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ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Ph.D., Education, 2008
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dissertation: The Effects of a Home-Based Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Preschool Children and Parent Perceptions of Barriers

Masters of Science, Education, May 2006
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas
Thesis: Evaluation of Kansas' Coordinated School Health Programs

Bachelor of Science, Education, May 2001
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas
Emphasis: Sports Science

RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

01/05-12/06	Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS
08/06-05/08	Academic Tutor, University of Kansas Athletic Department, Lawrence, KS
01/07-07/08	Study Coordinator, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, KS
01/08-12/10	Research Consultant BlueCross and BlueShield, Kansas City, MO
12/08-11/10	Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, KS
06/10-Present	Qualitative Researcher, KC Food Policy Coalition, Kansas City, MO
11/10-Present	Qualitative Research Analyst, University of Kansas Center for Research on Learning, Lawrence, KS
04/12-Present	Assistant Research Professor, University of Kansas Center for Research on Learning, Lawrence, KS
08/12-Present	Lecturer, Department of Health, Sport, & Exercise Sciences, University of Kansas

ACADEMIC AWARDS AND HONORS

Nominated for School of Education Dissertation Honors, 2009
Completed Dissertation with Honors, 2008
1st Place Honors in the University of Kansas Research Competition, 2008
Wayne Osness Outstanding Doctoral Student Award, 2007

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Member
American Alliance for Health Education, Member
American Education Research Association, Member
Society for Behavioral Medicine, Member
Greater Kansas City Food Policy Coalition, Member
Center for Physical Activity, Nutrition & Weight Management, Member
Active Living Research, Member
Obesity Society, Member
Certified Health Education Specialist (CHES), the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc., Licensure No. 12304

PUBLICATIONS AND ABSTRACTS

1. **Harvey, S. P.**, Farmer, A. J., McConville, R. L., Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., Smith, B. K., Sullivan, D. K., & Donnelly, J. E. (2008). A physical activity and nutrition program for pre-kindergarten children at YMCA centers. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, *35*(s1), s204.
2. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2009). Effects of a home-based physical activity and nutrition program for preschool children and parent perceptions of barriers. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, *37*(s1), s128.
3. **Harvey, S. P.**, Greene, J. L., & Gibson, C. A. (2009). Parental report and views: Meeting physical activity guidelines for children. *KAHPERD*, *81*(2), 45-50.
4. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Maxwell, S. J., Spaeth, K., Kunkel, G., & Sullivan, D. K. (2010). Farm to school, school to home: An evaluation of an innovative program at an urban core Head Start preschool. *Obesity*, *18*(s2), S57.
5. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Sol, R. J., & Donnelly, J. E. (2010). The perceptions of overweight and obese individuals participating in a phone-based weight management program: What are the benefits and barriers? *Obesity*, *18*(s2), S128.
6. Maxwell, S. J., **Harvey, S. P.**, & Gibson, C. A. (2010). BMI and dietary intake among urban core adolescents. *Obesity*, *18*(s2), S180.
7. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Maxwell, S. J., & Kunkel, G. (2011). The use of cognitive interviewing and focus group discussions to develop and refine a community food survey in an urban core population. *Food Policy*, (In Review).
8. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Maxwell, S. J., Sullivan, D. K. (2011). A 9-month childhood obesity prevention program for pre-kindergarten children at Head Start programs. *Journal of Health Education & Behavior*, (In Review)
9. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Maxwell, S. J., Sullivan, D. K., & Spaeth, K. (2012). An evaluation of a farm to school program in a Head Start preschool program. *Journal of School Health*, (In Review)

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

1. **Harvey, S.P.**, Farmer, A. J., McConville, R. L., Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., Smith, B. K., Sullivan, D. K., & Donnelly, J. E. (September 2007). A Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Pre-Kindergarten Children. Poster presentation at the The University of Kansas 9th Annual Conference on the Prevention and Treatment of Overweight and Obese Individuals, Kansas City, MO. Peer reviewed.

2. **Harvey, S.P.**, Farmer, A. J., Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (March 2008). The Effects of a Home-Based Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Preschool Children. Oral presentation at the Central District Association of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Omaha, NE. Peer reviewed.
3. **Harvey, S. P.** (March 2008). The Effects of a Home-Based Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Preschool Children. Poster presentation at The University of Kansas Research Competition.
4. **Harvey, S. P.**, Farmer, A. J., McConville, R. L., Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., Smith, B. K., Sullivan, D. K., & Donnelly, J. L. (March 2008). A Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Pre-Kindergarten children at YMCA Centers. Poster presentation at the The Society for Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA. Peer reviewed.
5. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (April 2009). Effects of a home-based physical activity and nutrition program for preschool children and parent perceptions of barriers. Oral presentation at The Society for Behavioral Medicine, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, Peer reviewed.
6. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (April 2009). Effects of a home-based physical activity and nutrition program for preschool children and parent perceptions of barriers. Oral presentation at the University of Kansas Medical Center Postdoctoral Research Day.
7. **Harvey, S. P.**, Stockdale, R., Kunkel, G., Holliday, H., & Gibson, C. A. (February 2010). Assessment of the Built Environment in a Racially Diverse, Urban Community in Kansas City, Kansas. Poster presentation at Active Living Research Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. Peer reviewed.
8. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Sol, R. J., & Donnelly, J. E. (October 2010). The Perceptions of Overweight and Obese Individuals Participating in a Phone-Based Weight Management Program: What are the Benefits and Barriers? Poster presentation at The Obesity Society 28th Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.
9. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Maxwell, S. J., Spaeth, K., Kunkel, G., & Sullivan, D. K. (October 2010). Farm to School, School to Home: An Evaluation of an Innovative Program at an Urban Core Head Start Preschool. Oral presentation at The Obesity Society 28th Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.
10. Maxwell, S. J., **Harvey, S. P.**, & Gibson, C. A. (October 2010). BMI and Dietary Intake among Urban Core Adolescents. Poster presentation at The Obesity Society 28th Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.
11. Cornett, J., **Harvey, S. P.**, Kennedy, M. J., Skrtic, T. M., Mitchell, B. B., Novosel, L. C., & Knight, J. (April 2011). Professional Development Practices of School-Based Instructional Coaches: The Rise (and Sometimes Fall) of Job-Embedded Professional Development. Poster presentation at the American Educational Research Association Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA. Peer Reviewed.
12. Bradley, B., **Harvey, S. P.**, Hock, M., Knight, D., Knight, J. & Skrtic, T. S. (October 2011). Design Research to Improve Instructional Coaching in Middle School. Symposia presentation at the Sixth Annual Instructional Coaching Conference, Lawrence, KS.
13. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., & Kunkel, G. (May 2012). Results of Cognitive Interviewing to Develop and Refine a Food Access and Dietary Habits Survey: Limited Health Literacy Skills Major Barrier to Addressing Community Needs of Urban Core Residents. Poster Presentation at the Institute for Healthcare Advancement, Irvine, CA.

EXTERNAL FUNDING

Pending Grants

Institute for Education Sciences, Qualitative Research Analyst
Beyond Achievement: Closing the Employability Gap

National Institutes of Health, PI \$275,000
Just Google It: An observational study of adolescents surfing for health information

Commonwealth Fund, PI \$42,100
Health Access, Health Status, and Health Literacy of Rural Kansas Adults

Kansas Health Foundation, PI \$28,986
Empowering Youth through Photovoice: Advocating for Improvement to the Built Environment and Health of Rural Kansas Children

Wal-Mart Foundation, PI \$83,421
Using Photovoice to Empower Youth: Advocating for Changes to the Built Environment for Rural Kansas Communities

Active Grants

H327A110062 \$248,001
U.S. Department of Education
Phase 2: Animated Visual Support for Social Support (AVISSS): An Interactive Virtual Experience for Social Skill Development.
Role: Project Coordinator, Qualitative Research Methodologist

Completed Grants

R324B070302 \$1,919,577
Institute of Education Sciences
Improving Instruction Through Implementation of the Partnership Instructional Coaching Model
Role: Qualitative Research Analyst

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation \$225,000
Rosedale Ministerial Alliance Healthy Kids Initiative.
Role: Co-I

Health Care Foundation \$38,135
YMCA Physical Activity and Nutrition Training Program.
Role: Co-PI

Healthy Schools Partnership \$519,000
Evaluating an Integrated Approach to Building Healthier Elementary School Students Through Energy Balance.
Role: Co-I

Kansas Health Care Foundation \$123,906.20
A Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for YMCA Preschool Children

PE4life Organization, Graduate Student Research Assistant \$160,987
An Evaluation of the PE4life Elementary and Middle School Physical Education Program
Role: Project Coordinator

Hartwig Legacy Foundation \$12,156
An Evaluation of the Farm to School Pilot Program
Role: Co-PI

EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS & PUBLICATIONS

1. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McConville, R. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2009). Feeding Preschool Children Ages 2-5: A Reference Guide for Childcare Providers. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.
2. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McConville, R. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2009). Simple Changes: A Guide for Food Service Professionals in the Planning, Procurement, Preparation, and Service of School Meals. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.
3. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McConville, R. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2009). Simple Changes: A Guide for Food Service Professionals for Enhancing the School Eating Environment. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.
4. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McConville, R. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2010). Nourishing Preschool Children Ages 2-5: A Reference Guide for Parents. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.
5. Gibson, C. A., Shimizu, M., Warren, L., McMaster, M., & **Harvey, S. P.** (May 2010). Preschool Wellness Resource Guide: A Listing of Resources for Preschool Teachers and Staff. Online at [www.bluekc.com/.../Preschool Wellness Resource Guide.pdf](http://www.bluekc.com/.../Preschool_Wellness_Resource_Guide.pdf).
6. Mirtz, T., Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McMaster, M., & Greene, J. L. (2011). Movement Exploration for the Developmentally Disabled. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.

INVITED GUEST LECTURE PRESENTATIONS

1. HSES 214 Physical Education Activities for Elementary School Children (Spring 2008). *Strategies and Tools for Teaching Nutrition Education to Elementary School Children.*
2. HSES 341 Instructional Strategies in PE for Elementary Classroom Teachers (Spring 2008). *Nutrition Education for Elementary School Students.*
3. HSES 605 Administrating Health-Related Programs (Spring 2008). *Guest Lecture Panel on Health Education and Community Health Graduate Programs.*
4. HSES 680 Adaptive Physical Education and Recreation (Summer 2008). *Overweight and Obesity among Elementary and Middle School Children.*
5. Obesity Prevention Workshop (November 2008). *Nutrition Myths.*
6. Nutrition Ambulatory Care Rotation (Year 3 Medical Students). (Spring 2009). *Obesity Clinical Guidelines.*
7. DN 834 Research Methods in Nutrition (Fall 2009). *Qualitative Research Methods.*
8. Obesity Prevention Workshop (November 2009). *Nutrition & Exercise Myths.*
9. Junior League Nutrition and Physical Activity Training Workshop (August 2010). *Childhood Obesity Nutrition & Exercise Myths: True or False?*
10. DN 834 Research Methods in Nutrition (Fall 2010). *Qualitative Research Methods.*

OTHER INSTRUCTION & LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

November 2008. **Obesity Prevention Training Workshop**, Kansas City, MO. Role: Planning Committee and Presenter.

November 2009. **Obesity Prevention Training Workshop**, Kansas City, MO. Role: Planning Committee and Presenter.

Co-supervision of graduate students in the development and completion of Master's and Doctoral research projects and theses:

1. Turner, Maren (2010). African American women and their perceptions of hair and exercise: A qualitative study. Doctoral Dissertation, Department of Human Development and Family Life, University of Kansas.
2. Johnson, Amy (2010). Fruit and Vegetable Servings in local farm-sourced and standard lunches offered to children in a Head Start program. Master's Thesis, Department of Dietetics and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center.
3. Barkley, Rachel (2009). A qualitative study of children's perceptions of dairy foods. Doctoral Research Project. Department of Dietetics and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center.
4. Farmer, Amy (2009). YMCA Healthy Kids Program. Master's Research Project, Department of Dietetics and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center.
5. McConville, Rebecca (2008). YMCA Healthy Kids Program. Master's Research Project, Department of Dietetics and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center.

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Health Education Specialist (CHES), the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc., Licensure No. 12304.