




MEET THE 2015 SUMMER STUDENTS

Name:	Anna Le
From:	Renton, WA
School:	University of Washington, Biology & Public Health
Fun Facts:	Anna loves to travel and would like to visit all 7 continents before going to grad school. She has received a state department scholarship to go to Thailand, Vietnam, and Australia.
Name:	Andrea Chen
From:	Seattle, WA
School:	University of Washington
Fun Facts:	Andrea is a foodie who applied to work at HIPRC because of her interest in research.
Name:	Angela Hong
From:	New York
School:	Barnard at Columbia University, Neuroscience
Fun Facts:	Andrea applied to work at HIPRC in order to explore the West coast and gain research experience. She also likes to fence, using an épée.
Name:	Baoanh Vu
From:	Seattle, WA
School:	University of Washington, Biochemistry & Neurobiology
Fun Facts:	Baoanh is the first non-engineering boy in his family, who applied to HIPRC after talking to an HIPRC representative at a UW event. He is also a Diamond player in League of Legends (multiplayer online video game), which is the highest tier possible.

More to come next week!

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Lead: Charles Mock, MD, PhD, MPH, FACS (Professor of Surgery, Epidemiology, and Global Health)

Topic: Global Surgery 2030: Evidence and solutions for achieving health, welfare, and economic development, pgs. 14 - 56

Date/Time: Friday, July 10th, 1-2 PM

Section: **Safe & Active Transport**

Lead: Beth Ebel, MD, MS, MPH (Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Adjunct Associate Professor of Epidemiology and Health Services)

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Name: Daniel Chan
From: Seattle, Washington
School: Wake Forest University
Fun Facts: Daniel is interested in a career in healthcare. He is a big fan Jimmy Fallon, Saturday Night Live and BuzzFeed videos.

Name: Jessica Graham
From: Cypress, California
School: University of Washington
Fun Facts: Jessica applied to work at HIPRC because she wanted the personal growth experience and to get exposure to clinical research and medical professions. She's currently watching the Star Wars Trilogies for the first time with my father.

Name: Leena Suthar
From: Lewistown, Pennsylvania
School: Bastyr University, Doctorate in Naturopathic Medicine
Fun Facts: Leena majored in biology, with a concentration in neurobiology, while at Cornell University. Passionate about working with patients with traumatic brain injuries, she is interested in the intersection of naturopathic and conventional medicine. Leena also used to be a professional photographer.

Name: Maria Manzueta
From: New York, New York
School: University of Washington, Anthropology and Physiology
Fun Facts: Maria moved from Manhattan to Seattle with her parents and twin brother when she was six years old. She wanted to work at HIPRC because the center's programs tackle relevant social issues, similar to what she experienced in New York City. Maria was a state wrestler.

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Dr. Eileen Bulger on Firework Safety



As the nation gears up for the Fourth of July weekend, HIPRC Core Member [Eileen Bulger, MD, FACS \(Professor of Surgery\)](#) urges families to think about firework safety. In 2014, from July 3 to July 5, doctors at Harborview Medical Center saw 40 people with fireworks-related injuries, a third of which were children. "These are often life-changing injuries," said Bulger in a July 2 [News Tribune](#) article on firework safety. "You can lose digits on your hand, you could lose your whole hand. You could lose sight in an eye." Injuries can even result in death, as was the case in 2014. Safety tips are describe in further detail by Bulger in the article. She was also interviewed by [KING 5](#).



Dr. Beth Ebel on How to Avoid Distracted Driving

Motor vehicle injuries remain the leading cause of death for Americans under 35, and distracted driving is one of the biggest risk factors. HIPRC Core Member [Beth Ebel, MD, MSc, MPH \(Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Adjunct Associate Professor of Epidemiology and Health Services\)](#) was recently interviewed about HIPRC's recent study on distracted driving for [UW Medicine's June HealthWorks](#). She provided this tip in the article: "We all need to recognize that driving while talking on a handheld device or texting while we're at the wheel is driving impaired. It's dangerous, illegal and unnecessary — so make it a habit to mute your phone, put it away

and then relax, enjoy your drive and get home safely."

Original article: <http://www.uwmedicine.org/healthworks/Pages/avoid-distracted-driving.aspx>



Dr. Brian Johnston Provides Summer Safety Tips

In the U.S., nearly half of all unintentional, injury-related deaths among children (14 and under) occur during the summer. HIPRC Associate Member and Chief of Pediatrics at HMC, [Brian Johnston, MD, MPH \(Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Adjunct Associate Professor of Health Services\)](#) provided simple safety tips for families in [UW Medicine's June HealthWorks](#). "...by teaching and practicing accident prevention, parents and guardians can help their children enjoy the warm weather months more safely at home and outdoors," said Johnston.

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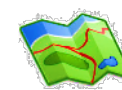
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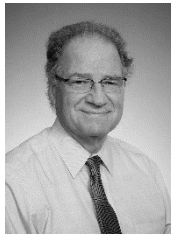
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- Name:** Morgan Graves
From: Sierra Vista, Arizona
School: Georgetown University, Medicine
Fun Facts: Morgan majored in medicinal chemistry while at Arizona State University. He is interested in Anesthesiology and has applied to a research program through HIPRC. Morgan is a huge soccer fan, and he played on the State Olympic development team. Additionally, he once travelled to more than twenty different cities in Europe over a span of three weeks.
- Name:** Oliver Gibb
From: Seattle, Washington
School: McGill University
Fun Facts: Oliver applied to work at HIPRC to gain research and medical experience, working with real doctors. He also loves to mountain bike.
- Name:** Paige Ostahowski
From: Hardin, Montana
School: University of Washington, Medicine
Fun Facts: Paige majored in anthropology, with an emphasis in forensics, while at the University of Montana. Currently part of the Medical Student Research Training Program, she previously worked as and EMT and has an interest in pediatrics and injury prevention. Paige also plays the baritone saxophone.

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HIPRC Core Member [Fred Rivara, MD, MPH](#) (Professor of Pediatrics, Adjunct Professor of Epidemiology) was interviewed by the [Seattle Times](#) about two [upcoming city bills](#) which would tax gun and ammunition sales and require mandatory reporting of lost or stolen firearms to law enforcement. The proposed tax would generate an estimated \$300,000 to \$500,000 annually, which would be dedicated to gun violence prevention programs and research. Rivara explained that it would be enough to “fund a two-year gunshot-victim-intervention program and study at Harborview.” He cited 2014 HIPRC research which found that gunshot victims run a higher risk of future gun injury, and explained that intervention programs can work.

Rivara was also featured in articles by [Public Radio International](#) and [Business Insider](#) commenting on the renewal of a congressional ban on gun violence research, which was backed by the National Rifle Association. The amendment would have allowed the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to study the underlying causes of gun violence. The National Rifle Association accused the CDC of trying to use science to promote gun control explained Rivara in both articles. He said: “As a result of that, many, many people stopped doing gun research, [and] the number of publications on firearm violence decreased dramatically...It was really chilling in terms of our ability to conduct research on this very important problem.”

Dr. Beth Ebel Provides Water Safety Tips



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Original article: <http://www.freep.com/story/life/2015/07/03/water-safety-young-children-summer/29570>

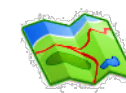
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Speakers: Fred Rivara, MD, MPH (Professor of Pediatrics, Adjunct Professor of Epidemiology)
Ali Rowhani-Rahbar, MD, PhD, MPH (Assistant Professor of Epidemiology)
Karyn Brownson, MSW, Director of Training at Youth Suicide Prevention Program

The Center for Gun Responsibility is convening a second Localized Gun Violence Prevention Roundtable. This meeting is an opportunity for individuals and organizations working in gun violence prevention in Washington state to network, foster greater collaboration, and learn about each other's work. Meet the Center for Gun Responsibility's new Executive Director, Renee Hopkins, and learn more about the center's work. The meeting will include presentations from Karyn Brownson, Fred Rivara (and possibly Ali Rohani-Rahbar) about their work researching gun violence in an emergency room setting. A Q&A and discussion session will follow. There will be a catered lunch, and coffee and drinks will be provided. Parking is available in nearby surface lots and on the street. Call Emily with questions at 425-318-0748. Please RSVP for this event.

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Tim Burgess, Seattle City Council Member

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ICRC-S Seminar: Exploring the Impact of Suicide Prevention Research in Criminal Justice Systems

Date/Time: Wednesday, July 15, 11 a.m.–12 p.m.

Register now: <http://edc.adobeconnect.com/e6r8linzr9j/event/registration.html>

Incarceration has been identified as a risk factor for suicide and studies have shown that suicide is significantly higher among people that have had contact with the criminal justice system, even if they were never convicted or served time. In this webinar, Dr. Marc Swogger of the University of Rochester will talk about psychopathy in relation to substance use treatment, violence, and suicidality in forensic populations. Dr. Robert Canning of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation will moderate the webinar and discuss issues related to conducting research in prisons.

U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission's 10 Steps to *Pool Safely*

On average, more than 20 children drown in pools and spas during the week of July 4. According to media reports and data compiled by the USA Swimming Foundation, at least 152 children younger than 15 fatally drowned in a swimming pool or spa this year, with at least 86 of those fatal drownings happening since Memorial Day weekend. "Fatal drownings don't look like they do in the movies – they're silent, happen in an instant and devastate families for a lifetime," said Chairman Elliot F. Kaye. [Pool Safely](#), CPSC's public education and outreach effort to prevent drownings and entrapments in swimming pools and spas, has compiled [10 simple tips for families to follow](#).

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

HIPRC Communications Officer – PT Position

The HIPRC Communications Officer will work with the Program Manager, Program Coordinator, and Director to provide strategic social media and communications support for the HIPRC. The successful candidate will be responsible for writing and producing a weekly bulletin, and managing and development the HIPRC website, as well as growing and expanding the HIPRC's social media presence via Twitter. The position utilizes a variety of tools to research, write, and produce print and electronic materials for public consumption.

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HARBORVIEW INJURY PREVENTION AND RESEARCH CENTER SYMPOSIUM

Featuring HIPRC Trainee Research Projects
Harborview Medical Center, Research and Training Building, Lobby and Auditorium
300 9th Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104
July 29, 11 a.m.–2 p.m.

Light lunch provided with RSVP to hiprc@uw.edu

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MEET THE 2015 SUMMER STUDENTS

Name: Rachael Tessem
From: Seattle, Washington
School: University of Washington, Bioengineering (Honors Program)
Fun Facts: Rachael applied to work at HIPRC to gain research experience. She hopes to become a doctor and is interested in sports medicine and trauma. Rachael was born 3 pounds, 15 ounces.

Name: Renae Tessem
From: Seattle, Washington
School: University of Washington, Bioengineering (Honors Program)
Fun Facts: As a student, Renae enjoys immersing herself in different perspectives of medicine. She's interested in both the research and practical application of health care which was why she applied to work at HIPRC. Renae enjoys traveling to Taiwan.

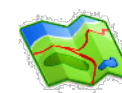
Name: Sharon Huynh
From: Seattle, Washington
School: Scripps College, Biology with a Spanish Minor
Fun Facts: Sharon applied to work at HIPRC to obtain more clinical research experience and meet doctors in the field. She craves carrots and peanut butter.

Name: William Gonzalez III
From: Seattle, Washington
Fun Facts: William likes horses and riding. He applied to HIPRC to "meet interesting people with the same goals" and gain research experience.

SUBMISSIONS FOR NEWS BULLETIN

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Submission deadline for the next bulletin is **Wednesday @ 1 p.m.**



Click on the link next to this image throughout the bulletin for Google maps directions to events.

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HIPRC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gun Violence Prevention Roundtable

Topic: Violence and Injury Prevention Data and Strategies
When: Monday, July 20, Noon–2:00 p.m.
Where: [Russell Investment Center, 1301 2nd Ave, Seattle, Bainbridge Room](#) 
Speakers: Fred Rivara, MD, MPH (Professor of Pediatrics, Adjunct Professor of Epidemiology)
Ali Rowhani-Rahbar, MD, PhD, MPH (Assistant Professor of Epidemiology)
Karyn Brownson, MSW, Director of Training at Youth Suicide Prevention Program

The Center for Gun Responsibility is convening a second Localized Gun Violence Prevention Roundtable. This meeting is an opportunity for individuals and organizations working in gun violence prevention in Washington state to network, foster greater collaboration, and learn about each other's work. Meet the Center for Gun Responsibility's new Executive Director, Renee Hopkins, and learn more about the center's work. The meeting will include presentations from Karyn Brownson, Fred Rivara (and possibly Ali Rohani-Rahbar) about their work researching gun violence in an emergency room setting. A Q&A and discussion session will follow. There will be a catered lunch, and coffee and drinks will be provided. Parking is available in nearby surface lots and on the street. Call Emily with questions at 425-318-0748. Please RSVP for this event.

[Learn more and RSVP.](#)

Northwest Center for Public Health Practice 2015 Summer Institute Plenary Session

Topic: Violence and Injury Prevention Data and Strategies
When: Tuesday, August 4, 8:30–10:15 a.m.
Speaker: Ali Rowhani-Rahbar, MD, PhD, MPH (Assistant Professor of Epidemiology)
Sabrina Oesterle, PhD, University of Washington School of Social Work
Tim Burgess, Seattle City Council Member

This panel presentation will review health data on violence and injury prevention issues and local strategies used to address them.

[Learn more about this plenary session.](#)



HIPRC Co-Sponsoring Injury and Violence Prevention Summit

Topic: Violence and Injury Prevention Data and Strategies

When: Friday, November 13, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Where: [Seattle Airport Marriott](#) 

Cost: \$195

Decision-makers, leaders, and researchers from public health, health care, and community-based organizations are invited to a one-day summit, Transforming Injury and Violence Prevention: Innovations in Policy, Practice, and Partnership. Attendees will network and share information, learn about new initiatives, and hear from national, state, and local leaders on collaborative efforts to build safer communities. This summit is coordinated by the Northwest Center for Public Health Practice - Public Health Training Center, Washington State Department of Health, and HIPRC.

[Learn more and register.](#)

JOURNAL CLUB SEMINAR SCHEDULE

Section: Methods Core

Lead: Brianna Mills, PhD, MA (Methods Core Research Assistant) and Ali Rowhani-Rahbar, MD, PhD, MPH (Assistant Professor of Epidemiology)

Topic: TBD

Date/Time: Friday, July 24, 1–2 p.m.

Section: Injury Care

Lead: TBD

Topic: TBD

Date/Time: Friday, August 7, 1–2 p.m.

All Journal Club Seminars will be held in the HIPRC Conference Room (#4075), [HMC Patricia Steel Building](#) 

HIPRC WEEKLY WORK IN PROGRESS (WIP)

Speaker: Kushang Patel, PhD, MPH (Research Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology and Pain Medicine at the University of Washington)

Topic: Chronic Pain and Falls in Older Adults

Date/Time: Wednesday, August 12, 1:00–2:00 p.m.

Speaker: Sara Chrisman, MD, MPH (Acting Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at the University of Washington)

Topic: NCAA Data

Date/Time: Wednesday, August 26, 1:00–2:00 p.m.

There will be no WIP on Wednesday, August 5, due to an HIPRC Faculty Meeting.

All WIPs will be held in the HIPRC Conference Room (#4075), [HMC Patricia Steel Building](#) 

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Writing/Designing Winning NIH Proposals Workshop

Date/Time: Tuesday, July 28, 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

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Anatomical and Physiological Challenges in Child Passenger Restraints

Date/Time: Tuesday, August 18, 1–3 p.m.

Location: EvergreenHealth Surgery and Physician's Center, Tan 119, 12333 NE 130th Ln, Kirkland, WA 98034

Speaker: Cynde Rivers, RN, MD, CEN, Emergency Medical Services Coordinator, MultiCare Health

Learn the science and reasoning behind car seat safety recommendations. In this presentation, Cynde Rivers will explain the anatomical and physiological support for why children are placed in vehicle restraints during certain developmental stages of their lives. Certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians can earn 1.5 CEU's. Pre-registration is not required, but is appreciated. For registration and directions, email LBMiccile@evergreenhealth.com or call 425-899-2675. This program is sponsored by Safe Kids Eastside Coalition. [Learn more.](#)

Take the Pool Safely Pledge

HIPRC is a partner with the US Consumer Products Safety Commission on its *Pool Safely Campaign*. Midsummer is a great time to remind parents and caregivers that cooling off in a swimming pool or spa also means taking vital steps to ensure children are staying safer in and around the water. Take one minute to make sure your family is safer this year by [pledging to Pool Safely](#).



New CDC Report on Demographic and Substance Use Trends Among Heroin Users in the U.S. Between 2002 and 2013

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) have released a new morbidity and mortality weekly report (MMWR) on heroin use in the United States from 2002–2013. Together with the FDA, CDC analyzed data from the National Survey on Drug Use and Health and National Vital Statistics System. They found: heroin use has increased significantly across most demographic groups; the increase in heroin abuse or dependence parallels the increase in heroin-related overdose deaths; and heroin use is occurring in the context of broader poly-substance use. CDC recommends further implementation of a comprehensive response that targets the wider range of demographic groups using heroin and addresses the key risk factors for heroin abuse and dependence is needed. [Read in-depth results and recommendations.](#)

Free Bike Helmet Fitting and Giveaway

Kohl's Cares and Seattle Children's have teamed up to provide free helmet fittings and giveaways for children across Washington state. Upcoming events include: Fiesta de Salud on July 25 and Covington KidsFest on August 15. [Learn more.](#)

Free Car Seat Check Up Events

Take advantage of a free car seat, booster seat, or seat belt check from child passenger safety experts through either [Seattle Children's](#) or [Safe Kids Seattle South King](#). Both are having a number of free events throughout the summer and into fall.

Low-Cost Life Jacket Sales

Seattle Children's, Seattle Parks and Recreation, Coast Guard Auxiliary, and Mustang Survival are providing discounted life jackets for the entire family on August 15 at Green Lake in Seattle. [Learn more this and other life jacket programs.](#)

Big 5 Life Jacket Coupons

Coupons can be used at Big 5 Sporting Goods from April 1-September 30, 2015 in Washington and North Idaho. Coupons and usage information found [here](#).

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Washington State Department of Health, Health Services Consultant 4 – Child Injury Prevention Specialist (DOH2841)

The Washington State Department of Health has an opening for a permanent full-time Health Services Consultant 4 (HSC 4) within the Division of Health Systems Quality Assurance (HSQA), Office of Community Health Systems (OCHS). Duties include:

- Serves as the agency wide expert on Childhood Injury Prevention.
- Serve as the Regional Network Leadership grant lead.
- Prepares and manages grants and contracts related to childhood injury programs.
- Coordinates media and legislative activities.
- Provides injury information and data for Results WA, performance measures and strategic planning activities.

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