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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science Nutrition and Food Sciences (1984), University of California, Berkeley, CA
Master in Public Policy International Development (1988), Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
Doctor of Philosophy Health Services (1998), University of California, Los Angeles, CA
Field in Labor Economics

Training

AHRQ Pre-Doctoral Fellow, Health Services, University of California, Los Angeles, CA 1992-1995
Research Assistant, National Bureau of Economic Research, Cambridge, MA, 1995
AHRQ Post-Doctoral Fellow, Health Policy and Management, University of California, Berkeley, CA, 1998-1999

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1999 to present University of California Los Angeles, CA

Faculty Appointments:

Professor, Department of Health Policy & Management (2013-present)
Associate Professor, Department of Health Services (2008-2013) (tenured)
Associate Professor-In Residence, Department of Health Services (2007-2008)
Assistant Professor-In Residence, Department of Health Services (1999-2007)

Administrative Appointments:

Endowed Wasserman Chair, Department of Health Policy & Management (July 1, 2022-)
Director, UCLA Center for Health Policy Research (2018-present)
Director, Center for Global and Immigrant Health, UCLA (2014-2018)
Vice-Chair, Department of Health Policy and Management (2016-2018)
Associate Center Director, UCLA Center for Health Policy Research (2014-2018)
Senior Research Scientist, UCLA Center for Health Policy Research (1999-2013)
Associate Director, Asian American Studies Center (2011-2012)

Research Affiliations:

Associate Director, UCLA Bridging Research, Training, and Education in Minority Health Disparities Solutions, NIH/NIMHD Center (2013-2015)

Faculty Associate, Division of Cancer Control and Prevention Research, Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center (2002-2014)

Faculty Associate, UCLA Asian American Studies Center (2000-2018)

Faculty Executive Committee, UCLA Asia Pacific Center (2016-2018)

Faculty Associate, UCLA Department of Women's Studies (2008-2014)

Faculty Associate, UCLA Department of Southeast Asian Studies (2005-2018)

1999 - 2005 Community Voices-Oakland/ La Clinica de la Raza & Asian Health Services

Research Consultant

Conduct program evaluation, survey research and public policy analysis for a W.K. Kellogg Foundation national initiative on improving health care for the underserved. Community Voices-Oakland focuses on developing affordable health insurance products for low-income Latino and Asian immigrant groups in Alameda County.

1996 - 1998

RAND

Skopje, MACEDONIA

Policy Adviser

Advised the Ministry of Health, Republic of Macedonia on national health insurance reforms, including developing a minimum benefits package, setting cost-sharing policies, and introducing capitation in primary care. Wrote the proposal with the principal investigator to supplement original grant with \$575,000 to continue technical assistance and to conduct a social experiment testing the effect of capitation on access, utilization, provider behavior and cost of services.

1988 - 1992

Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum

San Francisco, California

Deputy Director

Co-directed a national advocacy and policy research non-profit organization whose mission is to advance the health of all Asians and Pacific Islanders in the U.S. and Trust Territories. Developed the strategy for improving health statistics for Asians and Pacific Islanders, wrote grant proposals for program development and policy papers for legislative education. Prepared the primary text for the Asian American Health Care Act of 1992 that mandated the collection of Asian American subgroup ethnicities in all federal data collection efforts.

TEACHING

HPM= (Health Policy and Management)

1. HPM 230A&B Health Economics: Low- and Middle-Income Country Perspectives
MPH-level elective hybrid online course, synchronous with University of the Philippines, Manila, College of Public Health, Department of Health Policy and Administration (Winter/Spring 2018, 2019,2020, 2021)
2. HPM 249-2 Global Health: Frameworks, Policy and Practice
MPH-level elective hybrid online course, synchronous with University of the Philippines, Manila, College of Public Health, Department of Health Policy and Administration (Winter/Spring 2018)
3. HPM 237C Issues in Health Services Methodologies (Spring 2011 - Spring 2015; Spring 2017) (Winter/Spring 2018)

- MS/PhD-level required course in applied econometrics.
4. HPM 237B Introduction to Health Services Research Methods (Winter 2007; Winter 2008)
MS/PhD-level required course in applied econometrics.
 5. HPM 226A Readings in Health Services Research (Fall 2010 co-taught with Jack Needleman; Winter 2011-2012; Fall 2013)
MS/PhD-level required seminar.
 6. HPM 226B Readings in Health Services Research (Winter 2011 co-taught with Jack Needleman; Winter 2012)
MS/PhD-level required seminar.
 7. HPM M236 Microeconomic Theory of the Health Sector, (Winter 2000; Winter 2001; Winter 2004; Winter 2005; Spring 2009)
MPH-level required course in health management and health policy.
 8. HPM 249E; PS 266 Advanced Topics in Health Economics, (Winter 2003)
MPH/PhD-level elective.
 9. Health Services M233 Health Policy Analysis, (Spring 2002; Spring 2003 co-taught with Robert Nordyke; Spring 2011)
MPH-level required course in health policy
 10. Health Services 400 Master's Student's course on Consulting Report, (Fall 2000)
MPH-level required course in health management and health policy.

Guest Lectures

“The California Health Interview Survey” for UCLA National Clinician Scholars Pressing Health Issues Los Angeles Seminar, (Fall 2019)

“Immigration as a Social Determinant of Health” for UCLA Asia Pacific Center, Zhejiang University, Social Sciences Summer Institute on Contemporary American Society, Politics, and Social Stratification, August 7, 2019

“Surveys, Questionnaire Design, and a Sample of Sampling” for Professor Deborah Freund, Claremont Graduate University (Fall 2018)

“CHIS and Health Disparities” for UCLA National Clinician Scholars Pressing Health Issues Los Angeles Seminar, (Summer 2018)

“CHIS and Southern California Health Disparities” for UCLA National Clinician Scholars Pressing Health Issues Los Angeles Seminar, (Summer 2017), with Professor Gerald Kominski.

“Surveys and Small Area Estimation: Complementary Strategies to Measure the Health of Populations” for RCMAR/CHIME and Project EXPORT Methodological Seminar and Work in Progress (WiP) Session, March 20, 2017, with Dr. Yueyan Wang

“Cost Containment” for HS200A Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program Professor José Escarce (Fall 2006, Fall 2007, Fall 2008; Fall 2010-Fall 2016)

“Surveys, Questionnaire Design, and a Sample of Sampling” for HPM 225A, Professor James Macinko (Fall 2016)

UCLA School of Medicine Comparative Effectiveness Research Module: “Community Characteristics: Measuring Neighborhood Effects and the Use of Geo-coded Variables” with Professor Arleen Brown (Winter 2012-2015)

“Quantitative research methods for policy analysis” for Health Policy Analysis (HS 233), Professor Jack Needleman (Spring 2004, Spring 2012-Spring 2014)

“Multicultural Survey Research” for Nursing School, Professor Margaret Compton, Winter 2012

“Aging across Cultures” for VA Geriatrics Fellowship Program, Professor Josea Kramer Winter 2012

“Healthcare Disparities” for Health Services Organization (HS 200B), Professor E. Richard Brown (Winter 2008; Winter 2009); Professors E. Richard Brown and Arturo Vargas Bustamante (Winter 2011); Arturo Vargas Bustamante (Winter 2012)

“Coverage and the Safety Net” for Health Services Organization (HS 200A), Professor Leah Vriesman (Fall 2006), Professor E. Richard Brown (Fall 2007, Fall 2008); Professors E. Richard Brown and Arturo Vargas Bustamante (Fall 2010)

“The U.S. National Health Care System ” for PH 150, Professor Roger Detels (Fall 2006, Fall 2007, Fall 2008)

“Inequities in Health” for Ethics and Public Health class, Professors Emily Abel & Ruth Roemer (Winter 2001); Patricia Parkerton (Winter 2002); Professors Patricia Ganz (Fall 2003; Winter 2005; Winter 2006; Winter 2007; Winter 2008)

“Vulnerable Populations and Managed Care” for Managed Care (HS 442), Professor Patricia Parkerton (Spring 2007)

“Health Care Financing” for Introduction to Health Services Organization (HS 100A), Professor Margaret Wang (Spring 2007)

“Cost Benefit Analysis” for Health Policy Analysis (HS 233), Professor Jack Needleman (Spring 2006)

“Physician and Hospital Payments” for Health Economics (HS 236), Professor Thomas Rice (Winter 2006)

“Economics of Disparities” for Advanced Topics in Health Economics (HS 249E), Professor Thomas Rice (Spring 2005)

“Public Finance” for Health Policy Analysis (HS 233), Professor Jack Needleman (Spring 2004)

“The State of Health Insurance in California: The Evidence, the Consequences, The Fixes” for Health Services Organization (HS 200A), Professor Amardeep Thind (Fall 2003; Fall 2004)

“Medical Malpractice” for Microeconomic Theory of the Health Sector, Professor Stuart Schweitzer (Fall 2002)

“Health Status and Health Behaviors of Ethnic Groups” for Ethical Considerations in Conducting Research with Minority Populations, Professor Vickie Mays (Winter 2001; Winter 2002)

“Cost-Benefit & Cost-Effectiveness Analysis” for Evaluation, Professor Roshan Bastani (Spring 2001; Spring 2002)

“A Primer on Health Economics in Developing Countries” for Professor Peabody (Spring 2002)

“Asian American and Pacific Islander Women’s Health: Measurement Issues in Disparities Research” for Professor Emily Abel (Winter 2002; Fall 2002; Fall 2004)

“Drug Development Cost Estimates: How Precise Are They, How Are They Used?” With Robert Nordyke, for Pharmaceutical Economics Seminar, Professors William Comanor and Stuart Schweitzer (Spring 2002)

Dissertation Chair

Jeanne Black (PhD, 2007; Senior Researcher & Faculty, Course Director, Health Delivery Science Master's Program, Cedars Sinai Health Systems)
Janet Cummings (PhD 2009); Associate Professor, Emory University
Kimberly Enard (PhD 2010); Assistant Professor, St. Louis University
Melissa Gatchell (PhD 2012); Assistant Professor, Oregon Health Sciences University
Michelle Ko (PhD 2012); UCSF Assistant Professor, UC Davis
Jacqueline Tran (DrPH, 2013); OCAPICA
Annalyn Valdez (DrPH 2014); UCLA; co-chair with Prof Kagawa-Singer
Chikarlo Leak (DrPH 2014); co-chair with Prof McCarthy
Alice Villatoro (PhD 2014); co-chair with Prof Mays; Latino Research Institute, UT Austin
Catherine Chanfreau (PhD 2015), VA, Los Angeles
Andrew Siroka (PhD 2016), Health Economist, WHO, Geneva
Lauren Gase (PhD 2016), Team Leader, Evaluation & VentureWell, Denver, CO
Joseph Viana (PhD 2018), Consultant, Los Angeles County Department of Health
Linda Diem Tran (PhD 2018), Post-Doctoral Fellow, VA Palo Alto
Dahai Yue, (PhD 2020) co-Chair Prof Adriana Lleras-Muney (Economics), Assistant Professor, University of Maryland, College Park
Natalie Bradford (PhD 2022) co-chair Prof Chandra Ford , Post-Doctoral Fellow, University of Texas, San Antonio
Olawale Amubieya (PhD 2022) co-chair Prof Keith Norris, Assistant Professor, UCLA David Geffen School of Medicine

Thesis/Dissertation Committee Member

Thy Bich Nguyen, (Asian American Studies, MA, 2001)
Judith Connell, (Health Services, DrPH, 2002)
Soonim Huh, (Health Services, PhD 2005) Associate Professor, University of Seoul, Department of Public Affairs and Economics
Katherine Hoggatt, (Epidemiology, PhD 2005) Researcher, VA Los Angeles
Laura D'Anna, (Community Health Sciences, PhD 2006) Assistant Professor Cal State Long Beach
France Nguyen, (Asian American Studies, MA 2005)
Richard Hector, (Health Services, PhD, 2007)
Cynthia Mojica, (Health Services, PhD, 2007)
Shana Alex Lavarreda (Health Services, PhD 2009); Assistant Professor, Cal State Fullerton
Catherine Aqua (Health Services, MS, 2010)
Neetu Chawla (Health Services, PhD 2011) Researcher, VA Los Angeles
JoKay Ghosh, (Epidemiology, PhD 2011)
Mona Au-Young (Health Services, PhD 2013)
Selena Ortiz (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2013) Assistant Professor, Penn State
Brittnie Bloom (Community Health Sciences, MS 2014)
Alison Wong (Health Services, MS, 2014)
Jeremiah Garza (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2014)
Yan Kim (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2015)
Folasade May (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2015)
Charlene Hsuan (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2016) Assistant Professor, Penn State
Kimberly Narain (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2016)
Anna Davis (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2016) Research Fellow, Kaiser, Southern California

Christabel Cheung (Social Welfare, PhD 2017) Assistant Professor, Social Welfare, University of Hawaii, Manoa

Bukola Bakare (PhD, 2020 at North Dakota State University Agriculture and Applied Science)

Pragya Bhuwania (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2022)

Katherine Chen (Health Policy and Management, PhD expected 2023)

Independent Study Student Supervision:

Ramogi Huma (MPH), Health Services, 2001

Estee Liebross (MPH), Health Services, 2005

Christabel Cheung (PhD), Social Welfare, 2015

Thalia Portney (Harvard PhD) Health Policy, 2015, 2016

Erin Manalo (PhD) Community Health Sciences, 2021

Research Grant Sponsor

Jeanne Black (Health Services, PhD 2007) AHRQ Dissertation Grant 2003-2005

Janet Cummings (Health Services PhD 2009) NIMH F-31 Dissertation Grant 2008-2010

Andrew Barnes (Health Services, PhD 2011) UCLA Research Mentorship 2007

Neetu Chawla (Health Services, PhD 2011) UCLA Summer Research Mentorship 2007

Kimberly Enard (Health Services PhD 2010) UCLA Research Mentorship 2008

Melissa Gatchell (Health Services PhD 2012) UCLA JCCC Seed Grant 2008-2009

Jennifer Tsui (Health Services PhD 2012) UCLA Summer Mentorship 2009

Christabel Cheung (Social Welfare 2017) Graduate Research Mentorship 2015

Joseph Viana (HPM 2018) UCLA Graduate Research Mentorship 2016

Dahai Yue (HPM PhD student) UCLA Summer Mentorship 2017

Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars:

Kristina Cordasco, MD, MPH

Rashmi Shetgiri, MD

Kara Odom Walker, MD

Christoph Lee, MD

Luwam Semere, MD

Robert Wood Johnson Multicultural Health Scholars:

Aimee Afable-Munsuz, PhD (Associate Professor, SUNY downstate Brooklyn)

Victoria Ojeda, PhD (Associate Professor, UC San Diego)

Edna A. Viruell-Fuentes, PhD (Associate Professor, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign)

Annalijn Conklin, PhD (Assistant Professor), University of British Columbia, Vancouver, CA

Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Research Scholars 2016-present:

Seciah Aquino, (Harvard, DrPH 2018)

Mary Keovisai (SUNY, Buffalo, PhD Candidate)

Erica Browne (UC Berkeley, DrPH Candidate)

Bukola Bakare (North Dakota State, PhD Candidate)

PhD Adviser:

Soonim Huh, (Health Services, PhD 2005)

Andrew Barnes (Health Services, PhD 2011) Associate Professor, Virginia Commonwealth University

Jennifer Tsui (Health Services, PhD 2013) Assistant Professor, Rutgers University

Selena Ortiz (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2013) Assistant Professor, Penn State Health Policy and Administration

Sandhya Shimoga (Health Services, PhD 2014) Assistant Professor, Cal State University, Northridge

Geoffrey Hoffman (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2015) Assistant Professor, University of Michigan School of Nursing

Selene Mak (Health Policy and Management, PhD 2019, (Health Policy and Management, PhD Candidate)

Linh Chuong (Health Policy and Management, PhD Candidate)

Taylor Rogers (career adviser, Health Policy and Management, PhD Candidate)

Carlos Oronce (Health Policy and Management, PhD Candidate)
Corina Penaia ((Health Policy and Management, PhD Candidate and Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Research Fellow 2022 cohort: my role: Home Institution Mentor)

Other Teaching/Mentorship Activities

Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Research Scholars. The Health Policy Research Scholars program is a national change leadership development opportunity for full-time doctoral students from underrepresented populations or historically disadvantaged backgrounds, entering the first, second or third year of their doctoral program, from any academic discipline who are training to be researchers and are interested in health policy research

Group Discussion facilitator:
November 2018: Shaping and Influencing Health Policy
March and May 2019: Health Policy Translation

UCLA Internet Research Incubator (IRI) IRI supports undergraduates at UCLA pursue “revolutionary and unfettered interdisciplinary research” on the Internet.

Mentor 2017-2020

2017-2018: Devin Nicole Johnson, Design and Media Arts; Digital Humanities Minor
Erotic Labor on the Internet
2018-2019: Angelo Mendoza, Political Science
Personal Budget Application for Low-Income Households
2019-2020: Byron Briones, Political Science; Education Studies Minor
The Culture of the Online Political
2020-2021: Megha Ilango
Bias in Social Media Moderation and Evaluation of Bias Prevention Methods

Native Hawaiian Pacific Islander COVID-19 Data Policy Lab.

This was an organically formed project powered by a group of students and community advocates across the country who volunteered to help me scrape data from county and state health departments on race-specific COVID-19 cases and deaths. The group grew and attracted data science interns from the University of Chicago to automate the weekly manual data scrapes and to build a dashboard so that data products are freely available on the UCLA CHPR website. The product highlights the disproportionately high case and death rates among the Native Hawaiian Pacific Islander (NHPI) population in the US, and has been used for local, state and congressional testimonies highlight the toll of COVID-19 on the NHPI communities nationwide.

2020-2022: Richard Calvin Chang, MPP student (graduated 2022)
Computational Analysis and Public Policy, University of Chicago
Corina Penaia, Advocate
Asian Pacific Islanders Forward Movement (now in PhD program in Health Policy and Management, UCLA)
Karla Thomas, MPH student
University of Southern California
Vanh Tran, MD student (PRIME)
David Geffen School of Medicine, UCLA
John Greer, MPP student (graduated 2021)
Computational Analysis and Public Policy, University of Chicago
Nicholas Pierson, MPP student (graduated 2021)
Computational Analysis and Public Policy, University of Chicago

Jessica Li, BS student in Computational and Systems Biology, Minor in Digital Humanities
UCLA

Filipinx/a/o Community Health Organization

Founded a national non-profit, 501C-3 organization in 2021 with students, junior faculty and young professionals in nursing, public health psychology, social work, education and medicine, who organized to address the COVID-19 pandemic's toll on Filipinx/a/o healthcare workers. Our group developed an educational podcast on COVID-19 information, collaborated on several peer-reviewed papers published in Health Affairs, JAMA Health Forum and Frontiers in Public Health, and contributed to letter-writing campaigns to the Biden Administration urging data disaggregation and consideration of Filipinx/a/o as a priority population in vaccine allocation.

PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES & BOOK CHAPTERS

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed articles

1. **Ponce NA**, and Penserga L. Language access in health: why the policy and practice inertia? *Harvard Health Policy Review*. 2002;3(2): 47-53.
2. Mays VM, **Ponce NA**, Washington DL, Cochran SD. Classification of race and ethnicity: implications for public health. *Annu Rev Public Health*. 2003;24:83-110.
3. **Ponce NA**, Lavarreda SA, Yen W, Brown ER, DiSogra C, Satter DE. The California Health Interview Survey 2001: translation of a major survey for California's multiethnic population. *Public Health Rep*. 2004 Jul-Aug;119(4):388-95.
4. Etzioni DA, **Ponce NA**, Babey SH, Spencer BA, Brown ER, Ko CY, Chawla N, Breen N, Klabunde CN. A population-based study of colorectal cancer test use: results from the 2001 California Health Interview Survey. *Cancer*. 2004 Dec 1;101(11):2523-32.
5. Yancey AK, Kumanyika SK, **Ponce NA**, McCarthy WJ, Fielding JE, Leslie JP, Akbar J. Population-based interventions engaging communities of color in healthy eating and active living: a review. *Prev Chronic Dis*. 2004 Jan;1(1):A09. PMID: PMC2396989.
6. **Ponce N**, Nordyke RJ, Hirota S. Uninsured working immigrants: a view from a California county. *J Immigr Health*. 2005 Jan;7(1):45-53.
7. Rice T, Lavarreda SA, **Ponce NA**, Brown ER. The impact of private and public health insurance on medication use for adults with chronic diseases. *Med Care Res Rev*. 2005 Apr;62(2):231-49.
8. **Ponce NA**, Hoggatt KJ, Wilhelm M, Ritz B. Preterm birth: the interaction of traffic-related air pollution with economic hardship in Los Angeles neighborhoods. *Am J Epidemiol*. 2005 Jul 15;162(2):140-8.
9. **Ponce NA**, Huh S, Bastani R. Do HMO market level factors lead to racial/ethnic disparities in colorectal cancer screening? A comparison between high-risk Asian and Pacific Islander Americans and high-risk whites. *Med Care*. 2005 Nov;43(11):1101-8.
10. Peabody JW, Nordyke RJ, Tozija F, Luck J, Munoz JA, Sunderland A, Desalvo K, **Ponce N**, McCulloch C. Quality of care and its impact on population health: a cross-sectional study from Macedonia. *Soc Sci Med*. 2006 May;62(9):2216-24.
11. **Ponce NA**. Gatchell M. Singhs, Watanabes, Parks and Nguyens: A comparison of surname-list samples to probability samples using the California Health Interview Survey, 2001. *AAPINexus: Asian Americans & Pacific Islanders Policy, Practice, and Community*. 2006 4(1):61-79
12. Spencer BA, Babey SH, Etzioni DA, **Ponce NA**, Brown ER, Yu H, Chawla N, Litwin MS. A population-based survey of prostate-specific antigen testing among California men at higher risk for prostate carcinoma. *Cancer*. 2006 Feb 15; 106(4):765-74.

13. **Ponce NA**, Hays RD, Cunningham WE. Linguistic disparities in health care access and health status among older adults. *J Gen Intern Med.* 2006 Jul; 21(7):786-91.
14. **Ponce NA**, Ku L, Cunningham WE, Brown ER. Language barriers to health care access among Medicare beneficiaries. *Inquiry.* 2006 Spring; 43(1):66-76.
15. **Ponce NA**, Chawla N, Babey SH, Gatchell MS, Etzioni DA, Spencer BA, Brown ER, Breen N. Is there a language divide in Pap test use? *Med Care.* 2006 Nov; 44(11):998-1004.
16. Pourat N, **Ponce NA**, Wyn R. Assessment of the state of ethnic-specific health survey data. *AAPI Nexus: Asian Americans & Pacific Islanders Policy, Practice, and Community.* 2006 5(1):97-106.
17. Mojica C, Bastani R, Boscardin J, **Ponce NA**. Low-income women with breast abnormalities: system predictors of timely diagnostic resolution. *Cancer Control.* 2007 Apr; 14(2):176-82.
18. **Ponce NA**, Afable-Munsuz A, Nordyke RJ. Conceptualising the impact of genetic testing on cancer disparities in the United States. *International Journal of Health Technology and Management.* 2007;8:5:536-548.
19. Kagawa-Singer M, Pourat N, Breen N, Coughlin S, McLean TA, McNeel TS, **Ponce NA**. Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening Rates of Subgroups of Asian American Women in California. *Med Care Res Rev.* 2007 Dec, 64(6):706-30.
20. Mojica C, Bastani R, **Ponce NA**, Boscardin J. Latinas with abnormal breast findings: patient predictors of timely diagnostic resolution. *Journal of Women's Health* 2007 Dec;16(10):1468-77.
21. Hector RD, Anderson JP, Paul RCP, **Ponce N**, Hays RD, Weiss RE, Kaplan RM. Evaluation of the validity of the Quality of Well-being Scale in Trinidad and Tobago. *West Indian Med J* 2008 Mar; 57 (2): 135-140.
22. Kratz, RE, **Ponce NA**, Yancey A. Process evaluation of the Los Angeles Unified School District Nutrition Network. *Preventing Chronic Diseases.* 2008 Apr;5(2):A42.1-9.
23. **Ponce NA**, Cochran, SD, Mays VM, Chia J, Brown ER. Health coverage of low-income citizen and noncitizen wage earners: sources and disparities. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health.* 2008 Apr;10(2):167-76.
24. Lavarreda SA, Gatchell, MS, **Ponce, NA** Chia J, Brown ER Switching health insurance and its effects on access to physician services. *Med Care.* 2008 Oct;46(10):1055-63.
25. Phillips KA, Liang, SY , Van Bebber S, The CANPERS (Cancer and Personalized Medicine) Research Group, Afable-Munsuz A, Elkin E, Haas J, Hassett M, Knight SJ, Kulin N, Kuppermann M, Ladabaum U, Marshall D, **Ponce N**, Walsh J. Challenges to the translation of genomic information into clinical practice and health policy: utilization, preferences, and economic value. *Curr Opin Mol Ther.* 2008 June; 10(3): 260–266. PMID: PMC2910510.
26. Afable-Munsuz A, Liang SY, **Ponce NA**, Walsh JM. Acculturation and colorectal cancer screening among older Latino adults: differential associations by national origin. *J Gen Intern Med.* 2009 Aug;24(8):963-70. PMID: PMC2710471.
27. Shariff-Marco S, Gee GC, Breen N, Willis G, Reeve BB, Grant D , **Ponce NA**, Krieger N, Landrine H, Williams DR, Alegria M, Mays VM, Johnson TP, Brown ER. A mixed-methods approach to developing a self-reported racial/ethnic discrimination measure for use in multiethnic health surveys. *Ethnicity & Disease* 2009 Autumn;19(4):447-53.
28. Gee GC, **Ponce N**. Associations between racial discrimination, limited English proficiency, and health-related quality of life among 6 Asian ethnic groups in California. *Am J Public Health.* 2010 May;100(5):888-95. PMID: PMC2853608.
29. Lee S, Satter DE, **Ponce NA**. Effect of race and ethnicity classification on survey estimates: Anomaly of the weighted totals of American Indians and Alaska Natives. *Am Indian Alsk Native Ment Health Res.* 2009;16(3):1-15.
30. D'Anna L, **Ponce, NA**, Siegel J. Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities: Evidence of discrimination's effects across the SEP spectrum. *Ethnicity and Health* 2010 Feb 2:1-23.
31. Afable-Munsuz A, **Ponce NA**, Rodriguez M, Perez-Stable EJ. Immigrant generation and physical activity among Mexican, Chinese & Filipino adults in the U.S. *Soc Sci Med.* 2010 Mar 16. PMID: PMC3042273.

32. Cummings, JC, **Ponce, NA**, Mays VM. Comparing racial/ethnic differences in mental health service use among high-need subpopulations across clinical and school-based settings. *Journal of Adolescent Health*. 2010 Jun;46(6):603-6. PMID: PMC2872636.
33. **Ponce NA**, Cochran SD, Pizer JC, Mays VM. The effects of unequal access to health insurance for same-sex couples in California. *Health Aff (Millwood)*. 2010 Aug;29(8):1539-48.
34. Shetgiri R, Kataoka S, **Ponce N**, Flores G, Chung PJ. Adolescent fighting: racial/ethnic disparities and the importance of families and schools. *AcadPediatr*. 2010 Sep-Oct;10(5):323-9.
35. Cordasco, K, **Ponce NA**, Gatchell M, Traudt B, Escarce, J. English language proficiency and geographical proximity to a safety net clinic as a predictor of health care access. *J Immigrant and Minority Health* 13(2): 260–267. PMID: PMC3056133.
36. Shariff-Marco S, Breen N, Landrine H, Reeve B, Krieger N, Gee GC, Williams DR, Mays VM, **Ponce NA**, Alegria M, Liu B, Willis G, and Johnson TP. Measuring everyday racial/ethnic discrimination in health surveys: how best to ask the questions, in one or two Stages, across multiple racial/ethnic groups? *Du Bois Review. Social Science Research on Race*. 2011 ; 8(10) 159-178.
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38. Lavarreda SA, **Ponce NA**, Cabezas L, Brown ER. Access to Job-Based Insurance for California's Workers and their Families: The effect of the Great Recession and double-digit unemployment in California. *California Journal of Politics and Policy*. 2011 Nov ;8(4) :1–13.
39. Odierna DH, Afable-Munsuz A, Ikediobi O, Beattie M, Knight S, Ko M, Wilson A, **Ponce NA**. Early developments in gene-expression profiling of breast tumors: potential for increasing black-white patient disparities in breast cancer outcomes? *Per Med*. 2011 Nov;8(6):669-679. PMID: PMC3242007.
40. **Ponce NA**, Tsui J, Knight SJ, Afable-Munsuz A, Ladabaum U, Hiatt RA, Haas JS. Disparities in cancer screening in individuals with a family history of breast or colorectal cancer. *Cancer*. 2012 Mar 15;118(6):1656-63. PMID: PMC3262934.
41. Russ LW, Takahashi LM, Ho W, Tseng W, **Ponce NA**. Bridging academic-legislative divides: Models of policy-relevant health research and practice by the University of California. *Progress in Community Health Partnerships: Research, Education, and Action* Volume 6, Issue 1, Spring 2012, pp. 95-102.
42. Viruell-Fuentes E, **Ponce NA**, Alegria M. Neighborhood context and hypertension outcomes among Latinos in Chicago. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*, 2012 Apr 18.
43. Ko, M. and **Ponce, NA**. Community residential segregation and the local supply of federally qualified health centers. *Health Services Research*, 2013, 48: 253–270.
44. Lee CI, **Ponce NA**, Ettner SL, Kahn KL, Bassett LW, Forman HP. Ordering of CT by emergency department provider type: analysis of a nationally representative sample. *American Journal of Roentgenology* 2012 Nov;199(5):1054-9.
45. Phillips KA, Sakowski JA, Liang SY, **Ponce NA**. Economic perspectives on personalized health care and prevention. *Forum for Health Economics and Policy*. July 2013.16(2):2194-6191.
46. Ko M, Needleman J, Derose KP, Laugesen MJ, **Ponce NA**. Residential segregation and the survival of U.S. urban public hospitals. *Med Care Res Rev*. 2014 Jun;71(3):243-60.
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2020 CHIS COVID-19 Preliminary Monthly Estimates.

<https://healthpolicy.ucla.edu/health-profiles/Pages/COVID-19-Preliminary-Estimates.aspx>

Preliminary monthly estimates from new questions regarding COVID-19 added to the 2020 California Health Interview Survey (CHIS) that include data from all surveys completed across California during the calendar

month. Topics covered include COVID-19 treatment, personal and financial impacts of the pandemic, interpersonal conflict in the household during stay-at-home orders, and details on reasons for not having health insurance. Data on these topics are presented at the state level, and can be filtered by numerous demographic and economic characteristics (including age, race/ethnicity, citizenship status, insurance status, income, and others) and health risk factors (asthma, diabetes, and high blood pressure). A reduced data processing procedure was conducted to provide preliminary estimates before the traditional 2020 CHIS data release planned for fall 2021.

COVID-19 Rates and Risk Factors by California County Dashboard

<https://healthpolicy.ucla.edu/health-profiles/Pages/COVID-19Dashboard.aspx>

Presents total COVID-19 case and death rates by each California county, race/ethnicity case and death rates by those counties that provide COVID-19 data by race/ethnicity and 2018 CHIS estimates for COVID-19 risk factors for California counties by total population and race/ethnicity.

COVID-19 Rates and Risk Factors by California County Data Table

<https://healthpolicy.ucla.edu/health-profiles/Pages/CovidDashboard.aspx>

Presents total COVID-19 case and death rates by each California county and 2018 CHIS estimates for COVID-19 risk factors for California counties by total population.

NHPI COVID-19 Data Policy Lab Dashboard

<https://healthpolicy.ucla.edu/health-profiles/Pages/NHPI-COVID-19-Dashboard.aspx>

Presents state-level COVID-19 case and death rates for Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islanders in United States.

GRANTS (selected list)

Social Determinant of Health Care Use by Youth in Latino Immigrant Families

Alexander Ortega (PI), Ninez Ponce (UCLA site PI)

9/26/20-4/30/25

Synopsis: The purpose of this study is to examine how multiple levels (e.g., individual, family, community, policy, and societal) affect access to care for Latino youth and families and how they vary among youth with undocumented, documented noncitizen, naturalized citizen and US-born parents and siblings. This study is being conducted by the UCLA Center for Health Policy Research in collaboration with Drexel University and UC Merced. This study will be a follow-up survey to the 2021-2022 California Health Interview Survey (CHIS IRB#17-000362).

Funder: Drexel University subcontract from the National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD)

Linking State Policies to Latino and Asian American Immigrant Health Access.

Kathryn Kietzman (PI), Ninez Ponce (co-I)

9/20/17-4/30/23

Synopsis: The purpose of this study is to assess the association between access to health care and experiences of exclusion within the policy sectors of health care, social services, employment, education, and law enforcement among Asian and Latino immigrants who live in California. This study will be a follow-on survey to the 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 California Health Interview Survey (CHIS IRB#17-000362). Two-thousand Asian and Latino immigrant CHIS respondents, who consented to be contacted for future studies, will be re-contacted for a 15-minute survey to collect additional information on their experiences related to immigrant policies. In order to examine the association between access to health care and experiences related to immigrant policies, data from this study will be linked with the data participants provided in the CHIS survey.

Funder: National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD) Award Number R01MD012292

The Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander (NHPI) Addressing Health Equity and Data (AHEAD) Project

Ninez Ponce (PI); 'Alisi Tuluā (co-I)

9/30/21-9/29/24

Synopsis: The project will provide NHPI-serving community organizations with user-friendly health and SDoH data as well as trainings that will enable them to access funding and resource streams that were previously reserved for communities that have not faced data barriers of 1) unavailable data, 2) inaccurate data and 3) inaccessible existing data.

Funder: Federal Office of Minority Health DHHS

Total Amount: \$500,000 (+\$250,000 for noncompetitive renewal in 2023)

Total Direct Amount: \$411,864

Growing a model for data-driven policymaking for Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander (NHPI) populations in time of pandemic to help promote health equity

Ninez Ponce (PI); 'Alisi Tuluā (co-I); Calvin Chang (co-I); Corina Penaia (co-I); Karla Thomas (co-I)

4/1/2022-3/30/2023

Synopsis: This is a renewal of the previous grant on “Creating a model for data-driven policy making for NHPI populations,

Funder: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Total Amount: \$500,000

Total Direct Amount: \$446,429

Individual, Family and Community Factors of Gun Violence Affecting California Communities

Ninez Ponce (PI); Michael Rodríguez (co-PI)

9/30/20-6/30/23

Synopsis: This research is aimed at improving the understanding of socioeconomic, demographic, and environmental risk and protective factors associated with gun ownership, firearm storage practices, and nonfatal suicidal behavior in California by collecting information on firearms via the California Health Interview Survey (CHIS). This study will advance knowledge on gun violence related to firearm ownership, storage practices, and perceptions of gun safety, and fill critical data gaps about risk factors for gun suicide and urban gun violence related to understudied and disproportionately impacted subpopulations such as youth/young adults, veterans, immigrants, and LGBT people.

Funder: RAND/National Collaborative on Gun Violence Research

Total Amount: \$596,171

Total Direct Amount: \$473,152

Integrating non-communicable disease (NCD) management in primary health care: a population health survey and action initiative

Ninez Ponce (PI), James Macinko (Co-I)

10/1/2017 –6/30/ 2022

Synopsis: With the University of the Philippines School of Public Health, Manila, the study will provide technical assistance for the design, conduct, and analysis of a population-based health survey on a national scale, and use these results to inform the development of a primary care tool on readiness of primary care centers to prevent and control non-communicable diseases.

Funder: Republic of the Philippines, Philippine Commission on Higher Education

Total Amount: \$306,602

Total Direct Amount: \$365,071

California Health Interview Survey (CHIS)

Ninez Ponce (PI)

9/01/2013 – 08/31/2024

Synopsis: CHIS is a population-based health survey of over 50,000 Californians. Currently, CHIS is offered in English, Spanish Cantonese, Mandarin, Vietnamese, Korean and Tagalog.

Funders: California Department of Public Health, California Department of Health Care Services, The California Endowment, The California Wellness Foundation, The California Healthcare Foundation, First Five California, Archstone Foundation; various county oversamples.

Total Amount: ~\$9,000,000 annually; \$18,000,000 for a 2-year survey cycle

Establishing the Data Equity Center to Center Equity in the Design, Collection, Production, and Dissemination of Population Health Data

Ninez Ponce (PI), AJ Scheitler (Co-I)

8/1/2022 - 7/31/2025

Synopsis: This project will establish the UCLA Data Equity Center to be a source of expertise and technical assistance and a repository of information that will guide data custodians, researchers, and advocates through a thriving learning community where ideas, problems and solutions to issues surrounding data equity can be examined and discussed.

Total Amount: \$999,000

Total Direct Amount: \$891,857

Completed Awards

Advancing disaggregation of ethnic/racial data by health data collection systems through technical assistance, training, and case-making

Ninez Ponce (PI), AJ Scheitler (Co-I)

2/15/19-8/14/22

Synopsis: Evidence built on more granular racial/ethnic data is a critical step in addressing the nation's health inequities. This project will impact the population health data field by providing technical assistance and grant support to advance strategies that address obstacles to data disaggregation in population health surveys.

Funder: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Total Amount: \$789,900

Total Direct Amount: \$705,268

Universal Effective Coverage and Population Health Equity: Trends and Scenarios for California's Future

6/15/2021 – 10/14/2021

Ninez Ponce (PI)

Synopsis: The study addresses the issue of Health and Wellness by examining overarching questions: what progress has California made in achieving universal effective health coverage (that all people have reasonably equal access to covered services) and how can the state ensure population health equity in the future? To answer these two questions, we will focus on the following seven topic areas of health and wellness in California: (1) health systems and public programs, (2) insurance coverage and markets, (3) environmental influences, (4) chronic conditions and mental health, (5) child and adolescent health, (6) aging residents, and (7) racial justice and immigrant populations.

Funder: California 100 Initiative at UC Berkeley

Total Amount: \$90,000

Total Direct Amount: \$90,000

Creating a model for data-driven policymaking for Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander populations in time of pandemic to help promote health equity

12/15/2020-3/14/2022

Ninez Ponce (PI); Calvin Chang (co-I); Corina Penaia (co-I); Karla Thomas (co-I)

Synopsis: The needs of the Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander (NHPI) populations have historically been unmet because data is not collected and published in ways where NHPIs are the focal point. Currently, in states such as Arkansas, Louisiana, Illinois, and Washington, NHPI COVID-19 case and death rates are higher than any other race/ethnicity. Creating a model for data driven policy making for NHPIs will build an infrastructure addressing serious gaps in data and health research needed to promote health equity. This quick-strike grant supports the NHPI COVID-19 Data Policy Lab (NHPI Lab), in consultation with NHPI Covid-19 response teams with national representation of advocates, community groups and public health and medical providers. The small team generates a weekly, updated data dashboard of state-level NHPI COVID-19 case rates to monitor hotspots warranting targeted policy attention. This project will optimize the NHPI Lab quality and value to the NHPI community and grow its impact.

Funder: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Total Amount: \$500,000

Total Direct Amount: \$446,429

California Health Interview Survey (CHIS) COVID-19 2020 Module

8/01/2020-8/01/2021

Ninez Ponce (PI)

Synopsis: To help researchers, policymakers, and health agencies across the state understand the health and economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, CHIS developed a COVID-19 module administered between May and through 2020. The additional COVID-19 survey questions collect data on respondents' knowledge of having contracted the virus; their access to testing and health care; employment impacts and whether job loss resulted in a loss of insurance coverage; whether financial stress, food insecurity, or other economic hardship was experienced as a result of the pandemic; and experiences of interpersonal violence, racism and xenophobia related to COVID-19.

Funders: The California Endowment; The California Healthcare Foundation; The California Wellness Foundation

Total Amount: \$230,000

Total Direct Amount: \$200,000

Medi-Cal Monitoring with the California Health Interview Survey (CHIS)

Ninez Ponce (PI)

4/15/19-6/30/2020

Synopsis: UCLA will conduct an evaluation of Medi-Cal's performance in health care access and delivery compared to other sources of coverage and, employer sponsored insurance, direct purchase coverage, and the uninsured for CHIS 2018 and CHIS 2013. Key measures will be use of, and access to, health care in: Gaps in Connection to the Health Care System, Potential Gaps in Receipt of Services, Receipt of Potentially Inappropriate/Inadequate Care, Problems with Receipt of Timely Care, Concerns about Affordability of Care in the Future, and Health Outcomes and Behaviors.

Funder: California Healthcare Foundation

Total Amount: \$132,981

Total Direct Amount: \$115,636

Barriers to Metastatic Breast Cancer Care

Ninez Ponce (PI); Beth Glenn (Co-I)

11/1/2-19-5/20/20

Synopsis: This study is a continuation of previous work which identified significant barriers and challenges to accessing breast cancer care in California, specifically now focusing on patients for whom the cancer has metastasized. Our team will produce a report for policy makers that innovatively triangulates findings from 5 key tasks – (1) working with existing support groups to identify and recruit study participants, (2) case studies from key informant interviews, (3) participation in a conference on metastatic breast cancer, (4) a literature

and legislative review, and (5) using social media to conduct an online discussion with targeted interest groups for metastatic breast cancer.

Funder: California Breast Cancer Research Program, University of California Office of the President

Total Amount: \$130,988

Total Direct Amount: \$106,214

Preserving Health Coverage for Immigrants: Economic & Health Implications of Proposed Public Charge Rules on California and Local Jurisdictions

Ninez Ponce (PI)

09/01/18 – 12/31/18

The UCLA Center for Health Policy Research (CHPR), with the UC Berkeley (UCB) Labor Center, and the California Food Policy Advocates (CFPA), proposes to estimate the health and economic impact of the proposed change in the public charge rules for California and its local jurisdictions.

Funder: California Health Care Foundation

Total Amount: \$161,045

Improving Data Capacity for American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) Populations

Ninez Ponce (PI)

9/30/2016 – 09/30/2019; total ~\$318,000

Synopsis: Misclassification and undercount of AI/ANs in population based surveys is of particular importance and may affect sample size of this group, as this is a small population that is often dropped from analysis for lack of statistical significance, omitted from national reports, and subsequently overlooked as recipients of needed resources. The purpose of this project is to: 1) Identify the current approaches to code AI/AN participants for race and ethnicity in selected population-based HHS surveys and the California Health Interview Survey; 2) Examine the current coding used in selected surveys to analyze the percentage of AI/AN only, AI/AN mixed race, Hispanic AI/AN and any mention of AI/AN; 3) Examine variations in classifying, coding, and tabulating AI/ANs and the implications of variations in classification and tabulation for the development of survey weights and post stratification adjustments for the AI/AN population; 4) Evaluate how improper classification and post weight adjustments can affect rates and counts of key indicators of health status, health behaviors, utilization and access to healthcare for the AI/AN population.

Funder: DHHS – Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Planning and Evaluation

Studying health data collection, analysis, and reporting for Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, and Pacific Islanders to better explain disparities

Ninez Ponce (PI)

9/15/2015 – 09/14/2017; total ~\$100,000

Synopsis: The study examined the state of data collection for Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders in state and federal surveys nationwide. We conducted key informant interviews of survey leaders and literature and legislative review to present recommendations on how survey leaders can implement more disaggregated data collection for the Asian American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander population.

Funder: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

RWJ Health Policy Research Scholar Program

Gail Wyatt (UCLA PI), Ninez A. Ponce-UCLA faculty; Thomas LaVeist (PI), Harolyn Belcher (Co-PI)

4/1/2016 - 8/31/2017; affiliated faculty in 2018 and 2019; total ~\$55,559

Synopsis: The Health Policy Research Scholars program is a national change leadership development opportunity for full-time doctoral students from underrepresented populations or historically disadvantaged backgrounds, entering the first or second year of their doctoral program, from any academic discipline who are training to be researchers and are interested in health policy research. UCLA faculty—Drs. Gail Wyatt, Gilbert Gee and Ninez Ponce were core faculty from UCLA that advise the program Principal Investigators,

Dr. Thomas LaVeist (George Washington University) and Dr. Harolyn Belcher (Johns Hopkins University).
UCLA was one of the field sites for the program. I'm currently an independent affiliated faculty member.
Funder: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation/Prime: Johns Hopkins University

Disparities in Utilization of Gene Expression Profiling and Subsequent Chemotherapy Decisions

Ninez Ponce (PI); Patricia Ganz (Co-I); Jennifer Haas, Harvard University (Co-I)

July 15, 2012- December 31, 2017; direct ~\$410,000

Synopsis: We conducted a mailed survey, with option of responding via a weblink, of women covered by Aetna who received GEP identified from 2010 claims data. The target sample is 200 English-speaking white women and 200 English-speaking non-white women diagnosed in 2010 with early stage breast cancer and a paid claim for GEP testing. We hypothesize that key patient and provider characteristics that motivate the use of GEP differ for whites and nonwhite women, and that the use of GEP to inform treatment decisions also differ by race/ethnicity. For example, the acceptability of GEP as a basis for forgoing adjuvant chemotherapy may be governed by issues of knowledge of and attitudes toward the test and chemotherapy, provider counseling, provider trust, healthcare satisfaction, perceived discrimination, and ability to communicate and self-advocate. Among minority patients, these issues have been identified as major sources of disparities in receiving quality healthcare in general and in shaping attitudes towards genetic testing and therapeutic decisions in particular.

Funder: Aetna Corporation

Barriers to Breast Cancer Care

Ninez Ponce (PI); Beth Glenn (Co-I)

November 1, 2015-May 30, 2018; direct ~\$135,452

Synopsis: Our study team of health policy and cancer researchers, in consultation with community advocates, answered the question: What are the significant barriers or challenges to access to breast cancer oncology care in California if you are uninsured, underinsured, on public or private health insurance? Our team produced a report, a peer-reviewed article, fact sheets, a policy briefing in Sacramento and one-on-one visits with policy makers that presented our findings from 3 key tasks – (1) a synthesis of the peer reviewed literature, news media, reports and policy briefs, (2) an analysis of social media, and (3) case studies from key informant interviews.

Funder: California Breast Cancer Research Program, University of California Office of the President

Patient-Centered Outcomes Research in Community Health Centers

Ninez Ponce (PI); Marjorie Kagawa-Singer (Co-I);

April 1, 2012- August 31, 2017; direct \$95,000

Synopsis: The Association of Asian and Pacific Community Health Organizations (AAPCHO) subcontracted with UCLA as an academic partner to help build the scientific infrastructure for its member community health centers to conduct patient-centered outcomes research. The key domains of the UCLA engagement were scientific leadership participation as a Steering Committee member, planning and development of research proposals with the community health center network espousing community based participatory research principles, and building human and scientific capital within AAPCHO community health centers through training, curriculum development, study design and statistical consultation, and research dissemination of results through publications.

Funder: Association of Asian and Pacific Community Health Organizations (AAPCHO) /DHHS HRSA

California Health Benefits Review Program

Ninez Ponce, co-Vice Chair with Nadereh Pourat

September 2017-July 2018; Annual amount: \$280,000

September 2014-July 2017; Annual amount: \$240,000

Ninez Ponce, Vice Chair

September 2013-July 2014; Annual amount: \$240,000

Synopsis: Established in 2002 to implement the provisions of its authorizing statute, the California Health Benefits Review Program (CHBRP) responds to requests from the State Legislature to provide independent analysis of the medical, financial, and public health impacts of proposed health insurance benefit mandates and repeals. As the Vice Chair of cost, I led the cost team, working with actuarial consultants to complete analysis during a 60-day period, usually before the Legislature begins formal consideration of a mandate bill.
Funder: University of California, Office of the President

Field Scans on the Status of Evaluation and Research on Effective Interventions Serving Boys and Men of Color (BMOC)

03/14/ 2016 – 12/ 16/ 2016; \$40,000

Ninez Ponce (PI)

Synopsis: Our project highlighted the current state of understanding of programs, policies and practices that target health and education outcomes in early and middle childhood, with a broader frame that these interventions will impact boys and men of color (BMOC) over the life course. Drawing upon the Chandler framework, we will produce a literature synthesis that identifies promising solutions to disparities faced by BMOC and calls out the remaining gaps. We will pay close attention to how the literature on health and education programs addresses special populations - Native American, and sub-ethnic populations of Black, Latino, and Asian and Pacific Islanders. These findings will be key inputs to improving access to high quality literature on health and education programs for BMOC.

Funder: Equal Measure: RISE for Boys and Men of Color

National Healthcare Disparities Report (NHDR)

Ninez Ponce (PI)

09/01/2013 – 08/31/2016; ~\$50,000 annually

Synopsis: We provided California Health Interview Survey (CHIS) data for the 2014-2015 National Healthcare Disparities Report (NHDR) to show trends of health care quality and disparities for Pacific Islanders, American Indians and Alaska Natives, Asian and Hispanic subpopulations, populations with limited English proficiency and LGBT populations.

Funder: Agency for Healthcare Research & Quality

Improving Reporting of Race, Ethnicity, and Language in California

David Zingmond (PI); Ninéz Ponce (Co-I)

September 1, 2010-August 31, 2013; direct ~\$3,000,000

Synopsis: A team of allied researchers led by investigators from the University of California in collaboration with the leadership of the California Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development, conducted a three-year programmatic intervention to improve the reliability, validity, and completeness of self-reported race, ethnicity, and primary language provided by hospitals in the three databases that are currently within OSHPD's regulatory mandate.

Funder: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality/ARRA

Medi-Cal Monitoring with the California Health Interview Survey

Ninez Ponce (PI)

Synopsis: We conducted a comparison of key access and utilization indicators between Medi-Cal enrollees and those with employment sponsored coverage. We based our analysis on data collected in the California Health Interview Survey (CHIS). Utilizing a framework for monitoring access to care, we produced estimates in at least six different constructs to inform the use of, and areas of need for, Medi-Cal recipients.

March 1, 2014- March 31, 2016; direct ~\$150,000

Funder: California HealthCare Foundation

Personalized Medicine for Colorectal & Breast Cancer

Kathryn Phillips (PI); Ninéz Ponce (Core Director & UCLA PI)

September 2008-August 2012; direct \$31,171

Synopsis: The program objective was to use an integrated, interdisciplinary approach to obtain evidence about key aspects of the translation of genomic information for breast and colorectal cancer into clinical practice and health policy. As the principal investigator of the *Measurement in Diverse Populations Core*, I provided the leadership to improve methods for conducting research, for measurement, for recruitment of research subjects, and for drawing statistical interpretations and conclusions for diverse populations.

Funder: National Cancer Institute; UCSF School of Pharmacy (Subcontract)

Do Safety Net Clinics Narrow the Disparity in Cervical Cancer Screening for Low-Income Women?

Ninez Ponce (PI, Faculty Sponsor) Melissa Gatchell (co-PI)

September 2008-June 2009; direct ~\$21,000

Synopsis: This project determined whether closer proximity to a safety net clinic (measured by the distance to the closest safety net clinic providing pap tests) improves the likelihood that a low-income woman of appropriate age receives a pap test for detection of cervical cancer during the interval recommended by the United States Preventive Services Task Force (USPSTF). We used CHIS 2005 data, along with data collected on safety net clinics in California to determine the association between distance to a safety net clinic and likelihood of cervical cancer screening.

Funder: Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Foundation

Do socio-ecological variables influence cancer screening behaviors? A multi-level modeling study using the California Health Interview Survey (1 K07 CA100097)

Ninez Ponce (PI); primary mentor: Roshan Bastani

September 2004-August 2010 \$ 588,484 direct; \$47,079 indirect, totaling \$635,563

Synopsis: This study examined whether and to what extent socio-ecological predictors have an effect on population-based cancer screening behaviors, specifically for breast, cervix, colorectal and prostate cancers. The study sought to understand the relationship between individual and socio-ecological variables and to determine if and to what extent these socio-ecological variables mediate individual decisions to seek preventive cancer screening services, particularly among ethnic minority populations. The K07 is a mentored career award program that provided 75% salary support over 5 years for the PI and additional research funds to hire a research assistant, to procure data, and to purchase/upgrade computing resources.

Funder: National Cancer Institute K07 Award program

Network on Multicultural Health & Healthcare Research

William Vega and Michael Rodriguez (Directors), Ninez Ponce (Senior Investigator) ~\$12,000/year for mentorship, of junior faculty and program leadership

November 2007-October 2010

Synopsis: I was one of the Senior Investigators in this 3-year healthcare quality research network established at UCLA Department of Family Medicine to address the problem of healthcare disparities among minorities and underserved populations. The Network was composed of distinguished expert faculty from a variety of national universities. The Network will also support five Healthcare Quality Scholars each year to address the health and quality of care issues affecting people from underserved groups with a primary focus on diabetes/obesity, cardiovascular disease, and cancer. These findings were widely disseminated in order to inform strategies for eliminating healthcare disparities. The Network prioritized research on intra-group determinants (acculturation, ethnic subgroup, language preference, demographic factors, etc.) of quality of care in Latino and American Indian populations.

Funder: The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

California Health Interview Survey 2007 - CHIS 2007 - Subethnicity & Acculturation Module

E. Richard Brown (PI), Ninez Ponce (co-PI)

April 2007-December 2009 Direct Costs: \$211,312

Synopsis: Inclusion of questions on the 2007 California Health Interview Survey to gather detailed information from a very large ethnically, linguistically and geographically diverse sample of California adults,

teens and children to examine how acculturation affects quality of care, health status, chronic diseases and conditions among ethnic subgroups.

Funder: The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Policy Implications of the Role of Race, Ethnicity and Language for the Health of Californians

Ninez Ponce (PI); Jeanne Black (Co-I) April 2003- September 2003 ~\$41,541.00

Synopsis: The specific aim was to measure the extent to which race/ethnicity and English language proficiency contribute to disparities in health status, health care access and utilization, using data from the 2001 California Health Interview Survey (CHIS) and weighted multivariate logit or probit models. Findings from this analysis helped inform the policy agenda on language access policies, and Proposition 54, an initiative that would have eliminated the government's collection of race and ethnicity data. Proposition 54 was defeated in the October 2003 recall election. We tested how the omission of race/ethnicity affects the predictive power of the models for health status, health care access, and utilization, and we will determine the extent of the bias on other predictor variables such as income or education. This analysis informed policy makers as to whether race/ethnicity information is necessary in order to obtain a true understanding of the factors that lead to health disparities.

Funder: California Program on Access to Care, University of California Office of the President.

California Health Interview Survey

E. Richard Brown (PI), Ninéz Ponce (co-PI), Jeff Luck (co-PI)

Synopsis: CHIS 2001 is a population-based health survey of over 55,000 California households. CHIS 2001 was offered in English, Spanish Cantonese, Mandarin, Vietnamese, Korean and Khmer. I chaired the Multicultural Health Technical Advisory Group and initially, the Survey and Sampling Technical Advisory Group. As co-PI I led the conceptualization and implementation of oversampling, linguistic and cultural adaptation, and measurement of race/ethnicity, acculturation and discrimination.

Funders: (1) National Cancer Institute, July 1999-June 2001; \$2.5 million

(2) The California Endowment, July. 2001-Dec. 2002; \$3 million

County of Alameda Uninsured Survey

Ninez Ponce (PI), Michael Jang, Institute for Scientific Research (Co-PI), Sherry Hirota, Asian Health Services (Co-PI)

April 2000-April 2001; \$200,000

Synopsis: I developed the survey questionnaire, designed the sampling frame and contracted the survey research firm to conduct this random-digit dial telephone population-based survey on Alameda County's uninsured adults. Latinos and Asian American and Pacific Islanders (AAPI) were oversampled and the survey was conducted in Spanish, Cantonese, Mandarin, Vietnamese, Korean and Dari. This activity was part of an evaluation study of an affordable health insurance product for low to moderate-income AAPI and Latino immigrants, regardless of documentation status, residing in Alameda County.

Funders: Community Voices/Asian Health Services/Kellogg Foundation/County of Alameda,

HONORS & AWARDS

Associate Editor, DEI , JAMA Health Forum July 1, 2022

Editorial Board Health Services Research, 2022

Commissioner, National Commission to Transform Public Health Data Systems, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, 2021

Editorial Board, JAMA Health Forum 2021

Elected Member, National Academy of Social Insurance 2021

Editorial Board, Milbank Quarterly 2020

Inaugural Data Equity Award, Asian Pacific Partners for Empowerment, Advocacy and Leadership (APPEAL) 2020

Don T. Nakanishi Faculty Prize for Community Engaged Scholarship 2019-2020, UCLA Asian American Studies Center

Women of Impact in Health Care elected member 2020

Chair, Annual Research Meeting 2020, AcademyHealth

AcademyHealth, Health Services Research Impact Award, 2019

Asian Health Services (an FQHC located in Oakland, CA Chinatown) Honoree, 2019

100 Most Influential Filipinas in the World Award, 2019

JAMA Health Forum: Top ten most talked about articles in 2021 (see publication: US Health Care Relies on Filipinx While Ignoring Their Health Needs: Disguised Disparities and the COVID-19 Pandemic.)

Health Services Research: top 20 most downloaded articles in 2018 (see publication: Racial/Ethnic Differential Effects of Medicaid Expansion on Health Care Access.)

Health Affairs Editor's pick for top ten articles of 2015 (see publication: Early diffusion of gene expression profiling in breast cancer patients associated with areas of high income inequality.)

Changemaker Award, presented by the community organization CYPHER-Conscious Youth Promoting Health and Environmental Readiness, 2014

Favorite Professor Award, presented by the Public Health Student's Association, UCLA, 2013

AcademyHealth Dissertation Chair of Outstanding Dissertation (Janet Cummings, PhD), 2010

Filipino American Services Group, American Dream Award, 2010

National Finalist for the 2009 ASPH/Pfizer Award for Teaching Excellence.

Dean's Award for Distinguished Teaching, 2009

Graduate Division, Excellence in Summer Mentorship, 2009

Royal Morales Community Achievement Award, UCLA Pilipino Alumni Association, 2009

National Institutes of Health Merit Award for Multicultural Survey Research, 2008

Distinguished Professor Award, presented by the Public Health Student's Association, UCLA, 2008

Outstanding Abstract in Disparities, AcademyHealth Meeting, Boston, 2007

Outstanding Abstract in Disparities, AcademyHealth Meeting, Boston, 2005

Rising Star in Cancer Disparities Research, National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health, 2004

Chancellor's Faculty Career Development Award, UCLA, 2003

Outstanding Community Researcher Award, the Asian and Pacific Islander American Health Forum (a national health advocacy organization), 2001

Delta Omega Public Health Honor Society, 2001

Distinguished Professor Award, presented by the Public Health Student's Association, UCLA, 2000

Agency for Health Care Policy and Research Postdoctoral Fellowship, 1998-1999

Agency for Health Care Policy and Research Fellowship (now AHRQ), 1992-1995

University of California Dissertation Fellowship, 1996-1997

University of California Research Fellowship, 1995-1996

SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCES—PODIUM PRESENTATIONS (since 2007)

Ponce NA. Methodological Challenges Associated with Improving Health Equity in Medicaid. Discussant and session organizer. AcademyHealth. Washington, DC. June 7, 2022.

Ponce NA. Achieving Health Equity for Asians, Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders. ASHEcon 6 October 2021.

Ponce NA. Chair, Late Breaking Abstracts: Equity Considerations in COVID-19. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting. June 17, 2021.

Ponce NA. “When “Race” Matters.” Oral session, American Public Health Association, October 2020.

Ponce NA. “Healing a Fractured Society.” Opening Plenary speaker and host for ER Brown Symposium. UCLA Center for Health Policy Research. October 14, 2020.

Ponce NA. “Race, Research and the Power and Peril of Big Data.” Opening Plenary speaker and Q&A with Keynote Dr. Ruha Benjamin. AcademyHealth. July 28, 2020.

Ponce NA. “The impact of California Health Interview Survey in data disaggregation of health data for Asian American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islanders (AANHPIs),” American Association of Public Opinion Research (AAPOR). June 11, 2020.

Ponce NA, with Shimkhada, R, Bau I, Yue D. “Proposed Totality of Circumstances Public Charge Determination for Recent Asian Immigrants in California,” American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA. November 4, 2019.

Ponce NA. “What do population-based health surveys across the nation tell us about the state of data disaggregation for AANHPIs?” American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA. November 12, 2018.

Ponce NA. “Capturing Racial/Ethnic Diversity in Population-Based Surveys: The Importance of Data Disaggregation.” American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA. November 13, 2018.

Ponce NA. “Improving Data Capacity for American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) Populations.” AcademyHealth, Seattle, WA. June 24, 2018.

Ponce NA, “Opportunities for China-California Immigration Studies.” 2017 Annual Symposium of the China-USA Research Center for Life Sciences on Interdisciplinary Research with Global Public Health, Chinese Academy of Sciences Beijing, China, November 13, 2017.

Ponce NA, session co-organizer: “Migration, Health and Health Systems: Frameworks Organized session” presenter: “The California Health Interview Survey CHIS: A tool for Monitoring Immigrant Health”. International Health Economics Association Meeting, Boston, MA, USA July 10, 2017.

Ponce NA, “So You’ve Earned a PhD.” AcademyHealth, New Orleans, CA, June 26, 2017.

Ponce NA, session organizer. “How Many People are Uninsured? Variation in National and State-level Survey Estimates.” American Public Health Association, Denver, CO, November 1, 2016.

Ponce NA with David Grant, Royce Park, Gerald Kominski, Hongjian Yu, Yueyan Wang, Matt Jans, Tara Becker, Kevin McLaughlin and Todd Hughes. “Do uninsured rates suffer from nonresponse bias? Evidence from the California Health Interview Survey (CHIS)” American Public Health Association, Denver, CO, November 1, 2016.

Ponce NA. “Minimum Wage Policies and Child Nutritional Status in Low to Middle Income Countries” International Health Economics Association Meeting, Milan, Italy July 15, 2015.

Ponce NA, Shimkhada R. “Does Income Inequality Make Us Sick?” Panel on Building a Social Movement to Become the Healthiest Nation in One Generation, American Public Health Association meeting, New Orleans, LA November 19, 2014.

Ponce NA, Becker T. “Place Matters. Data Matters. AA & NHPI Hotspots” Panel on Becoming the healthiest nation in a generation, American Public Health Association meeting, New Orleans, LA November 18, 2014.

Ponce NA, Kil J. “California Health Interview Survey: Meeting the demand for population-based health data on AA NHPIs” Panel on Evidence-based research and policy for health equity among Asian and Pacific Islander communities. American Public Health Association meeting, New Orleans, LA November 17, 2014.

Ponce NA. National Library of Medicine panelist. “Build, Don’t Duplicate” AcademyHealth Research meeting, San Diego, CA June 08, 2014.

Ponce NA., Cancer Prevention and Control in the US: Learning from the Past and Moving into the Future, International Health Economics Association Meeting, Sydney, Australia July 9, 2013.

Ponce NA. Panel leader/organizer. “Use of State Population Health Survey Data to Inform Health Care Coverage Policy” AcademyHealth meeting, Baltimore MD June 22, 2013

Ponce NA. Panel leader/organizer. “Hospital/Facility-Level Variations: Implications for Disparities” AcademyHealth meeting, Boston, MA June 28, 2010

Ponce NA. Panel leader/organizer. “Health Care System Interventions to Reduce Chronic Disease Disparities” AcademyHealth meeting, Boston, MA June 27, 2010

Ponce NA. Moderator and discussant. “Advances in Health Disparities Research Methods” Disparities Interest Group meeting, AcademyHealth meeting, Boston, MA June 26, 2010

Ponce NA, Cochran S, Mays V. “For richer or poorer, in sickness and in health: do same-sex marriage bans increase health insurance disparities?” AcademyHealth meeting, Washington, DC June 2009.

Ponce NA. “State of Health Insurance in Asian America.” NIH Summit: The Science of Eliminating Health Disparities, National Harbor, MD, December 16, 2008.

Ponce NA. “Wealthier but not healthier: Latino enclave effects on cancer screening.” American Public Health Association Meetings, San Diego, CA October 28, 2008.

Ponce NA. “Disparities in Health Insurance and Cancer Screening for Asian American Women. American Association for the Advancement of Science–Pacific Division Asian And Asian American Women: Health and Welfare Session. Waimea, Hawaii, June 15-19, 2008.

Ponce NA. “Measuring ethnic enclave to study associations with cancer screening among older adults.” Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA. November 17, 2007.

Ponce NA. “Ethnic enclaves, safety net location and cancer screening: Amenity or Penalty?” International Health Economics Meeting, 6th World Congress, Copenhagen, Denmark. July 10, 2007.

Ponce NA. “In Sickness and in Health.” 7th Annual Economic Research Initiative on the Uninsured (ERIU) Summer Research Conference, Ann Arbor, June 28-29, 2007.

Ponce NA. “Do safety net clinics reduce ethnic enclave risk in cancer screening?” AcademyHealth meeting, Orlando, FL. June 3, 2007 (Outstanding Abstract).

INVITED SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS/ TESTIMONIES/WEBINARS/MEDIA (since 2007)

Ponce NA. “No Equity without Data Equity” Keynote, Convening Across Sectors for Colorado's Health Equity and Wellness (CASCHEW), October 22, 2022, Vail, Colorado.

Ponce NA. “No Equity without Data Equity” Health Policy Grand Rounds. UCSF's Philip R. Lee Institute for Health Policy Studies. June 15, 2022.

Ponce NA. “No Equity without Data Equity” Health Affairs Lunch & Learn. May 24, 2022.

Ponce NA. “Design@Large: Future Prospects in Health Equity and Tech Innovation” UC San Diego Design Lab. May 18, 2022.

Ponce, NA. “California Health and Wellness Report Card” panel presentation California 100 Presents: Future of Health, Immigrant Integration, Criminal Justice Reform, UCLA Center for Health Policy Research (host), April 25, 2022.

Ponce NA. “No Equity without Data Equity” Visiting Scholar Lectureship 2021-2022 Health Law, Policy & Management, Boston University School of Public Health, April 19, 2022.

Ponce NA. “Centering Equity in Public Health Data Systems” Keynote Lecture. Culture of Data Conference, Colorado Public Health Association, April 7, 2022.

Ponce NA. “AANHPI Uninsured Rates and the Value of Health Insurance” invited media event hosted by Covered California, January 26, 2022.

Ponce NA. "The Implications for Covid-19 Vaccine Equity in not Disaggregating Data in Asian and Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islanders Communities" Presentation to the National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics, January 25, 2022. (updated from April 1, 2021 invitation).

Ponce NA. “No Equity without Data Equity” Invited presentation to UC Berkeley Health Services Research Colloquium. December 14, 2021.

Ponce NA. Health of Filipino Americans, White House invitation for Filipino American History Month, October 28, 2021.

Ponce, NA. “Building the Case for Health Equity: Finding the Data and the Law” American Constitution Society. October 26, 2021.

Ponce NA. “Measuring What we Value: Bridging Gaps in Data and Reporting on Race and Ethnicity” Testimony House Ways and Means, May 21, 2021.

Ponce NA. “Simultaneously Victimized and Ignored: The Mental Health of Asian Women” 9th State of Asian Women’s Health Conference. Asian Women for Health. May 21, 2021.

Ponce NA. “Exposing the Toll of COVID-19 on “Hidden” NHPI & Asian Populations” Congressional Asian Pacific American Caucus (CAPAC) Briefing. May 12, 2021.

Ponce NA. “Approaches to Engage Asian Americans and NHPI Populations in Research” Identifying Research Opportunities for Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander Health: A Virtual Trans NIH Workshop, April 1, 2021.

Ponce NA. “The Implications for Covid-19 Vaccine Equity in not Disaggregating Data in Asian and Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islanders Communities” Presentation to the National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics, April 1, 2021.

Ponce NA. “What Does "Race" Measure in Empirical Models?” UCLA Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center Research Seminar, February 25, 2021.

Ponce NA. “The Power of Data Equity to Address Social Justice” Cisco World Justice Week, February 17, 2021.

Ponce NA. "The Solace in Science: How have disadvantaged communities been disproportionately affected by COVID-19?" First Fridays Connect. Museum of Natural History, Los Angeles, CA. February 5, 2021.

Ponce, NA. "Understanding Health Equity." California Pan Ethnic Health Network Plenary. February 10, 2021.

Ponce NA. "Performance Measurement and Interprofessional Competencies" Advisory Committee on Interdisciplinary, Community-Based Linkages (ACICBL) Health Resources and Services Administration. January 14, 2021.

Ponce, NA. Participant. "NAM Leadership Consortium in Identifying Dashboard Indicators of Progress towards a Learning Health System. Culture Inclusion & Equity Action Collaborative, January 4, 2021

Ponce NA. "Lost in the Frontlines, Lost in the Data, Lost in Policy Priorities" Filipino American Health Forum. Series 13: COVID-19 Vaccine Allocation, January 13, 2021.

Ponce NA. "Ethnic/Racial Data Disaggregation" Action Research Symposium, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, January 13, 2021.

Ponce, NA. "Improving Data Capacity for American Indians/Alaska Natives" Centers for Disease Control and Prevention American Indian/Alaska Native Heritage Month, November 17, 2020.

Ponce NA. "Pandemics & Vulnerable Communities: focus on Filipinx Communities" Asian American Studies Center, November 13, 2020.

Ponce, NS. "Reflecting Your Population: Considerations for Data Collection and Processing" Addressing Health Equity through Data Disaggregation. National Network of Health Survey Workshop Series. October 21, 2020

Ponce NA. "The Data Disaggregation Imperative to Achieve Health Equity" APPEAL/ADEPT Conference Plenary Speaker, September 29, 2020.

Ponce, NA. "Health Coverage in California" California Dreaming: Remaking the Healthy State. USC Center for Health Journalism. Los Angeles, CA. March 17, 2020.

Ponce, NA. "State of the World: Filipina Women in Diaspora" Keynote speech for Filipina Women's Network, 100 Most Influential Filipinas in the World Conference, Paris, France, October 29, 2019.

Ponce NA and Hughes T. "California Health Interview Survey: 2018 Data Release." UCLA Center for Health Policy Research, Los Angeles, CA, October 24, 2019.

Ponce, NA. "California Health Interview Survey, Population Health Data for Health Policy." AHCJ's 2019 Journalism Workshop on Aging & Health, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, October 16, 2019.

Ponce, NA. "Data Collection and Data Access." Conference on Data Disaggregation as a Means to Improved Health Research and Policy-Making, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, September 26, 2019.

Ponce, NA. "Hidden Identities, Hidden Lives: When Data Obscures Health Disparities," Marschak Colloquium, April 30, 2019.

Ponce NA. "Asian American and Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander Population Pathways to Health: Policy Insights from the California Health Interview Survey," Cultural Awareness Week, David Geffen School of Medicine, UCLA , April 23, 2019.

Ponce NA. Organizer and Emcee. "ER Brown Symposium on Universal Care." Sacramento, February 28, 2019, Los Angeles, March 1, 2019.

Ponce NA, Lucia L. "Public Charge - Health and Economic Impacts in California," in Public Charge, Immigration Enforcement and the Impacts on Health. Panel session. Insuring the Uninsured Project, Sacramento, CA, February 5, 2019

Ponce NA, Lucia L, Shimada, T. “How Proposed Changes to the ‘Public Charge’ Rule Will Affect Health, Hunger and the Economy in California.” UCLA Center for Health Policy Research, Los Angeles, CA, November 7, 2018.

Ponce NA. “Immigration as Social Determinant of Health.” Invited Speaker. Health Services Research Colloquium. Center for Health Care and Policy Research. Department of Health Policy and Administration. Penn State. State College, PA, October 22, 2018.

Ponce NA. “The California Health Interview Survey: Science & Data for Public Health Action.” 2018 Women in Science Conference. University of Notre Dame, October 6, 2018.

Ponce NA. “California Health Interview Survey, Population Health Data for Health Policy.” Invited lecture. World Health Organization, Geneva. July 4, 2018.

Ponce NA. The Role of University Exchange Programs in the Making of a 21st Century Global Citizen. Philippines and its Elsewheres Panel Series. February 1, 2018 UCLA. UCLA Center for Southeast Asian Studies and The International Institute.

Ponce NA, “Immigration as Social Determinant of Health.” Keynote Speaker. Los Angeles County Department of Public Health. The California Endowment, Los Angeles, CA, April 12, 2018.

Ponce NA, “Data for Policy Impact—California.” Invited Speaker for National Academy of Medicine Workshop, “Immigration as Social Determinant of Health.” Oakland, CA, November 28, 2017.

Ponce NA. Policy Café: “Breaking Barriers: Policy Implications from the California Health Interview Survey.” Community Clinic Association of Los Angeles. December 1, 2017.

Ponce NA. Research quoted in People Magazine. “Julia Louis-Dreyfus Said She’s ‘Lucky’ to Have Insurance — Here’s What It’s Like to Have Breast Cancer Without It”. October 5, 2017.

Ponce NA. “Protecting Immigrants’ Access to Vital Services: The Impact of Public Charge on Our Immigrant Communities.” California State Capitol, with Assembly members Rob Bonta and David Chiu. 15 September 2017.

Ponce NA. “Using the results of the California Health Interview Survey.” Managed Care Essentials, video hosted by the American Journal of Managed Care.” August 4, 2017 edition.

Ponce, NA. “ACA Repeal Panel.” Moderated by Cliff Goodman, with Avik Roy and Sally Pipes. ACO and Emerging Healthcare Delivery Coalition Spring Live Meeting, hosted by the American Journal of Managed Care, Scottsdale, Arizona, May 7, 2017.

Ponce NA. Quoted in Self Magazine. “ICE Took an Undocumented Mom with a Brain Tumor from the Hospital.” February 24, 2017.

Ponce NA, “Benefits of Data Warehousing Clinical and Social Determinants of Health.” Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organization, Washington, DC, 28 March 2017.

Ponce NA: “Improvements in the Health of Californians under the ACA: What’s at Risk?” in The Future of Health Reform in California: The ACA at Risk. Plenary session. Insuring the Uninsured Project, Sacramento, CA, 7 February 2017.

Ponce NA, “Moving towards Population Health.” Keynote Speaker, Keiro Inaugural Grants Luncheon, Japanese American National Museum, Los Angeles, CA, 22 April 2017.

Ponce NA. Research featured and quoted in Sacramento Bee. “What’s blocking women from timely breast cancer treatment? UCLA study asks lawmakers to eliminate hurdles.” January 12, 2017.

Ponce NA: “Breaking the Barriers to Breast Cancer Care: Exploring Policy Options.” Legislative Briefing with Senator Richard Pan, Sacramento, CA, 12 January 2017.

Ponce NA. “Socio-Economic Factors that Impact Health and Healthcare.” Providence Holy Cross. Los

Angeles, CA, 16 December 2016.

Ponce NA with Todd Hughes. “CHIS 2015: What's New from the Nation's Largest State Health Survey.” UCLA Center for Health Policy Research, Los Angeles, CA, December 14, 2016.

Ponce NA. "Race and Ethnicity Trends in California: 'What Is the 'Landscape of Opportunity?'" UCLA Center for Health Policy Research, Los Angeles, CA, November 29, 2016

Ponce NA. “Snapshot of Health in California.” Opening Plenary. California Pan Ethnic Health Network Annual Conference: Voices for Change: Seizing the Momentum for Health Equity. Los Angeles, CA October 18, 2016.

Ponce NA with Brian Smedley. “Demographic Change, Health Equity, and a Culture of Health.” Plenary session, Fall Leadership Institute, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. Princeton, NJ September 27, 2016.

Ponce NA and Ying-Ying Meng. “CHIS Overview.” Presentation to Keiro Foundation community advisors, Keiro Foundation. The California Endowment. Los Angeles, CA August 16, 2016.

Ponce NA, “Global Health @UCLA.” Global Health Development Strategy Advisory Committee Meeting. Fudan University. Shanghai, China. June 20, 2016.

Ponce NA. “Global vs. Local: A False Dichotomy?” The Oldenburg Luncheon Colloquium and Medicine, Education, and Development for Low-Income Families Everywhere. Pomona College. April 7, 2016.

Ponce NA. “Value of In-Language Surveys for Public Health.” in Social Determinants of Health—Public Health Minute with Bill Latimer. Lehrman College. Audio available at: <http://wp.lehman.edu/public-health-minute-with-william-latimer/social-determinants-of-health-ninez-ponce-mph-phd-ucla-fielding-school-of-public-health/> 9 December 2015.

Ponce NA. “Balancing Broad Dissemination and Respondent Confidentiality.” National Science Foundation-National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics Expert Panel on Confidentiality Protection, Arlington, VA, September 17, 2015.

Ponce NA and Rau, Bogdan. “A Policy Tool to Assess Immigrant Health Access, Health and Integration.” 10th Summer Institute on Migration and Global Health, The California Endowment, Oakland, CA June 22, 2015.

Ponce NA. “Immigrant Health.” Global Health: Meeting the Greatest Challenges.” UCLA Health Forum, Los Angeles, CA February 27, 2015.

Ponce NA. “Minimum Wage Policies and Child Nutritional Status in Low to Middle Income Countries.” Division of GIM-HSR Friday Noon Seminar Series, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, February 20, 2015.

Ponce NA. “Emerging Markets.” Modernizing Healthcare for the New Age, Healthcare Business Association 1st Annual Conference, UCLA Anderson School of Management, Los Angeles, CA, February 13, 2015.

Ponce NA. “Disparities in Utilization of Gene Expression Profiling and Subsequent Chemotherapy Decisions.” Grand Rounds, City of Hope, Duarte, CA, February 10, 2015.

Ponce NA. panelist “Pass or Fail in Cambodia Town.” Moderated by Maria Hinojosa, National Public Radio series on “America by the Numbers.” The California Endowment. November 10, 2014.

Ponce NA. Panel leader/organizer. “Population Health & Health Equity.” AcademyHealth pre-conference sessions, San Diego, CA June 06, 2014.

Ponce, NA, “Overview of CHIS and BRFSS Data Sources.” California Department of Public Health. Webinar. May 14, 2014.

Ponce, NA, “Social Determinants and Health.” Fielding School of Public Health “Continuing the Conversation” Webinar. March 13, 2013 .

Ponce, NA, “Social Determinants in Health.” Plenary speaker invitation. “Advancing Equity: (Re)Emerging

Perspectives on Health and Health Policy.” The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Center for Health Policy at the University of New Mexico: Fall 2012 Symposium.

Ponce NA, Invited Panelist, “Aging Across Cultures.” 34th Annual Kaiser Permanente National Diversity Conference, October 27, 2011.

Ponce, NA. “Health Data needs for Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders.” White House Asian American and Pacific Islander Initiative (invitation only event). December 9, 2010.

Ponce NA. “Data and Policy Needs to advance Asian and Pacific Islander Health.” Panel organizer and moderator, November 13, 2008, California State Capitol, Room.

Ponce, NA. “What’s the Buzz on AB 1195?” Philippine Medical Association of Southern California. Healthcare & Illness of Filipino Immigrants in America. Long Beach, CA. November 4, 2007. (Invited Speaker)

Ponce NA. “Health care reform and communities of color.” Meeting our Needs: Health Care Reform Briefing, August 21, 2007, California State Capitol, Room. (Invited Briefing)

SERVICE

UCLA Service

System-Wide

Member Health Care Task Force. Briefing on UC Health Issues for the Health Care Task Force (HCTF) of the University Committee on Faculty Welfare (UCFW) 2019-present

Campus-Wide

Member, Committee on Teaching 2020-2021

Faculty Advisory Committee,
Office of the Human Research Protection Program (OHRPP) 2020-2021

Member, Committee on International Education 2016-2019

Committee member, Undergraduate Global Health Minor 2015-2019

Divisional representative on the Academic Assembly 2014-2018

Review Committee for Dean of Anderson School of Management 2015-2016

Alternate divisional representative on the Academic Assembly 2011-2014

Hellman Fellows Fund Selection Committee 2011-2012

Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center

Member 2001-present

Asian American Network for Cancer Awareness, Research and Training 2000-2007

Seed Grant Reviewer 2005, 2007

Asia Pacific Center, International Institute

Executive Committee, Faculty Associate 2016-present

Asian American Studies, Institute for American Cultures

Faculty Associate, Asian American Studies Center AAPI Policy Initiative 2019-present

Faculty Associate, Asian American Studies program 2000-present

Associate Director 2011-2012

Institute of American Cultures grant reviewer 2002, 2005, 2007

Center for Southeast Asian Studies, International Institute

Faculty Associate 2003-present

Center for the Study of Women

Faculty Associate 2007-present

UCLA Student Organizations (Faculty Advisor)

Samahang Pilipino Education and Retention (SPEAR) 2003-2008

Samahang Pilipino Advancing Community Empowerment (SPACE). 2003-2008

Fielding School of Public Health	
Student Affairs Committee	2019-2021
Search Committee: Global Environmental Change & Health FSPH	2018
Undergraduate Programs Committee	2016-2018
Search Committee: Global Health Equity FSPH	2015-2016
Search Committee: Global Health Management FSPH	2014-2015
International Health Committee	2014-2016
Undergraduate Programs Committee	2011-2014
Global Health Task Force	2010-2011
International Health Committee	2008-2009
Committee for Alumni Hall of Fame	2008
Search Committee: Director of the ERC (Education and Research Center)	2007-2008
Search Committee: Community Health Sciences/Health Education	2006-2007
Search Committee: Global Health	2003-2004
Student Affairs Committee, School of Public Health	2002-2003
Bixby Program grant reviewer, School of Public Health	2001
Faculty Executive Committee, Secretary, School of Public Health	1999-2000
 Department of Health Policy and Management	
Chair's Advisory Committee	2020-2021
Director, PhD Program	2016-2018
Chair, Admissions	2014-2015
Chair, Search Committee HPM	2014-2015
Chair, Search Committee HPM	2013-2014
Vice Chair	2013-2014
Standing Personnel Committee	2012
EMPH Advisory Committee	2012
Acting PhD Program Director (Spring Quarter)	2011
EMPH Steering committee	2010-2011
EMPH/EMHA Self-Sustaining Program Committee, Chair	2010-2011
 Center for Global and Immigrant Health	
Director	2014-2018
Faculty Affiliate	9/2018-present
 Center for Health Policy Research	
Center Director	7/2018-present
Principal Investigator, California Health Interview Survey	2012-present
Associate Center Director	2014-2018
Programming Subcommittee	2001-2002
Research Management Committee	2000-2002
 <u>Extramural Service</u>	
Associate Editor on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, JAMA Health Forum	July 1, 2022
Commissioner, RWJF National Commission to Transform Public Health Data	2021
Board of Directors, AcademyHealth	2021-2023
AcademyHealth Advisory Group on	
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Health Services Research	2020-2021
Lead Organizer, Filipinx/a/o COVID-19 Resource and Response Team	2020-2021
Board of Scientific Counselors, National Center for Health Statistics	
of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)	2017-2020

Commissioner, One Nation AAPI	2019
Scientific Review Panel for the 2018 Systems for Action Research Program, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	2018-2019
National Quality Forum, Member Disparities Standing Committee	2019
National Quality Forum, co-Chair with Marshall Chin, U of Chicago, Disparities Standing Committee	2015-2019
Research Advisory Committee, Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations	2015-2018
National Advisory Board, Center for Health Policy, Meharry Medical College	2019-present
Member: World Health Organization Healthy Ageing Network	2018-2019
Technical Advisory Panel member, RAND/ Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services Star Rating	2018-present
Expert Advisory Panel member, Brigham and Women's Center for Surgery and Public Health, Metrics for Equitable Access and care in SURgery (MEASUR)	2018-present
Technical Advisory Panel (TAP) Financial Analysis Research Agenda (FARA) Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA's) Bureau of Primary Health Care (BPHC). University of Chicago	2018-2021
Yale Center for Outcomes Research and Evaluation /Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services Hospital Outcome Measurement for Patients with Social Risk Factors	
California Vital Statistics Advisory Committee	2016-2019
Advisory Board: California Program on Access to Care	2018-2019
Advisory Board: Insuring the Uninsured Project	2018-present
Advisory Board: UC Center Sacramento Faculty Council	2018-present
Multicultural Advisory Board, Nielsen Inc.	2015-2019
Health Affairs, planning panel on California Special Issue	2017-2018
National Institutes of Minority Health and Health Disparities, Workgroup on Visioning Process on Health Disparities Measurement and Methods	2016-2018
Health Affairs invited panel on Health Equity Special Issue	2016
National Quality Forum, Expert Committee on Risk Adjustment for Sociodemographic Factors	2014
Institute of Medicine, subcommittee on Race, Ethnicity, Language Data	2009
Blue Ribbon Commissioner, Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy	2006
Executive Committee Board member, National Health Law Program	2005-2009
Trustee, New Heights Charter School, Los Angeles, CA	2006-2009
Academic Advisory Group, Asian Pacific American Legal Center	2005-2009
Policy Committee, California Pan Ethnic Health Network	2003-2009
Member of Methods, Measurement and Reporting Expert Panel: Trans-HHS Cancer Health Disparities Progress Review Group, National Cancer Institute, NIH, U.S. DHHS	2003
Office of the Patient Advocate, Cultural/Linguistic Committee Member	2002-2007
Harvard Civil Rights Project, Advisory Committee	2002-2003
Core Committee to preserve race/ethnicity in public health data collection	2001-2004
Research Advisory Board member, Asian & Pacific Islander Health Forum	1999-2000
Asian American and Pacific Islander Health National Policy Committee	2000-2002
Member, Filipino Task Force on AIDS, San Francisco, CA	1998-1999
Grant Reviewer, Office of Minority Health, USDHHS	1992,1994, 1998
Volunteer, South Central Los Angeles Women's Shelter	1994-1996
Board Member, Filipinos for Affirmative Action, Oakland, CA	1990-1992
Volunteer, Vacaville Prison Project, Vacaville, CA	1982-1984
Community Health Worker, Berkeley Free Clinic, Berkeley, CA	1980-1984

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

AcademyHealth	1993-present
a. Board of Directors	2021-2023
b. Advisory Group on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) in Health Services and Policy Research (HSR)	2020-2021
c. Annual Meeting Chair 2020	2019-2020
d. Planning Committee, National Health Policy Conference	2014-2015; 2019
e. Global Public Health Systems Innovations	2014-2015
f. Aetna Foundation Scholars in Residence Mentor	2014-2015
g. Executive Planning Committee for Annual Meeting	2014-2015
h. Disparities Theme Leader	2013-2014
i. Aetna Minority Scholars Mentor	2010-2012
j. Executive Planning Committee for Annual Meeting	2009-2010
k. Disparities Theme Leader	2009-2010
l. Outstanding Abstracts Judge	2009
m. Disparities Interest Group founding co-Chair	2006-2009
American Public Health Association	1988-2018
n. APHA Access to Care Workgroup	
o. Asian and Pacific Islander American Caucus	
-Treasurer	2003-2007
-Annual Meeting Scientific Program Abstract Reviewer	2004-2006
p. Medical Care Section (2004-2005)	
q. Statistics Section member (1988-2003)	
International Health Economics Association	1998-2015
r. Scientific Abstract Reviewer	2015

EDITORIAL BOARD/REVIEWER OF PEER REVIEWED JOURNALS/PROGRAM ABSTRACTS

Associate Editor for DEI, JAMA Health Forum	2022
Editorial Board, JAMA Health Forum	2021
Editorial Board, Milbank Quarterly	2020
Health Services Research	2003/2007-2015/2017/2019-2021
Health Affairs	2005/2007/2009/2011/2014/ 2015/2019-2021
Medical Care	2004/2005/2006/2007/2017/2018/2019
Journal of the American Medical Association	2007/2018
New England Journal of Medicine	2017
Inquiry	2005/2020
Demography	2020
Social Science and Medicine	2008/2012/2018
BMC Public Health	2008/2017/2018/2019
Journal of General Internal Medicine	2005/2006/2019
JCO Oncology Practice	2020
American Journal of Public Health	1998/2005/2006/2015/2017
International Journal of Health Equity	2012
Evaluation & the Health Professions	2011
Journal of Policy Analysis and Management	2011
Annual Review of Public Health (Guest Editor)	2008
Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers and Prevention	2007
Social Science Quarterly	2006

American Journal of Managed Care	2006
Journal of Health Policy, Politics and Law	2003
Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved	2003
Harvard Health Policy Review	2002
Journal of Health and Social Behavior	2002/2016
AcademyHealth Scientific Program	2006-2010/2014/2020
American Public Health Association Scientific Program	2005-2006
International Health Economics Association	2015
UC Global Health Day	2015

Media Coverage (since 2018)

- 5/2/22 San Diego County ID policy makes vaccinating the undocumented harder
KPBS
- 4/27/22 County Health Clinics Turn Away Undocumented San Diegans Without IDs, Advocates Say
Patch
- 4/25/22 Reimagining the future of health and wellness in California
UCLA Newsroom
- 3/30/22 Inconsistent data masks the pandemic's toll on Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders
PBS Newshour
- 1/28/22 Californians urged to get health insurance
ABS/CBN News
- 12/24/21 As US west braces for omicron surge, leaders take a hands-off approach
The Guardian
- 11/24/21 Researchers awarded grant to bridge gap between community groups, crucial data
UCLA Newsroom
- 10/24/21 Ninez Ponce Discusses Data Visibility in the Nation's Largest State Health Survey
All In: Data for Community Health Podcast
- 9/2/21 Q&A with Ninez Ponce: Grouping statistics on Asian American populations masks health disparities
— Aggregating data on diverse Asian populations perpetuates 'model minority' myth
The Nation's Health
- 6/17/21 Immigrants crucial to vaccinating US, but gaps remain
Roll Call
- 5/18/21 New Commission to Tackle How National Health Data Are Collected, Shared and Used
Health Affairs Forefront
- 5/6/21 COVID's Outsize Impact on Asian Americans Is Being Ignored
- 3/23/21 Disaggregation for Health Equity: Shedding Light on COVID
KCET
- 2/9/21 UCLA CHPR Releases COVID-19 Specialized Data for API Groups
Rafu Shimpō
- 2/2/21 Want to improve care for breast cancer patients? Listen to what they say on Twitter
UCLA Health
- 1/28/21 First Fridays returns to Natural History Museum
Park LaBrea News
- 1/28/21 Technical Glitches Keep Newsom's Dream of High-Tech Government on Hold
Capitol Radio
- 1/22/21 UCLA Research Suggests COVID-19-related Evictions Will put Californians' Healthcare at Risk
UCLA Fielding School of Public Health
- 1/15/21 'It's Starting Again': Why Filipino Nurses Dread the Second Wave
The New York Times
- 1/14/21 AcademyHealth today announced the formation of an Advisory Group on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Health Services Research

Kristin Rosengren

- 1/14/21 Researchers awarded grant to study COVID-19 among Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders
UCLA News
- 1/14/21 AcademyHealth today announced the formation of an Advisory Group on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Health Services Research
Academy of Health
- 1/5/21 The coronavirus variant & L.A.'s COVID-19 epidemic (listen)
KPFA
- 1/3/21 UCLA: Asian and Pacific Islander groups report COVID-19 hate incidents
Antelope Valley Times
- 12/18/20 Coalition calls for strict 4-week LA County lockdown to control COVID-19 surge
ABC 7
- 12/17/20 Nurses, Teacher, Grocery Worker Unions Demand January Lockdown
Patch
- 12/14/20 How Pacific Islanders have been left to fend for themselves in the pandemic
VOX
- 11/19/20 Academy Health's Racial Equity Strategy Aims for Progress in Three Areas of Engagement
Academy of Health
- 11/19/20 Filipino Population Is High-Risk For COVID-19, But Very Little Data On The Community's Outcomes Exist
Capitol News Radio
- 11/6/20 UCLA: Dr. Ninez Ponce – Whether Californians Vote May Hinge on Race, Ethnicity, Health Survey Finds
ASPPH
- 11/1/20 Diabetic amputations a 'shameful metric' of inadequate care
The Philadelphia Tribune
- 10/30/20 UCLA launches map to track hate crimes throughout US
ABC 7
- 10/30/20 UCLA Health Survey: Whether Californians Vote May Hinge On Race, Ethnicity
Rafu
- 10/28/20 The Supreme Court and the future of the Affordable Care Act
MPR News
- 10/20/20 Why the Asian American Covid data picture is so incomplete
NBC
- 10/15/20 Elderly day labor workers most affected by pandemic
Cal Matters
- 10/8/20 UCLA Fielding School of Public Health to host conference on addressing health care inequities
UCLA News
- 9/30/20 OLDER LATINOS FACE SERIOUS CHALLENGES TO SURVIVE IN CALIFORNIA
La Conexion A25
- 9/10/20 Black and Latinos' Finances Hit the Hardest by COVID-19, UCLA Survey Finds
NBC 4
- 9/10/20 Dashboard reveals COVID-19's impact on Californians' jobs, mental health
UCLA News
- 8/25/20 COVID-19 exposes how Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders face stark health care disparities
UCLA News Room
- 8/8/20 Coronavirus update: California surpasses 10,000 deaths as Trump signs economic relief orders
The Washington Post
- 8/6/20 UCLA Lands \$600K Grant To Study Gun Violence & Safety
Patch
- 8/6/20 UCLA researchers receive grant to study gun violence
UCLA News

- 3/29/20 'I have a broken heart': Trump policy has immigrants backing away from healthcare amid crisis
The Guardian
- 1/16/20 Single-payer systems likely to save money in US, analysis finds
University of California News
- 1/15/20 Projected costs of single-payer healthcare financing in the United States: A systematic review of economic analyses
PLOS Medicine
- 12/20/19 Asian Health Services 45th Anniversary Annual Gala
Diablo
- 10/9/19 New Evidence Demonstrates That The Public Charge Rule Will Harm Immigrant Families and Others
Health Affairs
- 9/23/19 Cost, wait time influence choice of health care setting for minor illnesses
UCLA Newsroom
- 9/23/19 This Week in D.C.: Competition in Digital Tech Markets, NIH Medical Research Funding and Clean Industrial Innovation
IP Watchdog
- 8/12/19 Trump crackdown on legal immigrants could damage California economy, experts say
The Los Angeles Times
- 6/14/19 Hospitals may divert ambulances to avoid treating certain patients
Penn State News
- 5/21/19 Minorities suffer more diabetic amputations due to lack of medical care
El Nuevo Herald
- 5/1/19 Diabetic Amputations A 'Shameful Metric' Of Inadequate Care
California Health Line
- 5-19 Uncertainty About DACA May Undermine Its Positive Impact On Health For Recipients And Their Children
Health Affairs
- 1/7/19 UCLA report finds federal 'public charge' rule changes would hurt state economy
Daily Bruin
- 12/7/18 US move to restrict immigrant health care would hit California's economy, study says
North Bay Business Journal
- 12/4/18 Proposed changes to immigration laws would cost California jobs, harm public health
UCLA Newsroom
- 5/15/18 Trump administration plan could deter legal immigrants from health care, other services
Cal Matters
- 3/19/18 How California can break down barriers to breast cancer treatment
UCLA Newsroom