

Tufts University School of Medicine

Curriculum Vitae

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LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

Undergraduate

2003 Bachelor of Science, Rutgers University, Public Health

2003 Bachelor of Arts, Rutgers University, Africana Studies

Graduate School and/or Medical School

2005 Master of Public Health, The George Washington University, School of Public Health and Health Services, Public Health/Maternal and Child Health

2010 Doctor of Philosophy, University of Maryland, College Park, Public Health

Postdoctoral Training

2010-2012 Kellogg Foundation, Community Health Scholars Program, Community Based Participatory Research/Health Disparities Postdoctoral Fellowship

Internship and Residencies: N/A

Fellowships:

2013-2015 Research Education Institute for Diverse Scholars, Yale University School of Public Health, Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS

2015-2017 American Psychological Association, Office on AIDS, Cyber-Mentors Fellowship

2017- 2018 Allies for Reaching Community Health Equity and the Op-Ed Project, Public Voices Fellow

2017- Annie E Casey Foundation, Leaders in Equitable Evaluation and Diversity Fellowship

2018- Brown University Clinical and Community-Based HIV/AIDS Research Training (CCRT) Fellow

2018- Tisch Faculty Fellows Program, Tufts University

Other Professional Training

2019- present Certified Campus Workshop Facilitator, National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity

Licensure and Certification

2008 National Center for Health Education Credentialing CHES #14634

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2018- Associate Professor, Department of Public Health and Community Medicine, Tufts University School of Medicine
- 2018- Affiliate Faculty, Department of Africana Studies
- 2018- Secondary Faculty Appointment, Clinical and Translational Science Institute, Tufts University
- 2017-2018 Assistant Professor, Department of Public Health and Community Medicine, Tufts University School of Medicine

- 2012-2017 Assistant Professor, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University

- 2008-2011 Adjunct Professor, Department of Prevention and Community Health, George Washington University School of Public Health and Health Services

EMPLOYMENT (including internships)

- 2003-2004 Intern, Central NJ Maternal and Child Health Consortium

- 2005 Epidemiology Intern, Department of Epidemiology and Statistics, Baltimore City Health Department

- 2005-2006 Project Director, The Women’s Collective

- 2006-2008 Public Health Fellow, Bureau of Health Professions, Health Resources and Services Administration

- 2008-2009 Public Health Intern, Office on Women’s Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

- 2009 Public Health Fellow, Black Women’s Health Imperative

- 2007- 2010 Research Assistant, Department of Family Science, University of Maryland College Park

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

- 2019- Chair, Diversity, Equity, and Anti-Racism Committee, Tufts University School of Medicine

AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2009 Goldhaber Travel Award, University of Maryland College Park

- 2009 Senior Maternal and Child Health Fellow, American Public Health Association

- 2009 Student Fellowship, Association of Maternal and Child Health Program

- 2010 Willie Lawson Memorial Award, National Black Graduate Students Association

- 2010 Academy Health Minority Scholars Award, Academy Health

- 2014 Ernest E. Just Keynote Lecture and Prize, the Medical University of South Carolina and the Avery Research Center for African American History and Culture

- 2019 Partners Award, Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies
- 2019 Young Professionals Award, Maternal and Child Health Section, American Public Health Association
- 2020 National Minority Quality Forum: Top 40 under 40 leaders in healthcare

INSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEE SERVICE

- 2012-2016 Senate Committee on Smoking on Campus, Montclair State University
- 2013-2015 Convocation Speaker Committee, Montclair State University
- 2013-2017 BS in Public Health Course Substitution Committee, Montclair State University
- 2014-2017 Graduate Assistantship Selection Committee, Montclair State University
- 2014 Keynote speaker committee co-chair, Montclair State University
- 2015-2017 Black Heritage Month Planning Committee, Montclair State University
- 2015 Faculty Search Committee, Montclair State University
- 2016-2017 Social Justice Conference Planning Committee, Montclair State University
- 2016-2017 Public Health Clinical Specialist Search Committee, Montclair State University
- 2016- 2017 Graduate Assistantship Program, Co-Coordinator, Montclair State University
- 2016- 2017 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Montclair State University
- 2017- Department Research Committee, Tufts University School of Medicine
- 2018- Diversity Committee, Tufts University School of Medicine
- 2019- Faculty Advisory Council on Equity, Tufts University School of Medicine
- 2019- Member, Joint Council on Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion, Tufts University
- 2019- Member, Anti-Racism Taskforce, Tufts University School of Medicine

EXTERNAL COMMITTEE SERVICE

Local/Regional:

- 2016-2017 Board Member, Partnership for Maternal and Child Health of Northern New Jersey Board of Trustees
- 2016- 2017 Member, State of NJ, Department of Environmental Protection, Environmental Council

2017-2018	Member, Office of Minority Health, Regional Health Equity Council, Region II
2018-	Member, Office of Minority Health, Regional Health Equity Council, Region I
2018-	Preconception Working Group, Boston Public Health Commission
2018	Community Advisory Network, Boston Public Health Commission
2018-	Harvard University Center for AIDS Research (CFAR): Community Advisory Board
2019-	Member, Perinatal-Neonatal Quality Improvement Network of MA
2020-	Founding Steering Committee Member, Massachusetts COVID-19 Perinatal Coalition
National:	
2016-	Co-Chair, American Public Health Association, Maternal and Child Health Section, Perinatal and Women’s Health Committee
2018-	Health Equity Working Group Member, March of Dimes Prematurity Collaborative
2018-	Board of Directors, National Women’s Health Network
2020-	Literature Selection Technical Review Committee, National Library of Medicine, NIH

International:

2015- Deputy Financial Secretary, Association of Nigerian Women Academic Doctors

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

2003-	Member	International Society for Urban Health
2003-	Member	American Public Health Association, Maternal and Child Health Section
2003-	Member	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
2006-2010	Member	The George Washington University Public Health Alumni Association
2007-2010	Member	Society for Pediatric and Perinatal Epidemiologic Research
2007- 2013	Member	Society of Public Health Education
2007-	Member	Association of Teachers of Maternal and Child Health
2008-	Abstract reviewer	American Public Health Association, Maternal and Child Health Section, HIV/AIDS section, and the Community Based Public Health Caucus
2010-	Member	Delta Omega, Public Health Honorary Society, Omega Chapter

2011-2016	Member	The Women's Collective, Board of Directors
2012- 2017	Section Councilor	American Public Health Association, Maternal and Child Health Section
2012-2015	President	Society for the Analysis of African American Public Health Issues
2013-	Member	New Jersey Public Health Association
2013-	Member	American Public Health Association, HIV/AIDS Section
2015-	Member	Newark GALS Board of Directors
2015-2016	Member	Delta Omega, Public Health Honor Society Board

GRANT REVIEW ACTIVITIES

2013	Ad hoc reviewer, Health Resources and Services Administration, HIV/AIDS Bureau, US Department of Health and Human Services
2013	Ad hoc reviewer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
2014	Ad hoc reviewer, Office on Women's Health, Health and Human Services
2015	Ad hoc reviewer, Indian Health Service
2016	Early Career Reviewer, National Institute of Health
2017	Ad hoc reviewer, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
2019	Ad hoc reviewer, Community Level Health Promotion Study Section, NIH

HEALTH-RELATED ADVOCACY & COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2014- Advisory Board member, Newark (NJ) GALS. Provide support and mentoring on career and professional development, and adolescent health and behavior targeted toward high school students.
- 2015- Big Sister, Big Brothers Big Sisters Program of NJ
- 2016- Advisory Board Member, Well of Hope Community Development Corporation. Provide support on HIV/AIDS programming for women of color and substance abuse prevention and treatment. (NJ)
- 2016- Working with The Link Charter School (New Jersey) to develop curriculum and programs for middle and high school students on safe sex and sexual risk behavior.
- 2017- Volunteer at Healing Our Community Collaborative, Boston MA
- 2017- Annual Black Maternal Health Conference, Tufts University School of Medicine
- 2018- Speaker at Birth Rally for Social Justice, Boston MA
- 2020- Boston Public Health Commission, Maternal and Child Health Stakeholder Advisory Group

2020- Founding member, Massachusetts COVID-19 Maternal Equity Coalition

TRAINING OF STUDENTS/TRAINEES**Students/Mentees:**

<i>Dates</i>	<i>Name of Student</i>	<i>Level of Training</i>	<i>Role</i>	<i>Current Position</i>
2012-2014	*Lauren Ramos	MPH	Advisee and Research Assistant	Researcher/Program Manager
2013-2014	*Gifty Key	EdD	Dissertation Committee Member	Faculty Member, Pierce College
2013-2015	*Rodney Hammond	MPH	Advisee and Research Assistant	Public Health Fellow, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
2014-2016	*Michelle Gardner	MPH	Advisee and Research Assistant	Health Educator, Essex County Department of Health
2015- 2017	*Monica Rodriguez	MPH	Advisee and Research Assistant	Research Assistant, Bergen County Community College
2016- 2018	*Araba Assan	MPH	Advisee	Research Associate
2016- 2019	*Ijeoma Opara	PhD	Advisee and Research Assistant	Assistant Professor, Stony Brook University
2017-current	* Nathanaelle Ibeziako	MD	Research Assistant	Medical Student
2017-current	* Celsea Tibitt	PhD	Research Assistant	Graduate Student
2017-2018	Vicky Aboagye-Adinkara	BS	Research Assistant	Youth Specialist, Cambridge Health Alliance
2018- current	LeAnn Louis	MD	Research Assistant	Medical Student
2019- current	Kristin Garrett	MPH	Research Assistant	Graduate Student
2019- current	Queentela Benjamin	MBS	Research Assistant	Graduate Student
2019	Christina Austin	MBS	Research Assistant	Graduate Student
2019-current	Julie Attys	MPH	Research Assistant	Graduate Student
2019- present	Kassandra Petit	MSN	Research Assistant	Graduate Student
2020- present	MyLinn Clement	MPH	Research Assistant	Graduate Student

** Students who worked with me and published manuscripts in peer-reviewed journals.*

Postdoctoral Trainees:

N/A

MAJOR EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

2008	Instructor, HONR 349: Honors Health Policy, Department of Public Health, University of Maryland College Park
2008-2011	Instructor, PUBH 6099.16: Minority Women's Health, Department of Public Health, The George Washington University
2012-2016	Instructor, HLTH 529: Applied Program Planning and Evaluation, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2012-2014	Instructor, HLTH 200: Introduction to Public Health, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2013	Instructor, HLTH 503: Research Methods, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2013	Instructor, HLTH 577: Minority Women's Health, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2014	Instructor, HLTH 577-92: Adolescent Health Issues in the United States, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2014-2016	Instructor, HLTH 102: Introduction to Public Health, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2015	Instructor, HLTH 450: Health Disparities and Social Justice, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2016-2017	Instructor, HLTH 355: Addressing Health Disparities through Social Justice, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2016	Instructor, HLTH 245: Introduction to Fieldwork and Professionalism, Department of Public Health, Montclair State University
2018	Foundations Course, Health Equity Curriculum
2019	Instructor, CMPH 334 Minority Womens Health, Department of Public Health and Community Medicine, Tufts University School of Medicine
2020	PH202: Public Health Assessment

PRACTICE ACTIVITIES & INNOVATIONS

N/A

VISITING PROFESSORSHIPS & INVITED ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

Visiting Professorships

2013- 2015 Visiting Research Scientist: Research Education Institute for Diverse Scholars Program (REIDS) Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS, Yale University

Invited Academic Presentations

1. **Amutah N.** Maternal and Child Health Disparities: An Overview. Delta Omega, Public Health Honorary Society the George Washington University School of Public Health and Health Services, January 2012.
2. **Amutah N.** Rethinking the “C” in MCH: The Role of the Community in Addressing Health Disparities. Johns Hopkins University, School of Public Health, April 2012.
3. Mahadevan M. and **Amutah N.** Project THANKS Turning HIV/AIDS into New Knowledge for Sisters: An Intervention Addressing HIV and Co-Morbidities in Women of Color. Poster Presented at the 6th Annual CEHS Research Poster Session, Montclair State University, May 2013.
4. **Amutah N.** and Ramos L. Project DASH: Preventing HIV/AIDS in African American Daughters with HIV Positive Mothers. Poster Presented at the 8th Annual Student Research Symposium, Montclair State University, April 2014.
5. Hammond R. and **Amutah, N.** Project DASH: Preventing HIV/AIDS in African American Daughters with HIV Positive Mothers. Poster Presented at the 9th Annual Student Research Symposium, Montclair State University, April 2015.
6. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Rethinking the “C” in MCH: The Role of the Community in Addressing Health Disparities. Rutgers University, School of Public Health, March 2016.
7. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Project DASH: Preventing HIV/AIDS in African American Daughters with HIV Positive Mothers. Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS (CIRA) Yale University, School of Public Health, July 2016.
8. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Rethinking the “C” in MCH: The Role of the Community in Addressing Health Disparities. University of Wisconsin, Madison, School of Medicine and Public Health, November 2016.
9. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Rethinking the “C” in MCH: The Role of the Community in Addressing Health Disparities. Tufts University, School of Medicine, March 2017.
10. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** The Role of Community Engagement in Addressing Health Disparities in Maternal and Child Health. Partnership for Maternal and Child Health of Northern New Jersey, June 2017.
11. **Amutah N.** The role of the community in addressing health disparities. Tufts University School of Medicine, September 2017.
12. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Project DASH: (Divas Against the Spread of HIV/AIDS): Results of a pilot study on HIV risk and Mother-Daughter Communication among African American Daughters with HIV+ Mothers. Brown University School of Public Health, January 2018.
13. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** The role of the community in addressing health disparities. Tufts Medical Center. Stakeholder and Community Engagement Core, Clinical and Translational Science Institute, February 2018.
14. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** The impact of co-morbidity: Women, HIV and Everything Else. Healing Our Community Collaborative Inc, March 2018.

15. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** The Urgency of Now: Why We can't Wait to address Black Maternal Health Disparities. MGH Institute for Health Professions, March 2018.
16. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Power, Privilege and Positionality. MGH Institute for Health Professions, September 2018.
17. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** The Urgency of Now: Why We can't Wait to address Black Maternal Health Disparities. Harvard University, Black Health Matters Conference, October 2018.
18. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Maternal Health Disparities in MA: An Overview. American College of Obstetrics/Gynecology and American College of Nurse Midwives Joint State Conference, October 2018
19. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Power, Privilege and Positionality. MGH Institute for Health Professions, January 2019.
20. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Project DASH: (Divas Against the Spread of HIV/AIDS): Results of a pilot study on HIV risk and Mother-Daughter Communication among African American Daughters with HIV+ Mothers. Boston University School of Public Health, January 2019.
21. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Maternal Health Disparities in MA: An Overview. Northeastern University, February 2019
22. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** The impact of co-morbidity: Women, HIV and Everything Else. Multicultural AIDS Coalition, March 2019.
23. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Power, Privilege and Positionality. MGH Institute for Health Professions, September 2019.
24. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Power, Privilege and Positionality. MGH Institute for Health Professions, January 2020.
25. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Evaluation of the OMH State HIV Initiative. Centers for Disease Control, and Prevention. National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD and TB Prevention, Office of the Director. January 2020.
26. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Maternal Mortality and Morbidity: the role of providers in dismantling systemic racism: American Association of Medical Colleges, Maternal Health Working Group Meeting. April 2020
27. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Maternal Health Disparities and a call for Equity: Healthy Start Association of Pittsburgh, PA, May 2020 * **rescheduled until May 2021 due to COVID-19**
28. Wizdom P., Allen, A., **Amutah-Onukagha N.**, Ford C., Pirtle W.L., Fernandez P. Say Her Name: Racial profiling of Black women during the pandemic. A virtual gathering of leaders and a call to action. UCONN Health Disparities Institute. June 2020.
29. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Maternal Mortality and Morbidity: the role of providers in dismantling systemic racism: Massachusetts Department of Public Health Annual Providers Meeting. June 2020
30. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Power, Privilege and Positionality. MGH Institute for Health Professions, June 2020

31. **Amutah-Onukagha N.**, Miranda L. Pro-Choice Check-in Tick Tock. NARAL Pro Choice Massachusetts. June 2020
32. **Amutah-Onukagha N.** Power, Privilege and Positionality. MGH Institute for Health Professions, September 2020
33. **Amutah-Onukagha N.**, Cozier Y. Racism and Data: How can we Do better? City MatCH Annual Conference. September 2020

National:

- 2016 March of Dimes, Healthy Babies are Worth the Wait Implementation Meeting New Orleans, LA November 2016.
- 2020 United States Commission on Civil Rights, Panel on Maternal Health Disparities. Washington DC.
- 2020 **Amutah-Onukagha N.**, Howell E., Crear-Perry J.A., Underwood L. A Path to Reproductive Justice: Research, Practice and Policies. American Public Health Association. Advancing Racial Equity series webinar. July 2020.

International:

- 2018 International Congress of Behavioral Medicine, 15th Congress, Santiago Chile November 2018

OTHER**Media:**

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| October 31, 2014 | WBGO Radio | "The Ebola Epidemic" |
| November 6, 2014 | WMBC NJ (Television) | "The Ebola Epidemic: A Public Health Crisis" |
| May 6, 2017 | WABC-NY Television | "Black Infant Mortality: The Current Response" |
| May 19, 2017 | WURD Radio | "How Black Moms and Daughters Can Fight to Reduce HIV/AIDS" |
| March 21 st , 2019 | BNN TV | "The Future is Female: Health, Art, and Advocacy" |
| April 10 th , 2019 | NECN- TV | "Maternal Mortality and Health Disparities" |
| June 28 th , 2020 | WCVB-TV | "March Like a Mother for Black Lives" |
| July 2 nd , 2020 | BOS-25- TV | H4818: Maternal Health Disparities Legislation: Opportunities for Change |

MAJOR RESEARCH INTERESTS**Severe Maternal Morbidity and Maternal Mortality**

I am currently working on a number of community and policy-oriented projects aimed at addressing the underlying issues that Black women face as they interact with the healthcare system. Since 2018 I have planned, implemented, and hosted the largest Black Maternal Health Symposium in the United States, with 700 people collectively in attendance. I also sit on the Boston Public Health Commission- Community Advocacy Network and the Preconception Health Working Group. I recently worked to develop and edit Bill H.4818 that was recently passed unanimously in the House of Representatives alongside Rep. Liz Miranda. The bill orders the creation of a 25-member special legislative commission made up of experts in the field of maternal health as well as members of the community with lay knowledge, expertise, or experience related to maternal mortality and severe maternal morbidity. The role of the commission is to examine and make recommendations with an aim of reducing or eliminating racial disparities in maternal mortality and severe maternal morbidity. I am also the Principal Investigator of an NIH R01 study and an RWJF funded study addressing maternal health disparities in Black women.

Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Anti-Racism

The academy lacks diversity at multiple levels, from student enrollment to the C-suite. I am committed to addressing and ameliorating the gaps in diversity, equity, and inclusion across all levels. Specifically, I am interested in the development of recruitment and retention programs for students, faculty, and staff at predominately white institutions. To that end, I have led the development of an anti-racism curriculum for medical students which has been implemented in medical schools across the country. Additionally, I serve as a mentor for student affinity groups including the Black Student Alliance and the OB-GYN Minority Student group. I chair the Diversity, Equity, and Anti-Racism Council (DEAR) in my department where I manage 20 faculty, students, and staff across 4 committees. Finally, I chair the research sub-committee of an institution wide committee on anti-racism that includes the revamping of medical education and public health course material.

Infant Mortality

My dissertation examined the effects of neighborhood level disadvantage and the individual level characteristics of race/ethnicity on infant mortality. Social determinants of health theory and ecological theory were used to construct a neighborhood disadvantage index for Washington DC. Secondary analyses were conducted using linked birth/death certificate and census data from the DC State Center for Health Statistics. Multilevel modeling techniques were utilized to determine the relationship between individual and neighborhood level factors on infant mortality. My career trajectory includes the dissemination of research findings that underscore the importance for public health providers and policy makers to focus more intently on the intersection of race and stress in the reduction of infant mortality.

HIV/AIDS

My passion for and commitment to HIV/AIDS is steeped in my 18 years of experience based in underserved communities. The field of HIV/AIDS continues to evolve as HIV progresses from an infectious disease to a chronic disease. Unfortunately, there are still disparities as experienced by certain groups that are disproportionately affected by the disease. Namely, for women of color, HIV/AIDS continues to be the leading cause of death for African American women ages 15-34. To that end, I am working on multiple research projects to stem the spread of the disease.

The four research projects that I am currently working on are:

- **SHARE research study (Stopping HIV/AIDS through relationship engagement)** HIV+ mothers with adolescent daughters in the Greater Boston area will be recruited as dyads for a study on HIV risk, intergenerational trauma and PrEP.
- **Wisdom Matters-** a 6-week health literacy curriculum for HIV+ women
- **Project Thanks (Turning HIV/AIDS into New Knowledge for Sisters)** The purpose of this study is to use a qualitative approach to understand health perceptions, and identify the personal, social, and environmental factors influencing the health seeking behaviors of ethnic minority HIV-positive women with substance abuse disorders.
- **Project DASH (DIVAS Against the Spread of HIV/AIDS)** HIV + mothers with adolescent daughters who self-identified as Black and live in the Greater Newark area were recruited as dyads for the research study.

CURRENT RESEARCH SUPPORT

09/17/2020-06/30/2025

Grant Number: 1R01MD016026-01

Grant Title: Reducing Racial Disparities in Maternal Morbidity post COVID19: Assessing the Integration of Maternal Safety Bundles and Community-Based Doulas to Improve Outcomes for Black Women.”

PI Name: Ndidiama Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH, CHES

Funding Source: National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Minority Health and Health Disparities

Amount: \$3,161,804.00

Role: Principal Investigator

Description: This study utilizes a mixed-methods approach to examine the implementation of maternal safety doulas and explore the role of doulas in addressing maternal health disparities as experienced by Black women.

09/15/2020-06/30/2023

Grant Title: Promoting Maternal Health Equity through Collaborative Community Partnerships: Teaming doulas, providers and families to create birth equity

PI Name: Ndidiama Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH, CHES

Funding Source: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation,
Interdisciplinary Research Leaders

Amount: \$359,000

Role: Principal Investigator

Description: This study utilizes a mixed-methods approach to explore the understanding, experiences and behaviors of Black women, fathers, doulas and delivering clinicians with regard to maternal morbidity and mortality.

01/01/2021-06/30/2022

Grant Title: Examining facilitators, barriers, and social support in PrEP uptake and utilization for young African women: implications for HIV prevention

PI Name: Ndidiama Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH, CHES

Funding Source: HIV Prevention Trials Network,
HPTN Scholars Program

Amount: \$79,910

Role: Principal Investigator

Description: This study seeks to examine how facilitators, barriers, and social support impact the uptake and adherence of PrEP among young African women.

05/01/2019-04/30/2021

Grant Title: Intervening along the Continuum of Risk for Adolescent Girls: Addressing Food Insecurity at the Intersection of Exchange Sex

PI Name: Ndidiama Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH, CHES

Funding Source: Tufts Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI)

Amount: 45,000

Role: Principal Investigator

Description: This study proposes to examine the relationship of food insecurity and risky sexual behaviors in young women of color.

10/30/2018-12/01/2020

Grant Title: The SHARE research study (Stopping the spread of HIV/AIDS through relationship engagement)

PI Name: Ndidiama Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH, CHES

Funding Source: Tufts Clinical Translational Science Institute,
Clinical and Translational Research Center (CTRC) Voucher Program.

Amount: \$ 5,000

Role: Principal Investigator

Description: The funding will cover the costs of a part-time research coordinator and adequate study space for SHARE study participants.

PRIOR RESEARCH SUPPORT

08/01/2010-06/30/2012

Grant Title: Sexual and reproductive health needs of women accessing a Home visitation program in Baltimore, MD

PI Name: Ndidiama N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: Kellogg Foundation Community Health Scholars Postdoctoral Fellows Program

Amount: \$20,000

Role: PI

Description: I received funds to conduct research on the sexual and reproductive health needs of African American women in Baltimore, MD who were participating in a home visitation program.

06/30/2013-06/30/2014

Grant Title: Project THANKS: Turning HIV/AIDS into New Knowledge for Sisters

PI Name: Ndidiama N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: City of Paterson Department of Health and Human Services

Amount: \$8,000

Role: Co-PI

Description: I received funds to conduct intervention research on HIV+ substance abusing women who also have co-morbidities.

06/30/2013-06/30/2015

Grant Title: Research Education Institute for Diverse Scholars

PI Name: Ndidiama N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS, Yale University

Grant Number: R25 MH087217-01A1

Amount: \$20,000

Role: PI

Description: I received funds to conduct a research project on mother-daughter communication and HIV prevention.

06/30/2014-06/30/2015

Grant Title: Project THANKS: Turning HIV/AIDS into New Knowledge for Sisters

PI Name: Ndidiama N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: City of Paterson Department of Health and Human Services

Amount: \$8,000

Role: Co-PI

Description: I received funds to conduct qualitative research on HIV+ substance abusing women who also have co-morbidities.

06/30/2014-06/30/2015

Grant Title: Separately Budgeted Research Internal Award.

PI Name: Ndidiama N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: Montclair State University, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs

Amount: \$6,000

Role: PI

Description: I received internal awards to conduct a research project to test an intervention I developed in HIV non-profits around the state of NJ.

06/30/2014-06/30/2015

Grant Title: Summer Grant Proposal Development Internal Award.

PI Name: Ndidiama N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: Montclair State University, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs

Amount: \$4,000

Role: Co-PI

Description: I received internal awards to write an NIH grant.

12/10/2015-06/30/2016

Grant Title: Ada Beth Cutler Faculty Fellows Program Internal Award

PI Name: Ndidiama N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: Montclair State University College of Education and Human Services Deans Office

Amount: \$1,000

Role: Faculty Fellow

Description: I was awarded internal funds to attend a conference.

04/15/2016-11/15/2016

Grant Title: Publication and Conference Support Award

PI Name: Ndidiamaka N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, New Connections Program

Amount: \$3,500

Role: PI

Description: Through this mechanism I was able to attend a conference and a methods training.

11/15/2016—6/30/2017

Grant Title: Cyber Mentors Program, Course Release Grant Award

PI Name: Ndidiamaka Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: American Psychological Association, Office on AIDS.

Amount: \$13,790

Role: Protégé

Description: Through my participation in the Cyber Mentors program, I was awarded a grant to be released from one of my courses to focus on my research and scholarship.

09/2015-06/30/2017

Grant Title: Cyber Mentors Program, Career Development Funds Award

PI Name: Ndidiamaka N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: American Psychological Association, Office on AIDS

Amount: \$4,000

Role: Protégé

Description: Through my participation in the Cyber Mentors Program, I was awarded Career Development funds to attend trainings and conferences.

07/01/2018- 06/30/2019

Grant Title: Understanding teens' perspectives on marijuana use, risk perception, and parent-child communication as the recreational law takes effect in Massachusetts

PI Name: Margie Skeer, ScD, MSW, MPH

Funding Source: Tufts Collaborates Seeds Grant, Office of the Vice Provost, Tufts University

Amount: \$ 50,000

Role: Co-Investigator

Description: This study proposes to examine the impact of the marijuana law from the perspective of teenagers and their perception of risk as it pertains to parent-child communication.

07/01/2018-06/30/2019

Grant Title: Obstetric Unit Closures and Racial Disparities in Maternal Mortality Rates: Geospatial Analyses in New Jersey, 1990-2014

PI Name: Alecia McGregor, PhD

Funding Source: Tufts Collaborates Seeds Grant, Office of the Vice Provost, Tufts University

Amount: \$50,000

Role: Co-Investigator

Description: This study proposes to examine the impact of hospital closures on maternal mortality and racial disparities utilizing hospital data from NJ.

09/01/2018-06/30/2019

Grant Title: Increasing Health Literacy in HIV+ women: A Community Engagement approach

PI Name: Ndidiamaka N Amutah-Onukagha, PhD, MPH

Funding Source: Tisch Faculty Fellows Program, Tisch College of Civic Life

Amount: \$6,000

Role: PI

Description: The research funds will be utilized to develop and implement a health literacy curriculum for HIV+ women.

09/30/2018- 05/31/2020

Grant Title: A Four Year Integrated Anti-Racism Curriculum for TUSM Students

PI Name: Anthony Schlaff, MD

Funding Source: Tufts University School of Medicine
IDEAS Program Grant

Amount: \$ 5,000

Role: Co-Principal Investigator

Description: Develop and pilot an anti-racism curriculum for medical school students at Tufts University.

EDITORIAL BOARDS

2015-Editorial Board Member, HIV/AIDS Research and Treatment Open Journal

2016- 2017 -Guest Editor, Clinical Insights to Women's Health: Special Issue on Health Disparities, May 2017

AD HOC JOURNAL REVIEWER

International Journal of Maternal and Child Health and HIV/AIDS

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Journal of HIV/AIDS - Research and Palliative Care

Journal of Maternal and Child Health

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