

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

2008 PhD Nursing Science, University of Pennsylvania, School of Nursing
 2002-2005 Pre-doctoral Fellowship, Research on Vulnerable Women, Children, and Families
 (T32 NR007100), University of Pennsylvania
 2002 MSN Nurse-Midwifery, Yale University, School of Nursing
 1996 BScN Nursing, McMaster University, School of Nursing

POSTDOCTORAL EXPERIENCE

2010 National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Nursing Research, Summer Genetics Institute
 2008-2010 Postdoctoral Fellowship, Nurse Research Training in Symptom Management (T32 NR07088),
 University of California, San Francisco

AWHONN LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Entity	Date	Role
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	2024-2026	Board of Directors
Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecologic, and Neonatal Nursing, Special Edition Nutrition in Pregnancy	2017	Guest Editor
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	2016-2017	Research Advisory Panel Member
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	2013-2015	Research Advisory Panel Corresponding Member
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	2013-2017	Abstract Reviewer
Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecologic, and Neonatal Nursing	2011-present	Reviewer
Nursing for Women's Health	2009-2021	Reviewer

NON-AWHONN LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2026-present Professor, Tenured, University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing, Chicago, IL
 2024- present Director of the PhD Program, University of Illinois Chicago, Chicago, IL
 2023-2024 Associate Department Head, Human Development Nursing Science, University of Illinois Chicago, Chicago, IL
 2019-2026 Associate Professor, Tenured, University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing, Chicago, IL
 2010-2019 Assistant Professor, Tenure Track, University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing, Chicago, IL

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2006-2008 Staff Nurse, Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia PA
 2005-2008 Clinical Instructor, Villanova University College of Nursing, Philadelphia, PA
 2004-2005 Clinical Lab Instructor, University of Pennsylvania, School of Nursing, Philadelphia, PA
 2003-2004 Staff Nurse, Progressive Nursing, Philadelphia, PA
 2001-2004 Staff Nurse, The Birthplace at St. Mary's Hospital, Waterbury CT
 2001 Staff Nurse, St. Catharines General Hospital, St. Catharines, ON, Canada
 1996-2000 Staff Nurse, McAllen Medical Center, McAllen, TX
 1996 Staff Nurse, Moorelands Camp, Dover, ON, Canada

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2025 Fellow, American Academy of Nursing
 2025 Senior Career Award, Midwest Nursing Research Society, Perinatal, Sexual, and Reproductive Health Research and Implementation Interest Group
 2024 Award of Excellence in Teaching, American College of Nurse Midwives
 2024 Fellow, Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)
 2023 University of Illinois Hospital and Health System, Nurses Week Poster Session, Best Poster
 2022 Fellow, American College of Nurse Midwives
 2022 Nurses' Profession Group Prize Paper winner, American Society for Reproductive Medicine for abstract "A Mixed-Methods Evaluation of Egg Donors' Physical, Psychosocial, and Disclosure Experiences Post-Donation"
 2014 The Daisy Faculty Award for Teaching
 2014 March of Dimes, Jonas Salk Award for Research presented to Illinois' top health care leaders who have facilitated improvements in the health of mothers and infants
 2013-2015 Irving Harris Faculty Scholar
 2013 New Investigator Award, Midwest Nursing Research Society, Women's Health and Transitions in Childbearing Research Section
 2011 George H. Miller Chancellor's Award, University of Illinois at Chicago
 2001-2002 Patricia Smith Christensen Scholarship Award, Sigma Theta Tau International

FUNDED RESEARCH

Extramural

2025-2030 R01HD114624-01A1

NIH/NICHD Role: **Koenig, M. D. (PI)**

\$3,445,670

Buhimschi, I. (Co-I), Campbell, R. (Co-I), Elam, G. (Co-I), Peñalver Bernabé, B. (Co-I), Steffan, A. (Co-I), Tussing-Humphreys, L. (Co-I), Viega-Lopez, A. (Co-I). *Mechanistic Pathways of Probiotic Supplementation in Optimizing Iron and Hematological Status Among Pregnant Females at Risk of Iron Deficiency Anemia.*

Submitted 7/5/2024. Funded 08/06/2025-08/05/2030.

2024-2027 R01DK140120-01

(MPI; 10% Academic Year/10% Summer Support)

NIH/NIDDK Role: **Koenig, M. D. (MPI)**

\$944,925

Buhimschi, I. (Co-I), Steffan, A. (Co-I), Tussing-Humphreys, L. (MPI-contact), Varady, K. (MPI). *A pilot study of time-restricted eating among pregnant females with severe obesity*. Submitted 3/5/2023. Funded 2/14/2024-2/13/2027.

COMPLETED GRANTS

Extramural

2021-2025 R34HL155481-01

NIH/NHLBI Role: **Koenig, M. D. (MPI contact)**

\$719,550

Tussing-Humphreys, L. (MPI), Steffan, A. (Co-I), Elam, G. (Co-I). *Feasibility of oral lactoferrin to prevent iron deficiency anemia in obese pregnancy*. Submitted 2/16/2020. Funded 2/20/2021-1/31/2025 (NCE).

2021-2023

Rita & Alex Hillman Foundation Role: **Koenig, M. D. (Mentor)**

\$50,000

Pearson, P (PI). *Melanated Maternity Care*. Submitted 5/17/2021. Funded 10/1/2021-3/31/2023

2014-2017

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Nurse Faculty Scholars Role: **Koenig, M. D. (PI)**

\$350,000

Ferrans, C. (Mentor), Walden, W. (Mentor). *Obesity in Pregnancy: Iron Dysregulation in Mother and Fetus*. Submitted 2/12/2014. Funded 9/1/2014-8/31/2017.

2013-2014

Association of Women's Health Obstetric & Neonatal Nurses Role: **Koenig, M. D. (PI)**

\$10,000

Hepcidin, Iron Bioavailability, and Its Impact on Birth Outcomes. Submitted 12/1/2012. Funded 6/1/2013-5/31/2014.

2013-2014

Sigma Theta Tau International Role: **Koenig, M. D. (PI)**

\$2,500

Hepcidin, Iron Bioavailability, and Its Impact on Birth Outcomes. Submitted 4/1/2013. Funded 8/1/2013-8/1/2014

2012-2013

Midwest Nursing Research Society Role: **Hennessy (Koenig), M. D. (PI)**

\$10,000

Psychological Stress and Hepcidin: Link to Birth Outcomes. Submitted 12/1/2011. Funded 4/1/2012-3/31/2013

Intramural

2024-2025

UIC College of Nursing Internal Research Support Program Role: **Koenig, M. D. (Co-I)**

\$14,988

Goldstein, E. (PI). *Multi-Level Framework for Resilience- and Trauma-Informed Care Implementation in Prenatal Care*. Submitted 11/1/2023. Funded 2/1/2024-1/31/2025.

2023

NIH/NIMHD U54MD012523-01 Center for Health Equity Research (CHER) Chicago

Role: **Koenig, M. D. (Community liaison)**

\$4,999 + \$3,000 for salary

NewMoms (PI). *Stress Reduction Techniques and Culinary Skills for NewMoms*. Submitted 1/27/2023. Funded 6/1/2023.

2023-2024

NIH/NIMHD U54MD012523-01 Center for Health Equity Research (CHER) Chicago

Role: **Koenig, M. D. (Co-I)**

\$50,000

Goldstein, E. (PI), Farrah, E. (Co-I). *Promoting Healthy Behaviors Program: A Randomized Controlled Trial of Motivation and Mindfulness for Reducing Stress-Sensitive Problems Among Black Pregnant Women with Childhood Adversity*. Submitted 4/15/2022. Funded 7/1/2023-6/31/2024.

2023-2024

NIH/NIMHD U54MD012523-01 Center for Health Equity Research (CHER) Chicago

Role: **Koenig, M. D. (Co-I)**

\$79,300

Liese, K. (PI), Rutherford, J. (Co-I). *Obstetric Disruptions: How COVID19 has exacerbated structural violence & maternal stress for the Black birthing community in Chicago & implications for future public health crises*. Submitted 1/19/2021. Funded 7/1/2021-6/30/2022.

2017-2023

NIH/NIMHD U54MD012523-01 Center for Health Equity Research (CHER) Chicago

Role: **Koenig, M. D. (PI)**

\$77,886.86

Tussing-Humphreys, L. (Co-I) *Mitigating the effects of structural violence on maternal iron status: A randomized controlled pilot study of probiotic supplementation in at-risk pregnant black women*. Submitted 3/15/2018. Funded 9/23/2017-6/30/2023.

2018-2019

UIC College of Applied Health Sciences Internal Pilot Program Role: **Koenig, M. D. (Co-I)** \$19,928

Papautsky, E. (PI) *Examining breastfeeding education: considering the patient context*. Submitted 11/1/2017. Funded 1/24/2018-1/23/2019.

2016-2017

UIC College of Nursing Internal Research Support Program Role: **Koenig, M. D. (Co-I)** \$20,000

Rutherford, J. (PI) *Identifying Novel Biomarkers to Predict Risk of Excessive Blood Loss at Delivery*. Submitted 4/1/2016. Funded 4/26/2016-4/26/2017.

2015-2016

UIC College of Nursing Internal Research Support Program Role: **Koenig, M. D. (PI)** \$10,000

Obesity in Pregnancy: Iron Dysregulation in Mother and Fetus. Submitted 11/1/2014. Funded 1/5/2015-1/5/2016.

2013

UIC College of Nursing Faculty Research Award Role: **Hennesy (Koenig), M. D. (PI)** \$1,000

Hepcidin and Inflammation-Mediated Iron Restriction: A Pathway for Adverse Birth Outcomes. Submitted 2/1/2013. Funded 3/24/2013.

2012

UIC College of Nursing Faculty Research Award Role: **Hennesy (Koenig), M. D. (PI)** \$1,000

Iron Homeostasis and Its Effect on Women's Health and Birth Outcomes. Submitted 2/12/2012. Funded 3/18/2012.

2011-2012

University of Illinois Chicago Center for Clinical and Translational Sciences (CCTS) (UL1RR029879) CCTS Pilot Grant Award (CCTS08011-02) Role: **Hennessy (Koenig), M. D. (Co-I)** \$60,000
White-Traut, R., Giurgescu, C., McFarlin, B., & England, C. *Pathways to preterm birth: stress, inflammation, and cervical remodeling*. Submitted 3/4/2011. Funded 8/1/2011-7/31/2013.

2011-2012

UIC George H. Miller Chancellor's Award Role: **Hennessy (Koenig), M. D. (PI)** \$2,500
Nutrient and Inflammatory Processes of Preterm Birth. Submitted 2/1/2011. Funded 1/1/2011-12/31/2012.

2011

UIC College of Nursing Internal Research Support Program Role: **Hennessy (Koenig), M. D. (PI)** \$10,000
Nutrient and inflammatory processes of preterm birth. Submitted 12/1/2010. Funded 1/1/2011-12/31/2011.

2005

Sigma Theta Tau International, Xi Chapter Research Grant Award Role: **Hennessy (Koenig), M. D.** \$1,000
A comparison of meal frequency, macronutrient intake, and physical activity between African American women in preterm and term labor. Submitted 1/1/2005. Funded 5/1/2005.

PUBLICATIONS

(Senior author underlined, #invited, ^student)

Under Review

1. **Koenig, M. D.** Johnson, S., Shankar, M., & Goldstein, E. Perinatal Clinicians' Perspectives on Addressing Clinician Psychological Trauma and Well-Being in Perinatal Care. *Research in Nursing and Health*.
2. Goldstein, E. Shankar, M., Johnson, S. Li, Y. Biggers, A., & **Koenig, M.D.** Clinicians' Experiences and Recommendations for Implementing Trauma-Informed Care in Perinatal Settings. *Research in Nursing and Health*.
3. **Koenig, M. D.** Campbell, R. K., Li, Y., DiPiazza, B., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & Buhimschi, I. The Irony of Iron Supplements in Pregnancy. *American Journal of Obstetrics & Gynecology*.

Journal Articles (Peer Reviewed)

1. ^Goldstein, E. Johnson, S., Li, Y., Shankar, M., & **Koenig, M. D.** Clinicians' Perspectives on Providing Trauma-Informed Perinatal Care. *Research in Nursing and Health* (Accepted March 2, 2026).
2. ^Fresco, T.M., Tussing-Humphreys, L.M., Kim, S.J., **Koenig, M.D.**, Lofton, S., Pearson, P., Oddo, V.M. State of the Science and Research Opportunities on Dietary Patterns in Endometriosis and Uterine Fibroids, *npj Women's Health* (Accepted February 6, 2026).
3. Campbell, R. K., Balakumar, P., Pobe, R., Huang, Y., Peñalver Bernabé, B., **Koenig, M. D.** Individual and community-level predictors of anemia in Chicago-area pregnancies: a multi-level analysis, *Birth* (Accepted February 3, 2026).

4. DiPiazza, B., Patel, B., Li, Y., Tardif, A., Pezley, L., Fought-Boudaia, A., Steffen, A., Buhimschi, I., Burton, T., Varady, K., **Koenig, M. D.**, & Tussing-Humphreys, L. (2026). Trial design: Evaluating the safety, feasibility, and acceptability of time-restricted eating in pregnant women with obesity. *Contemporary clinical trials*, 163, 108257. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cct.2026.108257>
5. Pobe, R. A., Campbell, R. K., Balakumar, P., Huang, Y., Bernabé, B. P., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2025). Environmental Stressors, Anemia, and Depressive Symptoms in Pregnancy: Unpacking the Combined Risks. *International journal of environmental research and public health*, 22(11), 1727. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph22111727>
6. Schultz, C. M., **Koenig, M. D.**, & Danford, C. A. (2025). Food Concepts Among Black and Hispanic Preschool-Age Children: A Preliminary Qualitative Descriptive Study Using Ethnographic Techniques and an Internet Conferencing Platform. *Nutrients*, 17(8), 1313. <https://doi.org/10.3390/nu17081313>
7. Goldstein, E., Keita, M., Koomson, C., Tintle, N., Adlam, K., Farah, E., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2025). A Pilot Randomized Controlled Trial of a Multimodal Wellness Intervention for Perinatal Mental Health. *Journal of midwifery & women's health*, 10.1111/jmwh.13754. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmwh.13754>
8. ^Krikirat, P., Sansiriphun, N., Abboud, S., **Koenig, M. D.**, Park, C. G., & Patil, C. L. (2025). Exploring Thai Fathers' Confidence in Supporting Exclusive Breastfeeding: A Qualitative Descriptive Study. *Pacific Rim International Journal of Nursing Research*, 29(3), 443–460. <https://doi.org/10.60099/prijnr.2025.272604>
9. ^Erbe, K., Papautsky, E. L., Liese, K., Park, C., Rutherford, J., Tussing-Humphreys, L., Li, Y., Sawatpanich, A., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2025). Patient-Provider Prenatal Nutrition Conversations Using a Human Factors Approach. *Journal of obstetric, gynecologic, and neonatal nursing: JOGNN*, S0884-2175(25)00005-X. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jogn.2025.01.001>
10. ^Adlam, K., **Koenig, M. D.**, Patil, C. L., Steffen, A., Salih, S., Kramer, W., & Hershberger, P. E. (2025). Oocyte donors' physical outcomes and psychosocial experiences: a mixed-methods study. *Fertility and sterility*, S0015-0282(24)02451-8. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.fertnstert.2024.12.019>
11. ^Li, Y., Liese, K. L., Pezley, L., Sawatpanich, A., Elam, G., Erbe, K., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2025). Perinatal Care Provider Perspectives on Integrating Clinical Research into the Clinical Infrastructure. *Journal of midwifery & women's health*, 70(2), 301–307. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmwh.13703>
12. ^Erbe, K., Liese, K., Tussing-Humphreys, L., Papautsky, E. L., Rutherford, J., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2025). Midwives' and Obstetric Physicians' Practices Related to Pregnancy Nutrition Counseling: A Scoping Review. *Journal of midwifery & women's health*, 70(1), 61–76. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmwh.13661>
13. ^Burton, T. C. J., Crooks, N., Pezley, L., OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., Li, Y., Sawatpanich, A., Farrow, V., Erbe, K., Kesse, N., Reed, L., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2024). Food Choice and Dietary Perspectives of Young, Urban, Black Pregnant Women: A Focus Group Study. *Nutrients*, 16(6), 781. <https://doi.org/10.3390/nu16060781>

14. **Koenig, M. D.**, Crooks, N., Burton, T., Li, Y., OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., Erbe, K., Rutherford, J. N., Liese, K. L., Pearson, P., Stewart, K., Kesse, N., Gondwe, K. W., Reed, L., & Tussing-Humphreys, L. (2024). Structural Violence and Stress Experiences of Young Pregnant Black People. *Journal of racial and ethnic health disparities*, 11(4), 1918–1932. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s40615-023-01661-y>
15. Oddo, V. M., Moise, C., Welke, L., Peñalver Bernabé, B., Maki, P., **Koenig, M. D.**, Pezley, L., Xia, Y., & Tussing-Humphreys, L. (2023). Mediterranean Diet Adherence and Depressive Symptoms among a Nationally Representative Sample of Pregnant Women in United States. *The Journal of nutrition*, S0022-3166(23)72550-9. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.tjnut.2023.08.022>
16. ^Ustick, J., Chakos, K., Jia, H., Hanneke, R., DiPiazza, B., **Koenig, M. D.**, Ma, J., Man, B., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & Burton, T. C. J. (2023). Associations between plant-based diets, plant foods and botanical supplements with gestational diabetes mellitus: a systematic review protocol. *BMJ open*, 13(3), e068829. <https://doi.org/10.1136/bmjopen-2022-068829>
17. ^OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., Pezley, L., Steffen, A., Elam, G., Kominiarek, M. A., Odoms-Young, A., Kesse, N., Hamm, A., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2023). Feasibility Study of *Lactobacillus Plantarum 299v* Probiotic Supplementation in an Urban Academic Facility among Diverse Pregnant Individuals. *Nutrients*, 15(4), 875. <https://doi.org/10.3390/nu15040875>
18. OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., Crooks, N., Zhang, W., Fitter, F., Erbe, K., Rutherford, J. N., Liese, K. L., Pearson, P., Stewart, K., Kesse, N., Reed, L., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2023). Obstetric experiences of young black mothers: An intersectional perspective. *Social science & medicine (1982)*, 317, 115604. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2022.115604>
19. ^Pezley, L., Cares, K., Duffecy, J., **Koenig, M. D.**, Maki, P., Odoms-Young, A., Clark Withington, M. H., Lima Oliveira, M., Loiacono, B., Prough, J., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & Buscemi, J. (2022). Efficacy of behavioral interventions to improve maternal mental health and breastfeeding outcomes: a systematic review. *International breastfeeding journal*, 17(1), 67. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s13006-022-00501-9>
20. ^**Koenig, M. D.**, Tussing-Humphreys, L., DeMartelly, V., LaBomascus, B., OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., Welke, L., Pezley, L., Ruchob, R., Hirsch, B., Furlette-Koski, M., Kesse, N., & Ferrans, C. E. (2022). Recruitment and Retention of Urban Pregnant Women to a Clinical Study Administering an Oral Isotope Dietary Tracer. *Women's health reports (New Rochelle, N.Y.)*, 3(1), 652–660. <https://doi.org/10.1089/whr.2022.0015>
21. ^Pezley, L., Tussing-Humphreys, L., **Koenig, M. D.**, Maki, P., Odoms-Young, A., Freels, S., DiPiazza, B., Cann, F., Cares, K., Depa, C., Klejka, G., Lima Oliveira, M., Prough, J., Roe, T., Buscemi, J., & Duffecy, J. (2022). Feasibility of a Web-Based Intervention to Prevent Perinatal Depression and Promote Human Milk Feeding: Randomized Pilot Trial. *JMIR formative research*, 6(5), e32226. <https://doi.org/10.2196/32226>
22. ^Krikirat, P., Park, C. G., McCreary, L. L., **Koenig, M. D.**, Abboud, S., Sansiriphun, N., & Patil, C. L. (2022). Relationships between Thai fathers' self-efficacy to support breastfeeding and exclusive breastfeeding duration. *Midwifery*, 106, 103261. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.midw.2022.103261>
23. ^Oddo, V. M., Welke, L., McLeod, A., Pezley, L., Xia, Y., Maki, P., **Koenig, M. D.**, Kominiarek, M. A., Langenecker, S., & Tussing-Humphreys, L. (2022). Adherence to a Mediterranean Diet Is

Associated with Lower Depressive Symptoms among U.S. Adults. *Nutrients*, 14(2), 278.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/nu14020278>

24. Papautsky, E. L., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2021). A Mixed-Methods Examination of Inpatient Breastfeeding Education Using a Human Factors Perspective. *Breastfeeding medicine: the official journal of the Academy of Breastfeeding Medicine*, 16(12), 947–955. <https://doi.org/10.1089/bfm.2021.0087>
25. ^Roberts, K.J., Gallo, A.M., Patil, C.L., Vincent, C., Binns, H.J., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2021). Family management of severe obesity in adolescents. *Journal of Pediatric Nursing*, Jul 1(60), 181-189. doi: 10.1016/j.pedn.2021.06.016.
26. ^Tussing-Humphreys L.M. LaBomascus, B., O'Brien, K, Nemeth, E., Sangkhae, V., Steffen, A.D., Castellanos, K., DeMartelly, V., Ruchob, R., Welke, L., OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., Pezley, L., McLeod, A., Hirsch, B., Elam, G., Estwing Ferrans, C., **Koenig, M. D.** (2021). Pre-pregnancy obesity does not impact placental iron trafficking. *Journal of Nutrition*, Jun 16. doi: 10.1093/jn/nxab191.
27. ^Roberts, K.J., Binns, H.J., Vincent, C., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2021). A scoping review: Family and child perspectives of clinic-based obesity treatment. *Journal of Pediatric Nursing*, Mar-Apr;57, 56-72. doi:10.1016/j.pedn.2020.10.025.
28. ^Turturice, B.A., Theorell, J. **Koenig, M. D.**, Tussing-Humphreys, L., Gold, D.R., Litonjua, A.A., Oken, E., Rifas-Shiman, S.L., Perkins, D.L., Finn, P.W. (2021). Perinatal granulopoiesis and risk of pediatric asthma. *Elife*, Feb 10;10:e63745. doi:10.7554/eLife.63745.
29. ^Butudom, A., McFarlin, B., Klima, C., Spatz, D., Kennelly, J.F., McCreary, L.L., Patil, C.L., **Koenig, M. D.** (2021). Behavior Outcomes of Breastfeeding-Friendly Policies Among Thai Mothers Working in Factory: A Descriptive Study. *Pacific Rim International Journal of Nursing Research*, 25(1); 87-101.
30. ^Man, B., **Koenig, M. D.**, Bernabe, B.P., Nagelli, U., & Tussing-Humphreys, L. (2020). The role of the gut microbiota in the prevention and management of gestational diabetes mellitus: Are we there yet? *Journal of Perinatal and Neonatal Nursing*, Jul/Sep;34(3), 195-198. doi:10.1097/JPN.0000000000000497.
31. ^**Koenig, M. D.**, Klikuszowian, E., O'Brien, K.O., Pauls, H., Steffen, A., DeMartelly, V., Ruchob, R., Welke, L., OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., LaBomascus, B., Pezley, L., McLeod, A., Hirsch, B., Ferrans, C., and Tussing-Humphreys, L. (2020). Prepregnancy Obesity Is Not Associated with Iron Utilization during the Third Trimester. *The Journal of Nutrition*, Jun1;150(6), 1397-1404 [doi:10.1093/jn/nxaa065](https://doi.org/10.1093/jn/nxaa065).
32. Woo, J., **Koenig, M. D.**, Engeland, C., Kominiarek, M.A, White-Traut, R., Yeatts, P., & Giurgescu, C. (2020). Neighborhood disorder predicts lower serum vitamin D levels in pregnant African American women: A pilot study. *Journal of Steroid Biochemistry and Molecular Biology*, Jun;200:105648, [doi:10.1016/j.jsbmb.2020.105648](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jsbmb.2020.105648)
33. Sangkhae V., Fisher A.L., Wong S., **Koenig M. D.**, Tussing-Humphreys L., Chu A., Lelić M., Ganz T., Nemeth E. Effects of maternal iron status on placental and fetal iron homeostasis. (2020). *Journal of Clinical Investigation*, Feb 3;130(2), 625-640.
34. ^Vonderheid S.C., Tussing-Humphreys L., Park C., Pauls H., OjiNjideka Hemphill N., LaBomascus B., McLeod A., **Koenig M. D.** (2019) A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis on the Effects of Probiotic

Species on Iron Absorption and Iron Status. *Nutrients*, Dec 3;11(12). doi: 10.3390/nu11122938. PubMed PMID: 31816981; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC6949908.

35. #^**Koenig, M. D.**, McFarlin, B.L., Steffen, A.D., Tussing-Humphreys, L., Giurgescu, C., Engeland, C. G., Kominiarek, M.A., Cieczczak-Karpiel, C., O'Brien, W., & White-Traut, R. (2017). Decreased nutrient intake is associated with cervical remodeling. *Journal of Obstetric, Gynecologic, and Neonatal Nursing*, 46(1), 123-134. doi:10.1016/j.jogn.2016.08.006
36. #^Welke, L., **Koenig, M. D.**, Thomson, J.L., Nemeth, E., White-Traut, R., McFarlin, B.L., Giurgescu, C., Engeland, C.G., Kominiarek, M., & **Tussing-Humphreys, L.** (2017). Iron metabolism in African American women in the second and third trimesters of high-risk pregnancies. *Journal of Obstetric, Gynecologic, and Neonatal Nursing*, 46(1), 123-134. doi:10.1016/j.jogn.2016.06.013
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5. Adlam, K., **Koenig, M. D.**, Patil, C., Salih, S., Kramer, W., & Herschberger, P. (2022). A Mixed-Methods Evaluation of Egg Donors' Physical, Psychosocial, and Disclosure Experiences Post-Donation. *Fertility and Sterility*, 118(4), e16-e17. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.fertnstert.2022.08.065>

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PRESENTATIONS

Invited

1. Koenig, M. D. (2024). The irony of iron supplementation in pregnancy complicated by inflammation. Oral presentation. Spark Talks University of Illinois Chicago, Chicago, IL, April 3, 2024.
2. Koenig, M. D. (2023). The irony of iron supplements in pregnancy. Virtual presentation. University of Illinois Chicago Department of Maternal Fetal Medicine Didactic, Chicago, IL, June 7, 2023.
3. Koenig, M. D. (2023). The irony of iron supplements in pregnancy. Virtual presentation. University of Illinois Hospital and Health Science System Nursing Grand Rounds, Chicago, IL, April 19, 2023.
4. Koenig, M. D. & Crooks, N. (2022). Obstetric experiences of young Black mothers: an intersectional perspective. Virtual presentation. ACNM Diversity and Inclusion Conference, August 8th, 2022.
5. #Benson, M.R., Herschberger, P.A., & Hennessy, M. D. (2013). *Nurses' professional group research and the nurse.* Oral presentation at the 69th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive Medicine held conjointly with the International Federation of Fertility Societies, Boston, MA, October 14, 2013.

International

(Senior author underlined, #invited, ^student)

1. Adlam, K., Koenig, M. D., Patil, C., Salih, S., Steffen, A., Kramer, W., & Herschberger, P. (2022, October). A Mixed-Methods Evaluation of Egg Donors' Physical, Psychosocial, and Disclosure Experiences Post-Donation. Podium presentation, American Society for Reproductive Medicine 2022 Scientific Congress & Expo, October 24, 2022, Anaheim, California.

2. ^Roberts, K.J., Gallo, A.M., Patil, C.L., Vincent, C., Binns, H.J., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2021). *Family Management of Severe Obesity in Adolescents*. Oral Presentation. 15th International Family Nursing Conference (in Virtual Format) Family Nursing Throughout the Life Course. June 28, 2021.
3. ^Butudom, A., Patil, C., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2018, March). *Breastfeeding behavior outcomes of breastfeeding-friendly policies among mothers working in a factory in Thailand*. Poster presented at Consortium of Universities for Global Health, New York, NY.
4. **Hennessy, M. D.** (2009, July). *A comparison of meal frequency, macronutrient intake, and physical activity between African American women in preterm and term labor*. Oral presentation at Sigma Theta Tau International, Vancouver, British Columbia, CA.

National

1. Erbe, K., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2025). Exploring Patient-Provider Prenatal Nutrition Counseling with a Human Factors Lens, poster presented at the Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nursing 2025 Annual Convention, June 22, 2025.
2. Lee, S.Y., Lenon, P.P., Duangjina, T., Fritschi, C., Rivera, E., **Koenig, M. D.**, Kilroy, S., Martyn-Nemeth, P. (2025). PhD Peer Mentorship to Cultivate Belonging in Doctoral Students, American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) 2025 Doctoral Education Conference, January 16, 2025.
3. Campbell, R. **Koenig, M. D.**, Pobee, R., Huang, Y., Balakumar, P., Peñalver Bernabé, B. (2024). Neighborhood Structural and Social Determinants of Health (SSDoH) Predict Pregnancy Anemia in Chicago, American Society for Nutrition, Chicago, IL, June 30, 2024.
4. Pobee, R. Campbell, R., Huan, Y., Peñalver Bernabé, B, **Koenig, M. D.** (2024). Interplay of Structural Violence, Environmental Stressors, and Anemia as Multiple Pathways to Depressive Symptoms Among Pregnant Women in Chicago, American Society for Nutrition, Chicago, IL, June 30, 2024.
5. Rutherford, J.N., Abrams, E., Erickson, E., Ruvalcaba H., Woods, L., Lapsley, S., and **Koenig, M. D.** (2024). Do biomarkers associated with placentation hold potential for early risk detection of postpartum hemorrhage? American Association of Biological Anthropologists, Los Angeles, CA, March 23, 2024.
6. **Koenig, M. D.** & Crooks, N. (2022). Obstetric experiences of young Black mothers: an intersectional perspective. Podium presentation. 67th ACNM Annual Meeting & Exhibition, Chicago, IL, May 22, 2022.
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10. #^Roberts, K.J., Vincent, C., Gallo, A.M., Patil, C.L., Binns, H.J., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2020). Experiences of Families of Adolescents with Severe Obesity Attending a Clinic-Based Weight Management Program (Oral presentation). Pediatric Obesity Weight Evaluation Registry (POWER), Work Group (Invited), November 23, 2020.
11. ^Tussing-Humphreys, L., **Koenig, M. D.**, O'Brien, K., Pauls, H., Klikuszowian, E., deMartelly, V., Castellanos, K., Ruchob, R., Welke, L., OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., LaBomascus, B., & Pezley, L. (2019, June). Utilization of Iron in the Third Trimester of Pregnancy in Women with and Without Pre-pregnancy Obesity. *Poster presentation at the American Society for Nutrition*, Baltimore, MD.
12. #**Koenig, M. D.**, Tussing-Humphreys, L. M., & Ferrans, C. (2018, November). *Obesity in pregnancy: Iron dysregulation in mother and fetus*. Poster presentation at the American Academy of Nursing, Washington, DC.
13. #**Koenig, M. D.** (2016, December). *Impact of obesity on iron dysregulation in pregnancy*. Oral/Podium presentation at the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Nurse Faculty Scholars National Meeting, Washington, DC.
14. #**Koenig, M. D.** (2015, December). *Obesity in pregnancy: Iron dysregulation in mother and fetus*. Poster presented at the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Nurse Faculty Scholars National Meeting, Albuquerque, NM.
15. #**Koenig, M. D.** (2015, June). *Hepcidin, iron bioavailability, and its role in birth outcomes*. Paper presented at the Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nursing 2015 Annual Convention, Long Beach, CA.
16. **Koenig, M. D.** (2014, December). *Impact of obesity on iron dyregulation in pregnancy*. Oral/Podium presentation at the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Nurse Faculty Scholars National Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
17. **Koenig, M. D.**, McFarlin, B., Steffen, A., Tussing-Humphreys L. M., O'Brien, W. & White-Traut, R. (2014, September). *Decreased nutrient intake is associated with altered cervical remodeling*. Paper presented at the Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science 2014 State of the Science Congress on Nursing Research, Washington, DC.
18. **Hennesy, M. D.**, Giurgescu, C., Nemeth, E. (2012, September). *Psychological stress and hepcidin: A potential link to preterm birth*. Paper presented at the Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science, Washington, DC.
19. **Hennesy, M. D.**, Nemeth, E. & Giurgescu, C. (2012, January). *Psychological stress and hepcidin: A potential link to preterm birth*. Poster presented at March of Dimes, Washington, DC.
20. **Hennesy, M. D.** & Lee, K. (2011, July). *Micronutrient intake and anthropometrics in geographically similar women*. Poster presented at Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Gynecologic Nursing, Denver, CO.

21. **Hennesy, M. D.** & Lee, K. (2010, February). *Macronutrient intake and anthropometrics in geographically similar midlife women*. Poster presented at American Medical Women's Association, Arlington, VA.
22. **Hennesy, M. D.** (2009, July). *A comparison of meal frequency, macronutrient intake, and physical activity between African American women in preterm and term labor*. Poster presented at Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses, San Diego, CA.

Regional

1. **Koenig, M. D.**, Burton, T., & Crooks, N. (2025). "I Don't Even Shop in This Neighborhood." A Qualitative Study of Nutritional Determinants and Dietary Perspectives of Young, Urban, Black Pregnant Women. Midwest Nursing Research Society (MNRS), Indianapolis, IN, March 27, 2025.
2. Campbell, R., **Koenig, M. D.**, Pobe, R., Huang, Y., Balakumar, P., & Peñalver Bernabé, B. (2024). Anemia is common in Chicago pregnant people and varies with neighborhood social determinants of health (SDoH). University of Illinois Chicago Women's Health Research Day, April 17, 2024.
3. ^Alao, T., Li, L., Sawatpanich, A., Pezley, L., Tussing-Humphreys, L. & **Koenig, M. D.** (2024). Effect of Oral Lactoferrin Supplementation on Iron Status and Hematological Parameters in Humans: A Systematic Review & Meta-Analysis. University of Illinois Chicago Undergraduate Research Day, April 15, 2024.
4. Li, Y., Liese, K. L., Pezley, L., Sawatpanich, A., Elam, G., Erbe, K., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2024). Provider Perspectives on Integrating a Randomized Clinical Trial Among Pregnant People into the Clinical Infrastructure. Poster presented at the Midwest Nursing Research Society (MNRS) Annual Research Conference 2024, Minneapolis, MN, February 28 - March 2.
5. Erbe, K., Papautsky, E., Rutherford, J., Liese, K.L., Tussing-Humphreys, L., & **Koenig, M.D.** (2024, April 4). Midwife and Obstetric Physician Practices Related to Pregnancy Nutrition Counseling: A Scoping Review. Annual Eastern Nursing Research Society Scientific Sessions, Poster Presentation.
6. Goldstein, E, **Koenig, M. D.**, Koomson, C., Keita, M., & Farah, E. (2023, November 3). Reducing Stress-Sensitive Problems Among Pregnant Black Women with Childhood Adversity: A Pilot Randomized Controlled Trial of Motivational Interviewing and Mental Wellness Skills. The Power of Nursing Leadership Event, Poster Presentation.
7. Koomson, C., Keita, M., **Koenig, M. D.**, Farah, E., & Goldstein, E. (2023, May 5). Reducing Stress-Sensitive Problems Among Pregnant Black Women with Childhood Adversity: A Pilot Randomized Controlled Trial of Motivational Interviewing and Mental Wellness Skills. 2023 University of Illinois Hospital and Health Sciences System, Nurses Week, Poster Presentation.
8. Koomson, C., Keita, M., **Koenig, M. D.**, Farah, E., & Goldstein, E. (2023, April 17). Reducing Stress-Sensitive Problems Among Pregnant Black Women with Childhood Adversity: A Pilot Randomized Controlled Trial of Motivational Interviewing and Mental Wellness Skills. 5th Annual UIC Women's Health Research Day, Poster Presentation.

9. Straughan, K.A., **Koenig, M. D.**, & Lyles, R.M. (2021, October 13). Probiotic Supplements and Nutrition Tips for Improved Iron Absorption. UI Health Nurse Wellness Seminar Series, Virtual Presentation.
10. Straughan, K.A., **Koenig, M. D.**, & Lyles, R.M. (2021, September 17). Iron Mom – Probiotic Supplements and Nutrition Tips for Better Iron Absorption in Pregnancy. UIC Alumni Association, Virtual Presentation.
11. ^Lyszczarczyk, M., Man, B. Tussing-Humphreys, L., **Koenig, M. D.**, Chien, R., Cares, K., Burton, T. (2021, April). Gestational Diabetes and Gut Microbiome Scoping Review: Overview of Methodology and Included Studies. Poster presented at UIC Impact and Research Week, Virtual Presentation.
12. ^Roberts, K.J., Vincent, C., Gallo, A., Patil, C., Binns, H. & **Koenig, M. D.** (2020, April). Families Management of Severe Obesity in Adolescents. Poster presented at Midwestern Nursing Research Society 2020 Annual Conference, Virtual Conference.
13. **Koenig, M. D.**, Vonderheid, S., Tussing-Humphreys, L., Park, C., Pauls, H., & OjiNjideka Hemphill, N. (2019, March). Probiotic Effects on Iron Absorption and Potential Implications for Mothers and Babies. Poster presented at March of Dimes 44th Annual Perinatal Health Conference, Lombard, IL.
14. Turturice, B., **Koenig, M. D.**, Tussing-Humphreys, L., Perkins, D., & Finn, P. (2018, June). *Maternal Obesity is Associated with Transcriptional Changes in Cord Blood Mononuclear Cells*. Poster presented at the Chicago-Area Maternal and Infant Microbiome Symposium (MIMOS), Chicago, IL.
15. Tussing-Humphreys, L., **Koenig, M. D.**, Peñalver Bernabé, B., Cralle, L., McLeod, A., DeMartelly, V., LaBomascus, B., OjiNjideka Hemphill, N., Welke, L., Furlette-Koski, M., Ruchob, R., Pezley, L. (2018, June). *Iron Absorption and Gut Microbiota Composition in Pregnancy*. Poster presented at the Chicago-Area Maternal and Infant Microbiome Symposium (MIMOS), Chicago, IL.
16. ^Butudom, A., Pail, C., & **Koenig, M. D.** (2017, April). *Factors influencing breastfeeding among Thai and Asian postpartum mothers*. Poster presented at the Midwest Nursing Research Society 2017 Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
17. **Koenig, M. D.**, Park, C., Giurgescu, C., & White-Traut, R. (2016, March). *Measurement of the iron regulatory hormone hepcidin*. Paper presented at the Midwest Nursing Research Society, Milwaukee, WI.
18. **Hennesy, M. D.**, Nemeth, E., Giurgescu, C. (2013, March). *Hepcidin-mediated iron restriction increases the risk for preterm birth*. Paper presented at the Midwest Nursing Research Society, Chicago, IL.
19. ^Cieczcak, C. & **Hennesy, M. D.** (2013, March). *Poor nutrient intake affects iron bioavailability in pregnant African Americans*. Paper presented at the Midwest Nursing Research Society, Chicago, IL.
20. **Hennesy, M. D.** (2011, March). *Iron and vitamin D deficiency: A pathway to racial disparities in preterm birth – a proposed study*. Poster presented at the Midwest Nursing Research Society, Columbus, OH.

Service to Profession/Discipline

Entity	Date	Role
National Institutes of Health, 2026/10 Human Studies of Diabetes and Obesity (HSDO) Endocrine and Metabolic Systems (EMS) Review Branch	June 24 & 26 2026	Ad hoc Grant Reviewer*
National Institutes of Health, Environmental Influences in Pregnancy and Offspring Health EMS (81) Endocrinology and Metabolic Systems (EMS) Review Branch	April 29 2026	Ad hoc Grant Reviewer*
National Institutes of Health, 2026/01 ZRG1 EMS F 08 Pregnancy and Microenvironment Endocrine and Metabolic Systems (EMS) Review Branch	January 23 2026	Ad hoc Grant Reviewer*
BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth	2025	Editorial Board Member
National Institutes of Health, Pregnancy and Neonatology (PN) Study Section Endocrine and Metabolic Systems (EMS) Review Branch	June 17 & 18 2024	Ad hoc Grant Reviewer*
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	2024-2026	Board of Directors^
Frontiers in Nutrition	2023-2025	Review Editor on the Editorial Board of Nutritional Epidemiology*
Midwifery	2023	Reviewer*
Ethnicity & Health	2023	Reviewer*
The American Journal of Clinical Nutrition	2023	Reviewer*
American Journal of Hematology	2023	Reviewer*
Journal of Maternal-Fetal & Neonatal Medicine	2023	Reviewer*
Nutrients, Special Edition Structural and Systemic Factors Impacting Infant Feeding Decisions and Practices	2023	Guest Editor*
MCN, The American Journal of Maternal Child Nursing	2022-2026	Editorial Board Member
Journal of Nutritional Science	2022	Reviewer*
Nutrients, Special Edition Iron and Infant Development	2022-2023	Guest Editor*
Health Research Board (HRB) Ireland	2021	Grant Reviewer*
Journal of Translational Medicine	2021	Reviewer*
British Journal of Nutrition	2021	Reviewer*
Journal of Nutrition	2021, 2023	Reviewer*
Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology	2021	Reviewer*
Journal of Public Health	2021	Reviewer*
Journal of Midwifery and Women's Health	2020-present	Reviewer
Nutrients	2018-present	Reviewer Board Member*
Journal of Reproductive Immunology	2018	Reviewer*
Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecologic, and Neonatal Nursing, Special Edition Nutrition in Pregnancy	2017	Guest Editor*
International BioIron Society	2016-present	Member
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	2016-2017	Research Advisory Panel Member

Midwest Nursing Research Society, Women's Health and Transitions in Childbearing Research Interest Group	2016-2017	Chair#
International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health	2016	Reviewer*
International Society of Nurses in Genetics	2015-2017	Member
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	2013-2015	Research Advisory Panel Corresponding Member
Midwest Nursing Research Society, Research Committee	2013-2018	Member
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	2013-2017	Abstract Reviewer
American Nurses Association and Illinois Nurses Association	2013-2014	Grant Reviewer
Jordan, R.G., Engstrom, J., Marfell, J., & Farley, C.L. (2013). <i>Prenatal and postnatal care: A guide for nurse practitioners and midwives</i> , Nutrition during Pregnancy chapter, Wiley	2013	Reviewer*
Midwest Nursing Research Society, Scholarship Committee	2012-2016	Member
Midwest Nursing Research Society, Conference Program Planning Committee	2012-2013	Member
Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science	2012	Abstract Reviewer
Midwest Nursing Research Society	2012	Abstract Reviewer
Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecologic, and Neonatal Nursing	2011-present	Reviewer
Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science	2010-2012	Member
American Nurses Association and Illinois Nurses Association	2010-present	Member
Midwest Nursing Research Society	2010-2023	Member
Sigma Theta Tau International	2010-2016	Abstract and Grant Reviewer
Nursing for Women's Health	2009-2021	Reviewer
MCN, The American Journal of Maternal Child Nursing	2009-present	Reviewer
Western Institute of Nursing	2009	Abstract Reviewer
Western Institute of Nursing	2008-2010	Member
Eastern Nursing Research Society	2004-2008	Member
Sigma Theta Tau International	2003-present	Member
American College of Nurse-Midwives	2000-present	Member
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	1997-present	Member

*Invited, #Elected, ^Appointed

Service to the University

Entity	Date	Role
Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH)	2024-present	Mentor*
COVID19 Research Review Committee, University of Illinois at Chicago	2021-2022	Member*
University Senate Committee	2014-2016	Member#

Honors College Admissions	2012	Reviewer
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*Invited, #Elected

Service Related to Students

Entity	Date	Role
Nurses for Sexual and Reproductive Health (NSRH) Chapter at UIC	2022-2023	Faculty Sponsor
National Student Nursing Association	2013-2014	Faculty Representative

Service to the Department/College

Entity	Date	Role
Tenure Track Search Committee, Human Development Nursing Science	2026	Member*
PhD Admission	2024-2026	Reviewer
PhD Advisory Committee	2023-2024	Member*
Research Committee, College of Nursing	2023-2025	Chair*
Bridge to Faculty Search Committee, Human Development Nursing Science	2023-2024	Chair*
Tenure Track Search Committee, Human Development Nursing Science	2023-2024	Chair*
Search Committee for Associate Dean for Academic Programs	2022	Chair*
Peer Review Committee for Tenure Track, Human Development Nursing Science	2021-2023	Chair for Tenure Track*
Appointment Promotion and Tenure Committee, Human Development Nursing Science	2021-2024	Chair#
Research Committee, College of Nursing	2020-2022	Member#
AGMS Admission	2020-2023	Interviewer
University of Illinois, College of Nursing Faculty Retreat " <i>Diversity Launching Pad</i> ", College of Nursing	2019	Chair
Academic Programs and Evaluation Committee Member, University of Illinois at Chicago, College of Nursing	2018-2020	Member#
DNP Nurse-Midwifery Student Admission, Human Development Nursing Science	2017-2019	Interviewer
Appointment, Promotion and Tenure Committee Member, University of Illinois at Chicago, College of Nursing	2014-2016	Member#
Research Committee Member, University of Illinois at Chicago, College of Nursing	2012-2014	Member#
Bachelor of Science in Nursing Admissions Reviewer, College of Nursing	2012	Reviewer
Appointment, Promotion and Tenure Committee Member, University of Illinois at Chicago, College of Nursing	2011-2012	Member#
Master of Science in Midwifery Admissions	2011	Interviewer
Department Advisory Committee, Department of Women, Children, and Family Health Science	2010-2013	Member

*Invited, #Elected

Public/Community Service

Entity	Date	Role
NewMoms	2023	Community Liaison
March of Dimes, Healthy Babies are Worth the Wait, University of Illinois Hospital	2016-2017	Community Advisory Board*

Illinois Chapter March of Dimes, Health Leadership Awards	2014-2017	Committee Member*
UIC College Prep High School	2013	Volunteer Mentor

*Invited, #Elected