Welcome and Opening Remarks/Keynote: 8:45-9:15
Naoru Koizumi, PhD, Director of Research, SPGIA
Bonnie Stabile, PhD, Research Assistant Professor, SPGIA, and Co-Editor of
*World Medical & Health Policy*
Nancy Lee, MD, Director, Office of Women’s Health, Department of Health and Human Services (Invited)

Session 1: 9:15-10:45 am

Panel 1: Maternal and Child Well Being

**Vulnerability Multiplied: Health Needs Assessment of 13-18 year old Orphans and Vulnerable Children in Kenya**
Rosy Chhabra, PsyD; Nehama Teitelman, MPH; Ellen Silver, PhD; Jill Raufman, MPH; and Laurie Bauman, PhD. *Albert Einstein College of Medicine*, rosy.chhabra@einstein.yu.edu

**Association of Maternal Depression and Stress on Infant Health Outcomes**
Kathi C. Huddleston, PhD, RN, Elisabeth Z. Klein, DNP, RN, Sahel Hazrati, MPH
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**Family Leave Policies and Infant Mortality Rates: An Examination of OECD Countries**
Dana Patton, PhD, University of Alabama, dana.paton@ua.edu

**Work-Family Conflict, Stress, and Physical and Mental Health: A Model for Understanding Barriers to and Opportunities for Women’s Well-Being**
Laura Wheeler Poms and Kathryn H. Jacobsen, PhD, George Mason University, lpoms@gmu.edu

**Investigating Breastfeeding Practices Among Low-Income Disadvantaged Women**
Sreenivas P Veeranki, MBBS, DrPH, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston; Karl Krupp, MPH, Florida International University, Bhavana NiranjanKumar, BAMS; Poornima Jaykrishna, BA; Savitha Gowda, MSW; Kavitha Ravi, MSc Anjali Arun, MD; Purnima Madhivanan, MBBS, PhD; Public Health Research Institute of India, Mysore, India; spveeran@utmb.edu
Panel 2: Violence Against Women: Stigma and Coercion

Interpreting Recent Trends and Attitudes Towards Female Genital Mutilation and Cutting (FGM/C): A Mixed-Method Study  
Debasree DasGupta, PhD, and Amie Wojtyna, PhD, University of Indianapolis  
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Before the Broken Bones and Knocked-out Teeth: How Key Stakeholders in Tobago Informed Prevention Programs and Policies addressing Gender-specific Risks for HIV and Intimate Partner Violence  
Quinn M. Gentry, PhD; Reinette Arnold, MSW, LCSW; and Tekla Evans, MPH, CHES, PMP, Messages of Empowerment Productions, quinn.gentry@team-moe.com

A Systematic Review of Reproductive Coercion in International Settings  
Karen Trister Grace, MSN, CNM and Christina Fleming, MA, MSN, CNM, Johns Hopkins University, School of Nursing, kgrace2@jhu.edu

Untold Stories of Abuse and HIV Risk Experiences among Young African Women in Africa and Diaspora: Confronting Cultural Silencing of Women  
Sithokozile Maposa RN, PhD, University of Saskatchewan-College of Nursing; Tamara Moss PhD, Howard University; Andrew Muriuki, PhD, Save the Children; Denise Kpebo, MD, MPH, Save the Children, Abidjan, Cote d’Ivoire; s.maposa@usask.ca

10:45 – 11:00 am Coffee

Session 2: 11:00 – 12:30

Panel 3: Violence Against Women in Multiple Venues

Sexual Assault in the US Military: Trends and Comparison to Civilian Sector  
David J. Armor, PhD, George Mason University, darmor@gmu.edu

Best Practices for Sexual Violence Prevention During Post-Disaster Response  
Anne Fenley, MA candidate, and Tonya Neaves, PhD, George Mason University, afenley@gmu.edu

Shrinking Walking Spaces: Women’s Perceptions of Neighborhood Hazards Related to the Use of Public Spaces in Northern Mexico  
Hilda García-Pérez, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte and Francisco Lara-Valencia, Arizona State University, francisco.lara@asu.edu

Correlates of Physical and Sexual Interpersonal Violence (IPV) among Female Prisoners in Lima, Perú,
Panel 4: Cross-Border Concerns

Towards a Global Policy Framework to Address Trafficking in Women and Girls
Phuong Thao D. Le, PhD, MPH and Nessa E. Ryan, MPH, MSCI, New York University
College of Global Public Health, ptle@nyu.edu

Exploring Stress Factors in Transnational West African Women
Anuoluwapo Osideo, MPH Candidate, Brown University. Kelechi Ibe-Lamberts, PhD
Candidate, and Daudet Ilunga Tshiswaka, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign;
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Women’s Empowerment and Transnational Surrogacy
Megan E. Osterbur, PhD, Xavier University of Louisiana, mosterbu@xula.edu

The Politics of Women’s Rights in Cross-border Reproductive Care
Patricia Stapleton, PhD, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, and Daniel Skinner, PhD,
Ohio University, Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine, skinnerd@ohio.edu

12:30 – 1:15 Lunch

Session 3: 1:15 – 2:45

Panel 5: Accessibility of Contraception and Prenatal Care

Is Cost Still a Barrier? Seeking Antenatal and Delivery Care in Ghana
Patricia Anafi, PhD. State University of New York at Potsdam, anafip@potsdam.edu

A Latina Intergenerational Caregiving Model
Linda Maldonado, PhD, RN, Villanova University, College of Nursing,
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Getting There: Overcoming Barriers to Accessing Maternal Health Services in
Northern Togo
Mélanie Samson, PhD, MPH, Expertise France and Judie Arnold, MA, MPH,
Maimonides Medical Center, judie.arnold@gmail.com

Effects of Gender Norms on Modern Contraception in Urban Nigeria: A Multilevel
Approach
Chinelo C. Okigbo, PhD candidate and Ilene S. Speizer, PhD, Gillings School of Global Public Health, University of North Carolina

Assessing Family Planning Needs in Lunga-Lunga, Kenya: Surveying the Beliefs, Attitudes and Behavior Attributing to Family Planning Use in Southeastern Kenya
Michele Coleman, MPH, MPA; Araceli Alonso, PhD, University of Wisconsin-Madison, ml.coleman.24@gmail.com

Panel 6: Dealing with Disease

Gender factors contributing to Malaria Incidence, Insecticide Treated Bed Net Use, and Malaria Treatment Behaviour
Araceli Alonso, PhD and Troy Curtis, MD, University of Wisconsin Madison, aalonso@wisc.edu

The Gender Divide in HIV/AIDS Responsibility: PEPFAR and the Role of Women in HIV/AIDS Prevention
Jaimie Edwards, PhD candidate, and Sara R. Jordan, PhD, Center for Public Administration & Policy, Virginia Tech, jedwar35@vt.edu

Correlates of Cervical Cancer Screening among Adult Latina Mothers and Daughters
Patria Rojas, PhD; Tan Li, PhD; Weize Wang, Gira Ravelo, PhD Candidate; Mariana Sanchez, PhD; Mario De La Rosa, PhD, Florida International University, Patria.rojas@fiu.edu

Evaluating a Culturally Tailored HIV Risk Reduction Intervention among Recent Latina Immigrants
Mariana Sanchez, PhD; Patria Rojas, PhD; Weize Wang; Elena Cyrus, PhD; Gira Ravelo, PhD Candidate; Mariana Sanchez, PhD; Mario De La Rosa, PhD, Florida International University, mariana.sanchez2@fiu.edu

2:45 – 3:00 pm Coffee

Session 4: 3:00 – 4:30pm

Panel 7: Accounting for the Role of Gender and Disparities

The Impact of Gender and Race/Ethnicity in Calculating Health-Related Quality of Life Scores
Iris Buder, PhD, Cathleen Zick, PhD and Norman Waitzman, PhD, Idaho State University, iris.buder@gmail.com
Generating Informed Policies by Addressing Gender Influences on Women’s Health Management
Jodi Burke, MSW and Sandy Waddell, RN, National Kidney Foundation of Michigan; Laurie Lachance, PhD, MPH, University of Michigan School of Public Health, jburke@nkfm.org

One Woman at a Time: Tackling Health Disparity with the Power of Social Interaction
Rosy Chhabra, Psy.D. and Angelic Rivera, MPH, MBA, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, rosy.chhabra@einstein.yu.edu

Gender-based, Public Health Systems Approaches to Improving Women and Girls’ Health: Lessons Learned in the U.S. from the Office on Women’s Health, Coalition for a Healthier Community Initiative
Suzanne M. Randolph, PhD; Shelly Kowalczyk, MSPH, CHES, The MayaTech Corporation; Stephanie Alexander, MS, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; Linda Oravecz, PhD, Towson University, Kelli A. Hill, Doctoral Candidate, Howard University, srandolph@mayatech.com

Women’s Resilience and Well-being in Public Health Emergency: Disaster Management as a Health Determinant
Eriko Sase, PhD, The University of Tokyo, Christopher Eddy, MPH, Georgetown University, erikosase@post.harvard.edu

Concluding Remarks: 4:30 – 4:45pm