SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK
UNIVERSITY *of* WASHINGTON

Issue No. 27   **July 21, 2020**

OFFER *eNews*

A weekly roundup of research news and opportunities for the social work community

Highlighted News

UW News has posted a piece about a study led by Jennifer Bailey of the SDRG. The longitudinal study looked at teen behavior and attitudes before and after the state of Washington legalized marijuana in 2012. You can read the full story HERE

Emergency Awards: RADx-UP Coordination and Data Collection Center
Deadline: July 27, 2020
NIH is issuing this FOA in response to the declared public health emergency issued by the Secretary, HHS, for 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19). This emergency cooperative agreement funding opportunity announcement (FOA) from the National Institutes of Health (NIH) provides an expedited funding mechanism as part of the Rapid Acceleration of Diagnostics-Underserved Populations (RADx-UP) initiative, a consortium of community-engaged research projects to understand factors that have led to disproportionate burden of the pandemic on the underserved and/or vulnerable populations so that interventions can be implemented to decrease these disparities.

Current Research Funding Opportunities

List of all active NIH grant opportunities

Selected Grant Opportunities

Strengthening Access to Care for Opioid Use Disorder Patients During the COVID-19 National Public Health Emergency: Recovery Support Services
Deadline: July 31, 2020
Foundation for Opioid Response Efforts will initiate rapid response grant support for specific projects that aim to strengthen access to evidence-based OUD recovery services for vulnerable and high-risk populations during the COVID-19 national emergency.

The William T. Grant Foundation
Deadline: August 4, 2020
This grant invests in high-quality research focused on reducing inequality in youth outcomes and improving the use of research evidence in decisions that affect young people in the United States.

Rural Postpartum Mental Health Challenge
Deadline: September 15, 2020
The Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality is offering a prize competition to address postpartum

mental health diagnosis and treatment in rural communities. Entries should highlight successful or promising programmatic interventions to improve rural postpartum mental health, and models may leverage existing community assets and initiatives or create them.

David H. and Beverly A. Barlow Grant
Deadline: September 15, 2020
$8,500. Up to $8,500 to support innovative basic and clinical research on anxiety and anxiety related disorders.

Competitive and Administrative Supplements for Community Interventions to Reduce the Impact of COVID-19 on Health Disparity and Other Vulnerable Populations"
Deadline: December 30, 2020
Research is needed to test community interventions focused on the prevention (or slowing) of COVID-19 transmission, evaluate local and state policies and programs intended to mitigate COVID-19 exposure and improve adherence, and reduce the negative impact of the multifaceted consequences on the health of populations who experience health disparities and other vulnerable groups.

Digital Healthcare Interventions to Address the Secondary Health Effects Related to Social, Behavioral, and Economic Impact of COVID-19
Deadline: December 30, 2020
In order to significantly improve near term impact of treatment and identification of individuals at risk for, or experiencing worsening health secondary to the COVID-19 pandemic across the full lifespan, supplements will focus particularly on NIH-designated health disparity (racial/ethnic minorities, less privileged socioeconomic status, rural residents and sexual and gender minorities) and other populations with medical or social vulnerabilities.

Research Events

The Institute of Translational Health Sciences presents
July 22, 10:15-11:45am - online
Evidence Synthesis Primer: A Step By Step Guide – Kenn B Daratha, PhD research evidence forms the foundation of all health science scholarly projects. However, a consistent, systematic and reproducible approach for managing and reporting research evidence is often lacking. In this CDS event, step by step instructions for managing and reporting research evidence will be presented.
Register here

Conferences, Trainings and Workshops

Scholarships available for excellent training institute in July!
July 26-31, 2020, University of California, Los Angeles
Applications are now being accepted for the 2020 mHealth Training Institute (mHTI). The week-long, residential program blends "deep dives" into the latest mHealth technologies and methodologies with team-science projects to provide the selected scholars with the transdisciplinary knowledge, competencies and collaborative networks required to tackle "wicked" healthcare problems.

The Whole U presents: How to use mindfulness to address racism
July 29, 12:00-1:00pm - online
How to use mindfulness to address racism with Dr. Bonnie Duran. In this seminar and mindful workshop, Dr. Bonnie Duran will explore the following concepts: Mindful techniques to help with trauma from experiencing racism. How to use mindfulness to guide our external relationships and examine our unique role in racism.

[Caring for People with Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders in Primary Care Settings: New Webinar Series](#)
July 29, August 26 2020 - online
The webinars will examine approaches to facilitate the delivery of essential components of care for people with mental health and substance use disorders in primary care settings, using three illustrative conditions (depression, alcohol use disorder and opioid use disorder) as a framework.

[Missouri Prevention Science Institute Summer of R Training](#)
August 17-21, 2020 - Colombia, MO
The Missouri Prevention Science Institute on the University of Missouri Campus is hosting a Summer of R training from August 17-21, 2020. The training will focus on basic application in the education and social sciences and basic statistical training is required.

[American Society on Aging and the USC Leonard Davis School of Gerontology Online Gerontology Courses](#)
August 31, 2020 – Online
The online learning curriculum provides a flexible and convenient way for you to expand your knowledge of aging issues with in-depth information and insights. Successful participants will earn a certificate of completion from USC, and CE credits are offered from select accreditation providers. Courses are offered August 31–October 2. Anyone who enrolls will receive an electronic flipbook of the latest issue of Generations, "Taking Action Against Elder Mistreatment." Click the link for more information and to enroll in courses.

[Addiction Health Services Virtual Research Conference](#)
October 14th-16th, 2020 – online
Addiction Health Services Research (AHSR) will host virtual plenary speakers and virtual poster sessions for this year's conference. We will also have a virtual poster slam featuring Early Career Researchers. Abstracts are due June 1 to the AHSR conference. The conference has switched to an all-virtual format and there are no registration fees this year and award opportunities for junior scientists.

[Data for Black Lives Conference](#)
December 11-13, 2020 Cambridge, MA
Data for Black Lives is a movement of activists, organizers, and mathematicians committed to the mission of using data science to create concrete and measurable change in the lives of Black people. But history tells a different story, one in which data is too often wielded as an instrument of oppression, reinforcing inequality and perpetuating injustice. Redlining was a data-driven enterprise that resulted in the systematic exclusion of Black communities from key financial services.

Call for Papers

[Social Work Practice in the Era of the COVID-19 Pandemic: Challenges and Innovations](#)
October 15, 2020
The impact of the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) has and will continue to have tremendous impact on the health and social well-being for populations across the world. Social workers, like many other professions, are addressing these needs in direct service provision and planning efforts to ameliorate unprecedented disruption across health, social, and economic systems.

[Pandemics, Economics, Systems, and the Future of Social Work](#)
Deadline: November 1, 2020
The COVID-19 pandemic and resultant concatenated economic crises have changed the world dramatically. This special issue will seek to explore what social work should look like in the future—how can it be relevant, proactive, ethical, and play a role in creating a better future?

COVID-19

For general COVID-19 information and resources, go to The Huddle: UW Medicine and School of Social Work COVID-19 Information & Resources

UW Research Resources	Grant Opportunities	Research Policies & Compliance
Library:Data Management Tools	SWRnet	Travel Planning
Research Services	PIVOT	Office for Sponsored Programs
SSW Research	UW Funding	Policies, Procedures & Guidance
Forms & Templates	NIH Guide to Grants & Contracts	Research Integrity & Compliance
Human Subjects Division	Grants.gov	Zipline
	NIH Reporter	

CONTACT THE EDITOR

Please share your latest research news by sending an email to cjuneh@uw.edu with OFFER eNews in the subject line. Thank you, Courtney Howell, BMRG Project Manager, 206-685-4077.

Sources include SSWnet, UW Libraries, NIH, UW Psych Newsletter