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**EDUCATION**

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- August, 1996            Ph.D. Social Psychology with concentration in Statistics and Research Design,  
University of Georgia.
- August, 1993            M.S., Psychology, Villanova University.
- May, 1989                B.A., Psychology, State University of New York at Albany.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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- 8/08 – present            **Director**, National SafeCare® Training and Research Center, Visiting Professor,  
Institute of Public Health, Georgia State University
- 1/08 – 8/08                **Director**, National SafeCare® Training and Research Center, Marcus Institute
- 4/08 – 8/08                **Associate Professor**, Emory University School of Medicine, Department of Pediatrics
- 7/02 – 12/07              **Behavioral Scientist and Team Leader**, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention,  
Division of Violence Prevention, Prevention Development and Evaluation Branch
- 10/05 - 1/06               **Acting Branch Chief**, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Division of  
Violence Prevention, Prevention Development and Evaluation Branch
- 11/01 – 6/02               **Behavioral Scientist**, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Division of Violence  
Prevention, Prevention Development and Evaluation Branch
- 5/97 – 11/01               **Behavioral Scientist**, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Division of  
HIV/AIDS Prevention, Epidemiology Branch
- 9/96 – 4/97                **Research Associate & Assistant Professor**, Institute for Behavioral Research and  
Department of Psychology, University of Georgia.
- 9/93 – 6/96                **Research and Teaching Assistant**, Psychology Department, University of Georgia
- 1/91 – 6/93                **Research Assistant**, Psychology Department, Villanova University.

10/90 – 5/91                    **Research Assistant**, Center for Research In Education and Human Development, Temple University.

## GRANT FUNDING

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- 1/08 – present    *Cascading Diffusion of an Evidenced-based Child Maltreatment Intervention*. Co-investigator. Awarded from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. \$900,000 over 3 years.
- 1/08 – Present    *The National SafeCare® Training and Research Center*. Co-investigator, Awarded from the Doris Duke Charitable Trust. \$1.3 million over 3 years
- 9/03 – 9/05        *The impact of state standards on treatment programs for men who batter: Pilot studies examining monitoring and evaluation of treatment programs*. Principle Investigator, Awarded from the First Annual Centers for Disease Control & Prevention/Georgia State University Seed Grant Awards in the Social & Behavioral Sciences. \$60,000 over 2 years
- 9/99 – 9/01        *A longitudinal study of the development of female adolescent's norms, attitudes, and beliefs about romantic and sexual relationships, and how those norms, attitudes, and beliefs influence their sexual risk behavior*. Principle Investigator, Awarded from the Office of Women's Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. \$270,000 over 3 years

## PEER REVIEW PUBLICATIONS

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- Whitaker, DJ**, Lutzker, JR, Self-Brown S, Edwards AE. (In Press) Moving evidenced-based child maltreatment programs to practice settings: The SafeCare model. *Report on Emotional and Behavioral Disorders in Youth*.
- Niolon, PH, **Whitaker DJ**, Feder L, Campbell JA, Wallinder J, Self-Brown S, Chivers S. (In Press). A multi-component intervention to address partner violence within an existing service intervention. *Professional Psychology: Research and Practice*.
- Self-Brown S., & **Whitaker DJ**. (In Press). Editors Introduction to the special issue on Technology and Child Maltreatment. *Child Maltreatment*.
- Self-Brown S., & **Whitaker DJ**. (In Press). Parent-focused child maltreatment prevention: Improving assessment, intervention, and dissemination with technology. *Child Maltreatment*.
- Whitaker, DJ**, Le B, Hanson HK, Baker CB, Ryan, G, McMahon, P, Klein, A, & Rice D.D. (2008). Risk factors for the perpetration of child sexual abuse: A Review and Meta Analysis. *Child Abuse and Neglect*, 32, 529-548.
- Whitaker DJ**, Swahn M, Haileyesus T, & Hall DM. (2008). Intimate Partner Violence: A preventable public health problem for all. *American Journal of Public Health*, 98, 198-199

- Miller KS, Wyckoff S, Lin CY, **Whitaker DJ**, Sukalac T, & Fowler MG (2008). Pediatricians' Role and Practices Regarding Provision of Guidance about Sexual Risk Reduction to Parents. *Journal of Primary Prevention*. DOI: 10.1007/s10935-008-0137-9.
- Forehand R, Armistead L, Long N, Wyckoff S, Kotchick BA, **Whitaker DJ**, Shaffer A, Greenberg AG, Murry V, Jackson L, Kelly A, McNair, L, Dittus P, Lin CY, Miller KS. (2007). Efficacy of a parent-based youth sexual risk prevention program for African-American pre-adolescents: A randomized controlled design. *Archives of Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine*, 161, 1123-1129
- Klevens, J, & **Whitaker DJ**. (2007). A review of primary prevention strategies for preventing child maltreatment. *Child Maltreatment*, 12, 364-377.
- Coker AL, Flerx VC, Smith PH, **Whitaker DJ**, McFadden MK, Williams M. (2007). Intimate Partner Violence incidence and continuation in a primary care screening program. *American Journal of Epidemiology*, 165, 821-827.
- Coker, AL, Flerx VC, Smith PH, **Whitaker DJ**, McFadden MK, Williams M. (2007) Partner Violence Screening in Rural Health Care Clinics. *American Journal of Public Health*, 97, 1319-1325.
- McKee LG, Forehand R, Miller KS, **Whitaker DJ**, Long N, Armistead L. (2007). Are parental gender role beliefs a predictor of change in sexual communication prevention program? *Behavior Modification*, 31, 435-453.
- Whitaker DJ**, Haileyesus, T, Swahn, MH, Saltzman, L (2007). Differences in frequency of violence and reported injury between relationships with reciprocal and nonreciprocal intimate partner violence. *American Journal of Public Health*, 97, 941-947.
- Whitaker DJ**, Baker, C., Pratt, C., Reed E, Suri S, Pavlos C, & Nagy E, Silverman, J., (2007). A network model for providing culturally competent services for intimate partner violence and sexual violence to Latino families. *Violence Against Women*, 13, 190-209.
- Swahn, MH, **Whitaker, DJ**, Phippen, CB, Leeb, RT, Teplin, LA, Abram, KM, McClelland, GM. (2006). Concordance between self-reported maltreatment and court records of abuse or neglect among high-risk youths. *American Journal of Public Health*, 96, 1849-1853.
- Koenig LJ, **Whitaker DJ**, Royce R.A., Wilson T.E., Callahan M.R., Fernandez M.I. (2006). Physical and sexual violence during pregnancy and after delivery: a prospective multistate study of women with or at risk for hiv infection. *American Journal of Public Health*, 96, 1052-1059.
- Whitaker, DJ**, Baker, C, Arias I. (2006). A review of relational strategies for the prevention of intimate partner violence. *The Family Psychologist*, 22, 15-17.
- Whitaker DJ.**, Morrison S., Lindquist CA., Hawkins SR, O'Neil JA, Nesius AM, Mathew A, Reese L. (2006) A critical review of interventions for the primary prevention of perpetration of partner violence. *Aggression and Violent Behavior*, 11, 151-166.
- Hammond WR, **Whitaker DJ**, Lutzker JR, Mercy J, Chin P. (2006). Setting a violence prevention agenda at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. *Aggression and Violent Behavior*, 11, 112-119.

- Whitaker DJ**, Lutzker J.R., & Shelley, G.A. (2005). Child Maltreatment Prevention Priorities at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. *Child Maltreatment, 10*, 245-259
- Lutzker, J & **Whitaker, DJ** (2005). The expanding role of behavior analyses and support: Current status and future directions. *Behavior Modification, 29*, 575-594.
- Tamir, M., Robinson, M.D., Clore, G. L., Martin, L. L., **Whitaker DJ** (2004). Are We Puppets on a String? The Contextual Meaning of Unconscious Expressive Cues. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin, 30*, 237-249.
- Silverman, J, Pratt, C, Reed E, Nagy, E, **Whitaker, DJ**, Baker, C, Decker, M., Koh, H., Pavlos, C. (2004). The CARE Communities Project: An academic, practitioner, public health agency collaboration to improve intimate partner violence services for underserved communities. *Public Health Reports, 119*, 590-593.
- Robin, L, Dittus, PA, **Whitaker, DJ**, Crosby R, Ethier, K., Mezoff, J., Miller, K.S., Pappas-DeLuca, K. (2004) Interventions to prevent HIV, STD, and pregnancy among adolescents in the 90's: A decade in review. *Journal of Adolescent Health, 3-26*
- Koenig L.J., **Whitaker D.J.**, Royce R.A., Wilson T.E., Callahan M.R., Fernandez M.I. (2002). Violence during pregnancy among women with or at risk for HIV infection. *American Journal of Public Health, 92*, 367-370.
- Miller, K. S. & **Whitaker, D. J.** (2001). Predictors of mother-adolescent communication about condoms: Implications for physicians. *Pediatrics, 108*, 28-39.
- Beach, S. R. H., **Whitaker, D.J.**, Jones, D. J., & Tesser, A. (2001). When does performance feedback prompt complementarity in romantic relationships? *Personal Relationships, 8*, 231-248.
- Rothbaum, B.O., Kozak, M.J., Foa, E.B. & **Whitaker, D.J.** (2001). Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in Rape Victims: Autonomic Habituation to Auditory Stimuli. *Journal of Traumatic Stress, 14*, 283-293.
- Whitaker, D. J.**, Miller, K. S., & Clark, L. (2000). Reconceptualizing adolescent sexual behavior: Beyond did they or didn't they. *Family Planning Perspectives, 32*, 111-117.
- Whitaker, D. J.** & Miller, K. S. (2000) Parent-adolescent discussions about sex and condoms: Impact on peer influences of sexual risk behavior. *Journal of Adolescent Research, 15*, 251-272.
- Kernis, M., Paradise, A. W., **Whitaker, D. J.**, Wheatman, S. R., & Goldman, B.N. (2000) Master of one's psychological domain? Not likely if one's self-esteem is unstable. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin, 26*, 1297-1305.
- Whitaker, D. J.**, Miller, K. S., May, D. C., & Levin, M. L. (1999). Teenage partners' communication about sexual risk and condom use: Importance of parent-teenager communication. *Family Planning Perspectives, 31*, 117-121.
- Whitaker, D.J.**, Beach, S. R. H., Etherton, J., Wakefield, R., & Anderson, P. (1999). Attachment and expectations about future relationships: Moderation by accessibility. *Personal Relationships, 6*, 41-56.

- Miller, K. S., Levin, M. L., **Whitaker, D. J.**, & Xu, X. (1998). Maternal communication about condoms and condom use. *American Journal of Public Health*, 88, 1542-1544.
- Beach, S. R. H; Tesser, A., Fincham, F. D., Jones, D. J., Johnson, D., & **Whitaker, D. J.** (1998). Pleasure and pain in doing well, together: An investigation of performance-related affect in close relationships. *Journal of Personality & Social Psychology*. 74, 923-938.
- Tesser, A., **Whitaker, D.J.**, Martin, L. L., & Ward, D. (1998) Attitude heritability, attitude change, and physiological responsivity. *Personality and Individual Differences*, 24, 89-96.
- Kendzierski, D. & **Whitaker, D. J.** (1997). Linking intentions with health behavior: The role of self-schemata in dieting. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 23, 139-147.
- Beach, S. R. H., Tesser, A. T., Mendolia, M., Anderson, P., Crelia, R., **Whitaker, D. J.**, & Fincham, F. (1996). Self-evaluation maintenance in marriage: Toward a performance ecology of the marital relationship. *Journal of Family Psychology*, 10, 379-396.
- Beach, S. R. H., Etherton, J. & **Whitaker D. J.** (1995). Cognitive accessibility and sentiment override: Starting a revolution. *Journal of Family Psychology*, 9, 19-23.

## BOOKS

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- Whitaker DJ** & Lutzker, JR (In Press). *Preventing Partner Violence: Foundations, Intervention, and Issues*. American Psychological Association.
- Whitaker, DJ**, & Reese L.E. (2008). *Preventing intimate partner violence in racial and ethnic minority communities: CDC's Demonstration Projects*. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta GA.

## BOOK CHAPTERS

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- Whitaker DJ**, Hall, DM, Coker AC. (In Press) Primary prevention of intimate partner violence: Toward a developmental, ecological approach. In C Mitchell & D. Anglin (Eds). *Intimate Partner Violence: A Health Based Perspective*. Oxford University Press. New York.
- Whitaker, DJ**, Crimmins D, Edwards AE, & Lutzker, JR. (In press). Safety training and violence prevention using the SafeCare parent training model. In W. O'Donohue & J. E. Fisher (Eds). *Cognitive behavior therapy: Applying empirically supported techniques in your practice*. New York: John Wiley.

- Whitaker, DJ.** & Lutzker, JR. (In press). Editors Introduction to Preventing Partner Violence. (In press). Whitaker DJ & Lutzker, JR (Eds) *Preventing Partner Violence: Foundations, Intervention, and Issues*. American Psychological Association.
- Whitaker, DJ.** & Lutzker, JR. (In Press). Future Directions in Preventing Partner Violence. In Whitaker DJ & Lutzker, JR (Eds.) *Preventing Partner Violence: Foundations, Intervention, and Issues*. American Psychological Association.
- Whitaker DJ,** and Niolon PH. (In Press). Advancing interventions and treating for perpetrators of IPV: Batterer Intervention Programs and beyond. Chapter for DJ Whitaker & JR Lutzker, (Eds) *Preventing Partner Violence: Foundations, Intervention, and Issues*. American Psychological Association.
- Whitaker, DJ.** (2008). Editor's introduction. In DJ Whitaker & LE Reese (Eds.) *Preventing intimate partner violence in racial and ethnic minority communities: CDC's Demonstration Projects*. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta GA.
- Coker A, Smith PH, Flerx VC, **Whitaker DJ,** Fadden MK, Williams M. (2008). Design and implementation of the domestic violence services in rural clinics intervention. In D.J. Whitaker & LE. Reese (Eds.) *Preventing Intimate Partner Violence and Sexual Violence in Racial/Ethnic Minority Communities: CDC's Demonstration Projects*. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Atlanta, GA.
- Peterson D, Richmond L, Betts S, & **Whitaker, DJ.** (2008). Dating violence preventing with Hispanic and Native American Youth: Arizona's Health Relationships Project. In D.J. Whitaker & L.E. Reese (Eds.) *Preventing Intimate Partner Violence and Sexual Violence in Racial/Ethnic Minority Communities: CDC's Demonstration Projects*. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Atlanta, GA.
- Whitaker, DJ,** Baker, CK, Arias I. (2008). Interventions to prevent intimate partner violence. In LS. Doll, SE Bonzo, JA Mercy, DA Sleet, & EN Haas (Eds). *Handbook on Injury and Violence Prevention* (pp 203 - 221). Springer: New York, NY.
- Rosenbluth, B., **Whitaker, DJ,** Valle, L.A. & Sanchez, E. (2004). The Expect Respect Project: Preventing bullying and sexual harassment in U.S. elementary schools. In P. Smith, D. Pepler, & K. Rigby (Eds) *Bullying in School: How Successful Can Intervention Be.* (pp. 211 - 233) Cambridge University Press, Cambridge UK.
- Whitaker, DJ,** Rosenbluth, B., Valle, L.A., and Sanchez, E. (2004). Expect Respect: A School-Based Intervention to Promote Awareness and Effective Responses to Bullying and Sexual Harassment. In D.L. Espelage and S. M. Swearer (Eds) *A social-ecological perspective on bullying prevention and interventions in American schools.* (pp 327-350). Erlbaum Associates, NJ.
- Beach, SRH, **Whitaker, DJ,** O'Mahen, H.A., Jones, D. J., Tesser, A.T., & Fincham, F. D. (2002). Competition in Romantic Relationships. Do Partners build niches? Chapter to appear in P. Noller and J. A. Feeney (Eds.), *Understanding Marriage: Developments in the study of Marital Interaction*. Cambridge University Press.
- Martin, L.L. & **Whitaker, D. J.** (2000). Availability as input: The experience of cognitive effort can either strengthen or weaken evaluations. In Bless, H. & Forgas, J. P. (Eds.) *The message within: The role of subjective experience in social cognition and behavior* (pp. 88-106). Philadelphia, PA: Psychology Press.

## REPORTS/NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

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National Center for Injury Prevention and Control's Research Agenda. Child Maltreatment chapter. Writing team member.

National Center for Injury Prevention and Control's Research Agenda. Intimate Partner Violence/Sexual violence chapter. Writing team lead.

Valle LA, **Whitaker DJ**, Lutzker JR, Filene JH, Wyatt JM, Cephas KC, and Hoover DM. (2004). Using Evidence-based Parenting Programs to Advance CDC Efforts in Child Maltreatment Prevention. *CDC Research in Brief*.

Morrison SM, Lindquist C, Hawkins SR, O'Neil JA, Nesius AM, Mathew A , & **Whitaker DJ**. (2003). *Evidence-based review of batterer intervention and prevention programs*. Report for the National Centers for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

## UNDER REVIEW AND IN PREPARATION

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**Whitaker DJ**, Le B, & Niolon PH. Persistence and desistence of intimate partner violence across relationships: Results from a national study. Under Review. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*

Campbell J, Soeken K, Kub J, Sharps P, Walton-Moss B, Fredland N, Roberts J, Blake S, Lary H, & **Whitaker DJ**. Evaluation of "Respect Me": An Arts-Based Dating Violence Prevention Program for Urban Middle School Adolescents. Under review. *Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine*.

Coker, AL, Flerx VC, Smith PH, **Whitaker DJ**, McFadden MK. Help seeking among rural women experiencing partner violence. Under Review, *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*.

Prinz RJ, Sanders M, Shapiro C, **Whitaker DJ**, Lutzker JR. Population-Based Prevention of Child Maltreatment: The U.S. Triple P System Population Trial. Under review. *Prevention Science*

Charles D, **Whitaker DJ**, Le B, & DiClemente R. Differences between Reciprocal and Non-reciprocal Young-Adult Perpetrators of Physical Intimate Partner Violence. In CDC Clearance.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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Hall, DM, **Whitaker DJ** & Coker A. (October, 2008). How can a developmental and ecological model inform research on primary prevention of intimate partner violence? Paper presented at the Annual meeting of the American Public Health Association. San Diego, CA.

Lutzker JR & **Whitaker DJ**. (March 2008). SafeCare<sup>®</sup>: Expansion of an evidenced-based model for child maltreatment prevention. Invited paper presented at the Prevent Child Abuse North Carolina Annual Conference, 2008. Winston-Salem, NC.

- Whitaker DJ** (Dec, 2007). *School-based interventions for the prevention of dating violence*. Invited paper presented at HHS sponsored workshop, Teen dating Violence: Developing a Research Agenda to meet practice needs. Arlington, VA
- Whitaker DJ & Le, B.** (Nov, 2007). *Risk and protective factors for the perpetration of child sexual abuse: A review and meta analysis*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies. Philadelphia, PA
- Whitaker DJ, Le B, & Niolon, PH.** (Nov, 2007). *Persistence of partner violence perpetration across relationships*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies. Philadelphia, PA
- Whitaker DJ.** (Sept, 2006) *Risk and protective factors for the perpetration of child sexual abuse: A review and meta analysis*. Panel discussion at the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abuse. Chicago, IL.
- Whitaker DJ,** (April, 2006). *Risk and protective factors for the perpetration of child sexual abuse: A meta analysis*. Invited panelist at the annual conference of the National Adolescent Perpetration Network. Atlanta GA
- Whitaker DJ, Le B, & Niolon, PH** (March, 2006). *Continuity in partner violence perpetration and victimization across relationships*. Paper presented at Society for Research on Adolescence. San Francisco, CA
- Whitaker DJ & Cook S.** (Oct, 2005) *What is the impact of state standards on treatment programs for men who batter? Pilot studies examining monitoring and evaluation of treatment programs*. Social and Behavioral Science Symposium, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Georgia State University, Atlanta GA.
- Whitaker DJ.** (May, 2005) *On the primary prevention of partner violence: Dating violence programs and beyond*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Society for Prevention Research, Washington DC
- Klein A, & Whitaker DJ.** (April 2005). *Protecting Children from Sexual Abuse: Report Back from the National Risk and Protective Factors Project*. Workshop presented at the annual conference of the Office on Child Abuse and Neglect. Boston MA.
- Pratt C, Reed E, Suri S, Jacklin E, Silverman J, Whitaker DJ, Baker C, Pavlos C.** (Nov 2004). *The CARE Communities Project: The development of locally based strategies for the prevention of intimate partner violence*. Paper presented to the annual conference of the American Public Health Association, Washington DC.
- Coker, A., Smith, P.J., Flerx, V., & Whitaker, DJ.** (Nov 2004). *Screening and interventions with victims of intimate partner violence in primary care clinics in rural South Carolina*. Paper presented to the annual conference of the American Public Health Association, Washington DC.
- Whitaker DJ & Haileyesus, T.** (Nov 2004) *Mutual partner violence in intimate relationships: Findings from the National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health*. Paper presentation at the annual conference of the American Society for Criminology, Chattanooga, TN.
- Whitaker DJ, Lutzker JR & Cephas, KC.** (Nov 2004). *Evaluation of a Population-based Parent Training Program to Prevent Child Maltreatment*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Evaluation Association. Atlanta, GA.
- Smith PH, Coker A, Flerx V, & Whitaker, DJ.** (Oct, 2004) *Clinic-based IPV assessment in rural South Carolina: Methods for assessing for battering and physical assault*. Paper presented at the annual conference of the Family Violence Prevention Fund.

- Klein A, **Whitaker DJ**, Ingram E, McMahon P, Baker C. (August 2004) *Protecting Children from Sexual Abuse: Report Back from the Risk and Protective Factors Project*. Oral presentation presented at the National Sexual Violence Conference, Los Angeles.
- Blank A. & **Whitaker DJ**. (co-chairs, July 2004). *Evaluating multicomponent interventions to prevention intimate partner violence*. Panel presented at the American Psychological Association conference, Honolulu HI.
- Whitaker DJ**. (July 2004). *Review of interventions to prevent dating violence*. Paper presentation at the American Psychological Association conference, Honolulu, HI.
- Swahn, MH, Phippen, CB, **Whitaker, DJ**, Leeb, RT, Teplin, LA, Abram, KM, McClelland, GM. (November 2003). *Concordance of self-reported versus court-reported cases of child maltreatment: Findings from the Northwestern Juvenile Project*. Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Conference, Denver, CO.
- Whitaker DJ**, (April 2003). *Implementing an Empirically Validated Curriculum Statewide in Oklahoma to Prevent Child Maltreatment*. Panel chaired at Safety in Numbers: Working Together from Research into Practice, Atlanta GA.
- Whitaker DJ**, Filene JH, Hecht D, Campbell RV, Lutzker, JR. (April, 2003). *Evaluation of a Standardized Curriculum in Oklahoma: Lessons Learned from the Oklahoma Children's Services Project*. Paper presented at Safety in Numbers: Working Together from Research into Practice, Atlanta GA.
- Jacklin B, Suri, S Freire, K, Pratt C, Silverman J, Pavlos C, Whitaker D, and Hoover, M. (April 2003) *CARE Communities Project: Community-Based Models of IPV-related Services in Communities of Color*. Paper presented at Safety in Numbers: Working Together from Research into Practice, Atlanta GA
- Filene J, Campbell RV, Hecht D, Lutzker, JR, **Whitaker DJ**. (May, 2003). *Lessons Learned: Oklahoma Children's Services Project*. Paper presented at Safety in Numbers: Working Together from Research into Practice, Atlanta GA.
- Whitaker, DJ**, Lutzker, JR, Filene, J. (April 2003). *CDC role in collaboration with Oklahoma University Sciences Health Center, Center on Child Abuse and Neglect and Oklahoma Department of Human Services*. Paper presented at the 14th National Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect conference of the Office on Child Abuse and Neglect, St. Louis, MO.
- Hawkins SR, Morrison S, Lindquist C, Nesius A, O'Neil J, **Whitaker DJ**, Williams M. (April 2003) *Promising Practices Guide: Batterer Prevention and Intervention Programs*. Paper presented at Safety in Numbers: Working Together from Research into Practice, Atlanta GA.
- Morrison, S, Lindquist, CH, Nesius, A, O'Neill, JA, Hawkins, SR, Mathew, A, Williams, M, & **Whitaker, DJ** (November 2002). *Findings from an evidence-based review of batterer prevention and intervention programs*. Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Conference, Denver, CO.
- Lutzker, J.R., **Whitaker, D.J.**, Campbell, R. V., and Filene J. (August 2002). *Collaboration between CDC and Oklahoma University Health Sciences Center in the replication of Project SafeCare*. Paper presented at the 7<sup>th</sup> International Family Violence Research Conference. New Hampshire
- Wyckoff, S., Miller, K.S., & **Whitaker, D.J.**, (August 2002). *Content of maternal-adolescent communications about condoms*. Poster presented at the XIV International AIDS Conference, Barcelona, Spain.

- Miller, K.S., Wyckoff S.C., **Whitaker, D.J.**, Forehand, R.L., Armistead, L.P., Kotchick, B.A., Long, N., Shaffer, A., Murry, V., Kelly, A., Jackson, L.C. (August 2002). *Sexual thoughts, intentions, and experimentation in pre-teens*. Poster presented at the XIV International AIDS Conference, Barcelona, Spain.
- Miller, K.S., Forehand, R.L., Armistead, L.P., Kotchick, B.A., Long, N., Murry, V., Kelly, A., Jackson, L.C. **Whitaker, D.J.**, Wyckoff, S.C. (August 2002). *Parents matter!: Parents are unique and powerful tools for the delivery of HIV prevention information and skills prior to onset of sexual risk behaviors in youth*. Poster presented at the XIV International AIDS Conference, Barcelona, Spain.
- Lutkzer JR, **Whitaker DJ**, Campbell RC, Filene J. (July 2002). *Collaboration between Oklahoma University Health Sciences Center and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*. Paper presented at the 13<sup>th</sup> annual International Family Violence Conference, Portsmouth, NH.
- Whitaker, D. J.** & Miller, K.S. (August, 2000). *The relationship between mother's and adolescent's attitude about teen sex*. Roundtable discussion presented at the annual conference of the American Psychological Association. Washington, D.C.
- Whitaker, D.J.**, Moore, J., Ethier, K. A., Walter, E.B., Wilson, T. E., & Fernandez, M. I. (September, 1999). *Willingness to accept voluntary counseling and testing among pregnant women who initially refused an HIV test*. Poster presented at the 1999 HIV Prevention Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Whitaker, D.J.**, (August, 1999). *Preventing Sexual Risk Behavior in Adolescents*. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the American Psychological Association. Boston, MA.
- Whitaker, D. J.** (August, 1999) *Teen-partner communication and condom use: The importance of parent-teen communication*. Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Psychological Association. Boston, MA.
- Whitaker, D. J.**, Koenig, L. K., Marks, G., & Miller, K. S. (August, 1999). Cognitive biases for age of sexual initiation among minority youth. Poster presented at the annual conference of the American Psychological Association. Boston, MA.
- Koenig, L. K., **Whitaker, D. J.**, Royce, R. A., Wilson, T. E., Callahan, M., & Fernandez, M. I (June, 1999). *Violence among HIV infected pregnant women: Findings from the Perinatal Guidelines Evaluation Project (PGEF)*. Paper presented at the National Conference for Violence and Reproductive Health: Science, Prevention, and Action. Atlanta, GA.
- Whitaker, D. J.** & Miller, K. S. (August, 1998). *Parent-adolescent discussions impact peer influences of condom use*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the American Psychological Association.
- Whitaker, D. J.** & Miller, K. S. (July, 1998). *Parent adolescent discussions about sexual initiation: Reducing the impact of peer norms on early sexual initiation*. Poster presented at the 12<sup>th</sup> World AIDS Conference in Geneva, Switzerland.
- Whitaker, D. J.** & Miller, K. S., May, D. C., & Levin, M. L. (July, 1998). *Communication about sexual risk between teens and their partners: the importance of parent-teen communication factors*. Poster presented at the 12<sup>th</sup> World AIDS Conference in Geneva, Switzerland.

- Miller K. S., Levin M. L., **Whitaker, D. J.**, & Xu, X. (July, 1998). *Patterns of Condom Use Among Adolescents: The Impact of Maternal-Adolescent Communication*. Poster presented at the 12<sup>th</sup> World AIDS Conference, Geneva Switzerland
- Whitaker, D. J.**, Beach, S. R. H., & Tesser, A. T. (May, 1997). *SEM in close relationships: Changing perceived relevance to defend self- and partner-esteem*. Poster presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Society. Washington, D.C.
- Whitaker, D. J.** (November, 1996). *From goals to affect: Influence from goal abstractness and goal structure*. Paper presented at the annual convention of the Society of Southeastern Social Psychologists. Virginia Beach, VA.
- Whitaker, D. J.**, Anderson, P., & Etherton, J., & Beach, S.R.H., (November, 1996). *Impact of priming and accessibility: Toward a cognitive interpersonal synthesis*. Poster presented at the 30th Annual Convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy. New York, NY.
- Anderson, P., **Whitaker, D. J.**, Etherton, J. & Beach, S.R.H., (November, 1996). *The role of parental attachment in sexual and relationship satisfaction*. Poster presented at the 30th Annual Convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy. New York, NY.
- Whitaker, D. J.**, & Tesser, A. T. (May, 1996). *Attitude heritability: Physiological consequences of inconsistent feedback to heritable and non-heritable attitudes*. Poster presented at the annual convention of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Whitaker, D. J.**, & Martin, L. L. (May, 1996). *Subjective mental effort: When thinking hard means something good*. Paper presented at the annual convention of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Whitaker, D. J.** (April, 1996). *Goal abstractness and judgments about goals and goal-related events*. Paper presented at the Psi Chi 19h Annual Convention for the Behavioral Sciences, Athens, GA.
- Whitaker, D. J.**, Etherton, J., Anderson, P., & Beach, S. R. H., (November, 1995). *Attachment styles and the processing of emotional stimuli*. Poster presented to the 29th Annual Convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy. Washington, D.C.
- Beach, S. R. H., **Whitaker, D. J.**, Etherton, J., & Anderson, P., (November, 1995). *Cognitive accessibility and attachment: Does accessibility play a moderating role?* Paper presented to the 29th Annual Convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy. Washington, D.C.
- Whitaker, D. J.**, Collins, J., & Tesser, A. (June, 1995). *The role of affect in the interchangeability of self-defense mechanisms*. Poster presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Society, New York, NY.
- Whitaker, D. J.** & Martin, L. L. (1995, May). *Accessibility, inaccessibility and attitude judgments in different contexts*. Poster presented at the annual convention of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Kendzierski, D. & **Whitaker, D. J.** (1995, April). *Accessibility of dieting intentions as a function of dieting and self-schema status*. Poster session to be presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association, Boston, MA.

## WORKSHOPS, TRAINING, COLLOQUIA

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**Whitaker DJ** (February 2008). The SafeCare® Parenting Program: History, Research, and Future Directions. Presentation at Promising Practices and Intervention in Chronic Neglect, sponsored by the Northwest Institute for Children and Families, Seattle WA.

**Whitaker DJ.** (February 2008). *Prevention of partner violence: Current status and future directions.* Colloquium presented at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Baltimore, MD.

Hammond WR & **Whitaker DJ.** (Oct, 2006) *Child maltreatment prevention at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.* presentation at the Doris Duke Charitable Foundation First Annual Child Abuse Prevention grantee meeting. Hillsborough, NJ.

**Whitaker DJ.** (Oct, 2005). Primary prevention of intimate partner violence. Invited speaker at the American Medical Association's National Advisory Council on Violence and Abuse, *Linda E. Saltzman Annual Symposium on Violence and Abuse.* Chicago, IL.

## HONORS & AWARDS

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2008	Certificate of recognition for service to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Institutional Review Board.
2008	Nominee for Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Shepard Award, Best paper in Prevention Science category
2007	National Center for Injury Prevention and Control Directors Award for Research
2007	Finalist for Behavioral and Social Science Working Group Award for Excellence in Behavioral and Social Science Research in Public Health at CDC for publication (Koenig, Whitaker, et al., 2007)
2007	CDC/ATSDR Honor for Communication Services (Group Category) for contributing to Handbook for Injury and Violence Prevention
2005	AMA National Advisory Council on Violence and Abuse Certificate of Recognition
1997 - 2007	Outstanding performance award, CDC, 1998-2006
1989	Graduated Magna Cum Laude, SUNY Albany
1987	Psi Chi National Honor Society

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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American Psychological Association, Division 37  
American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children (APSAC)  
Society for Prevention Research

## COMMITTEES AND SERVICE

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Aug, 2007	Tenure reviewer, Dr. Lynette Feder, Portland State University
May 2006 –	Healthy Families Georgia Advisory Committee Member
Aug, 2006 –	Division of Violence Prevention, Strategic planning for Intimate Partner Violence
Oct 2006 -	Division of Violence Prevention, Intimate Partner Violence subject matter expert
Nov, 2006	CDC, Healthy Child Goal expert meeting

Feb 2006	CDC's Healthy Homes workshop strategic goal planning meeting
Nov 2005 – July, 2005	American Medical Association's National Advisory Council on Violence and Abuse Selection committee for selecting CDC's Goals Team Leader position
August 2002	Objective Review Panel member, Reducing Sexual Risk for HIV Transmission in Substance-Using Men who have Sex with Men, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Jan - May, 2002	Planning committee, 2002 CDC's National Injury Prevention Conference
July 2001	Grant panel reviewer, RFA 01099, Research on Community Cancer Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Nov 2001 –	Division of Violence Prevention, Violence Against Women working group
Nov, 2001 –	Division of Violence Prevention, Child Maltreatment working group
May 1998 –	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Institutional Review Board A

## **MENTORSHIP**

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9/02 – 9/03	Jill Filene, MPH, Fellow, Association for Schools of Public Health
9/03 – 9/04	Courtney Phippen, MPH, Fellow, Association of Teacher of Preventive Medicine
6/04 – 8/04	Grace Ojegiri, MPH Student, Summer research assistant
9/04 – 9/05	Hilary Oliphant, MPH, Emory University, CDC fellowship
9/05 – 9/06	Phyllis, Niolon, PhD, Postdoctoral fellow, Violence Prevention in Communities of Color
1/05 – 9/06	Brende Le, PhD Candidate, Tulane University, Dissertation committee member
9/05 – 9/06	Dyanna Charles, MPH, Emory University, Thesis committee member
6/6 – 1/08	Shannon Self-Brown, PhD, CDC Foundation Fellow
6/07 – 8/07	Caren Kaplan, MPH student, Emory University, summer research internship
6/07 – 8/07	Ashley Winning, MPH student, Emory University, summer research internship
6/07 – 8/07	Feea Leifker, MPH, Emory University, summer research internship

## **AD-HOC JOURNAL REVIEWER**

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AIDS  
AIDS Care  
American Journal of Preventive Medicine  
American Journal of Public Health  
Child Maltreatment  
Child Maltreatment: Guest editor for special issue focusing on technology  
Family Planning Perspectives  
Journal of Adolescent Research  
Journal of Clinical Psychology and Psychiatry  
Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved  
Journal of Traumatic Stress (statistical reviewer)  
Pediatrics  
Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin

Preventive Medicine  
Psychological Bulletin  
Sexual Abuse: Research and Treatment  
Social Cognition  
Violence Against Women

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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Summer, 1995	Introduction to Psychology, Summer 1995 University of Georgia
Fall/Spring, 1996-1997	Introduction to Psychology – Honors, University of Georgia
Fall/Spring, 1995-1996	Social Psychology Research Methods Lab Teaching Assistant