OTHER RESEARCH PROJECTS SUPPORTING CHPR ASSOCIATES  
July 1, 2005 to December 31, 2006**

Title: “Laboratory Appraisal Program for CLIA-88 Compliance and Certification”  
Source: Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals/Health Care Financing Administration  
Principal Investigator: Mary Gilchrist  
Direct funds: \$3,636,534  
Period of funding: 1993 – 2005

Title: “Hygienic Laboratory Funding”  
Source: Iowa Department of Public Health/Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
Principal Investigator: Mary Gilchrist  
Direct funds: \$10,171,014  
Period of funding: 1993 – 2005

Title: “Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases”  
Source: Iowa Department of Public Health/CDC  
Principal Investigator: Lucy Desjardin  
Center Investigator: Mary Gilchrist  
Direct funds: \$2,465,692  
Period of funding: 2000 – 2006

Title: “Upper Midwest Public Health Training Center”  
Source: Health Resources and Services Administration  
Principal Investigator: Christopher Atchison  
Center Investigators: Barry Greene, Tanya Uden-Holman  
Direct funds: \$2,075,125  
Period of funding: 2001 – 2006

Title: “Real Choices: Systems Change Grant for Community Living”  
Source: Iowa Department of Human Services/National Institutes of Health  
Principal Investigator: Robert Bacon  
Center Investigator: Brian Kaskie  
Direct funds: \$1,282,408  
Period of funding: 2002 – 2005

Title: “Public Health Preparedness and Response for Bioterrorism-  
Laboratory Capacity: Biological Agents, Chemical Agents, and  
HRSA”  
Source: Iowa Department of Public Health/Centers for Disease Control and  
Prevention  
Principal Investigator: Michael Pentella  
Center Investigator: Mary Gilchrist  
Direct funds: \$5,625,608  
Period of funding: 2002 – 2005

Title: “Step-Up: Integrating Tobacco into a Public Health Curriculum”  
Source: Association of Schools of Public Health and the American Legacy  
Foundation  
Principal Investigator: John Lowe  
Center Investigators: Rachel Anderson, Christopher Atchison  
Direct funds: \$136,889  
Period of funding: 2002 – 2005

Title: “Improving the Health of Rural Iowans through Nutrition and  
Exercise”  
Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
Principal Investigator: John Lowe  
Center Investigator: John Schneider  
Direct funds: \$1,357,379  
Period of funding: 2002 – 2009

Title: “Comparative Study of Governing Boards in High-Performing Not-  
For-Profit Hospitals”  
Source: Consortium including W. K. Kellogg Foundation, Witt/Kieffer,  
Sullivan, Cotter and Associates, Jennings, Ryan and Kolb, and  
HRET  
Principal Investigator: Lawrence Prybil  
Center Investigator: Samuel Levey  
Direct funds: \$110,000  
Period of funding: 2003 – 2005

Title: “Educational Outreach Program Series”  
Source: Wellmark, Inc.  
Principal Investigator: Lawrence Prybil  
Direct funds: \$54,500  
Period of funding: 2003 – 2005

Title: “Public Health Traineeship Grant”  
Source: Health Resources and Services Administration  
Principal Investigator: Tanya Uden-Holman  
Direct funds: \$49,346  
Period of funding: 2003 – 2006

Title: “Development of an Academic Health Department in Iowa”  
Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention through Association of Schools of Public Health  
Principal Investigator: Christopher Atchison  
Center Investigators: Tanya Uden-Holman  
Direct funds: \$92,593  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2005

Title: “Center for Research in the Implementation of Innovative Strategies in Practice (CRIISP)”  
Source: Veterans Administration Health Services Research and Development  
Principal Investigator: Gary Rosenthal  
Center Investigators: John Schneider, Thomas Vaughn, Marcia Ward, Fredric Wolinsky  
Direct funds: \$3,600,000  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2009

Title: “Gerontological Nursing Interventions Research Center”  
Source: National Institutes of Health  
Principal Investigator: Toni Tripp-Reimer  
Center Investigator: Fredric Wolinsky  
Direct funds: \$1,592,741  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2009

Title: “Upper Midwest Center for Public Health Preparedness”  
Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
Principal Investigator: Christopher Atchison  
Center Investigators: Barry Greene, Tanya Uden-Holman  
Direct funds: \$5,630,395  
Period of funding: 2004 – 2009



Title: “The Iowa Coalition on Mental Health and Aging”  
Source: Iowa Department of Human Services/Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration  
Principal Investigator: Kathleen Buckwalter  
Center Investigator: Brian Kaskie  
Direct funds: \$74,951  
Period of funding: 2005

Title: “Medicaid and Individuals with Mental Disabilities”  
Source: Nellie Ball Trust Research Fund  
Principal Investigator: Josephine Gittler  
Center Investigator: Rachel Anderson  
Direct funds: \$20,000  
Period of funding: 2005 – 2006

Title: “Assessing Workplace Health Promotion”  
Source: Wellmark Foundation  
Principal Investigator: John Lowe  
Center Investigator: John Schneider  
Direct funds: \$23,810  
Period of funding: 2005 – 2006

Title: “Promoting Health and Reducing Obesity in Children: A Community-Based Planning Project in Iowa”  
Source: W.K. Kellogg Foundation  
Principal Investigator: Linda Snetselaar  
Center Investigator: Lawrence Prybil  
Direct Funds: \$199,997  
Period of Funding: 2006 – 2007

Title: “Iowa Care/Reviews of Evidence-Based Practices”  
Source: Iowa Department of Human Services  
Principal Investigator: Scott Lindgren  
Center Investigators: Rachel Anderson, Brian Kaskie  
Direct Funds: \$163,789  
Period of funding: 2005 – 2006

**PUBLICATIONS BY CHPR ASSOCIATES  
JULY 1, 2005 to December 31, 2006**

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**PRESENTATIONS BY CHPR ASSOCIATES**  
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**Anderson RL.** State of the state on globalized assessment for children with serious emotional disturbance: Policy and organization initiatives. Tanager Place, Cedar Rapids, IA, December 2005.

**Anderson RL.** Tools to empower parents: Early identification of needs and linkage to appropriate care. Public Forum as part of the Year of Engagement Award, Des Moines, IA, March 2006.

**Anderson RL.** Finding the balance in an evolving service sector: The role of the ANSA in matching treatment need to service delivery. Keynote Address, CANS Conference, Chicago IL, May 2006.

**Anderson RL.** The link between standard clinical guidelines and clinical outcomes for children served in primary care settings. CANS Conference, Chicago IL, May 2006.

**Anderson RL.** The treatment of children with ADHD in primary care settings. Invited Presentation, Sponsored by the Centers for Disease Control, Atlanta GA, August, 2006.

**Anderson RL.** Assessment of youth adjustment to trauma: CANS-MH scale and Polaris youth. Presented to the American Psychiatric Association's Psychiatric Institute Workshop, 2006.

**Atchison CG.** The role of the public health community in addressing the problems of youth overweight and obesity. Ames, IA, March 2005.

**Atchison CG.** Taking the reins in public health: The state health leadership initiative. APHA Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, December 2005.

**Atchison CG.** Improving public health outcomes: Bridging academia and practice. 2006 Iowa Public Health Conference, Ames, IA, March 2006.

**Atchison CG.** Advancing disability policy through public health partnerships. CDC State Disability and Health Grantee Meeting, Ames, IA, June 2006.

**Atchison CG.** Public health forecasting. Great Plains Public Health Leadership Institute, August 2006.

**Atchison CG.** Moderator, Assuring better child development (ABCD) within Medicaid. NASHP 19<sup>th</sup> Annual State Health Policy Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, October 2006.

**Atchison CG.** Concurrent session, Strategies for workforce development. Expanding Our Vision, Transforming Vital Public Health Systems, Omaha, NE, October 2006.

**Atchison CG.** Using a learning management system to integrate and implement a public health workforce development model. APHA Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, November 2006.

**Bahensky JA.** Project management workshop – basics. Spring Iowa Healthcare IT Conference - Iowa HIMSS, April 2005.

**Bahensky JA.** Project management workshop – building a workplan. Spring Iowa Healthcare IT Conference - Iowa HIMSS, April 2006.

**Gilchrist MJR.** Polio to SARS: Toward a century of health. Rotary Club, Des Moines, IA, 2005.

**Kaskie B.** Mental health service use among older Californians. American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry Annual Meeting, March 2005.

**Kaskie B.** Civic engagement of older Americans. Research presented to the National Council on Aging, Washington, DC, August 2005.

**Kaskie B.** The varieties of civic engagement experiences. Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, November 2005.

**Kaskie B.** Strategic planning for evidence based models of care for older adults with mental illnesses. Joint Panel of Administration on Aging/National Institute of Mental Health, Washington, DC, December, 2006.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** Partnering to build leaders: The Iowa experience. AUPHA Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, June 2005.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** Perspective from a CEO: What hospital/health systems are looking for in health management leaders. University of Iowa College of Public Health. Iowa City, IA, October, 2005.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** What's keeping our hospital leaders awake at night? Iowa City Area Chamber of Commerce Community Leadership Program, Iowa City, IA, December 2005.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** Leading health care issues facing Iowa and the U.S. 2005-2006 Leadership Iowa, Iowa City, IA, March 2006.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** Pressing concerns facing the nation's hospitals. Iowa Chapter of the Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society, Iowa City, IA, April 2006.



**Katen-Bahensky DM.** How UIHC is positioning for the future. Iowa Hospital Association District G Meeting, Iowa City, IA, May 2006.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** Perspectives from a CEO: What hospital/health systems are looking for in health system leaders. Iowa City Area Chamber of Commerce Leadership Breakfast, Iowa City, IA, May 2006.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** Pursuing excellence, creating value, fulfilling the promise. AAMC Women in Medicine Award Luncheon, Seattle, WA, October 2006.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** Running a successful academic medical center. Hiroshima University Hospital, Japan, November 2006.

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** Relationships between universities and teaching hospitals

**Katen-Bahensky DM.** What's keeping our health care leaders awake at night? Iowa City Area Chamber of Commerce Leadership Program, Iowa City, IA, December 2006.

**Prybil LD.** The UI College of Public Health: A five-year progress report. Downtown Rotary Club, Des Moines, IA, Cedar Rapids Rotary Club, Dubuque Rotary Club, Sioux City Rotary Club, Fort Dodge Rotary Club, Ottumwa Rotary Club, 2005

**Prybil LD.** Chair, Panel presentation on provider views. CMH Invitational Conference on Public Reporting of Quality and Cost Information, Washington, DC, 2005.

**Prybil LD.** Characteristics of effective boards in high performing hospitals. American Hospital Association's National Symposium on Governance and Leading Healthcare Organizations, Chicago, IL, 2005.

**Prybil LD.** Characteristics of high-performing hospital boards. Grinnell Regional Medical Center Board of Directors Annual Retreat, Cedar Rapids, IA, 2005.

**Prybil LD.** How boards of high-performing hospitals differ from mid-range performers. Solucient Top 100 Hospitals Summit Conference, Phoenix, AR, 2006.

**Prybil LD.** Characteristics of effective boards in high-performing hospitals. Mercer County Hospital Board Meeting, Aledo, IL, 2006.

**Prybil LD.** Effective healthcare boards. St. Vincent's Health Services Board Meeting, Bridgeport, CT, 2006.

**Prybil LD.** Effective hospital boards. Iowa Hospital Association Joint Board Retreat, Lake Okoboji, IA, 2006.

**Prybil LD.** Update on the University of Iowa College of Public Health. Iowa Hospital Association Joint Board Retreat, Lake Okoboji, IA, 2006.

**Prybil LD.** Basic characteristics of effective non-profit healthcare boards. Bay Area Medical Center Board of Directors Annual Retreat, Kohler, WI, 2006.

**Schneider JE.** Overview of physician compensation and incentive mechanisms. The 84th Annual Meeting Clinical Society of Genitourinary Surgeons, University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine, Fall 2005.

**Schneider JE.** The effects of specialty hospitals on general hospital financial performance, 1997-2004. American Society of Health Economists Annual Meeting, Madison, WI, June 2006

**Schneider JE.** The business of health. American Enterprise Institute, Washington DC, October 2006.

**Uden-Holman TM.** Ten essential services of public health. Public Health Conference, Lincoln, NE, April 2005.

**Uden-Holman TM.** EdTrAC: A guide to recommended training courses. 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Governor's Homeland Security Conference, Des Moines, IA, July 2005.

**Uden-Holman TM.** Using a learning management system to integrate and implement a public health workforce development model. Annual APHA Meeting, Boston, MA, November 2006.

**Vaughn T.** Context and innovation in public health. Knowledge Utilization and Implementation in Health Services: Theory, Strategies, and Education, Minneapolis, MN, July 2006.

**Ward MM.** Physician adherence to diabetes management guidelines: Roles of organizational and population characteristics. University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburg, PA, 2005.

**Ward MM.** General dentists' referral of children less than 3 years to pediatric dentists. National Oral Health Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, May 2005.

**Ward MM.** HIT survey of Iowa hospitals. IHA Council on Membership Services, Des Moines, IA, 2006.

**Ward MM.** Rural versus urban AMI mortality. IHA 2006 Critical Access Hospital Forum, Des Moines, IA, 2006.

**Ward MM.** Taking the pulse of Medicare and Medicaid. CPH Community Outreach, Des Moines, IA, 2006.

**Ward MM.** Effect of critical access hospital conversion on patient safety in Iowa rural hospitals. Iowa CAH User Group, Des Moines, IA, 2006.

**Ward MM.** AHRQ health information technology survey results. Iowa CAH User Group, Des Moines, IA, 2006.

**Ward MM.** Analysis of AHRQ quality indicators in Iowa hospitals. Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality staff, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality staff seminar-Rockville, MD, 2006.

**Ward MM.** IT capacity in Iowa's critical access hospitals. Iowa CAH User Group, Des Moines, IA, 2006.

**Ward MM.** Predictors of the percentage of children in general dental offices. Interventional Association for Dental Research & American Association for Dental Research, 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting, San Antonio, March 2006.

**Ward MM.** Statewide efforts to enhance HIT in critical access hospitals. AHRQ Annual Patient Safety Conference, Washington, DC, June 2006.

**Wolinsky FD.** Subclinical status ascertainment and subsequent adverse health outcomes. Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, 2005.

**Wolinsky FD.** Importance and reliability of subclinical status ascertainment in the African American Health (AAH) Project. Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, 2005.

**EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES**  
**July 1, 2005 to December 31, 2006**

**Weekly seminars**

The Center for Health Policy and Research hosted weekly activities during the academic year. These included 7 invited seminars featuring speakers from outside the Center and 18 research updates and methods workshops providing an overview of recent research approaches and methods by Center associates.

**Annual policy conference**

The Center for Health Policy and Research co-sponsored the “2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference for Quality, Patient Safety and Value” on November 2, 2005 in Des Moines. The Center partnered with the primary sponsor, the Iowa Healthcare Collaborative, and several other Iowa healthcare organizations to foster interchange on this important topic. This 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference, like the one preceding it, was a popular venue with over 300 persons attending the day-long event.

**INVITED SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS**  
**July 1, 2005 to December 31, 2006**

<b>Invited Speaker</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Title of Presentation</b>
Kyriakos Markides, PhD Department of Preventive Medicine and Community Health University of Texas-Galveston	October 14, 2005	Overview of Hispanic Health Issues in the United States with Special Focus on Older People
John Nyman, PhD Health Services Research and Policy, School of Public Health University of Minnesota	October 21, 2005	Health Insurance Theory: The Case of the Missing Welfare Gain
Thomas Gruca, PhD Department of Marketing University of Iowa	November 4, 2005	Benefits, Costs, and Competition: Determinants of Strategic Alliance Partner Selection and Commitment Decisions
Michael Morrissey, PhD Department of Health Care Organization and Policy University of Alabama-Birmingham	December 2, 2005	The Effects of Tort Reform on Physician Malpractice Premiums & Employer Health Insurance Premiums
Toni Tripp-Reimer, PhD, RN College of Nursing University of Iowa	December 9, 2005.	Addressing Health Disparities through Community-Based Participatory Research
Jody Heymann, MD, MPH Faculties of Medicine and Arts McGill University	April 7, 2006	Promotion Children and Families' Health in a Global Economy
Franklin Dexter, MD, PhD Departments of Anesthesia and Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	April 14, 2006	Economics of Small Operational Changes: Reducing OR Turnover Times

**RESEARCH UPDATES and METHODS WORKSHOPS  
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<b>Presenter</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Title of Presentation</b>
Lawrence Prybil, PhD Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	September 2, 2005	A Comparative Study of Governing Boards In Not-For-Profit Hospitals
Rachel Anderson, PhD Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa  Jim Donoghue Magellan Health Services Iowa Plan for Behavioral Health	September 9, 2005	Insurers Improving Quality and System Design for Children with Serious Emotional Disturbances
Paul Brezinski PhD student Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	September 23, 2005	Not-For-Profit Hospital Governance Reform: What Does the Evidence Show?
Adaeze Akamigbo PhD student Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	October 7, 2005	Individual Expectations and Their Impact on Nursing Home Placement
George Wehby PhD candidate Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	October 28, 2005	Prenatal Health Investment: Main Determinants and Impact on Early Infant Health
Pengxiang Li PhD candidate Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	November 11, 2005	Comparing Mortality Rates in Rural and Urban Hospitals for Patients with Myocardial Infarction: Rethinking Measures of Quality of Care
Kirk Phillips, PhD Iowa Health System	November 18, 2005	Prediction of Heart Failure Mortality with knowledge Discovery and Traditional Epidemiologic Models

<b>Presenter</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Title of Presentation</b>
Lance Roberts PhD student Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	February 3, 2006	Patient Safety in Iowa: An Analysis of Maternal Birth-Related Trauma Rates
John Schneider, PhD Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	February 10, 2006	A Single-Payer Health Insurance System in California: Will Arnold Approve of Your Stents?
Tanya Uden-Holman, PhD Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	February 17, 2006	Matching Documented Training Needs with Practical Capacity: Lessons Learned from Project Public Health Ready
Veerasathpurush Allareddy PhD student Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	February 24, 2006	Impact of Medical Errors on Outcomes Following Coronary Artery Bypass Grafts and Percutaneous Coronary Interventions
Thomas Vaughn, PhD Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	March 3, 2006	Serendipity in Research: Relationships, Collaboration and a Survey
Brian Kaskie, PhD Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	March 10, 2006	A Cure for What Ails: A New Way of Admitting Older Adults into Hospitals and Other Health Facilities
Qian Qiu PhD student Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	March 24, 2006	A Comparison of the Elixhauser and Charlson Comorbidity Measures for Risk Adjustment
Smruti Vartak PhD student Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	March 31, 2006	Comparing Patient Safety between Teaching and Non-Teaching Hospitals: Does Teaching Status Matter?
Ingrid Philibert PhD candidate Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	April 21, 2006	Research Update: Improving Patient Hand-Offs in Teaching Hospitals

<b>Presenter</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Title of Presentation</b>
Cormac O'Sullivan PhD student Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	April 28, 2006	Postoperative Pain Management after Open-Thoracotomy Surgery: Efficacy and Effectiveness
Paul Brezinski PhD student Dept. of Health Management and Policy University of Iowa	May 5, 2006	Veteran Status and Health Behavior, a Research Model