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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Dedicated public health professional with over 10 years of experience in the academic medical center and community health space. Advanced experience building cross-sector partnerships and directing interdisciplinary teams to address complex needs of populations. Detail-oriented and adaptable team player passionate about addressing health inequities.

EDUCATION

PhD in Translational Health Sciences The George Washington University	2019 – 2023
Master's in Public Health, Epidemiology San Diego State University	2011 – 2013
Bachelor's in Psychology, Minor in Education University of California, Santa Barbara	2007 – 2011

EXPERIENCE

Director, Community Partnership Program <i>Stanford University School of Medicine, Palo Alto, CA</i>	2022 - Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Represent the program to the broader university, external community and community partners• Oversee strategic planning centered around four programmatic pillars: capacity building and clinical support with community partners, bi-directional education, policy and advocacy, and partnered research• Identify and implement opportunities for community engaged research• Build trust and bi-directional opportunities with community partners to enhance health equity locally	
Lecturer, Milken School of Public Health <i>George Washington University, Washington, DC</i>	2021 - Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lecture in course centered on social and behavioral theories in public health as part of Master's in Public Health Program• Routinely receive positive evaluations from students	
Wellness Program Manger, HealthySteps to Wellness Program <i>Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA</i>	2016 - 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advised interdisciplinary research teams by developing grant proposals, writing peer-reviewed articles and assessing program evaluation metrics• Collaborated with local and national community partners to address health equity and social determinants of health of employees• Facilitated coaching, consulting and learning sessions with teams throughout Stanford Health Care	

- Aligned program with organizational strategic plan by coordinating comprehensive evaluation with C-suite leadership and program partners
- Strengthened leadership skills by overseeing program direct reports, budget and mentoring public health master's students

Community Programs Lead, Stanford Coordinated Care

2014 - 2016

Stanford Health Care, Palo Alto, CA

- Supervised patient education facilitators, developed train-the-trainer model and deployed strategies to enhance program effectiveness
- Facilitated change management efforts for Primary Care 2.0 redesign and developed educational curriculum in partnership with clinical team
- Evaluated and simplified patient-centered medical-home workflows to assess clinical effectiveness and improve access to care
- Directed outreach strategy, communications and recruitment efforts with key stakeholders

Epidemiologist

2013 - 2014

Cancer Prevention Institute of California, Fremont, CA

- Managed survey responses and data from five national and international research sites
- Analyzed and interpreted results of studies with a focus on lifestyle risk factors for breast cancer in low-income populations
- Enhanced patient Caregiver Seminar series by creating patient-centered material in collaboration with nonprofit community-based organizations

PUBLICATIONS

Nandwani, M., **Blacker, A.**, Shanafelt, T. D., Harshman, J., & Kuriakose, C. (2022). Promoting professional fulfillment for advanced practice providers. *NEJM Catalyst*, 3(10). <https://doi.org/10.1056/CAT.22.0183>

Chan, G. K., Kuriakose, C., **Blacker, A.**, Harshman, J., Kim, S., Jordan, L., & Shanafelt, T. D. (2021). An organizational initiative to assess and improve well-being in advanced practice providers. *Journal of Interprofessional Education & Practice*, 25, 100469. <https://doi.org/> <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.xjep.2021.100469>

Austin, E.J., **Blacker, A.**, & Kalia, I. (2021), "Watching the tsunami come": A case study of female healthcare provider experiences during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Appl Psychol Health Well-Being*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/aphw.12269>

Blacker, A. (2020). Activating teams to fight burnout and create joy in work. *American Journal of Health Promotion*, 34(5), 571–573. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0890117120920488d>

Blacker, A., Dion, S., Grossmeier, J., Hecht, R., Markle, E., Meyer, L., ... Wolfe, E. (2020). Social determinants of health—an employer priority. *American Journal of Health Promotion*, 34(2), 207–215. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0890117119896122b>

PRESENTATIONS

Tsai, S., Shaw, J., **Blacker, A.**, Brown-Johnson, C. "Moving Diabetes Prevention to the Workplace: a qualitative evaluation of DPP engagement in an employer-based clinic". Poster Presentation, NAPCRG, 31 October 2023, San Francisco, CA.

Blacker, A. “Considering Complexity and Health Equity in Programmatic Implementation”. Health Equity Research & Advocacy Residents Capstone, 1 June 2023, Stanford, CA.

Keynote Speaker: **Blacker, A.** “Considering Complexity in Organizational Wellness Initiative Implementation”. Oklahoma-South Carolina Hospital Association Conference, 2 February 2022, Virtual.

Blacker, A. “Using a Complexity Framework to Address Workplace Challenges”. Art & Science of Health Promotion Conference, 29 September 2021, Virtual.

Blacker, A. “An IMO Model to Explore Social Mechanisms of Interpersonal Integration in Community Health Worker-Primary Care Teams”. International Science of Team Science Conference, 7 June 2021, Virtual.

Austin, E.J. & **Blacker, A.** “‘Watching the Tsunami Come’: A case study of female healthcare provider experiences during the COVID-19 pandemic.” Stanford Health Care Con, 25 June 2021, Stanford, CA.

Kuriakose, C., Schroeder, K., & **Blacker, A.** “Taping Leadership to Enhance Professional Fulfillment Among APPs.” CANP Annual Education Conference, 17 March 2019, San Diego, CA.

GRANTS RECEIVED

Stanford Office of Community Engagement Seed-Funding Grant	Jan '24 – Dec '24
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Samaritan House Free Clinics: Charting Change with Patient Voice	
Stanford Office of Community Engagement Seed-Funding Grant	Jan '23 – Aug '23
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Food is Medicine: A Community Campus Partnership to Address Food Insecurity	

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Alpha Eta Honor Society (2024 – Present)

International Network for the Science of Team Science (2019 - Present)

American Public Health Association (2012 - Present)

Health Sciences Curriculum Committee, The George Washington University (2020 - 2023)

Health Enhancement Research Organization (2016 - 2022)

MENTORING

Mentor, Stanford RING Mentorship Program (2024 – Present)

Mentor, Stanford School of Medicine Staff Mentorship Program (2023)

Preceptor, Master’s in Public Health student at California State University, Northridge (2022)

Mentor, Stanford Master’s in Science of Physician Assistance Program student (2017)

AWARDS

Rhonda McClinton-Brown Community-Engaged Leader Award	2024
Stanford Office of Community Engagement, Community Partnership Award	2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Awarded in partnership with Second Harvest Food Bank	