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## **ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

Ph.D., Education, 2009

University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

*Dissertation: The Effects of a Home-Based Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Preschool Children and Parent Perceptions of Barriers*

Masters of Science, Education, May 2006

University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

*Thesis: Evaluation of Kansas' Coordinated School Health Programs*

Bachelor of Science, Education, May 2001

University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Emphasis: Sports Science

## **RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

01/05-12/06	Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS
08/06-05/08	Academic Tutor, University of Kansas Athletic Department, Lawrence, KS
01/07-07/08	Study Coordinator, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, KS
01/08-12/10	Research Consultant BlueCross and BlueShield, Kansas City, MO
12/08-11/10	Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, KS
06/10-4/12	Qualitative Researcher, KC Food Policy Coalition, Kansas City, MO
11/10-04/12	Qualitative Research Analyst, University of Kansas Center for Research on Learning, Lawrence, KS
04/12-Present	Assistant Research Professor, University of Kansas Center for Research on Learning, Lawrence, KS
08/12-Present	Lecturer, Department of Health, Sport, & Exercise Sciences, University of Kansas

## **ACADEMIC AWARDS AND HONORS**

Nominated for School of Education Dissertation Honors, 2009

Completed Dissertation with Honors, 2008

1<sup>st</sup> Place Honors in the University of Kansas Research Competition, 2008

Wayne Osness Outstanding Doctoral Student Award, 2007

## **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS**

American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Member  
American Alliance for Health Education, Member  
American Education Research Association, Member  
Society for Behavioral Medicine, Member  
Active Living Research, Member  
Obesity Society, Member  
Certified Health Education Specialist (CHES), the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc., Licensure No. 12304

## **PUBLICATIONS AND ABSTRACTS**

1. **Harvey, S. P.**, Farmer, A. J., McConville, R. L., Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., Smith, B. K., Sullivan, D. K., & Donnelly, J. E. (2008). A physical activity and nutrition program for pre-kindergarten children at YMCA centers. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine, 35*(s1), s204.
2. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2009). Effects of a home-based physical activity and nutrition program for preschool children and parent perceptions of barriers. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine, 37*(s1), s128.
3. **Harvey, S. P.**, Greene, J. L., & Gibson, C. A. (2009). Parental report and views: Meeting physical activity guidelines for children. *KAHPERD, 81*(2), 45-50.
4. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Maxwell, S. J., Spaeth, K., Kunkel, G., & Sullivan, D. K. (2010). Farm to school, school to home: An evaluation of an innovative program at an urban core Head Start preschool. *Obesity, 18*(s2), S57.
5. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Sol, R. J., & Donnelly, J. E. (2010). The perceptions of overweight and obese individuals participating in a phone-based weight management program: What are the benefits and barriers? *Obesity, 18*(s2), S128.
6. Maxwell, S. J., **Harvey, S. P.**, & Gibson, C. A. (2010). BMI and dietary intake among urban core adolescents. *Obesity, 18*(s2), S180.
7. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Spaeth, K., Sullivan, D. K., Lambourne, K., & Kunkel, G. (2013). Farm to School, School to Home: An Evaluation of a Farm to School Program at an Urban Core Head Start Preschool Program. *Journal of Hunger & Environmental Nutrition, 9*(3), 334-349.
8. Gibson, C. A., August, K. J., Greene, J. L., Herrmann, S.D., Lee, J., **Harvey, S. P.**, Sullivan, D. K., & Lambourne, K. (2015). A televideo exercise and nutrition program for children with acute lymphoblastic leukemia in maintenance therapy: design and methods. *Journal of Clinical Trials*, (In Press).
9. Smith, S. J., & **Harvey, S. P.** (2015). Animated visual supports for social skills (AViSSS): An interactive virtual experience for social skill development among students on the autism spectrum. *Journal of Special Education*, (In Review).
10. Gibbs, H., **Harvey, S. P.**, & Sullivan, D. K. (2015). Use of cognitive interviews to adapt a nutrition literacy instrument. *Health Communications*, (In Review).

## **RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS**

1. **Harvey, S.P.**, Farmer, A. J., McConville, R. L., Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., Smith, B. K., Sullivan, D. K., & Donnelly, J. E. (September 2007). A Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Pre-Kindergarten Children. Poster presentation at the The University of

- Kansas 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on the Prevention and Treatment of Overweight and Obese Individuals, Kansas City, MO. Peer reviewed.
2. **Harvey, S.P.**, Farmer, A. J., Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (March 2008). The Effects of a Home-Based Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Preschool Children. Oral presentation at the Central District Association of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Omaha, NE. Peer reviewed.
  3. **Harvey, S. P.** (March 2008). The Effects of a Home-Based Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Preschool Children. Poster presentation at The University of Kansas Research Competition.
  4. **Harvey, S. P.**, Farmer, A. J., McConville, R. L., Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., Smith, B. K., Sullivan, D. K., & Donnelly, J. L. (March 2008). A Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for Pre-Kindergarten children at YMCA Centers. Poster presentation at the The Society for Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA. Peer reviewed.
  5. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (April 2009). Effects of a home-based physical activity and nutrition program for preschool children and parent perceptions of barriers. Oral presentation at The Society for Behavioral Medicine, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, Peer reviewed.
  6. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Greene, J. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (April 2009). Effects of a home-based physical activity and nutrition program for preschool children and parent perceptions of barriers. Oral presentation at the University of Kansas Medical Center Postdoctoral Research Day.
  7. **Harvey, S. P.**, Stockdale, R., Kunkel, G., Holliday, H., & Gibson, C. A. (February 2010). Assessment of the Built Environment in a Racially Diverse, Urban Community in Kansas City, Kansas. Poster presentation at Active Living Research Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. Peer reviewed.
  8. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., Sol, R. J., & Donnelly, J. E. (October 2010). The Perceptions of Overweight and Obese Individuals Participating in a Phone-Based Weight Management Program: What are the Benefits and Barriers? Poster presentation at The Obesity Society 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.
  9. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Maxwell, S. J., Spaeth, K., Kunkel, G., & Sullivan, D. K. (October 2010). Farm to School, School to Home: An Evaluation of an Innovative Program at an Urban Core Head Start Preschool. Oral presentation at The Obesity Society 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.
  10. Maxwell, S. J., **Harvey, S. P.**, & Gibson, C. A. (October 2010). BMI and Dietary Intake among Urban Core Adolescents. Poster presentation at The Obesity Society 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.
  11. Cornett, J., **Harvey, S. P.**, Kennedy, M. J., Skrtic, T. M., Mitchell, B. B., Novosel, L. C., & Knight, J. (April 2011). Professional Development Practices of School-Based Instructional Coaches: The Rise (and Sometimes Fall) of Job-Embedded Professional Development. Poster presentation at the American Educational Research Association Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA. Peer Reviewed.
  12. Bradley, B., **Harvey, S. P.**, Hock, M., Knight, D., Knight, J. & Skrtic, T. S. (October 2011). Design Research to Improve Instructional Coaching in Middle School. Symposia presentation at the Sixth Annual Instructional Coaching Conference, Lawrence, KS.
  13. **Harvey, S. P.**, Gibson, C. A., & Kunkel, G. (May 2012). Results of Cognitive Interviewing to Develop and Refine a Food Access and Dietary Habits Survey: Limited Health Literacy Skills Major Barrier to Addressing Community Needs of Urban Core Residents. Poster Presentation at the Institute for Healthcare Advancement, Irvine, CA.

14. Smith, S. J., & **Harvey, S. P.** (July 2013). What we are finding: Animated visual supports for social skills? Presentation at the Annual Office of Special Education Programs Leadership Conference, Washington, DC.
15. **Harvey, S. P.**, Skrtic, T. M., & Cornett, J. (April 2013). Instructional Coaching in Context: Role Ambiguity and Conflict in Educational Systems. Roundtable presentation at the American Educational Research Association Annual Scientific Meeting, San Francisco, CA. Peer Reviewed.
16. Smith, S. J., & **Harvey, S. P.** (April 2014). Animated Visual Supports for Social Skills (AViSSS): An Interactive Virtual Experience for Social Skill Development. Oral Presentation at the American Educational Research Association Annual Scientific Meeting, Philadelphia, PA. Peer Reviewed.
17. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, Swanson, A., & Craven, T. (April 2014). City of San Antonio Head Start Program Healthy Family Challenge. Oral Presentation at the Experimental Biology Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.
18. Smith, S. J., **Harvey, S. P.**, & Greer, D. K. (April 2015). Common Core + Writing + Effective Technology Tools = Success. Oral Presentation at the Council for Exceptional Children Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.
19. Smith, S. J., **Harvey, S. P.**, & Greer, D. K. (April 2015). What Do We Know? Data and Dashboards to Improve Writing Instruction. Oral Presentation at the Council for Exceptional Children Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. Peer Reviewed.

### **BOOK CHAPTERS**

1. Bradley, B., Knight, J. **Harvey, S.**, Hock, M., Knight, D., Skrtic, T., Brasseur-Hock, I., & Deshler, D. (2013). Improving instructional coaching to support middle school teachers in the United States. In T. Plomp, & N. Nieveen (Eds.), *Educational design research – Part B: Introduction and illustrative cases*, pp. 299-318. Enschede, the Netherlands: SLO. <http://international.slo.nl/publications/edr/contents/c15/>.

### **EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS & PUBLICATIONS**

1. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McConville, R. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2009). Feeding Preschool Children Ages 2-5: A Reference Guide for Childcare Providers. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.
2. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McConville, R. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2009). Simple Changes: A Guide for Food Service Professionals in the Planning, Procurement, Preparation, and Service of School Meals. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.
3. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McConville, R. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2009). Simple Changes: A Guide for Food Service Professionals for Enhancing the School Eating Environment. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.
4. Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McConville, R. L., & Sullivan, D. K. (2010). Nourishing Preschool Children Ages 2-5: A Reference Guide for Parents. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.
5. Gibson, C. A., Shimizu, M., Warren, L., McMaster, M., & **Harvey, S. P.** (May 2010). Preschool Wellness Resource Guide: A Listing of Resources for Preschool Teachers and Staff. Online at [www.bluekc.com/.../Preschool Wellness Resource Guide.pdf](http://www.bluekc.com/.../Preschool_Wellness_Resource_Guide.pdf).

6. Mirtz, T., Gibson, C. A., **Harvey, S. P.**, McMaster, M., & Greene, J. L. (2011). Movement Exploration for the Developmentally Disabled. Kansas City, MO: Blue Cross and Blue Shield.

## **EXTERNAL FUNDING**

### **Pending Grants**

National Institutes of Health \$275,000  
Just Google It: An observational study of adolescents surfing for health information  
Role: PI

### **Active Grants**

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \$1,300,000  
Partnerships to Improve Community Health (PICH)  
Role: External Evaluator

1R03HD081730-01A1  
National Institutes of Health \$165,000  
Adaptation and Validation of a Nutrition Literacy Assessment Instrument  
Role: Co-PI

H327S120019 \$2,500,000  
U.S. Department of Education  
Stepping Up: Sustainable Implementation of Innovations for Student Achievement  
Role: Project Director

H327A110062 \$547,412  
U.S. Department of Education  
Phase 2: Animated Visual Support for Social Support (AViSSS): An Interactive Virtual Experience for Social Skill Development.  
Role: Project Coordinator, Qualitative Research Methodologist

St. Baldrick's Foundation  
Health Coaching for Families of Children with ALL  
Role: Research Personnel

### **Completed Grants**

R324B070302 \$1,919,577  
Institute of Education Sciences  
Improving Instruction Through Implementation of the Partnership Instructional Coaching Model  
Role: Qualitative Research Analyst

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation \$225,000

Rosedale Ministerial Alliance Healthy Kids Initiative.

Role: Co-I

Hartwig Legacy Foundation \$12,156

An Evaluation of the Farm to School Pilot Program

Role: Co-PI

Health Care Foundation of Greater Kansas City \$38,135

YMCA Physical Activity and Nutrition Training Program.

Role: Co-PI

Healthy Schools Partnership \$519,000

Evaluating an Integrated Approach to Building Healthier Elementary School Students Through Energy Balance.

Role: Co-I

Health Care Foundation of Greater Kansas City \$123,906

A Physical Activity and Nutrition Program for YMCA Preschool Children

Role: Project Coordinator

PE4life Organization \$160,987

An Evaluation of the PE4life Elementary and Middle School Physical Education Program

Role: Project Coordinator

### **INVITED GUEST LECTURE PRESENTATIONS**

1. HSES 214 Physical Education Activities for Elementary School Children (Spring 2008). *Strategies and Tools for Teaching Nutrition Education to Elementary School Children.*
2. HSES 341 Instructional Strategies in PE for Elementary Classroom Teachers (Spring 2008). *Nutrition Education for Elementary School Students.*
3. HSES 605 Administrating Health-Related Programs (Spring 2008). *Guest Lecture Panel on Health Education and Community Health Graduate Programs.*
4. HSES 680 Adaptive Physical Education and Recreation (Summer 2008). *Overweight and Obesity among Elementary and Middle School Children.*
5. Obesity Prevention Workshop (November 2008). *Nutrition Myths.*
6. Nutrition Ambulatory Care Rotation (Year 3 Medical Students). (Spring 2009). *Obesity Clinical Guidelines.*
7. DN 834 Research Methods in Nutrition (Fall 2009). *Qualitative Research Methods.*
8. Obesity Prevention Workshop (November 2009). *Nutrition & Exercise Myths.*
9. Junior League Nutrition and Physical Activity Training Workshop (August 2010). *Childhood Obesity Nutrition & Exercise Myths: True or False?*
10. DN 834 Research Methods in Nutrition (Fall 2010). *Qualitative Research Methods.*
11. Bradley, B., Harvey, S. P., Hock, M., Knight, D., Knight, J. & Skrtic, T. S. (October 2011). Design Research to Improve Instructional Coaching in Middle School. Symposia presentation at the Sixth Annual Instructional Coaching Conference, Lawrence, KS.

### **COLLEGE COURSE INSTRUCTION**

1. HSES 260: Personal and Community Health

2. HSES 308: Drugs & Diseases in Society
3. HSES 330: Principles of Nutrition & Health
4. HSES 418: Health Aspects of Aging
5. HSES 465: Program Assessment & Evaluation
6. HSES 488: Pre-Internship Seminar
7. HSES 580: Health Internship
8. HSES 823: Behavior Modification in Health & Exercise

### **OTHER INSTRUCTION & LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES**

November 2008. **Obesity Prevention Training Workshop**, Kansas City, MO. Role: Planning Committee and Presenter.

November 2009. **Obesity Prevention Training Workshop**, Kansas City, MO. Role: Planning Committee and Presenter.

Co-supervision of graduate students in the development and completion of Master's and Doctoral research projects and theses:

1. Niosi, Nicoletta (2014). Leveraging family social dynamics to increase fruit and vegetable consumption among adults and children. Thesis Committee, School of Architecture and Design.
2. Poux, Kiira (2014). Preparing NCAA Athletes for live beyond the sport. Research grant application.
3. Beyer, Joe (2014). Independent study, Department of Health, Sport, and Exercise Sciences.
4. Gan, Sharon (2013). Cognitive Interviewing Methods to Revise an Online Program for Middle School Children. Doctoral Dissertation, Department of Special Education, University of Kansas.
5. Turner, Maren (2010). African American women and their perceptions of hair and exercise: A qualitative study. Doctoral Dissertation, Department of Human Development and Family Life, University of Kansas.
6. Johnson, Amy (2010). Fruit and Vegetable Servings in local farm-sourced and standard lunches offered to children in a Head Start program. Master's Thesis, Department of Dietetics and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center.
7. Barkley, Rachel (2009). A qualitative study of children's perceptions of dairy foods. Doctoral Research Project. Department of Dietetics and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center.
8. Farmer, Amy (2009). YMCA Healthy Kids Program. Master's Research Project, Department of Dietetics and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center.
9. McConville, Rebecca (2008). YMCA Healthy Kids Program. Master's Research Project, Department of Dietetics and Nutrition, University of Kansas Medical Center.

### **CERTIFICATIONS**

Certified Health Education Specialist (CHES), the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc., Licensure No. 12304.