



Aubrey L. Florom-Smith, PhD, RN, AFAsMA

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Aubrey Florom-Smith, PhD, RN, AFAsMA, is a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Department of Medicine, Division of Primary Care and Population Health, at the Stanford University School of Medicine. She is a Nurse Scientist in the Office of Research, Patient Care Services at Stanford Health Care, where she supports Acuity Adaptable Unit nursing and interprofessional research, technology research, and nursing research at Stanford Health Care-TriValley. Dr. Florom-Smith has over 10 years of nursing, clinical, and applied research experience, across a wide range of areas of inquiry, and in healthcare, corporate, and laboratory settings. She obtained her Bachelor of Science in Nursing and her PhD in Nursing Science from the University of Miami, where she was the first National Institutes of Health/National Institute of Nursing Research Predoctoral Fellow at the School of Nursing and Health Studies. Dr. Florom-Smith's research interests include exploration of novel healthcare delivery models as complex systems, understanding, sustaining and enhancing human health and performance during spaceflight, and adapting impactful countermeasures and interventions for use at the terrestrial bedside and in space. Inducted into Sigma Theta Tau in 2008, Dr. Florom-Smith has received several honors and awards, including the 2020 University of Miami Alumnus of Distinction Award, the Aerospace Nursing and Allied Health Professionals Society Louise Marshall Nursing Scholarship, the Jonas Foundation Nurse Leader Scholar, the Sigma Theta Rising Star of Scholarship and Research Award, and the March of Dimes Rising Star Award. Dr. Florom-Smith is an Associate Fellow of the Aerospace Medical Association.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Clinical Assistant Professor, Medicine - Primary Care and Population Health

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Associate Fellow, Aerospace Medical Association (2022)
- Alumnus of Distinction, School of Nursing and Health Studies, University of Miami (2020)
- Award of Academic Merit, The Graduate School, University of Miami (2013)
- Rising Star Nurse of the Year, March of Dimes, Miami-Dade and Monroe Counties, Florida (2011)
- Rising Star of Scholarship and Research, Sigma Theta Tau International (2011)
- Nurse Leader Scholar, Jonas Center for Nursing Excellence (2009-2012)

BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Member, Membership Committee Member, Aerospace Medical Association (2015 - present)
- Member, Committee Chair, Committee Member, Associate Fellows Group, Aerospace Medical Association (2023 - present)
- Member, Space Medicine Association, Aerospace Medical Association (2022 - present)
- Member, Association of California Nurse Leaders (2021 - present)
- Member, Sigma (formerly Sigma Theta Tau, International honor Society of Nursing), Beta Tau Chapter (2008 - present)

- Member, Sigma, Alpha Alpha Lambda Chapter (2021 - present)
- Member, Past President, Council Member, Aerospace Nursing and Allied Health Professionals Society (2015 - present)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- BSN, University of Miami , Nursing (2009)
- PhD, University of Miami , Nursing Science (2013)

Research & Scholarship

CLINICAL TRIALS

- Aromatherapy for HSCT Distress, Not Recruiting

Teaching

COURSES

2023-24

- Introduction to Quantitative Research I: PAS 257 (Win)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **Developing Nurses and Interdisciplinary Teams in Caring Science.** *The Journal of nursing administration*
Cartwright, T., Jenkins, P., Florom-Smith, A. L.
2024; 54 (2): 126-132
- **Voices of Musicians: Virtual Live Bedside Music Concerts in Inpatient Care.** *Healthcare (Basel, Switzerland)*
Ambler, M., Janss, A., Stafford, R. S., Lin, B., Florom-Smith, A., Kang, A. W.
2023; 11 (22)
- **Commercial space tourism: An integrative review of commercial spaceflight participant psychological assessment and training.** *REACH Reviews in Human Space Exploration*
Florom-Smith, A. L., Klingenberg, J., DiBiase, C. P.
2022; 25-26
- **Participation in SEPA, a Sexual and Relational Health Intervention for Hispanic Women** *WESTERN JOURNAL OF NURSING RESEARCH*
Mitrani, V. B., McCabe, B. E., Gonzalez-Guarda, R. M., Florom-Smith, A., Peragallo, N.
2013; 35 (7): 849-866
- **Birthplace, Culture, Self-Esteem, and Intimate Partner Violence Among Community-Dwelling Hispanic Women** *VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN*
Gonzalez-Guarda, R. M., Vermeesch, A. L., Florom-Smith, A. L., McCabe, B. E., Peragallo, N. P.
2013; 19 (1): 6-23
- **Motivation, Management, and Mastery: A Theory of Resilience in the Context of HIV Infection** *JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PSYCHIATRIC NURSES ASSOCIATION*
De Santis, J. P., Florom-Smith, A., Vermeesch, A., Barroso, S., DeLeon, D. A.
2013; 19 (1): 36-46
- **CULTURAL PHENOMENA AND THE SYNDemic FACTOR: SUBSTANCE ABUSE, VIOLENCE, HIV, AND DEPRESSION AMONG HISPANIC WOMEN** *ANNALS OF ANTHROPOLOGICAL PRACTICE*
Gonzalez-Guarda, R. M., McCabe, B. E., Vermeesch, A. L., Cianelli, R., Florom-Smith, A. L., Peragallo, N.
2012; 36 (2): 212-231
- **Exploring the Concept of HIV-Related Stigma** *NURSING FORUM*
Florom-Smith, A. L., De Santis, J. P.
2012; 47 (3): 153-165

- **A Syndemic Model of Substance Abuse, Intimate Partner Violence, HIV Infection, and Mental Health Among Hispanics** *PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING*
Gonzalez-Guarda, R. M., Florom-Smith, A. L., Thomas, T.
2011; 28 (4): 366-378
- **Substance Abuse, Violence, HIV, and Depression An Underlying Syndemic Factor Among Latinas** *NURSING RESEARCH*
Gonzalez-Guarda, R., McCabe, B. E., Florom-Smith, A., Cianelli, R., Peragallo, N.
2011; 60 (3): 182-189