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Education

- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), Research Measurement and Statistics, May 5, 2012
Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA
Dissertation: Exploring College Readiness: Self-Perceptions of Early College Students
- Master of Public Health (MPH), Maternal and Child Health, May 1997
University of Alabama-Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.), Business Marketing, May 1983
Hampton Institute, Hampton, VA

Most Relevant Work Experience

Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA

Lecturer, Health Promotion and Behavior, April 2017 to Current

Director Undergraduate Public Health Program, August 2016 to Current

- Provide overall leadership, administration and successful operation of the undergraduate public health program.
- Responsible for day to day oversight of the program
- Conduct outreach and marketing activities to grow student enrollment
- Serve on university undergraduate committees to strengthen the School of Public Health's ties to the overall university community
- Teach undergraduate courses in Epidemiology, Social and Behavioral Health, Signature Experience and Introduction to Public Health
- Work collaboratively with other faculty and staff to interview and hire additional undergraduate faculty
- Develop curriculum for and teach future undergraduate courses with a focus on the integration of technology and differentiated learning.
- Develop, implement and administer international education and training programs for undergraduate and graduate students focused on public health and the social determinants of health
- Serve on the school's leadership team and the Assessment and Evaluation committee

Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA

Director Research Training and Education Core, August 2012 to March 2017

- Coordinate a student fellowship program, including recruiting, mentoring and research training
- Serve as a liaison for special health disparity projects
- Research and write grants.
- Assist with evaluation of Center for Excellence with lead evaluator and center faculty/staff
- Work collaboratively with other center of excellence core directors, faculty and staff
- Develop curriculum for and teach undergraduate and graduate courses on health disparities. Focus on the integration of technology and differentiated learning at both undergraduate and graduate levels.
- Develop, implement and administer international education and training programs for undergraduate and graduate students focused on public health and the social determinants of health
- Engage campus and local community members through community seminars and evaluation activities
- Develop public health training programs to enhance the retention and competitiveness of undergraduate and graduate students with a special emphasis on minorities and individuals from disparity populations.
- Support Masters and Doctoral students with thesis and dissertation research and preparation
- Advise Masters students

Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY

Director of Diversity Assessment and Research Management, August 2008 to January 2011

- Analyze, interpret and report assessment and research information related to diversity for the university
- Foster and promote services and programs focused on diversity, equity and inclusion
- Develop diversity strategic planning and vision for University and division level goals
- Serve as an advisor to the University's Chief Diversity Officer
- Serve as project liaison for diversity functional areas to assist with Institutional Research data.
- Engage campus community members within diversity functional areas in an ongoing review of assessment.
- Research and write grants.
- Co-Chair the President's Commission on Pluralism and Inclusion

Georgia State University, Project Healthy Grandparents, Atlanta, GA

Project Manager, March 2001 to July 2006

- Co-authored the grant to secure funding to provide abstinence education to grandchildren being raised by their grandparents.
- Responsible for day to day operations of the program.
- Supervised a staff of 20 including group facilitators, social workers, mental health clinicians, mentors and drivers.
- Monitored and administered program planning, data management, and fiscal management, including budget development.
- Coordinated community outreach and community partnerships.

Early College High School University Liaison

The New Schools at Carver, Early College High School, Atlanta, GA

August 2005 to July 2008; September 2009 to July 2012

- Pioneered the first Early College High School in the State of Georgia
- Developed policies and procedures at the University level to assist with facilitating services to first generation, underrepresented dual enrollment students
- Facilitate professional development activities between Georgia State University and Carver Early College High School.
- Coordinate and implement special grant funded projects.
- Coordinate transition activities between the high school and the university partner.
- Facilitate communication and identification of needs at the high school level.
- Supervise 5-10 staff responsible for tutoring and mentoring activities at the high school

Kiwanis International, Indianapolis, IN

Lead Facilitator, September 2007 to Current

- Facilitate an experiential leadership program for students in grades 10-12.
- Develop activities and learning modules focused on service leadership and character development including, Integrity, Respect, Growth, Community and Excellence.

Student Thesis, Capstone and Dissertation Support

- December 2012 – **Arlyn Sanchez, MPH** – Dr. Christine Stauber, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White Committee Member.
- May 2013 - **Erica Sheldon, MPH** – Dr. Rodney Lyn, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member.
- July 2013 – **Melissa Duong, MPH** – Dr. Bruce Perry, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member.
- March 2014 – **Huong Tran, MPH** – Dr. Ike Okosun, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member.
- December 2014 – **Faith Washburn, MPH** - Dr. Richard Rothenberg, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member
- December 2014 – **Rachael Wendlandt, MPH** - Dr. Laura Salazar, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member
- May 2015 – **Ryan Johnson, MPH** - Dr. Christina Hemphill-Fuller, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member
- May 2015 – **Degninou Yehadji, MPH** - Dr. Ike Okosun, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member
- August 2015 – **Kimberly Ramseur, MPH** – Dr. Kim Ramsey-White, Chair; Professor Sylvia Caley, JD
- August 2015 - **Telania Thomas, MPH** – Dr. Emily Graybill, Chair; Dr. Kim R Ramsey-White, Committee Member

- December 2016 – **Jennifer Rucker, MPH Candidate** - Dr. Ike Okosun, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member
- December 2016 – **Genevieve Keys, MPH Candidate** - Dr. Ike Okosun, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member
- May 2016 – **Tomi Falegan, MPH Candidate** – Dr. Shannon Self-Brown, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee member
- May 2016– Bianca Brooks, PhD Candidate Clinical Psychology – Dr. Lisa Armistead, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White Committee Member
- May 2016 – **Rudi Hermawan, MPH Candidate** – Dr. Kymberle Sterling, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee member
- August 2016 (Anticipated) – **Amanda Muckle MPH Candidate** - Dr. Richard Rothenberg, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member
- August 2016 (Anticipated) – **Parvin Ali, MPH Candidate** - Dr. Ike Okosun, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White, Committee Member
- August 2016 – **Heidi Cox, MPH Candidate** – Dr. Ike Okosun, Chair; Dr. Kim R. Ramsey-White

Practicum Preceptor

- **Sarah McClellan** – Summer 2016 - Study Abroad Program in Kampala, Uganda examining Alcohol Use
- **Cayla Roby** – Summer 2016 – Study Abroad Program in Kampala, Uganda examining Alcohol Use
- **Jalisa Cruver** – Spring 2016 – Environmental Protection Agency-Community University Partnership Program – City of Lithonia
- **Mwila Kapaya** – Fall 2015 – Walden University – MPH Student – Assessment and Evaluation of Health Education Programs for Minority Men
- **Heidi Cox** - Summer 2015 - Study Abroad Program in Salvador, Brazil examining Chronic Kidney Disease
- **Phylliscia Gibson** - Summer 2015 - Study Abroad Program in Shanghai, China examining Environmental Disparities using GIS
- **Tomi Falegan** – Spring 2015 – Development of a Health Education program for Substance Abusing African-American Men
- **Amanda Muckle** – Spring 2015 - Evaluation of a Health Education program for Substance Abusing African-American Men
- **Racahel Wendlandt** – Summer 2014 - Study Abroad Program in the Dominican Republic examining Health Disparities
- **Faith Washburn** – Summer 2014 - Study Abroad Program in the Dominican Republic examining Health Disparities

Evaluation Skills

- Proficient in SPSS
- Knowledgeable in SAS Programming
- Excellent Written and Verbal Communication

Additional Professional Work Experience

Evaluation and Research Consultant – White and Associates

SECME, Atlanta, GA

October 2010 to January 2011

- Conduct formative evaluation for capacity building grant
- Assist with the development of longitudinal data collection and evaluation of NASA funded “Summer of Innovation” grant

Evaluation and Research Consultant – White and Associates

Georgia Early College High School Initiative, Atlanta, GA

March 2009 to June 2010

- Assist with survey administration for the state initiative
- Analyze state level early college data
- Write evaluation reports

Research Associate

Georgia State University Evaluation Team, Learn and Serve Grant

August 2006 to May 2007

- Assist with data collection procedures for grantees
- Review grantee proposals.
- Participate in discussions and evaluations of grantees goals and objectives.
- Assist with data entry and analysis of data.
- Assist with report writing and publication development.

Georgia State University, Project Healthy Grandparents, Atlanta, GA

Data Manager, December 1996 to July 2006

- Extensive experience in compliance with University Institutional Review Boards
- Responsible for submitting renewal and new certification request for 6 Protocols annually
- Responsible for all aspects of data collection.
- Supervised and train 6 data collectors.

Georgia State University, Project Healthy Grandparents, Atlanta, GA

Social Services Coordinator, December 1996 to March 2001

- Provided social work case management services to grandparent headed families
- Advocated for grandparent headed families with social service and health agencies.
- Coordinated tutor mentor activities.

DeKalb Community Service Board, Atlanta, GA

Group Facilitator, February 2002 to June 2003

- Facilitated a substance abuse group for adolescents mandated through juvenile drug court to participate in substance abuse counseling.
- Coordinated community service and service learning programming for participants.

- Provided supervision and guidance to participants during bi-weekly field trips and wilderness activities.
- Participated in multi-disciplinary team staffing for individual participants.

Ridgeview Institute, Smyrna, GA

Clinical Assistant-Nursing Department, February 1991 to August 1995

- Provided supervision to mental health consumers with the following disorders: chemical dependency, eating disorders, behavior disorders and psychological disorders.
- Conducted admission assessments.
- Orientated clients to therapeutic milieu and reinforced all aspects of individual treatment plans.
- Administered electrocardiograms as needed.
- Reinforced principles of AA, NA CA and OA as needed.

Fulton County Department of Family and Children Services, Atlanta, GA

Caseworker Principal, March 1988 to December 1996

- Determined initial eligibility for AFDC (TANF), Food Stamps and Medicaid in a large urban hospital.

Georgia State University, College of Health and Human Sciences, Atlanta, GA

Part-Time Instructor, September 1998 to May 2000

- Team taught an undergraduate course focusing on cultural competence and diversity.
- Developed curricula focused on communication from the perspective of human diversity.

Georgia State University, Evaluation of the Fatherhood Initiative, Atlanta, GA

Focus Group Facilitator, February 1998 to March 1998

- Facilitated focus groups of custodial mothers to evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of the state child support system.

Georgia Regional Hospital, Nursing Department, Athens, GA

Resident Assistant, November 1997 to January 1998

- Participated in a quality improvement project around improved seclusion and restraint policies.
- Developed survey instrument.
- Conducted data entry and data analysis.

Volunteer and Community Service Experience

New Birth Missionary Baptist Church, Lithonia, GA

Counseling Ministry, September 2002 to Current

- Facilitate small group sessions focused on communication in marriage.
- Participate in conferences and seminars sponsored by the counseling ministry.
- Serve as resource and support for group members dealing with emotional issues.

Abstinence Educator, Atlanta, GA

Various Organizations, September 2004 to 2006

- Facilitated prevention programs and curricula to children and adolescents in Christian youth programs.
- Trained in Choosing the Best Abstinence Curricula

Clements Middle School, Covington, GA

Parent Volunteer, August 2004 to 2008

- Assist in classrooms and around schools as necessary.

Research Interest

- African-American Male Health and Resiliency
- Health Workforce Diversity
- Diversity Strategic Planning
- Health Disparities
- Urban Health
- High School Reform and Minority Children

Honors and Awards

- Phi Beta Delta – National Honor Society for International Scholars 2007
- Kappa Delta Pi National Honor Society in Education 2005

Professional Memberships

American Public Health Association (APHA) 2012 - Current
National Association of Multi-Cultural Education (NAME) 2007 - 2010
Atlanta Area Evaluation Association (AAEA) 2006 – 2010
American Education Research Association (AERA) 2005- 2011

Publications

Rogers-Brown, J., Johnson, R., Smith, D., **Ramsey-White, K.** (2015 in press). A pilot study to examine the disparities in water quality between predominantly Haitian neighborhoods and Dominican neighborhoods in two cities in the dominican republic. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*

Whitley, D.M., **White, K.R.**, Kelley, S.J., Yorker, B. (1999). Strengths-based case management: A practical application. *Families in Society*.(80,2), 110-119.

Presentations

National:

Ramsey-White, K.R., Kirkendoll, K., *Exploring Men's Health: Implications for Practice*
Nursing: Multidisciplinary Approaches to Patient Centered Care. The National Black Nurses
Association, Inc. Atlanta, GA. (August 2015)

Johnson, R.W., Brown, J.R. Smith, D.D., Ramsey-White, K.R. *Disparities in Microbial
Concentration in Public Accessible Water in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.*
Transdisciplinary Collaborations: Evolving Dimensions of US and Global Health Equity.
National Harbor, MD. (December 2014)

Smith, D.D., Johnson, R.W., Brown, J.R., Ramsey-White, K.R. *The Correlation Between Toilet
Availability and Escherichia Coli Presence in Public-Access water in the Dominican Republic.*
Transdisciplinary Collaborations: Evolving Dimensions of US and Global Health Equity.
National Harbor, MD. (December 2014)

Brown, J.R., Smith, D.D., Johnson, R.W., Ramsey-White, K.R. *Race, Water and Contamination
in the Dominican Republic.* Transdisciplinary Collaborations: Evolving Dimensions of US and
Global Health Equity. National Harbor, MD. (December 2014)

Brown, J.R., Smith, D.D., Johnson, R.W., Ramsey-White, K.R. *An Analysis of Water Quality in
Haiti and the Importance of Post-2015 Millennial Development Goal Follow-Through.*
Transdisciplinary Collaborations: Evolving Dimensions of US and Global Health Equity.
National Harbor, MD. (December 2014)

Goodfellow, LT, Ramsey-White, KR, Hudson, D., Muckle, AL. *Bridges to the Baccauareate: A
Health Professions Pipeline.* Transdisciplinary Collaborations: Evolving Dimensions of US and
Global Health Equity. National Harbor, MD. (December 2014)

Dock, R., **Ramsey-White, K.**, Henderson, G., White, F. (2014, March) *Examining Barriers to
Disability Support Services Access for College Students.* National Council on Rehabilitation
Education. Manhattan Beach, CA.

Benson, G., Thornton, M. McCloud, J., **White, K.** (2007, February). *One Year After
Reinventing An Urban High School and An Urban University Partnership: Lessons Learned at
Early College High School.* American Association for Colleges of Teacher Education. New
York, NY.

Benson, G., Thornton, M. Deming, R. Dock, R. **White, K.** (2006, January). *Early College High School: A University/ School Partnership for Success*. American Association for Colleges of Teacher Education. San Diego, CA .

Kelley, S., Whitley, D., **White, K.** (2001, July). *Saturday Youth Academy: Mental Health Support for Grandchildren Being Raised by Grandparents*. Child Welfare League of America. Chicago, IL.

Kelly, S., **White, K.** (2001, June). *Grandparents Raising Grandchildren: An Inter-Disciplinary Approach*. American Professional Society Against the Abuse of Children. Washington, D.C.

White, K. (2001, March). *Effective Communication with Grandparents Raising Grandchildren*. National SIDS Alliance. Chicago, IL.

White, K. (1999, November). *Strengths Based Case Management*. American Public Health Association. Chicago, IL.

Local and other invited presentations:

White, K., Sanchez, V., (2010). *An introduction to inclusive excellence: In the context of institutional transformation*. Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY.

White, K., Harris, T., Henry, K., (2010 February). *How College Partners Can Effectively Support an Early College*. State Early College Winter Institute, Peachtree City, GA.

White, K., Sheppard, B. Cote, J., Lara, P. (2007, February). *Youth Culture: Are You in the Know?* Kiwanis International-Key Leader Facilitation Training, Hampton, GA.

Sipe, T.A., **White, K.** (2004, October). *Project Healthy Grandparents: Youth Leadership Program*. Children and Youth Coordinating Council Conference- Kennesaw State University. Kennesaw, GA.

White, K. (2003, November). *Abstinence Education and At-Risk Youth*. Annual Parents and Youth Convocation. Inter-Denominational Theological Center, Atlanta, GA.

Whitley, D.M., Kelley, S.J., **White, K.** (2002, October). *Saturday Youth Academy: A Mental Health Support Group for Grandchildren Living with Grandparents*. National Association of Social Workers-Georgia Chapter, 14th Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Whitley, D. **White, K.**(2001, October). *Saturday Youth Academy: An Innovation for Grandparents Raising Grandchildren*. American Public Health Association. Atlanta, GA.

White, K., Cosby, G. (2001, July). *Power and Control in the Correctional Setting*. City of Atlanta Department of Corrections. Atlanta, GA.

White, K. (2001, June). *Strengths-Based Case management: Utilization in a Therapeutic Community*. City of Atlanta Department of Corrections. Atlanta, GA.

White, K. (1999, November). *Unlocking our Gifts: Grandparents Keep on Keepin' On*. Annual Parents and Youth Convocation: Building Families from The Inside Out. Inter-Denominational Theological Center, Atlanta, GA.

References Available Upon Request