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I. <u>EDUCATION AND TRAINING</u>

2007 - 2010	Brigham & Women's Hospital, Boston, MA Internal Medicine / Primary Care Residency
2002 - 2007	Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA M.D., Cum Laude
2000 - 2005	Harvard University, Cambridge, MA Ph.D. in Health Policy; Concentration in Economics
1996 - 2000	Princeton University, Princeton, NJ B.A. in English, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> ; Minor in Jewish Studies

II. <u>EMPLOYMENT</u>

2020 -	Huntley Quelch Professor of Health Care Economics Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health (HSPH)
2020 -	Professor of Medicine (<i>on leave 2021-2023</i>) Brigham & Women's Hospital / Harvard Medical School
2023 -	Senior Counselor to the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (ASPE), U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (HHS)
2022 - 2023	Senior Official Performing the Duties of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, ASPE, HHS
2021 - 2023	Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health Policy, ASPE, HHS
2018 - 2020	Professor of Health Policy & Economics, HSPH
2017 - 2020	Associate Professor of Medicine Brigham & Women's Hospital / Harvard Medical School
2016 - 2018	Associate Professor of Health Policy & Economics, HSPH
2011 - 2016	Senior Advisor, ASPE, HHS
2011 - 2017	Assistant Professor of Medicine Brigham & Women's Hospital / Harvard Medical School
2010 - 2016	Assistant Professor of Health Policy & Economics, HSPH

III. <u>TEACHING AND MENTORING</u>

Teaching

2019-current:	Course Instructor, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA HPM 545: "Economics of Health Care: Public vs. Market Solutions"
2013-current:	Course Instructor, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA HPM 211: "Health Care Safety Net & Vulnerable Populations"
2009-2010:	Tutorial Group Leader, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA HCP 750: "Health Care Policy"
2002-2006	Instructor, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA Math Review for Incoming Doctoral Students
2001-2005	Teaching Fellow, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA Economics 2020: "Introduction to Microeconomic Theory"

Dissertation Advisees

Kao-Ping Chua (Harvard PhD in Health Policy: Evaluation and Statistics), 2015
Jacob Wallace (Harvard PhD in Health Policy: Economics), 2016
Nicole Dickelson (Harvard School of Public Health [HSPH] DrPH), 2017
Jeffrey Reynoso (HSPH DrPH), 2017
Jamie Daw (Harvard PhD in Health Policy: Evaluation and Statistics), 2018
Jackie Kaslow (HSPH DrPH), 2018
Alina Schnake-Mahl (HSPH, Social & Behavioral Sciences ScD), 2018
Adrian Garcia-Mosquiera (Harvard PhD in Health Policy: Economics), 2019
Sarah Gordon (Brown University PhD in Health Services Research), 2019
Thalia Porteny (Harvard PhD in Health Policy: Ethics), 2019 - Chair
Maggie Sullivan (HSPH DrPH), 2019
Carrie Fry (Harvard PhD in Health Policy: Methods for Policy Research), 2020
Caroline Geiger (Harvard PhD in Health Policy: Methods for Policy Research), 2021- Chair
Saumya Chatrath (Harvard PhD in Health Policy: Economics), 2022

IV. HONORS AND AWARDS

2019	Member of the National Academy of Medicine
2019	Teaching Citation for "demonstrated excellence in teaching," HSPH
2018	Finalist for Article of the Year, National Institute for Health Care Management
2017	AcademyHealth Health Services Research Impact Award
2016	Integrated Public Use Microdata Series Research Award, Univ. of Minnesota
2015	Article of the Year, AcademyHealth
2015	Alice Hersh New Investigator Award, AcademyHealth
2015	Outstanding Junior Investigator, Society for General Internal Medicine (SGIM)
2015	Finalist for Article of the Year, National Institute for Health Care Management
2015	Member, National Academy of Social Insurance (NASI)
2014	Best Abstract, Coverage and Access/Medicaid, AcademyHealth Annual Meeting
2014	Mentoring Award (selected by students), HSPH
2013	Best Abstract, Coverage Dynamics and Access, AcademyHealth Annual Meeting
2013	Teaching Citation for "demonstrated excellence in teaching," HSPH
2012-2013	NIH Health Disparities Loan Repayment Award
2012	Hamolsky Award, SGIM Annual Meeting
	Awarded to the 3 best scientific presentations by junior faculty members

2012	Best Abstract, Coverage and Access, AcademyHealth Annual Meeting
2011	Best Oral Presentation, SGIM New England Regional Meeting
2011	Faculty Mentor Award, Brigham & Women's Department of Medicine
2010	Best Residents and Fellows at Harvard Medical School
2010	Resident Mentor Award, Brigham & Women's Department of Medicine
2007	Daniel Ford Award in Health Services Research
	Johns Hopkins Division of General Internal Medicine
2007	Robert Ebert Award in Primary Care Medicine, Harvard Medical School
	Presidential Scholars Public Service Initiative Award
	Rose Seegal Prize for best research paper on "the relation of the medical
	profession to the community," Harvard Medical School
2006	National Dissertation Award, AcademyHealth
2006	Finalist for Article of the Year, National Institute for Health Care Management
2003-2004	Dean's Award for Excellence in Student Teaching
	John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University
2002-2003	Award for Excellence in Teaching Economics to Graduate Students
	Harvard University
2001-2002	National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Fellowship, in Economics
2000-2001	Agency for Healthcare Research & Quality (AHRQ) Graduate Fellowship
2000	Pyne Prize, Princeton University - "The highest general distinction Princeton
	confers upon an undergraduate"
2000	Summa Cum Laude & Phi Beta Kappa, Princeton University
1999	The Class of 1939 Princeton Scholar Award: For the senior with "the highest
	standing in all preceding college work at Princeton."

V. PROFESSIONAL AND EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

2018-2020: Senior Associate Editor, *Health Services Research* 2003-current: Referee,

Academic Medicine, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Review, American Journal of Health Economics, American Journal of Managed Care, American Journal of Preventive Medicine, American Journal of Public Health, Annals of Emergency Medicine, Annals of Internal Medicine, Archives of Internal Medicine, BMC Cancer, BMC Health Services Research, British Journal of Cancer, British Medical Journal, Cancer, Economic Inquiry, Forum for Health Economics and Policy, Health Affairs, Health Care, Health Outcomes Research in Medicine, Health Policy, Health Services Research, Inquiry. International Journal of Health Care Finance and Economics. JAMA. JAMA Internal Medicine, JAMA Network Open, JAMA Pediatrics, JAMA Psychiatry, Journal of Adolescent Health, Journal of Clinical Oncology, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, Journal of General Internal Medicine, Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved, Journal of Health Policy Politics and Law, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Public Economics, Medical Care, Medical Care Research & Review, Medicare & Medicaid Research Review, Milbank Quarterly, National Tax Journal, New England Journal of Medicine, Patient Preference and Adherence, Pediatrics, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, Public Health, Public Health Reports, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance, Review of Economics and Statistics, Social Science and Medicine, Sociological Perspectives

National Organizations and Grant Review

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2019-2020	Grant Reviewer, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	
2016-2019	Healthcare Effectiveness and Outcomes Research Study Section	
	Agency for Healthcare Research & Quality (AHRQ), Ad Hoc Member	
2017-2018	Planning Committee, AcademyHealth 2018 Annual Meeting	
2016-2017	Grant Reviewer, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	
2016	Grant Reviewer, National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS)	
2016	Mentor, AcademyHealth New Investigator Small Grant Program	
2016	Abstract Reviewer, AcademyHealth 2016 Annual Meeting	
2015-2019	National Advisory Board, Institute for Medicaid Innovation	
2014-2015	Technical Advisory Group, U.S. Census Bureau	
	Comparing Health Insurance Measurement Error	
2013-2014	Executive Planning Committee, AcademyHealth 2014 Annual Meeting	
2014	Abstract Reviewer, AcademyHealth 2014 Annual Meeting	
2013-2014	Abstract Reviewer, Society for General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting	
2013-2014	Technical Expert Panel, HRSA	
	Evaluation of Title V Maternal and Child Health Block Grant Service	
2013	Technical Expert Panel, HRSA - Community Health Center Patient Survey	
2011-2012	Technical Advisory Group, U.S. Department of Health & Human Services	
	CHIP Express Lane Eligibility Evaluation	
2010	Abstract Reviewer, Society for General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting	
2010	Grant Reviewer, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services	

University Service

2020- current	Political Analysis Track Co-Leader, Harvard PhD in Health Policy
2019- current	Executive Committee, Harvard PhD in Health Policy
2017- current	Committee on Admissions and Degrees, Harvard School of Public Health
2015	Faculty Committee on Admissions, DrPH Program in Public Health
2014-2018	MPH Curriculum Committee, Harvard School of Public Health
2013- current	Standing Committee on Health Policy, Harvard PhD in Health Policy
2013- current	Faculty Committee on Admissions, Harvard PhD Program in Health Policy
2013-2015	Zuckerman Scholarship selection committee, Harvard University
2012- current	Committee on Economics Concentration, Harvard PhD Program in Health Policy
2011	Faculty Reviewer for Admissions, Harvard School of Public Health
2010-2011	Faculty Committee for Community Service, Harvard Medical School

Professional Organizations

- 2019 National Academy of Medicine, Member
- 2015 National Academy of Social Insurance, Member
- 2013 American Society of Health Economists, Member
- 2010 American Medical Association, Member
- 2010 American College of Physicians, Member
- 2010 AcademyHealth, Member
- 2009 Society of General Internal Medicine, Member

Clinical Licensure and Certification

- 2011-2012 District of Columbia Medical License
- 2010- Board Certification, American Board of Internal Medicine
- 2008- Massachusetts Medical License

VI. <u>RESEARCH</u>

Doctoral Dissertation

- 2002-2005 *The Dynamics of Public and Private Health Insurance Coverage in the* United States. Dissertation Advisor: Joseph P. Newhouse, Ph.D., Harvard University. Dissertation Committee: David Cutler, Ph.D., Harvard University. Katherine Swartz, Ph.D., Harvard School of Public Health. **Funded Research (selected)** 2020-2021 1R01MD014970-01 Sommers (PI) \$1.662.768 National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities / NIH Title: Work Requirements and Health Care disparities in Medicaid: A Randomized Controlled Trial Goal: To assess the effects of work requirements in public programs among lowincome adults, with a focus on health care disparities among minorities and rural populations. **Role:** Principal Investigator (2020-2021, subsequently on leave) 2018-2021 Policies for Action Grant Sommers (PI) \$1,226,808 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Grant #72839 Title: Evaluating Health Insurance Innovations and Expansion Under the ACA Goal: To create a research hub based at the Harvard School of Public Health that will examine several innovative approaches in state policy under the Affordable Care Act, including the differential effects of public vs. private coverage, mortality changes after Medicaid expansion, and the impact of work requirements in several states' Medicaid programs. **Role:** Principal Investigator 2020-2021 1R01HS028240-01 Atkinson (PI) Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality Title: Deriving an Evidence Base for Emergency Management in U.S. Hospitals: Toward Resilience in the Midst of COVID-19 **Goal:** To study how rural and urban hospitals effectively employed emergency management practices to manage a disaster event, while providing quality care for a spectrum of routine to high-risk patients Role: Co-Investigator 2019-2021 **Research Grant** Layton (PI) Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL) Title: The Virginia Work Requirements Experiment Goal: To conduct a randomized-controlled trial of work requirements in Virginia's Medicaid program, leveraging state support for exempting a portion of Medicaid expansion enrollees from the state's new policy requiring 80 hours of work (or other qualifying activity) per month to maintain Medicaid coverage. **Role:** Co-Investigator
- 2018-2020Research GrantSommers (PI)\$1,222,479Commonwealth Fund, Grants #20181886 and #20192358Title: Work Requirements in Medicaid: Southern State Waiver ProgramsGoal: To examine the two-year effects of Medicaid work requirements in

Arkansas and consumer experiences in the aftermath of the 2019 court ruling that temporarily halted its implementation. **Role:** Principal Investigator

2018-20211R01DK113298-01Trivedi (PI)National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases / NIHTitle: Impact of Medicaid Expansion on Racial and Socioeconomic Disparities inEnd-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD)Goal: To assess the effects of Medicaid expansion on pre-dialysis care and post-dialysis outcomes for low-income incident populations, and to evaluate earlyeffects of Medicaid expansion on the incidence of ESRD.Role: Co-Investigator

2017-2018Research GrantSommers (PI)\$590,000Commonwealth Fund, Grant #20171081Title: Examining Alternative Models of Medicaid Expansion:
Assessing the Healthy Indiana ProgramGoal: To assess current rates of insurance coverage, access to care, and
satisfaction with coverage among low-income adults in three Midwestern states
taking different approaches to the Affordable Care Act: Ohio, which expanded
Medicaid; Kansas, which did not expand; and Indiana, which expanded via a
federal waiver with distinctive features including health savings accounts and
required premium contributions, with lock-out periods for non-payment.
Role: Principal Investigator

- 2017-2018Research GrantSommers (PI)\$207,258Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Grant #74560Title: Using the Gallup Well-Being Index as an Early Monitoring System for
Coverage and Access to Care After Changes to the Affordable Care Act
Goal: To use the Gallup Healthways Well-Being Index (WBI) to provide an
early monitoring system to assess national and state trends in insurance coverage,
health care access, and self-reported health as various new policies revising
and/or repealing the Affordable Care Act take effect.
Role: Principal Investigator
- 2012-2018K02 HS021291-01Sommers (PI)\$762,559Agency for Healthcare Research and QualityTitle: Medicaid Policy, Coverage, and Access to Care Among Low-IncomeAmericans Under Health ReformGoal: To explore the effects of the Affordable Care Act ("health reform") onhealth insurance coverage and access to care among low-income Americans. Thestudy will identify the steps that state policymakers are taking to prepare for theexpansion of Medicaid under health reform, and will measure the effects of thesepolicies over the next 6 years.Role: Principal Investigator
- 2017-2018Research GrantSommers (PI)\$84,863REACH Healthcare FoundationTitle: Assessing Prospects for Medicaid Expansion in KansasGoal: To survey low-income adults in Kansas regarding their access to health
care, attitudes towards Medicaid, and experiences with the Affordable Care Act.

Role: Principal Investigator

2013-2017	Research Grant	Sommers (PI)	\$2,093,397
	Commonwealth Fund Title: Comparing State Decisio Low-Income Populations Goal: To evaluate the impact o Affordable Care Act's coverage Medicaid expansion (Kentucky insurance (Arkansas), and not e study uses a telephone survey o expansions to evaluate the impa Role: Principal Investigator	f three alternative state a e options for low-income), using Medicaid dollars expanding Medicaid (Tex f low-income adults before	pproaches to the adults: a traditional to purchase private tas). This multi-year ore and after the coverage
2013	Research Grant National Institute for Health Ca Title: Evaluating Coverage, Ut 'Early-Expander' States Under Goal: To measure changes in c after six states' expansions of N Act in 2010, and explore the po qualitative interviews with key Role: Principal Investigator	ilization, and Access to C the Affordable Care Act overage and access to ca Medicaid since the passag licy context for these exp	re for low income adults ge of the Affordable Care pansions through
2010-2011	R03 HS19754-01 Agency for Healthcare Research Title: Policy and Demographic Non-Elderly Adults Goal: To explore why many un not enrolled, and to identify the affect enrollment in Medicaid (Role: Principal Investigator	Predictors of Medicaid T insured adults who are e state policies and indivi	ligible for Medicaid are dual characteristics that
2005-2007	Fellowship, MD/PhD Program	in Social Sciences, Harv	ard University

National Institutes of Health, Grant T32 GM07753-28

Research Interests

- * Access to health care among low-income families
- * Medicaid
- * Health insurance markets and health reform
- * Health disparities and marginalized populations

VII. PRESENTATIONS & MEDIA COVERAGE

Local Invited Presentations (Last 2 Years Only)

N/A

National Invited Presentations (selected)

Jan. 2023 'Policy Spotlight: One-On-One with Benjamin Sommers, Deputy Assistant Secretary for

	Health Policy, HHS.' Health Affairs, Washington, DC.
June 2022	'Imputation of Race and Ethnicity in Marketplace Healthcare.Gov Enrollment Data' AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Washington, DC
Sep. 2020	'Health Care Lifeline: The Affordable Care Act and the COVID-19 Pandemic' U.S. House Energy and Commerce Committee (Health Subcommittee) Washington, DC
Apr. 2020	'Medicaid Expansion, Disparities, and Health Outcomes' Weill Cornell Medicine, Population Health Sciences Grand Rounds, New York, NY
Jan. 2020	'Medicaid Expansion and the Affordable Care Act: A Research Update' Washington University, St. Louis, MO
Dec. 2019	'Understanding and Boosting Enrollment in State Marketplaces and Medicaid' Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services Maine State Legislature, Augusta, ME
Mar. 2019	'Effects of the Affordable Care Act's Insurance Expansion: A Research Update' University of Rochester, Saward-Berg Honorary Lecture, Rochester, NY
Sep. 2018	'Medicaid & Health Care Access in Kansas' REACH Healthcare Foundation, Kansas City, KS
June 2018	'Studying the Affordable Care Act's Coverage Expansions: A Research Overview' Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA
Apr. 2018	'Medicaid & the Affordable Care Act: Evidence, Policy, & Future Directions' Northwestern University, Medical Grand Rounds, Chicago, IL
Apr. 2018	'Medicaid & the Affordable Care Act: Past, Present, and Uncertain Future' University of Cincinnati, Department of Economics, Cincinnati, OH
Sep. 2017	'Medicaid and Health Reform' National Academy of Medicine, Washington, DC
Sep. 2017	'Long-Term Effect of Health Insurance on Health & Mortality' Cato Institute, Washington, DC
July 2017	'The Future of the Affordable Care Act' International Health Economics Association Congress, Boston, MA
June 2017	'Three-Year Impacts of the Affordable Care Act Among Low-Income Adults' AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA
June 2017	'State Budget Effects of the Affordable Care Act's Medicaid Expansion' AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA
May 2017	'Beyond Health Insurance: Remaining Disparities in Health Care in the Post-ACA Era' Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Washington, DC
Apr. 2017	'Medicaid and Health Reform – Past, Present, and Uncertain Future' University of Chicago, School of Social Service Administration, Chicago, IL
Feb. 2017	'Medicaid and Health Reform – Past, Present, and Uncertain Future' Case Western Reserve University and the City Club, Cleveland, OH
Jan. 2017	'Medicaid Expansion, the ACA, and Future Research Priorities'

	Milbank Memorial Fund, Reforming States Group, New York, NY
Sep. 2016	'Medicaid Expansion vs. the Private Option: Changes in Access, Utilization and Health' Clinical Directors' Network, Webinar
June 2016	'Premium Subsidies, Medicaid Expansion & the Mandate: Coverage Impacts of the Affordable Care Act' American Society for Health Economics Biennial Meeting, Philadelphia, PA
June 2016	'Medicaid Expansion, the Private Option, and Changes in Utilization and Health' AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, MA
May 2016	'Health Reform and Coverage Changes among Native Americans' Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Hollywood, FL
May 2016	'Impact of the 2014 Medicaid Expansion on Coverage, Access to Care, and Health' Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Hollywood, FL
Mar. 2016	'Medicaid Expansion vs. Private Option: Changes in Access, Churning, and Health,' Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
Feb. 2016	'The ACA's Medicaid Expansion: What We Know So Far' AcademyHealth National Health Policy Conference, Washington, DC
Oct. 2015	'Dental Care Utilization, Insurance Coverage, and Cost Barriers' Health Policy Institute, American Dental Association (Webinar)
July 2015	'Medicaid, the ACA, and the State Budget Conundrum' Altarum Center for Sustainable Health Spending, Washington, DC
June 2015	'Medicaid Expansion vs. Private Option: Changes in Coverage and Access after the First Year,' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN
June 2015	'A Cost-Benefit Analysis of Mortality Changes after State Medicaid Expansions' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN
May 2015	'Immigration and Health Policy at a Crossroads' – Keynote Address Conference on Healthcare for Latino Immigrants Bloomberg School of Public Health, Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, MD
Apr. 2015	'The Affordable Care Act: A Progress Report' – Keynote Address National Conference for Clinician-Scholars in Social Sciences & Humanities University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
Oct. 2014	'Medicaid Expansion Populations: Implications for Beneficiaries and Health Plans' America's Health Insurance Plans (AHIP) National Meeting, Washington, DC
Sep. 2014	'Understanding "Churn" in Medicaid and CHIP and its Impact on Beneficiaries, Providers, Health Plans and Quality,' Congressional Staff Briefing, Washington, DC
June 2014	'Coverage Impacts of Early Medicaid Expansions under Health Reform' American Society of Health Economists Meeting, Los Angeles, CA
June 2014	'Early Changes in Insurance and Access to Care Associated with Health Reform in 2014,' American Society of Health Economists Meeting, Los Angeles, CA
June 2014	'Medicaid Physician Participation, Eligibility, and Access to Care among Poor Adults,' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA

June 2014	'Insurance Cancellations in Context: Stability of Coverage in the Non-Group Market Prior to Health Reform,' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA
May 2014	'Changes in Mortality After Massachusetts Health Care Reform' Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Boston, MA
Apr. 2014	'Medicaid and Health Reform in the Aftermath of the Supreme Court' University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
Mar. 2014	'New Evidence on Medicaid & the ACA: Lessons from Early Expansions' MedPAC Staff Briefing, Washington, DC
Jan. 2014	'Medicaid Expansion Under the ACA: Early Takers, No Shows and Alternatives National Institute for Health Care Management (Webinar)
June 2013	'Changes in Mortality After Massachusetts Health Care Reform' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD
June 2013	'What We Know and What We Don't: Medicaid Projections, Uncertainty, & Competing Estimates,' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD
May 2013	'Capacity and Access to Care: Issues and Innovations' LA Health Collaborative (Webinar)
April 2013	'Changes in Mortality After Massachusetts Health Care Reform' Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Denver, CO
Oct. 2012	'Expanding Health Coverage in Georgia' Policy Forum, Georgia Budget & Policy Institute, Atlanta, GA
June 2012	'The Effect of State Medicaid Expansions on Mortality and Insurance Coverage Among Non-Elderly Adults,' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL
June 2012	'The Poverty-Reducing Effect of Medicaid: An Analysis Using the Census Bureau's New Supplemental Poverty Measure,' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL
May 2012	'The Effect of State Medicaid Expansions on Mortality and Insurance Coverage Among Non-Elderly Adults' Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL
Jan. 2012	'Medicaid & Health Reform: Opportunities and Challenges Ahead' Medicine Grand Rounds, George Washington University, Washington, DC
Nov. 2011	'Shifting Between Medicaid and Exchange Eligibility Under the ACA' Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Washington, DC
May 2011	'Eligible But Uninsured: Predictors of Medicaid Take-Up Among Adults' Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ
May 2011	'Chronic Disease and the Medicaid Expansion Under Health Reform: Unmet Medical Needs Among Uninsured Adults' Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ
Feb. 2011	'Modernizing Medicaid after Health Care Reform: Improving Coverage Continuity and Quality of Care,' Congressional Staff Briefing, Washington, DC
Jan. 2010	'Targeting in Medicaid: The Costs and Enrollment Effects of Medicaid's Citizenship Documentation Requirement,' University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

June 2008	'Why Millions of Children Eligible for Medicaid & CHIP are Uninsured' AcademyHealth Child Health Services Research Meeting, Washington, DC
Dec. 2007	'Disenrollment Among Adults Enrolled in Medicaid' Grand Rounds, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD
Dec. 2006	'Drop-out from Medicaid & CHIP: When children lose health insurance' University of Pennsylvania College of Nursing, Philadelphia, PA
June 2005	'Does a Patchwork Approach to Health Insurance Expansion Exacerbate Public Insurance Drop-Out?,' AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Boston, MA

Media Coverage (Selected)

Oct. 2022	Axios. "HHS reports significant increase in Black, Latino ACA health care enrollment since 2020." <u>https://www.axios.com/2022/10/25/hhs-health-care-enrollment-increase</u>
Jan. 2021	Bloomberg. "Return of Obama Staffers to HHS Brings 'Wealth of Knowledge.'" https://news.bloomberglaw.com/health-law-and-business/return-of-obama-staffers-to- hhs-brings-wealth-of-knowledge
Dec. 2020	<i>NY Times.</i> "Obamacare, in Its First Big Test as Safety Net, Is Holding Up So Far." <u>https://www.nytimes.com/2020/12/29/upshot/obamacare-recession-big-test.html</u>
Dec. 2020	<i>Augusta Chronicle</i> . Op-Ed. "Health insurance – and lives – on the line in Georgia runoff." <u>https://www.usatoday.com/story/opinion/2020/10/28/how-politics-keeps-14-million-american-kids-getting-enough-food-column/6051427002/</u>
Oct. 2020	<i>USA Today</i> . Op-Ed. "Why partisan politics keeps 14 million hungry children from getting the food they need." <u>https://www.usatoday.com/story/opinion/2020/10/28/how-politics-keeps-14-million-american-kids-getting-enough-food-column/6051427002/</u>
Aug. 2020	<i>STAT.</i> Op-Ed. "The Trump administration's 'public charge' rule and Covid-19: bad policy at the worst time." <u>https://www.statnews.com/2020/08/21/the-trump-administrations-public-charge-rule-and-covid-19-bad-policy-at-the-worst-time/</u>
Aug. 2020	<i>Fox 25 News</i> . TV Interview. "Study by Boston researchers shows racial disparities among COVID-19 cases." <u>https://www.boston25news.com/news/health/study-by-boston-researchers-shows-racial-disparities-among-covid-19-cases/NXYI64EC3VHD7DZZVNHVVEH5UM/</u>
Dec. 2019	Boston Globe. Op-Ed. "The Perils of a Patchwork System." https://www.bostonglobe.com/2019/12/16/opinion/perils-patchwork-system/
Oct. 2019	<i>Wall St Journal.</i> "The Medicaid Experiment in Arkansas: Thousands Lost Coverage, Few Gained Jobs." <u>https://www.wsj.com/articles/the-medicaid-experiment-in-arkansas-thousands-lost-coverage-few-gained-jobs-11570964402</u>
June 2019	Los Angeles Times. "Arkansas' Medicaid Work Requirement Left People Uninsured without Boosting Employment." <u>https://www.latimes.com/science/la-sci-arkansas-medicaid-work-requirements-backfire-20190619-story.html</u>
Nov. 2018	<i>Boston NPR CommonHealth</i> Op-Ed. "Medicaid Won The Midterms. Here's Why That Could Save Lives." <u>https://wbur.fm/2FlckZs</u>
Nov. 2018	Vox. "Medicaid's Stunning Victory." <u>https://bit.ly/2JNdefV</u>

June 2018	Los Angeles Times. "Medicaid Strategy Favored by Trump May Make Care Less Affordable, New Studies Indicate." <u>https://t.co/Zya5UeLPS9</u>
Apr. 2018	<i>Newsweek.</i> "Obamacare Improved Surgical Treatment, Likely Saved Lives, New Study Finds." <u>http://www.newsweek.com/obamacare-barack-obama-saved-lives-790586</u>
July 2017	<i>New York Times.</i> "Medicaid Worsens Your Health? That's a Classic Misinterpretation of Research." <u>https://nyti.ms/2tDHxQb</u>
June 2017	USA Today, Op-Ed. "Weigh Facts Before You Gut ACA." https://usat.ly/2tK6E0r
Mar. 2017	<i>Washington Post,</i> Op-Ed. "The GOP health-care plan would quietly kill the Medicaid expansion. Here's how." <u>http://wapo.st/2moH3YK?tid=ss_tw</u>
Jan. 2017	<i>CNN</i> . TV Interview. "What doctors think about the Affordable Care Act." <u>http://cnn.it/2iPeZLD</u>
Dec. 2016	<i>Boston Globe.</i> Op-Ed. "Repealing the Affordable Care Act — Fact vs. Fiction" www.bostonglobe.com/opinion/2016/12/08/repealing-affordable-care-act-fact- fiction/WPoX8WVac0te2fbJV5JKTM/story.html
Aug. 2016	<i>New York Times.</i> "Obamacare Appears to Be Making People Healthier." <u>http://nyti.ms/2bfUhBj</u>
Mar. 2016	<i>New York Times.</i> "How to Stop the Bouncing Between Insurance Plans Under Obamacare." <u>http://nyti.ms/1XMlxs1</u>
Jan. 2016	<i>New York Times.</i> "Better Health Care Access in Kentucky and Arkansas, Study Says." <u>http://nyti.ms/1mE4snA</u>
July 2015	<i>USA Today.</i> "Obamacare reduces uninsured rates, improves access to care, study finds." <u>http://usat.ly/1SchJC1</u>
June 2015	Minnesota Public Radio. "How well is the Affordable Care Act working?" www.mprnews.org/story/2015/06/30/bcst-affordable-care-act-working
Jan. 2015	<i>Washington Post.</i> "Health insurers may be finding new ways to discriminate against patients." <u>http://wpo.st/M7DA0</u>
Oct. 2014	<i>New York Times.</i> "Medicaid, Often Criticized, Is Quite Popular With Its Customers." <u>http://nyti.ms/1sfrkJz</u>
Aug. 2014	<i>New York Times.</i> "Why More, Not Fewer, People Might Start Getting Health Insurance Through Work." <u>http://nyti.ms/1oZ6aJu</u>
June 2014	<i>New York Times</i> . "In Texarkana, Uninsured and on the Wrong Side of a State Line." <u>http://nyti.ms/1psHQTF</u>
May 2014	<i>New York Times</i> . "Mortality Drop Seen to Follow '06 Health Law." <u>http://nyti.ms/1sEJ27C</u>
May 2014	MSNBC Melissa Harris-Perry Show. TV Interview. PART I: <u>http://on.msnbc.com/1nsSDi7</u> . PART II: <u>http://on.msnbc.com/1nsS7kn</u>
May 2014	<i>Boston Globe.</i> "Study calls wide Massachusetts coverage a lifesaver." <u>http://goo.gl/QQxGfw</u>
May 2014	Reuters Interview. "Health Reform Watch: Study finds fewer deaths after MA health

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