

## 2002–2003 Seminar Series

Date	Presenter	Title
09/03/2002	<b>Thomas Songer, PhD, MSc</b> Assistant Professor, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Eliciting Preferences for Fertility in Women with Pelvic Inflammatory Disease</i>
09/10/2002	<b>Kenneth J. Smith, MD</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine and Interim Director, Section of Hospital Medicine, Division of General Internal Medicine, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Cost-Effectiveness of Newer Treatment Strategies for Influenza</i>
09/17/2002	<b>*Stephen Bartels, MD, MS</b> Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Dartmouth Medical School, Hanover, New Hampshire	<i>Integrating Mental Health and Primary Care Services for the Older Patient: Preliminary Findings from Services Intervention Studies</i>
09/24/2002	<b>Kathleen M. McTigue, MD, MPH</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine, Division of General Internal Medicine, University of Pittsburgh	<i>The Natural History of Obesity in a Cohort of Young US Adults and Implications for Intervention</i>
10/08/2002	<b>Melanie Gold, DO</b> Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh	<i>The Effects of Advance Provision of Emergency Contraception on Female Adolescents' Sexual and Contraceptive Behavior</i>
10/15/2002	<b>Amber Barnato, MD, MPH, MS</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine and Health Services Administration, Center for Research on Health Care (CRHC), University of Pittsburgh	<i>Persistence of Expenditures among High-Cost Medicare Beneficiaries</i>
10/22/2002	<b>Donald R. Fischer, MD, MBA</b> Medical Director, Medical Administration, Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield, Pittsburgh	<i>The Role of the Health Plan in Decreasing Unwarranted Variation in Practice</i>
10/29/2002	<b>Robert Cook, MD, MPH</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine and Health Services Research, CRHC, University of Pittsburgh	<i>High Prevalence of Sexually Transmitted Diseases among Young Women Seeking HIV Testing in Rio de Janeiro: Implications for a National Screening Program</i>
11/05/2002	<b>Doris M. Rubio, PhD</b> Manager, CRHC Data Center, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Let the Data Center Work for You: Quality, Quantity, and Innovations</i>
11/12/2002	<b>Megan Crowley-Matoka, PhD</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine, VA Center for Health Equity Research and Promotion (CHERP), Pittsburgh	<i>Qualitative Methods in Health Research: Ethnographic Insights into Organ Transplantation</i>
11/19/2002	<b>*Mark Zimmerman, MD</b> Associate Professor of Psychiatry and Human Behavior; Director, Division of Mental Health Services Outcome Research, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island	<i>Factors Influencing Psychiatrists' Choice of Antidepressants: A Prospective Study</i>
11/26/2002	<b>Galen E. Switzer, PhD</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine and Psychiatry, CRHC, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Issues in Bone Marrow and Stem Cell Donation: Contributions from an Ongoing Series of Studies</i>
12/03/2002	<b>Catherine L. Haggerty, PhD, MPH</b> Postdoctoral Fellow, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Chronic Pelvic Pain Is Associated with Greater Healthcare Utilization: Evidence from the Pelvic Inflammatory Disease</i>

		<i>Evaluation and Clinical Health (PEACH) Study</i>
12/10/2002	<b>Harold Pincus, MD</b> Professor and Executive Vice Chair, Department of Psychiatry, University of Pittsburgh; Senior Scientist and Director, RAND–Pittsburgh Institute, Pittsburgh	<i>Meet the New RAND–Pittsburgh Faculty</i>
12/17/2002	<b>Edward Post, MD, PhD</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine and Psychiatry, CRHC, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Costs and Service Intensity of Depression Care Managers' Initial Treatment Episodes in a Depression Treatment Intervention Trial</i>
01/14/2003	<b>Linda Fried, MD, MPH</b> Associate Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh; VA CHERP, Pittsburgh	<i>Is Renal Insufficiency an Independent Predictor of Cardiovascular Outcomes?</i>
01/21/2003	<b>Benjamin W. VanVoorhees, MD, MPH</b> Fellow, Division of General Internal Medicine, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore	<i>New Approaches to the Treatment and Prevention of Depression in Young Adulthood</i>
01/28/2003	<b>Harold B. Weiss, MS, MPH, PhD</b> Assistant Professor; Associate Director, Center for Injury Research and Control, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Characteristics of Pregnancy-Related Crashes Derived from the National Automotive Sampling System</i>
02/04/2003	<b>Jeanette M. Trauth, PhD</b> Assistant Professor, Health Services Administration, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Patient-Provider Communication Regarding Cancer Screening: Methodological Issues Encountered in Conducting a Longitudinal, Audiotaped Study</i>
02/11/2003	<b>Carol S. Weisman, PhD</b> Co-Director, Magee-RAND Women's Health Initiative; Professor, Department of Health Evaluation Sciences, Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine, Hershey	<i>The Life Cycle of a Quality-of-Care Measure in Women's Health</i>
02/18/2003	<b>R. Scott Braithwaite, MD</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine, CRHC, University of Pittsburgh	<i>"Condition C" and Other Quality Improvement Efforts at UPMC Presbyterian</i>
02/25/2003	<b>*David L. Shern, PhD</b> Dean and Professor, Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute, University of South Florida, Tampa	<i>Managed Behavioral Health Care in Florida: Impacts of Access, Costs, and Outcomes</i>
03/04/2003	<b>Gayle R. Whitman, PhD, RN</b> Associate Professor, School of Nursing, University of Pittsburgh	<i>Measuring Nursing-Sensitive Outcomes: The UPMC Healthcare System Experience</i>
03/11/2003	<b>Joseph Conigliaro, MD, MPH</b> Associate Professor of Medicine, VA CHERP, Pittsburgh	<i>Alcohol Use and Abuse among HIV- Infected Veterans</i>
03/18/2003	<b>*Richard C. Hermann, MD, MS</b> Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School; Assistant Professor of Health Policy and Management, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston	<i>Consensus Development on Core Quality Measures for Mental Health Care</i>
03/25/2003	<b>Gary S. Fischer, MD</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine, Division of General Internal Medicine, University of	<i>Quality Improvement Panel Discussion</i>

	<p>Pittsburgh</p> <p><b>Mark S. Roberts, MD, MPP</b> Associate Professor of Medicine and Health Policy and Management; Chief, Section of Decision Sciences and Clinical Systems Modeling, University of Pittsburgh</p>	
04/01/2003	<p><b>Steven Handler, MD</b> Research Instructor, Division of Geriatric Medicine, University of Pittsburgh</p>	<i>Medication Error and Adverse Drug Events in Long-Term Care</i>
04/08/2003	<p><b>Elizabeth Yano, PhD</b> Senior Social Scientist, VA Greater Los Angeles HSR&amp;D Center for Excellence for the Study of Healthcare Provider Behavior; Assistant Professor of Health Services, School of Public Health, University of California, Los Angeles</p>	<i>Organizing Women's Health Care When Women Are the Extreme Minority: Challenges for the Department of Veterans Affairs</i>
04/22/2003	<p><b>Dennis Swanson, RPh, MS</b> Institutional Review Board Office and School of Pharmacy, University of Pittsburgh</p>	<i>The Implications of HIPAA on Human Subject Research</i>
04/29/2003	<p><b>Anthony J. Silvestre, PhD, MA</b> Associate Professor; Director, Center for Research on Health Orientation, University of Pittsburgh</p>	<i>Recruiting African American Men into an Epidemiological Study of HIV</i>
05/06/2003	<p><b>Sarah Scholle, DrPH</b> Acting Director, Magee-RAND Women's Health Initiative; Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Pediatrics, University of Pittsburgh</p>	<i>Development and Validation of a Primary Care Satisfaction Tool for Women</i>
05/13/2003	<p><b>*Philip Wang, MD, DrPH</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School and Harvard Graduate School of Public Health, Boston</p>	<i>The Cost-Effectiveness of Enhanced Depression Care among Workers in Large Corporations</i>
05/20/2003	<p><b>Roslyn Stone, PhD</b> Associate Professor of Biostatistics, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh</p>	<i>Design and Analysis of Cluster-Randomized Trials: A Tale of Two Studies</i>
05/27/2003	<p><b>Judith A. Erlen, PhD, RN</b> Professor and Doctoral Program Coordinator, School of Nursing; Associate Director, Center for Research in Chronic Disorders, University of Pittsburgh</p>	<i>Adherence to Antiretroviral Medications</i>
06/03/2003	<p><b>Carol K. Stockman, PhD</b> Visiting Research Assistant Professor, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh</p>	<i>Measuring Risk Preferences and Risk Perceptions in a Patient Population</i>
06/10/2003	<p><b>Kevin L. Kraemer, MD, MSc</b> Assistant Professor of Medicine, CRHC, University of Pittsburgh</p>	<i>Brief Intervention to Prevent Prenatal Alcohol Exposure</i>
06/17/2003	<p><b>Kenneth Thompson, MD</b> Associate Professor of Medicine, Division of Public Psychiatry, University of Pittsburgh; Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Pittsburgh</p>	<i>US/UK Dialogue on Health Inequities in Postindustrial Regions: Can We Talk?</i>
06/24/2003	<p><b>Eliseo J. Perez-Stable, MD</b> Professor of Medicine; Chief, Division of</p>	<i>To Be Announced</i>

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