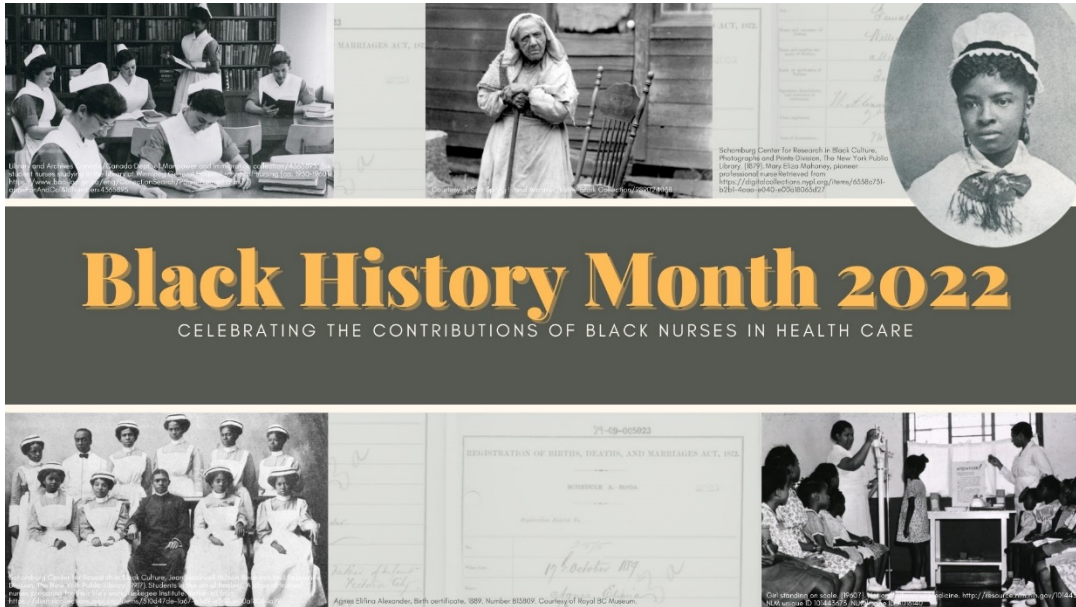




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Faculty of Applied Science  
School of Nursing

# NURSING MATTERS



## Black History Month 2022

CELEBRATING THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF BLACK NURSES IN HEALTH CARE

## Black Nurses in History: Virtual “Walk Through” Display

UBC Nursing assistant professor, [Dr. Lydia Wytenbroek](#), along with doctoral student [Ismalia de Sousa](#) and BSN students Tamasha Hussein, Kelly Nguyen, Ariel Tzu-Han Chiao, Brandon Moeller and Merielle Moffatt have curated a display in the School of Nursing to highlight Black nurses in Canada and the world. The display will be available on February 3 and a one-hour virtual "walk-through" of the display will be offered on **February 15, 2022, from 12 - 1 pm.**

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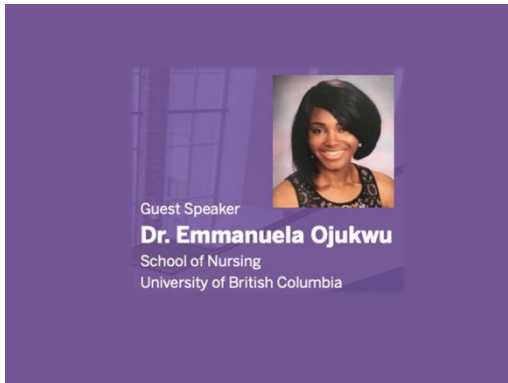


## Nurses are the Future of Healthcare

[Dr. Elizabeth Saewyc](#) discusses how the COVID-19 pandemic has increased the visibility of nurses everywhere and highlighted the need for more nurses to be part of the healthcare system. BC has expanded nursing programs in the province, including at UBC.

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## Health Inequity and Black Communities

[Dr. Emmanuela Ojukwu](#) will be the keynote speaker at the UWO School of Nursing's Decolonization, Anti-Racism, Anti-Oppression (DARAO) Committee event co-hosted by the Canadian Black Nurses' Alliance (CBNA) Western Chapter on **February 15, 2022**.

Dr. Ojukwu will be speaking on "Expanding our Understanding and the Role Nurses Play in Addressing Anti-Black Racism in the Healthcare System".

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## Engaging Family and Resident Councils

On **February 17, 2022**, the BC Care Providers Association speaker series returns with "Family Ties: Meaningfully Engaging Family and Resident Councils".

The panel will include the School of Nursing's [Dr. Jennifer Baumbusch](#). The session will discuss the family relations and realities that come with family members residing in long-term care homes as well as the changes needed to better facilitate caring for older adults.

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## Anti-Racism Series: Dr. Moss

On **February 22, 2022**, UBC Nursing associate professor [Dr. Margaret Moss](#) is the invited speaker in UBC Applied Science's Anti-Racism Speaker series. Dr. Moss is an enrolled member of the Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nation (Three Affiliated Tribes of North Dakota), and is also Dakhóta. She is currently the interim UBC Associate Vice President of Equity and Inclusion.

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## UBC HIFI Awardee: Dr. Ojukwu

Congratulations to UBC Nursing assistant professor [Dr. Emmanuela Ojukwu](#) and team on receiving a \$25,000 UBC Health Innovation Funding Investment (HIFI) Award for the project, *Empowering individuals who are postpartum with education, self-monitoring for complications, and research through a mobile application.*

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## Nursing Alumni Recognition Awards Open for Nominations

The School of Nursing will recognize UBC Nursing alumni and supporters that have made a positive contribution to nursing at the annual Nursing Gala. Alumni can be nominated for one of three awards: Recent Alumni Award, Award of Distinction, and Alumni Recognition. Preceptors can be nominated for the Award for Excellence as a BSN Clinical Preceptor and Erickson-Kline-Moerike Nurse Practitioner Preceptor Award.

**Nomination deadline:  
February 28, 2022.**

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## Ensuring gender-affirming health care

Everybody should have access to health care that supports our identities. How are health research and patient care ensuring that sexual and gender minority people receive gender-affirming health care?

Tune into [UBC Dialogues](#) to hear UBC School of Nursing Director and Professor [Dr. Elizabeth Saewyc](#) and Centre for Gender and Sexual Health Equity's Gender Equity Advisor Dr. A.J. Lowik (PhD'22 candidate) discuss how health care professionals are changing the way they work and some key considerations for the future.

**Thursday, March 3, 2022  
7:30-8:30pm PST**

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## Nurses and Climate Change: Solutions for Action

The Nurses and Nurse Practitioners of British Columbia are organizing a series on Climate Change.

Join UBC School of Nursing's [Raluca Radu](#) on **February 24, 2022** to discuss the actions that nurses can take to enact change in the climate crisis.

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## Dr. Suzanne Campbell receives AJN Book Award

Congratulations to [Dr. Suzanne Campbell](#) for receiving an award from the American Journal of Nursing for her publication, *Lactation: A Foundational Strategy for Health Promotion*. The text was chosen as part of a larger collection of the most valuable 2021 texts on History and Public Policy.

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## Equity as a Priority at BC Cancer

The BC Cancer project, led by [Dr. Leah Lambert](#), Dr. Michael McKenzie, and [Dr. Sally Thorne](#) aims to improve inequities in cancer healthcare. Factors such as socioeconomic status, race, sex, gender, among other things, are known to contribute to cancer risk as they affect experiences in the healthcare system and ultimately the individual's ability to recover from cancer.

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## Dr. David Byres named to Advisory Council

Sentinel U recently formed a Thought Leadership Advisory Council comprised of eight experts in nursing, research, academia, and development. Amongst the experts chosen is [Dr. David Byres](#), an Adjunct Professor at the School of Nursing. The Advisory Council will discuss ideas on current topics such as the state of the nursing profession and the future of simulation integration in academic spaces.

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## Virtual Forum

Join UBC Nursing faculty, [Dr. Maura MacPhee](#) and [Dr. Farinaz Havaei](#), on April 5, 2022 for a session on *Developing Leadership*

## Predatory Publishers and Conferences

On January 19, [Dr. Sally Thorne](#) hosted an online seminar to

*and Management in Nursing*. The forum will examine how to transition into leadership roles, innovative ideas in leadership and management, and current research trends in leadership and management.

**Registration: March 27, 2022**

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discuss the dangers of fake or exploitative publishers and conferences and shared tools that allow you to identify and avoid them.

A recording of the seminar is available to be viewed at the link below.

[Watch Here](#)



## Gateway Building - Architecture Award of Excellence

Perkins+Will and Schmidt Hammer Lassen, the architecture firms for the upcoming UBC Gateway project, have received the 2021 Canadian Architect Award of Excellence. The Gateway building will co-house the schools of Nursing, Kinesiology, Language Science, and UBC Health Clinics.



## Recruit Your Study Participants on REACH BC - Webinar

The British Columbia Academic Health Science Network is hosting a webinar on **February 8, 2022**. In this session, they will discuss how to recruit participants using the REACH BC platform. Highlights of the webinar shall include how to create a researcher account and



The project is highlighted for its alignment with accessibility and sustainability initiatives as well as its reflection of traditional Musqueam values.

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post your study or patient partner opportunity on the REACH BC Directory, how to share past study results and how to navigate recent updates on the platform to find related studies.

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## PUBLICATIONS

*\* denotes UBC Nursing trainees & alumni*

### [Addressing anti-Indigenous racism in Canadian health systems: multi-tiered approaches are required](#)

*Canadian Journal of Public Health*

[Annette Browne](#), J. Lavoie, M. J. L. McCallum, C. Big Canoe

### [Results of a Global Survey of Experts to Categorize the Suitability of Interventions for Inclusion in School Health Services](#)

*Journal of Adolescent Health*

M. L. Plummer, A. Chan, K. Kohl, A. Taylor, V. Baltag, [Elizabeth Saewyc](#), D. A. Ross

### [Moving beyond performative allyship](#)

*Nursing Inquiry*

[Sally Thorne](#)

### [Comparing the Attainment of the Patient's Medical Home Model across Regions in Three Canadian Provinces: A Cross-Sectional Study](#)

*Healthcare Policy*

[Sabrina Wong](#), S. Johnston, F. Burge, M. Ammi, J. Campbell, A. Katz, R. Martin-Misener, S. Peterson, Manpreet Thandi\*, J. Haggerty, W. Hogg

**[Application of Artificial Intelligence in Community-Based Primary Health Care: Systematic Scoping Review and Critical Appraisal](#)**

*Journal of Medical Internet Research*

S. A. Rahimi, F. Légaré, G. Sharma, P. Archambault, H. T. V. Zomahoun, S. Chandavong, N. Rheault, [Sabrina Wong](#), L. Langlois, Y. Couturier, J. Salmeron, M. P. Gagnon, J. Légaré

**[Artificial Intelligence-based technologies in nursing: A scoping literature review of the evidence](#)**

*International Journal of Nursing Studies*

H. von Gerich, H. Moen, Lorraine J Block\*, C. Chu, H. DeForest, M. Hobensack, M. Michalowski, J. Mitchell, R. Nibber, M. A. Olalia, L. Pruinelli, C. Ronquillo, M. Topaz, L. M. Peltonen

**[Through An Equity Lens: Illuminating The Relationships Among Social Inequities, Stigma And Discrimination, And Patient Experiences of Emergency Health Care](#)**

*International Journal of Health Services*

[Colleen Varcoe](#), [Annette Browne](#), [Vicky Bungay](#), N. Perrin, E. Wilson, C. N. Wathen, D. Byres, [Elder Roberta Price](#)

**[The unintended consequences of COVID-19 public health measures on health care for children with medical complexity](#)**

*Child: Care, Health and Development*

[Jennifer Baumbusch](#), [Jennifer Lloyd](#), Shawna R. Lamden-Bennett\*, Christine Ou\*

**[To share or not to share: communication of caregiver-reported outcomes when a patient has colorectal cancer](#)**

*Journal of Patient-Reported Outcomes*

[A. Fuchsia Howard](#), M. J. Torrejón, Kelsey Lynch\*, Scott M. Beck\*, [Sally Thorne](#), [Leah Lambert](#), A. Porcino, M. A. De Vera, J. Davies, [Jonathan Avery](#), A. Wolff, M. McDonald, J. Lee, P. Hedges, Mary T. Kelly\*, M. McKenzie

["At the mercy of some of the regulations": the impact of the residency match and return of service requirement on the early-career decisions of international medical graduates in Canada](#)

*Human Resources for Health*

M. Mathews, D. Ryan, E. Randall, E. G. Marshall, L. Goldsmith, L. Jones, M. R. Lavergne, D. Snadden, I. Scott, [Sabrina Wong](#), K. Stringer, K. Horrey, A. Grudniewicz

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## **MEDIA COVERAGE**

**Goggles or face shields not needed for most people to prevent COVID-19, experts say**

UBC nursing professor [Dr. Sabrina Wong](#) and ophthalmology professor Dr. Kevin Gregory-Evans gave comments about catching COVID-19 through the eyes.

[Globe and Mail](#)

**Advocates and researchers say people with disabilities are left out of B.C. COVID strategy**

UBC nursing professor [Dr. Jennifer Baumbusch](#) spoke about the impact of the pandemic on people with disabilities.

[Capital Daily](#)

**When relationships break down, men are at risk of mental illness**

A new study led by UBC nursing professor [Dr. John Oliffe](#) confirms that when men transition out of relationships, they are at increased risk of mental illness, including anxiety, depression and suicide.

[UBC News](#), [GQ \(Mexico\)](#), [Vancouver Sun](#), [The Province](#), [CKNW - A Little More Conversation](#), [Hindustan Times](#), [MSN](#), [CNN18](#)

**Some B.C. patients, physicians argue virtual doctors' appointments don't work for everyone**

UBC nursing professors [Dr. Leanne Currie](#) and Dr. Kathy Rush commented on virtual medical appointments.

[Globe and Mail](#)

### **Internationally educated nurses sidelined as B.C. hospitals face staff shortages**

[Dr. Elizabeth Saewyc](#), director and professor at UBC's school of nursing, discussed nurse staffing issues.

[CityNews](#)

### **Nursing schools come under strain as pandemic wears on**

[Dr. Elizabeth Saewyc](#), director and professor at UBC's school of nursing, was quoted about the increased demand from prospective students for UBC's nursing program and greater awareness of the expertise that's required.

[University Affairs](#)

### **Fighting the stigma against dementia**

With more than 60,000 people in B.C living with dementia, an action group that included UBC nursing researchers and people with dementia developed a set of tools to combat stigma. Nursing professor [Dr. Alison Phinney](#), social work professor Dr. Deborah O'Connor and advocate Jim Mann discussed the new toolkit with media.

[CKNW Jill Bennett Show, CTV](#)

### **Dementia study involves Richmondites to break down barriers, stigma**

UNBC researchers are working with UBC nursing professors [Dr. Lillian Hung](#) and [Dr. Alison Phinney](#) and others to support people suffering from dementia and their caregivers to be active parts of their community.

[Richmond News, CFNR](#)

### **B.C. grapples with health-care worker shortage**

[Dr. Elizabeth Saewyc](#), a professor and director of UBC's School of Nursing, was quoted about the demand for seats in the school.

[Business in Vancouver](#)

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