The UBC School of Nursing's annual Research Report is now available online. Celebrate the many research highlights of 2019/2020 including impressive work to pivot in response to COVID-19.

Read the Report
Surviving the Intensive Care Unit

50% of ICU survivors develop Post Intensive Care Syndrome (PICS). Close to 40% will be readmitted to the hospital within the first year after being discharged. UBC Nursing assistant professor Dr. Fuchsia Howard is the recipient of the Michael Smith Foundation for Health Research Scholar Award to investigate Critical Illness Survivorship. Working with Dr. Gregory Haljan, Dr. Howard is exploring patient-centred healthcare solutions that enhance the accessibility and quality of care and improve patient and family outcomes.
Lactation - A Foundational Strategy for Health Promotion

UBC Nursing associate professor Dr. Suzanne Campbell and co-authors explore prevalent issues including equitable health promotion, breastfeeding during natural disasters and the Baby-friendly Hospital Initiative in their new book, *Lactation - A Foundational Strategy for Health Promotion*. The book, due to be released in January 2021, aims to inform all healthcare professionals on lactation basics.

Watch Interview
The 52nd Marion Woodward Lecture, *Nursing Leadership in the English NHS: Influencing Diversity, COVID-19 and Me*, featuring Yvonne Coghill was webcast on October 29, 2020 with the generous support of the Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Woodward’s Foundation. Watch the recording or take a look at Yvonne Coghill's lecture slides.

CAG Recognition Award for Excellence in Student Mentoring

Congratulations to Dr. Alison Phinney on being selected as the 2020 recipient of the CAG Recognition Award for Excellence in Student Mentoring: In Honour of Evelyn Shapiro. Canadians and citizens worldwide have benefitted from her outstanding role as a mentor to students in the field of gerontology. The CAG Recognition Award for Excellence in Student Mentoring: In Honour of Evelyn was announced at the virtual CAG Annual Scientific & Educational Meeting on October 22-24, 2020.

UBC Hampton New Faculty Grants

Congratulations to UBC Nursing recipients of the UBC Hampton New Faculty Grants, which aim to enhance UBC researchers’ success with SSHRC and other major social sciences and humanities funding competitions:

Dr. Saima Hirani: Helping others and mental wellbeing: Exploring potential of this social act among youth
Dr. Kristen Haase: Understanding shifting roles and relations amongst older adult cancer survivors during a global pandemic
Dr. Lydia Wytenbroek: Perioperative Nursing at Women’s College Hospital in Toronto, 1915-1975
Sexual Health Champion 2020 award

BC's Options for Sexual Health has named UBC School of Nursing professor and Director, Dr. Elizabeth Saewyc, as the 2020 Sexual Health Champion. The award recognizes Dr. Saewyc and her SARAVYC team's longstanding research, education, and advocacy, especially around adolescent health and LGBTQ2S+ sexual health.

SSHRC Connection Grant

Congratulations to UBC School of Nursing professor emerita Dr. Wendy Hall and her team for their successful SSHRC Connection grant ($32,610) for the project, An Indigenous Elder-led App to Support Indigenous Parents' Two-eyed Seeing for Parenting.
UBC Nursing doctoral student Ismalia De Sousa is the 2020 recipient of the stipend award WHRI Graduate Research Award in Women’s Health for her research project titled, *Towards equitable care: learning from young women’s experiences*, which will explore young women stroke survivors’ experiences in accessing care through the patient pathway, considering their intersectional experience. Her supervisor is Dr. Sally Thorne.

UBC Nursing doctoral student Hrag David Yacoubian is the recipient of the American Association of Nursing History’s (AANH) Doctoral Student Research Grant. He is studying the history of North American humanitarian organizations and nurses involved in relief efforts during and in the aftermath of the Armenian Genocide. His supervisor is Dr. Geertje Boschma.
"Healing on Both Sides": Strengthening the Effectiveness of Prison–Indigenous Community Partnerships Through Reciprocity and Investment
*International Indigenous Policy Journal*
Colleen Varcoe, Helen Brown, Kelsey Timler*, Melissa Taylor, Elizabeth Straus*

BOOK
*How to Nurse: Relational Inquiry in Action* (2nd Edition)
Gweneth Hartrick Doane, Colleen Varcoe

Interrogating play as a strategy to foster child health equity and counteract racism and racialization
*Journal of Occupational Science*
Alison Gerlach* & Annette Browne

Mentoring Graduate Students to Become Effective Teaching Assistants: Developing and Implementing a Student-Centred Program for Nursing
*Quality Advancement in Nursing Education*

Simulation Research Rubric: Further Analysis of Published Simulation Studies and Future Implications
*Clinical Simulation In Nursing*
B. Mariani, T. Horsley, M. Fey, D. Gloe, T. Atz, Suzanne Campbell, A. Daniels, C. Westmoreland Miller

Exploring the Relational Intervention of Storytelling: A Qualitative Study of the Patient Stories Project in a Single ICU
*Critical Care Explorations*
Lara Gurney*, Maura MacPhee, A. Fuchsia Howard, Patricia Rodney

COVID-19 information-related digital literacy among online health consumers in a low-income country
*International Journal of Medical Informatics*
Abdul-Fatawu Abdulai*, Al-Hashim Tiffere, Fuseini Adam, Moses Musah Kabanunye

Using the Synergy Tool to Determine Regina Emergency Department Staffing Needs
*Canadian Journal of Nursing Leadership*
Maura MacPhee, J. Wagner, S. Udod, L. Berry, G. Perchie, A. Conway

EDITORIAL: On privilege and fragility
*Nursing Inquiry*
Sally Thorne

Evaluating a Tool to Support the Integration of Gender in Programs to Promote Men’s Health
American Journal of Men’s Health
L. Struik, A. Abramowicz, B. Riley, John Oliffe, Joan Bottorff, Lisa Stockton
Bereaved mothers’ engagement in drug policy reform: A multisite qualitative analysis
International Journal of Drug Policy
Emily Jenkins, Allie Slemon*, H. Morris, E. Hyshka, P. Schulz, R. Haines-Saah
Overdose among mothers: The association between child removal and unintentional drug overdose in a longitudinal cohort of marginalised women in Canada
International Journal of Drug Policy
Meaghan Thumath, D. Humphreys, J. Barlow, Putu Duff, M. Braschel, B. Bingham, S. Pierre, K. Shannon
The Challenges of Implementing Family-Centered Care in NICU from the Perspectives of Physicians and Nurses
Journal of Pediatric Nursing
Jila Mirlashari, Helen Brown, F.K. Fomani, Julie de Salaberry, T.K. Zadeh, F. Khoshkhou
Improving the outcomes for cancer survivors in Canada: An interactive approach to competency development using the newly released CANO/ACIO Survivorship Manual
Canadian Oncology Nursing Journal
L. Watson, Leah Lambert*, K. Chapman, M. Fitch

MEDIA COVERAGE

'It’s like a pressure cooker in the house:' Calls to helplines jump during pandemic
Dr. Colleen Varcoe, a violence researcher and nursing professor at UBC, says she is not surprised the number of reports to some police agencies have stayed the same or dipped during the pandemic because there have been even fewer opportunities for victims to seek help.
Addicted: How Edmonton could solve its meth problem
Media mentioned a study by UBC Nursing assistant professor Dr. Emily Jenkins that found children tended to tune out "just say no" style messaging. She said Canada’s approach to preventing substance use in youth is piecemeal and still largely focused on abstinence-based messaging.

Few Canadians accessing online mental health support: UBC
A national survey by UBC faculty Dr. Emily Jenkins and Dr. Chris Richardson shows only a few Canadians are making use of virtual resources that could help them cope with the mental health impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Opinion: COVID-19 shows that we can't care for ICU survivors
Dr. Fuchsia Howard, an assistant professor at UBC’s School of Nursing and a Michael Smith Foundation for Health research scholar, and Dr. Greg Haljan, a clinical professor at UBC’s faculty of medicine, discussed the long-term health problems intensive care survivors experience and the support needed to transition them back into the community.

Canada falls short in post-ICU care for COVID-19 patients
UBC nursing professor Dr. Fuchsia Howard was interviewed about her research that examines patients who’ve spent time in ICU for a range of conditions, including COVID-19, and monitors how they do once they’re released.

B.C. workers still at risk: mental health group
Business in Vancouver highlighted a national survey conducted by UBC nursing researcher, Dr. Emily Jenkins, in partnership with CMHA, found that nearly 40 per cent of Canadians feel their mental health has deteriorated since the onset of COVID-19 in March.

As clocks turn back on Sunday, it’s a chance to catch up on your sleep, experts say
Dr. Wendy Hall, a professor emeritus at UBC’s School of Nursing, says the switch back to standard time will only exacerbate sleep disruptions linked to the COVID-19 crisis.

The push to make anti-racism a key medicare principle
Dr. Annette Browne, a professor at UBC’s School of Nursing, spoke about systemic and interpersonal racism in health care. Adding anti-racism to its existing pillars would send a strong message to health-care providers,
educators and leaders at all levels that combating systemic racism is work they are professionally obligated to carry out.

The Tyee, Yahoo

Health of transgender youth improving but stigma, violence still a concern
Canada’s transgender youth are more supported in their identities nowadays, with more trans teens finds a new survey led by UBC researchers. Although the picture has brightened overall, significant challenges remain, says study lead Dr. Elizabeth Saewyc. For example, 25 per cent of transgender youth surveyed said they did not feel safe in their own home. Seventy-four per cent said they avoided public washrooms for fear of discrimination.

UBC Media Release

Online supports for COVID-19 stress are there—but Canadians aren’t accessing them
Many Canadians are not making use of virtual resources that could help them cope with the mental health impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic, according to the latest analysis of a national survey led by UBC researcher Dr. Emily Jenkins, in partnership with the Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA).

UBC News

Learning from the perspectives of older adult patients stuck in hospital ‘limbo’
Despite difficulties with communicating, ALC patients want and need to be heard. As part of her PhD, Mariko Sakamoto recently completed a study about older adult alternate level of care (ALC) patients with dementia. Her study aimed to gain their perspectives as patients stuck in this limbo-like situation.

VCHRI News

Cultural outreach to stop the spread
UBC Nursing professor Dr. Sabrina Wong highlights the need for better communication with diverse communities is needed especially as evidence shows that people of colour are disproportionately impacted by COVID-19.

CTV

Paperclips, rubber bands, elastics: How do you mask with a turban?
Dr. Sabrina Wong is a UBC Nursing professor and co-chair of the Centre for Health Services and Policy Research. She told CTV News with case numbers rising and no sign of a vaccine anytime soon, it's time to make sure diverse communities have the information they need and in a way that speaks to them.

CTV News

Health experts urge Ottawa to amend Canada Health Act to include anti-racism pillar
Anti-systemic racism initiative garners more than 1300 signatures. Health experts, including UBC Nursing’s Dr. Annette Browne, urge Ottawa to amend Canada Health Act to include anti-racism pillar.

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**Feb. 1, 2020:** SSHRC Connection Grant

**Feb. 1, 2021:** SSHRC Research Data Management Capacity Building Initiative

**Feb. 2, 2021:** SSHRC Insight Development Grants

**Feb. 10, 2020:** SSHRC Partnership Grants - Stage 1

**Mar. 3, 2021:** CIHR Project Grant (Registration)

**May 1, 2021:** SSHRC Research Data Management Capacity Building Initiative

**Open Funding Calls**

- Canadian Digital Technology Supercluster: Cycle 4 accepting projects now
- UBC Open Access Fund for Humanities and Social Sciences Research *(invoices Sept. 1, 2020 or later)*
- UBC Scholarly Publication Fund *(pre-tenure faculty have priority)*
- PWIAS: Systems Approach to Social Change
- MITACS COVID-19 Accelerate Program
- sparc bc Homelessness Community Action Grant
- UBC SoTL Dissemination Fund
- Vancouver Foundation Systems Change – Develop Grant
- Vancouver Foundation – PAR Convene Grants
- PWIAS Theme Development Workshops
- MITACS Accelerate Graduate Internships
- MITACS Accelerate Graduate Fellowship
- PWIAS COVID-19 Rapid Publication Working Groups
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