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Education

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Prevention Research, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD,
2006-2007

Ph.D. in Community Psychology, Wichita State University, Wichita, KS, 2005

M.A. in Psychology, Wichita State University, Wichita, KS, 2004

B.A. in Psychology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 2001

Employment

July 2010 – present	Assistant Professor of Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences, The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Public Health, El Paso Campus
Jan. 2011 – present	Adjunct Assistant Professor of Public Health, The University of Texas at El Paso
Sept. 2007 – June 2010	Research Associate (Research Faculty), Prevention Research Center, The Pennsylvania State University
Aug. 2006 – Dec. 2006	Assistant Professor (part time), University of Maryland Baltimore County
Sept. 2005 – Aug 2007	Postdoctoral Fellow in Prevention Research, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
Jan. 2002 – Aug 2005	Research Associate, Center for Community Support & Research, Wichita State University
May 2001 – Aug. 2001	Photo Intern, Milwaukee Journal-Sentinel (circ. 260,000)
May 2000 – Aug. 2000	Photo Intern, Erie Times-News (circ. 70,000)
Sept. 1999 – May 2001	Photo Editor, The Michigan Daily (circ. 18,000)

Honors

Fellow, Society for Community Research and Action, Div. 27 of APA, 2018

Making the Difference Award, City of El Paso Department of Public Health, 2017

Award for Excellence in Community Service, UTHHealth School of Public Health, 2015

3rd Prize, Society for Community Research and Action Video Contest, 2013

Early Career Award, Society for Community Research and Action, Div. 27 of APA, 2012

Emory L. Cowen Dissertation Award for the Promotion of Wellness, 2008

Wichita State University Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation, 2006

NIMH Mental Health Services Research New Investigator Award, 2005

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society inductee, 2005

George A. Lewis Fellowship, 2004

Wichita State University Outstanding Doctoral-Level Student, 2004

Delano Maggard, Jr. Graduate Research Grant, 2003

SPSSI Applied Social Issues Internship Program Award, 2003

Ongoing External Funding (Principal Investigator)

2018-2019	Role	Principal Investigator for Subcontract
	Funder	Emotional Health Association/California's Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development
	Total costs	\$74,572 (\$64,845 direct)
	Title	Local organizational support and development networks for public mental health systems workforce with lived experience
	Description	Randomized trial of a multifaceted intervention designed to strengthen peer workers and peer mental health services.
2017-2018	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	Paso del Norte Health Foundation
	Total costs	\$147,264 (\$133,876 direct)
	Title	Youth Advocating for Policy EXecution (Youth APEX): Training youth to be health policy advocates
	Description	Youth-adult partnerships pursue tobacco policy and environmental change efforts including smoke-free housing
2016-2018	Role	Principal Investigator for Subcontract
	Funder	Programa Compañeros/U.S. Department of State
	Total costs	\$50,000 (\$46,296 direct)
	Title	Mexican Anti-Drug Community Coalitions
	Description	Evaluation of community coalition context, capacity, and functioning among 18 drug prevention coalitions in Mexico
2014-2019	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	City of El Paso/Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
	Total costs	\$400,000 (\$363,636 direct)
	Title	Reaching Medicaid and Vulnerable Families through a Community Health Worker Outreach, Health Navigation, and Health Education Integrative Model
	Description	Evaluates community health worker efforts to engage vulnerable families in heart health and cancer prevention interventions
2016-2018	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	El Paso Independent School District/Paso del Norte Health Foundation
	Total costs	\$128,213 (\$116,557 direct)
	Title	Teens Against Tobacco Use: A Tobacco Prevention Curriculum and Advocacy Initiative
	Description	Randomized trial evaluating whether a tobacco prevention peer education intervention reduces tobacco susceptibility
2015-2019	Role	Principal Investigator for Subcontract
	Funder	UTEP/National Institute of General Medical Sciences/NIH, RL5GM118969
	Total costs	\$252,516 (\$232,516 direct)
	Title	BUILDing SCHOLARS (Building Undergraduate Infrastructure Leading to Diversity: Southwest Consortium of Health-Oriented education Leaders And Research Scholars)
	Description	Connects faculty and students from UTEP to UTHealth research

opportunities, enhancing minorities' ability to obtain NIH funding.

Ongoing External Funding (Co-Investigator)

2018-2023	Role	Co-Investigator
	Funder	National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities/NIH, R01 MD012928-01
	Total costs	\$3,332,567 (\$2,312,688 direct)
	Title	VALES+Tú: Targeting psychosocial stressors to reduce Latino Day Laborers injury disparities
	Description	Randomized trial of community engaged interventions to reduce psychosocial stressors and work injuries in Latino day laborers

Ongoing External Funding (Mentor)

2014-2019	Role	Mentor
	Funder	Health Resources & Services Administration/HHS, T04MC12785
	Total costs	\$883,170 (\$829,628 direct)
	Title	UTHealth/GVSU Multimodal Maternal and Child Health Training Program
	Description	Graduate fellowships and interdisciplinary trainings meet the needs of the maternal and child health workforce
2013-2018	Role	Mentor
	Funder	National Cancer Institute/NIH, R25CA057712
	Total costs	\$2,620,399 (\$2,441,361 direct)
	Title	Behavioral Science Education for Cancer Prevention and Control
	Description	Provides pre and post-doctoral fellowships in cancer prevention and control.

Completed External Funding (Principal Investigator)

2015-2016	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	Paso del Norte Health Foundation
	Total costs	\$153,238 (\$139,308 direct)
	Title	Longitudinal Evaluation of Teens Against Tobacco Use
	Description	Randomized trial evaluating whether a tobacco prevention peer education intervention reduces tobacco susceptibility
2014-2016	Role	Principal Investigator for Subcontract
	Funder	Programa Compañeros/U.S. Department of State
	Total costs	\$52,000 (\$41,270 direct)
	Title	Coalition Development in Mexico
	Description	Evaluation of the readiness and coalition functioning of 22 substance abuse prevention coalitions in Mexico
2014-2015	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	Paso del Norte Health Foundation
	Total costs	\$113,393 (\$103,085 direct)
	Title	Teens Against Tobacco Use: A Model for Universal Tobacco Prevention and Youth Advocacy
	Description	Randomized trial evaluating whether youth partnerships following

		the Teens Against Tobacco Use Model reduce tobacco susceptibility
2012-2014	Role	Principal Investigator for Subcontract
	Funder	Programa Compañeros/U.S. Department of State, SINLEC12CA009
	Total costs	\$43,000 (\$34,126 direct)
	Title	Coalition Development on the U.S. Mexico Border
	Description	Evaluation of the readiness and coalition functioning of nine substance abuse prevention coalitions in Mexico
2011-2013	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	UTEP/National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities/NIH, P20MD002287
	Total costs	\$125,599 (\$99,682 direct)
	Title	Development and Evaluation of a Novel Strategy for Reducing Stress through Mutual Support Groups
	Description	Randomized trial evaluating the efficacy of a novel strategy for promoting engagement in parent-led support groups
2010-2013	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	National Institute on Drug Abuse/NIH, R03DA027942
	Total costs	\$74,000 (\$50,000 direct)
	Title	Using Coalitions to Support Evidence-Based Programs and Prevent Drug Abuse
	Description	Examined the ability of community coalitions to support evidenced-based program implementation and improve youth outcomes
2010-2013	Role	Principal Investigator for Subcontract
	Funder	Texas Tech/Health Resources & Services Administration/HHS, D34HP16043
	Total costs	\$81,227 (\$75,210 direct)
	Title	Centers for Excellence
	Description	Evaluated Center programs aimed at improving the recruitment and performance of underrepresented minority students and faculty
2011-2012	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	Paso del Norte Health Foundation
	Total costs	\$15,000 (\$13,636 direct)
	Title	Evaluation of Smoke Free Youth Coalitions
	Description	Participatory evaluation of smoke-free youth coalitions examining youth capacity building and factors that impacted coalition success
2003-2004	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	Wichita State University Graduate School
	Total costs	\$500 (\$500 direct)
	Title	The Photographic Voice of People with Mental Illness
	Description	Participatory action research project using Photovoice to understand mental health consumer-run organizations
2003-2004	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues
	Total costs	\$2,500 (\$2,500 direct)
	Title	Bringing Quantitative Data to Life: A Photo and Video Documentary of Consumer-Run Organizations

Description Used journalistic methods to create a photo and video documentary of mental health consumer-run organizations

Completed External Funding (Co-Investigator)

2013-2018	Role	Co-Investigator
	Funder	National Cancer Institute/NIH, CNP U54CA153505
	Total costs	\$1,658,165 (\$1,109,581 direct)
	Title	Reducing Cancer Disparities Among Latinos in Texas
	Description	Trained researchers in using Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) to reduce cancer-related health disparities
2014-2017	Role	Co-Investigator
	Funder	Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute
	Total costs	\$1,927,427 (\$1,520,273 direct)
	Title	Culturally Adapted Brief Motivational Intervention for Heavy Drinking Latinos
	Description	Uses community engagement to inform cultural adaptation of a motivational interviewing intervention for heavy drinking
2013-2015	Role	Co-Investigator
	Funder	National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities/NIH, R24MD007975
	Total costs	\$982,687 (\$684,681 direct)
	Title	Prevention Program to Reduce Injury Disparities among Latino Day Laborers
	Description	A community-based participatory research (CBPR) project engaging Latino day laborers in the prevention of work-related injuries
2013-2014	Role	Co-Investigator
	Funder	Paso del Norte Health Foundation
	Total costs	\$2,201,603 (\$2,001,457 direct)
	Title	HEAL Paso del Norte Health Foundation Center of Excellence & A Multi-Institutional Partnership
	Description	The project seeks to engage the community in efforts to promote healthy eating and active living in the Paso del Norte region
2010-2013	Role	Co-Investigator, Co-Director of the Research Training/Education Core
	Funder	National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities/NIH, P20MD002287
	Total costs	\$10,083,747 (\$6,767,616 direct)
	Title	Hispanic Health Disparities Research Center
	Description	Research training program for the investigation and elimination of Hispanic health disparities

Pending External Funding

2019-2024	Role	Principal Investigator (Multi-PI with Chilenski)
	Funder	National Institute on Drug Abuse/NIH R01
	Total costs	\$3,929,785
	Title	Randomized trial of a data-driven technical assistance system for

		drug prevention coalitions
	Description	Test the Coalition Check-Up as a support system for community coalitions' implementation of evidence-based programs
2019-2020	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	Paso del Norte Health Foundation
	Total costs	\$134,499
	Title	Youth Advocates for Policy EXecution (Youth APEX)
	Description	Build a cohort of youth advocates that promote adoption of a Tobacco 21 law and inform adults about emerging tobacco products
2018-2019	Role	Principal Investigator
	Funder	City of El Paso/Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
	Total costs	\$120,000
	Title	Reaching Medicaid and Vulnerable Families through a Community Health Worker Outreach, Health Navigation, and Health Education Integrative Model
	Description	Addressing Hispanic health disparities related to cancer screening and obesity with a community health worker model

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

H-Index = 15 on Google Scholar and 12 on SciVal

*indicates student

1. Vasquez, D.*, Jones, M.C., & **Brown, L.D.** (2018). Attitudes towards tobacco among low-income Hispanic adolescents: Implications for prevention. *Journal of Ethnicity in Substance Abuse*. doi: 10.1080/15332640.2018.1484309. PMID: Pending
2. **Brown, L.D.**, Berryhill, J.C., & Jones, E.C. (2018). Integrating journalism into health promotion: Creating and disseminating community narratives. *Health Promotion Practice*. doi: 10.1177/1524839918781334. PMID: Pending
3. **Brown, L.D.**, Vasquez, D.*, Salinas, J.J., Tang, X.*, & Balcázar, H. (2018). Evaluation of Healthy Fit: A community health worker model to address Hispanic health disparities. *Preventing Chronic Disease*, 15, E49. doi: 10.5888/pcd15.170347. PMID: PMC5951157
4. **Brown, L.D.**, Adeboye, A.A.*, Yusuf, R.A.*, & Chaudhary, P.* (2018). Engaging vulnerable populations in parent-led support groups: Testing a recruitment strategy. *Evaluation and Program Planning*, 69, 18-24. doi: 10.1016/j.evalprogplan.2018.04.004. PMID: PMC5997542
5. **Brown, L.D.**, Wells, R., Jones, E.C., & Chilenski, S. (2017). Effects of sectoral diversity on community coalition processes and outcomes. *Prevention Science*, 18, 600-609. doi: 10.1007/s11121-017-0796-y. PMID: PMC5510985
6. Tamí-Maury, I., **Brown, L.D.**, Lapham H., & Chang, S. (2017). Community-based participatory research through virtual communities. *Journal of Communication in Healthcare*, 10, 188-194. doi: 10.1080/17538068.2017.1337604
7. Salinas, J.J., Heyman, J.M., & **Brown, L.D.** (2017). Financial barriers to health care among Mexican Americans with chronic disease and depression or anxiety in El Paso, Texas. *Journal of Transcultural Nursing*, 28, 488-495. doi: 10.1177/1043659616660362.
8. **Brown, L.D.**, Chilinski, S.M., Ramos, R., Gallegos, N., & Feinberg, M.E. (2016). Community prevention coalition context and capacity assessment: Comparing the United

- States and Mexico. *Health Education & Behavior*, 43, 145-155. doi: 10.1177/1090198115596165. PMID: PMC4724351
9. Penaranda, E.*, Molokwu, J., Flores, S., Byrd, T., **Brown, L.**, & Shokar, N. (2015). Women's attitudes towards cervico-vaginal self-sampling for high risk HPV infection on the U.S.-Mexico border. *Journal of Lower Genital Tract Disease*, 19, 323-328. doi: 10.1097/LGT.000000000000134. PMID: PMC4583792
 10. **Brown, L.D.**, Redelfs, A.H.*, Taylor, T.J., Messer, R.L.* (2015). Comparing the functioning of youth and adult partnerships for health promotion. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 56, 25-35. doi: 10.1007/s10464-015-9730-2. PMID: PMC4620943.
 11. **Brown, L.D.** & Townley, G. (2015). Determinants of engagement in mental health consumer-run organizations. *Psychiatric Services*, 66, 411-417. doi: 10.1176/appi.ps.201400150. PMID: PMC4382393
 12. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., Shapiro, V.B., & Greenberg, M.T. (2015). Reciprocal relations between coalition functioning and the provision of implementation support. *Prevention Science*, 16, 101-109. doi: 10.1007/s11121-013-0447-x. PMID: PMC4051854.
 13. Vasquez, D.*, McDonald, J.A., Homedes, N., & **Brown, L.D.** (2015). Unintended birth among Hispanic women in Texas: A descriptive analysis. *Maternal and Child Health Journal*, 19, 1220-1229. doi: 10.1007/s10995-014-1626-5. PMID: PMC4418950
 14. **Brown, L.D.**, Tang, X.*, & Hollman, R.L. (2014). The structure of social exchange in self-help support groups: Development of a measure. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 53, 83-95. doi: 10.1007/s10464-013-9621-3. PMID: PMC4012643.
 15. **Brown, L.D.**, Alter, T.R., Brown, L.G., Corbin, M.A., Flaherty-Craig, C., McPhail, L.G., Nevel, P., Shoop, K., Sterner, G., Terndrup, T.E., & Weaver, M.E. (2013). Rural embedded assistants for community health (REACH) network: First-person accounts in a community-university partnership. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 51, 206-216. doi: 10.1007/s10464-012-9515-9. PMID: PMC3437235
 16. Feinberg, M.E., **Brown, L.D.**, & Kan, M.L. (2012). A multi-domain self-report measure of coparenting. *Parenting: Science and Practice*, 12, 1-21. doi: 10.1080/15295192.2012.638870. PMID: PMC3499623
 17. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., Greenberg, M.T. (2012). Measuring coalition functioning: Refining constructs through factor analysis. *Health Education & Behavior*, 39, 486-497. doi: 10.1177/1090198111419655. PMID: PMC3563297
 18. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., & Kan, M.L. (2012). Predicting engagement in a transition to parenthood program for couples. *Evaluation and Program Planning*, 35, 1-8. doi: 10.1016/j.evalprogplan.2011.05.001. PMID: PMC3153129
 19. **Brown, L.D.**, Goslin, M.C., & Feinberg, M.E. (2012). Relating engagement to outcomes in prevention: The case of a parenting program for couples. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 50, 17-25. doi: 10.1007/s10464-011-9467-5. PMID: PMC3260402
 20. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., & Greenberg, M.T. (2010). Determinants of community coalition ability to implement evidence-based preventive interventions. *Prevention Science*, 11, 287-297. doi: 10.1007/s11121-010-0173-6. PMID: PMC2904842
 21. **Brown, L.D.** (2009). How people can benefit from mental health consumer-run organizations. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 43, 177-188. doi: 10.1007/s10464-009-9233-0

22. **Brown, L.D.** (2009). Making it sane: Using life history narratives to explore theory in a mental health consumer-run organization. *Qualitative Health Research, 19*, 243-257. doi: 10.1177/1049732308328161
23. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M.D., Merkle, E.C., Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G. (2008). Understanding how participation in a consumer-run organization relates to recovery. *American Journal of Community Psychology, 42*, 167-178. doi: 10.1007/s10464-008-9184-x
24. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M.D., Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G. (2008). Introduction to the special issue on mental health self-help. *American Journal of Community Psychology, 42*, 105-109. doi: 10.1007/s10464-008-9187-7
25. Wituk, S., Vu, C., **Brown, L.D.**, & Meissen, G. (2008). Organizational capacity needs of consumer-run organizations. *Administration and Policy in Mental Health and Mental Health Services Research, 35*, 212-219. doi: 10.1007/s10488-007-0162-7
26. Bradshaw, C.P., Reinke, W.M., **Brown, L.D.**, Bevans, K.B., & Leaf, P.J. (2008). Implementation of school-wide Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) in elementary schools: Observations from a randomized trial. *Education and Treatment of Children, 31*, 1-26. doi: 10.1353/etc.0.0025
27. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M.D., Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G. (2007a). How settings change people: Applying behavior setting theory to consumer-run organizations. *Journal of Community Psychology, 35*, 399-416. doi: 10.1002/jcop.20155
28. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M.D., Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G. (2007b). Goal achievement and the accountability of consumer-run organizations. *Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research, 34*, 73-82. doi: 10.1007/s11414-006-9046-y
29. Wituk, S., Ealey, S., **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M.D., Meissen, G. (2005). Assessing the needs and strengths of self-help groups: Opportunities to meet health care needs. *International Journal of Self-Help and Self-Care, 3*, 103-116. doi: 10.2190/A4MD-TL36-KU15-JPN0
30. **Brown, L.D.**, Collins, V.L., Shepherd, M.D., Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G.J. (2004). Photovoice and consumer-run mutual support organizations. *International Journal of Self-Help and Self-Care, 2*, 339-344. doi: 10.2190/CRY2-W6HA-U13Q-9FXH

Books

1. **Brown, L.D.** (2012). *Consumer-run mental health: Framework for recovery*. New York: Springer. doi: 10.1007/978-1-4614-0700-3
2. **Brown, L.D.** & Wituk, S.A. (Eds.). (2010). *Mental health self-help: Consumer and family initiatives*. New York: Springer. doi: 10.1007/978-1-4419-6253-9

Book Chapters

1. **Brown, L.D.** & Rogers, S. (2014). The impact of mental health consumer-run organizations on transformative change. In G. Nelson, B. Kloos, & J. Ornelas (Eds.), *Community psychology and community mental health: Towards transformative change* (pp. 108-132). New York: Oxford University Press. doi: 10.1093/acprof:oso/9780199362424.001.0001
2. **Brown, L.D.** & Wituk, S.A. (2010). Introduction to mental health self-help. In L.D. Brown & S.A. Wituk (Eds.), *Mental health self-help: Consumer and family initiatives* (pp. 1-18). New York: Springer. doi: 10.1007/978-1-4419-6253-9_1
3. **Brown, L.D.** & Lucksted, A. (2010). Theoretical foundations of mental health self-help. In L.D. Brown & S.A. Wituk (Eds.), *Mental health self-help: Consumer and family initiatives* (pp. 19-38). New York: Springer. doi: 10.1007/978-1-4419-6253-9_2

4. **Brown, L.D.**, Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G. (2010). Consumer-run drop-in centers: Current state and future directions. In L.D. Brown & S.A. Wituk (Eds.), *Mental health self-help: Consumer and family initiatives* (pp. 155-168). New York: Springer. doi: 10.1007/978-1-4419-6253-9_7

Additional Publications

1. Chacon, L.E.*, Corral, J.*, **Brown, L.D.** (2017). Take Off Pounds Sensibly: A self-help and mutual support organization. *The Community Psychologist*, 50 (2), 30-32.
2. **Brown, L.D.** (2012). [Review of the book Participatory Partnerships for Social Action and Research]. *Journal of Higher Education Outreach and Engagement*, 16, 219-224.
3. **Brown, L.D.** (2008). Future research directions in self-help and mutual support. *The Community Psychologist*, 41 (3/4) 34-36.
4. **Brown, L.D.** (2006). Making it sane: The participation benefits of consumer-run organizations. (Doctoral dissertation, Wichita State University, 2005) *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 67(5B), 2874.
5. **Brown, L.D.** (2005). *Making it sane: The story of a nonprofit operated by people with mental illness* [Motion picture]. (For more information see, "<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zYIbED62WKA>").
6. **Brown, L.D.** (2004, March 10). Research documents effectiveness of consumer-run organizations in Kansas. *Mental Health News*, pp. 1, 8.
7. **Brown, L.D.** (2004). Goal achievement in mutual support organizations operated by persons with psychiatric disability. Master's project, Wichita State University, Wichita, KS.

Manuscripts Under Peer-Review

1. Huerta, D.I.*, Chacon, L.E., Vasquez, D.*, & **Brown, L.D.** Acculturation and Body Composition over Time among Low-Income Hispanics on the US-Mexico Border.
2. **Brown, L.D.**, Strong, L.L., Civallero, L., Mullen, P., & Chang, S. Building capacity for community-based participatory research to address cancer disparities: Evaluation of a training program

Teaching Experience

- Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences 1110: Social and Behavioral Aspects of Community Health, Summer 2012-2018
Lead instructor (100%) of master's level course at UTHealth School of Public Health
- Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences 1112: Health Promotion Theory and Methods II: Communities, Organizations, and Government, Spring 2012-2018
Co-instructor (50%) of master's level course at UTHealth School of Public Health
- Psychology 636: Primary Prevention, Fall 2006
Co-instructor (50%) of doctoral course at University of Maryland, Baltimore County
- Psychology 304: Introduction to Social Psychology, Fall 2004
Lead instructor (100%) of undergraduate course at Wichita State University
- Psychology 406: Introduction to Community Psychology, Summer 2004
Lead instructor (100%) of undergraduate course at Wichita State University
- Psychology 122/Sociology 122: Intergroup Dialogues – Women and Men, Spring, 2001
Co-facilitator (50%) of undergraduate course at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.
- Project Director of *The City News*, Sept. 2000 – May 2001

The City News is a student newspaper created by youth at Latino Family Services, Detroit, MI.

Guest lectures

Social Work 5350: Social Work in the US Mexico Border Region, Fall 2016-2018

Lecture on Hispanic health disparities

Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences 1321: Social networks and health, Fall 2015-2018

Lecture on diffusion of innovation theory and social network interventions

Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences 1112: Health Promotion Theory and Methods II:

Communities, Organizations, and Government, Summer 2017-2018

Lecture on community coalitions

Epidemiology 2998: Epidemiology of Mental Health, Spring 2017-2018

Lecture on mental health self-help

Mentoring of Faculty

Years	Name	Program	Role	Status
2017-2018	Kristin Kosyluk	BUILD Faculty Scholar	Supermentor	Assistant Professor, University of South Florida
2016-2017	Jessica Shenberger-Trujillo	BUILD Faculty Scholar	Supermentor	Clinical Assistant Professor, UTEP
2015-2016	Jennifer Sanchez	BUILD Faculty Scholar	Supermentor	Assistant Professor, University of Iowa

Mentoring of Doctoral Students

Years	Name	Degree	Role	Status
2018-present	Mary Ivonne Gaddy	DrPH UTHealth	Advisor, Practicum mentor	Taking courses
2018-present	Grisel Cisneros	DrPH UTHealth	Advisor	Taking courses
2017-present	Andrew Vernon	DrPH UTHealth	Advisor, Practicum mentor	Taking courses
2017-present	Diane Huerta	DrPH UTHealth	Advisor	Taking courses
2016-present	Cynthia Wittenburg	DrPH UTHealth	Advisor	Taking courses
2017-present	Griselda Villalobos	PhD Fielding Graduate University	Dissertation committee member	Dissertation: Reintegration experiences of veterans in the U.S./Mexico border region
2014-2017	Adeniyi Adeboye	DrPH UTHealth	Research supervisor	Graduated
2017	Elizabeth Crabtree	PhD UTHealth	Dissertation committee	Dissertation: A descriptive, dimensional model of pay-

2016-2017	Norma Garza	DrPH UTHealth	member Dissertation committee member	for-performance incentives Dissertation: Patterns of mental health diagnosis among pregnant women in Texas from 2006-2015
2015–2018	Mosi Dane’El	PhD UTEP	Dissertation committee member	Dissertation: Nutrition Label Accuracy and the Theory of Triadic Influence: The impact of knowledge on healthy food choices in a predominantly Hispanic sample Graduated
2012–2013	Xiaohui Tang	PhD UTHealth	Research Supervisor	
2010–2013	Alisha Hayden	DrPH UTHealth	Advisor, Research Supervisor, Dissertation Chair	Dissertation: The influence of theoretically based determinants of behavior on physical activity among Hispanic women

Mentoring of Masters in Public Health Students

Years	Name	Degree	Role	Status
2018-present	Rebecca Drennan	MPH UTHealth	Advisor	Taking courses
2018-present	Maribel Dominguez	MPH UTEP	Thesis chair	Thesis: Adverse childhood experiences, resiliency, and mental health in the U.S./ Mexico border region Taking courses
2017-present	Campbell Tole	MPH UTHealth	Research supervisor, Practicum mentor	Taking courses
2016-present	Maria Aleman	MPH UTHealth	Advisor	Taking courses
2018	Chinwe Anyanwu	MPH UTHealth	Practicum mentor	Graduated
2017-2018	Diana Rangel	MPH UTHealth	Advisor, Practicum mentor	Graduated
2014-2017	Mohamed Khamsi	MPH UTHealth	Advisor, Practicum mentor	Graduated
2012–2017	Mosi Dane’El	MPH UTHealth M.A. UTEP	UTHealth Advisor, UTEP Thesis committee	Thesis: Improving Nutrition Label Presentation Through the Use of Traffic-Light

			member	Labeling
2017	Ingrid Simons	UTEP MPH Internship	Supervisor	Final project: Analysis of reasons why participants do or do not acquire cervical cancer screenings
2015-2017	Sara Masoud	MPH UTHealth	Advisor, Practicum mentor, Thesis committee member	Thesis: The influence of social network characteristics on health service utilization in Latino immigrants
2014-2016	Rafeek Yusuf	MPH UTHealth	Research supervisor, Practicum mentor	Graduated
2014-2016	Pooja Chaudhary	MPH UTHealth	Research supervisor	Graduated
2014-2016	Mary Gerardo	MPH UTHealth	Advisor, Practicum mentor	Graduated
2016	Andrea Aguila	UTEP MPH Internship	Supervisor	Successfully completed internship
2016	David Torres	UTEP MPH Internship	Supervisor	Successfully completed internship
2016	Pracheta Matharasi	UTEP MPH Internship	Supervisor	Successfully completed internship
2016	Kathleen O'Connor	UTEP MPH Internship	Supervisor	Successfully completed internship
2016	Ivette Valles	UTEP MPH Internship	Supervisor	Successfully completed internship
2015	Brenda Cantero	MPH UTHealth	Research Supervisor	Graduated
2013–2015	Eribeth Penaranda	MPH UTHealth	Advisor, Thesis Chair	Thesis: Women's attitudes towards cervico-vaginal self-sampling for high risk HPV infection on the U.S.-Mexico border
2011–2013	Denise Vasquez	MPH UTHealth	Advisor, Thesis Chair	Thesis: Unintended birth among Hispanic women in Texas: A descriptive analysis

Mentoring of Undergraduates

Years	Name	Degree	Role	Status
2018	Erin Portillo	BUILD Undergraduate	Mentor/ Supervisor	Final project: Promoting Hispanic health via

		Internship		community health workers and motivational interviewing
2017	Luis Alberto Magallanes-Duarte	BUILD Undergraduate Internship	Mentor/ Supervisor	Final project: Acculturation effects on body mass index and body fat percentage
2017	Joseph Salgado	UTEP BS Internship	Supervisor	Final project: Descriptive analysis of emotions and needs among Healthy Fit participants
2016	Lauren Chacon	BUILD Undergraduate Internship	Mentor/ Supervisor	Final project: Identifying risk and protective factors for heart health among Hispanics in the Texas-Mexico border
2016	Vienna Cong	UTEP BS Internship	Supervisor	Successfully completed internship
2016	Cinthia Delfin-Aguilar	UTEP BS Internship	Supervisor	Successfully completed internship
2016	Rebeca Perez	UTEP BS Internship	Supervisor	Successfully completed internship
2015	Vidur Marwaha	CPRIT Undergraduate Cancer Internship	Mentor	Successfully completed internship
2015	Jessica Corral	CPRIT Undergraduate Cancer Internship	Mentor	Successfully completed internship
2012	Reanna Messer	CPRIT Undergraduate Cancer Internship	Mentor	Successfully completed internship

Editorial Activities

Editor, Self-Help and Mutual Support Column in The Community Psychologist, 2008 – 2013

Editor, Special issue on Mental Health Self-Help, American Journal of Community Psychology, 2008

Reviewer, American Journal of Public Health

Reviewer, Prevention Science

Reviewer, Health Education & Behavior

Reviewer, American Journal of Preventive Medicine

Reviewer, Psychiatric Services

Reviewer, American Journal of Community Psychology

Reviewer, Health Education Research

Reviewer, Substance Abuse

Reviewer, Public Health

Reviewer, Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research

Reviewer, Journal of Youth Studies

Reviewer, Health Education Journal

Reviewer, Journal of Ecological Anthropology

Reviewer, International Perspectives in Psychology: Research, Practice, Consultation
 Reviewer, Evaluation and Program Planning
 Reviewer, Journal of Community Psychology
 Reviewer, International Journal of Self-Help and Self Care
 Reviewer, Qualitative Health Research
 Reviewer, Youth & Society
 Reviewer, Journal of Human Development, Disability, and Social Change
 Reviewer, BMJ Open
 Reviewer, Cambridge University Press
 Reviewer, Health Promotion International

Grant Review Committees

Years	Name
2013	Paso del Norte Health Foundation Healthy Eating and Active Living Initiative
2012, 2013	Latinos In a Network for Cancer Control Mini-Grants
2011, 2012, 2013	Hispanic Health Disparities Research Center Student Pilot Project Awards
2011, 2012	Hispanic Health Disparities Research Center Transitioning Faculty Awards

Academic Service

Years	Role	Name
2016-present	Member	Research Oversight Committee of the Border Public Health Interest Group
2018	Session Moderator	Public Health Education and Health Promotion section of American Public Health Association conference
2011-2016	Member	Community-Based Participatory Research Training Program, Latinos Contra El Cancer Community Networks Program
2011-2014	Member	Self-Help Support Groups APA Resolution Committee
2011-2014	Member	Community Outreach Core, Latinos Contra El Cancer Community Networks Program
2012-2014	Chair	El Paso Community Advisory Group, Latinos in a Network for Cancer Control
2008-2013	Chair	Self-Help Interest Group of the Society for Community Research and Action
2011-2013	Co-Director	Research, Education, and Training for the Hispanic Health Disparities Research Center
2011-2013	Member	Hispanic Health Disparities Research Center Executive Committee
2011	Member	El Paso Community Advisory Group, Latinos in a Network for Cancer Control
2007-2010	Member	State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup of Pennsylvania
2009	Member	Society for Community Research and Action Dissertation Awards Committee
2007	Mentor and	Morgan State University Dissertation Writing Institute

2006-2007	Instructor Member	Johns Hopkins Center for Prevention and Early Intervention Indicated and Treatment Intervention Steering Committee
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Institutional Service

Years	Role	Name
2018-present	Member	Faculty Search Committee for Position in Immigrant Health
2017-present	Member	Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences Core Course Workgroup
2017-present	Member	Student Scholarship Committee for Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences
2016-present	Admissions chair	Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences MPH and DrPH degrees, UTHealth School of Public Health in El Paso
2016-present	Member	Practice Council of UTHealth School of Public Health
2015-2017	Member	Faculty Awards Committee of UTHealth School of Public Health
2010-2017	El Paso Campus Alternate Representative	Faculty Council of UTHealth School of Public Health
2011-2016	El Paso Campus Representative	Admissions Committee of UTHealth School of Public Health
2011	Race Director	Run for Public Health, Organized by the UTHealth School of Public Health El Paso Campus

Community Service

Years	Role	Name
2013-present	Member	Border Public Health Interest Group
2012-present	Member	El Paso Clean Air Coalition
2012-present	Member	Paso del Norte Tobacco Control Network
2013-2014	Co-facilitator	Healthy Eating and Active Living Coalition
2013-2014	Member	Paso del Norte Institute for Health Living
2012-2013	Member	Rio Grande Safe Communities Coalition
2011-2013	Member	Northeast Coalition Against Truancy
2013	Member	El Paso Food Policy Council
2012	Member	El Paso Project LAUNCH Young Child Wellness Council

Legislative testimony

Year	Legislative body	Topic
2016	El Paso County Commissioners	Clean air ordinance for smoke free parks
2014	El Paso City Council	Regulation of electronic cigarettes as tobacco products

Invited lectures

Year	Group	Talk title
2018	Texas Tech Writing Interest Group	Writing a discussion section
2017	Tobacco Control Network	Tobacco retail compliance check activities through the Teens Against Tobacco Use & Project APEX programs
2016	Border Public Health Interest Group	Healthy Fit: En Forma Saludable
2014	Tobacco Control Network	Teens Against Tobacco Use (TATU)
2014	Latinos in a Network for Cancer Control Annual Meeting	A practical evaluation of public health programs
2014	Community Networks Program Centers Latinos Contra el Cancer Training Core seminar	Empowerment evaluation on a budget
2014	Border Public Health Interest Group	Healthy Fit: A program connecting residents to health resources
2014	Latino Alcohol and Health Disparities Research Community Advisory Board	Community advisory board functioning
2014	UTEP Healthy Exchanges	Community coalitions for drug prevention: Comparing efforts in the United States and Mexico
2013	Latino day laborer injury prevention community advisory board	Community-based participatory research principles and processes
2012	Tobacco Control Network	Evaluation of smoke free youth coalitions
2012	Community Networks Program Centers Latinos Contra el Cancer Training Core seminar	Case study of a community-university partnership
2012	Red de Coaliciones Comunitarias	Factors influencing coalition success
2012	UTEP Healthy Exchanges	Community coalitions and Communities That Care (CTC): A model for the dissemination of evidence-based programs
2012	UTEP Psychology brownbag	Community coalitions and Communities That Care (CTC): A model for the dissemination of evidence-based programs
2011	Training, Internships, Exchanges, and Scholarships (TIES) USAID Global Partnerships	Empoderamiento de las comunidades y la integración de servicios (Community empowerment and service integration)
2010	Communities That Care (CTC) international meeting	Current practices and challenges in encouraging high standards in CTC
2007	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health Noontime Seminar	Understanding mental health consumer-run organizations
2006	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health Noontime Seminar	Making it sane: The participation benefits of consumer-run organizations

Media Interviews

Year	Media outlet	Topic
2018	The Community Psychologist	Profiled for Living Community Psychology column

2018	Paso del Norte Health Foundation News	Smoke-free multiunit housing
2017	El Paso Post-Herald; Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health	Training youth to become advocates for tobacco policy change
2017	KTEP 88.5 FM, NPR affiliate	Interviewed about public health for their Focus on Campus segment
2016	Paso del Norte Health Foundation News	Teens Against Tobacco Use - Peer-teaching model spreads the message
2016	KFOX14	Passage of legislation making El Paso County parks smoke free
2015	OPEN MINDS Weekly News Wire and PsychU.org	Psychiatric Services publication: Determinants of engagement in mental health consumer-run organizations
2015	Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA) Research to Action publication	American Journal of Community Psychology article: Comparing the functioning of youth and adult partnerships for health promotion
2014	KFOX14	Teens Against Tobacco Use cigarette butt cleanup at El Paso's Memorial Park to raise awareness of parks going smoke-free
2012	KTEP 88.5 FM, NPR affiliate	Parent-led support groups

Professional Memberships

2017-present	American Public Health Association
2006-present	Society for Prevention Research
2002-present	Society for Community Research and Action (SCRA, APA Div. 27)
2012	Community Campus Partnerships for Health
2006	American Sociological Association
2005	International Association of Qualitative Inquiry
2003-2005	Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues
2003-2005	American Psychological Association
2003	Southwestern Psychological Association

Conference Papers and Presentations

*indicates student

1. Huerta, D.I.*, Vasquez, D.*, & **Brown, L.D.** (Nov 2018). Relationship between acculturation and body composition over time among low-income Hispanics on the US-Mexico border. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA.
2. **Brown, L.D.**, Hernando, S., & Vasquez, D.* (Nov 2018). Addressing Hispanic obesity disparities using a community health worker model grounded in motivational interviewing. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA.
3. **Brown, L.D.** (June 2018). Youth engagement in peer-led health education via Teens Against Tobacco Use. In M.L. Hecht (Chair), Youth generated messages as a prevention strategy:

- The stories of three programs of research. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, Washington, DC.
4. Arevalo, M.* & **Brown, L.D.** (April 2018). Using a reasoned action approach to predict organized exercise in Hispanics: Preliminary findings. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.
 5. **Brown, L.D.**, Hernando, S., Vasquez, D.*, Salinas, J., & Balcazar, H. (Nov 2017). Healthy Fit: A community health worker model to reduce cancer and chronic disease health disparities. Oral presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Atlanta, GA.
 6. **Brown, L.D.**, Wells, R., Wilson, A.A.*, & Chilenski, S.M. (June 2017). Coalition development for drug prevention in Mexico: Longitudinal evaluation of coalition functioning. In B.R. Cooper (Chair), Effectiveness of large scale substance use prevention coalitions: Process and outcome results from three community driven initiatives. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, Washington, DC.
 7. Torres, A.L., Renner, J., Beatty, S.E., Zima, R., Hernandez, N.Y., Gamboa, X., Gross, K., **Brown, L.D.**, Mata, H.J., Resendes, R., & Law, J. (March 2017). Updating smoke-free ordinances: Case study of an urban Texas community. Poster presentation at the annual National Conference on Tobacco or Health, Austin, TX.
 8. **Brown, L.D.**, Wells, R., Jones, E.C., & Chilenski, S.M. (June 2016). Consequences of intersectoral diversity for community coalition processes and outcomes. Oral presentation at the annual Organizational Theory in Health Care Conference, Nashville, TN.
 9. **Brown, L.D.**, Adeboye, A.A.*, Mantravadi, S.*, Yusuf, R.A.*, & Chaudhary, P.* (June 2016). Promoting engagement in parent mutual support groups: An evaluation of two strategies. In K. Haggerty (Chair), Engaging parents in preventive interventions: Identifying determinants and strategies for engaging vulnerable populations. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, San Francisco, CA.
 10. **Brown, L.D.** (June 2015). Mutual support in self-help groups for parents. In G. Nelson (Chair), Mutual support across contexts: Comparing online self-help groups, in-person groups, and certified peer specialists. Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Lowell, MA.
 11. **Brown L.D.**, Strong L.L., Civallero L., Mullen P.D., & Chang S. (October 2015). Evaluation of a training program in community-based participatory research (CBPR) to address cancer health disparities. Oral presentation at the annual meeting of the International Cancer Education Conference, Tucson, AZ.
 12. Hayden, A.*, **Brown, L.D.**, Diamond, P.M., & Balcazar, H.G. (Nov 2014). Influence of autonomous motivation and regulation on physical activity among Hispanic women. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, New Orleans, LA.
 13. Fernandez-Esquer, M.E., Diamond, P.M., Perez-Boston, L., Jimenez, M.D., **Brown, L.D.**, Reininger, B.M., Field, C., & Brunette, M.J. (Nov 2014). Prevention program to reduce injury disparities among Latino day laborers. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, New Orleans, LA.
 14. **Brown, L.D.**, Tang, X.*, Gallegos, N., & Ramos, R. (May 2014). Coalition development for drug prevention in Mexico: Challenges and successes. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, Washington, DC.

15. **Brown, L.D.** & Tang, X.* (June 2013). Social exchanges in mutual-help groups that enhance well-being. In T. Borkman (Chair), Mutual-help groups create innovative strategies to enhance individual and communal well-being. Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Miami, FL.
16. Townley, G., Borkman, T., **Brown, L.D.**, Hollman, R., Lucksted, A., & Phillips, S. (June 2013). Promoting communal thriving through widespread use of self-help/mutual support groups. Town Meeting at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Miami, FL.
17. **Brown, L.D.**, Redelfs, A.H., Taylor, T.J., & Messer, R. L. (May 2013). Comparing the functioning of youth and adult led prevention coalitions. In E. Yang (Chair), Empirical measurement of coalition functioning and effectiveness: Implementation science for community wide substance abuse prevention efforts. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting for the Society for Prevention Research, San Francisco, CA.
18. **Brown, L.D.**, Holguin, G.*, Chilenski, S. M., Ramos, R., Gallegos, N., & Feinberg, M.E. (May 2013). Drug prevention coalition context and capacity assessment: Comparing the United States and Mexico. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, San Francisco, CA.
19. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., & Greenberg, M.T. (June 2012). Longitudinal relations between community coalition functioning and support for evidence-based program implementation. In B. Rhoades (Chair), Predicting high functioning coalitions and their impact on coalition success: Empirical findings from three prevention projects. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, Washington, DC.
20. Hayden, A.L.*, **Brown, L.D.**, Downs, P., Arneson, K., & Garcia, P.B. (April 2012). Measurement of coalition functioning of youth coalitions with a Smoke Free Paso Del Norte. In A. Taboda (Moderator), *Youth voice, engagement, leadership & activism*. Thematic poster session at the Community-Campus Partnerships for Health Conference, Houston, TX.
21. Strong, L., Fernandez, M., Bondy, M., Jones, L., Chang, S. Mullen, P. Lopez, D., Byrd, T., **Brown, L.D.**, Reininger, B., Castro, Y. Barnett, S. Civallero, L., Munoz, B., Bhat, R., Moreno, G., & Wetter, D. (July 2011). *Latinos Contra El Cancer: Reducing Disparities through Research, Partnerships, and Action*. Poster presented at the National Cancer Institute (NCI) Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities (CRCHD) Cancer Health Disparities Program Meetings, Rockville, MD.
22. Lopez, D.S., Fernandez, M., Bondy, M., Jones, L., Chang, S., Mullen, P., Fisher-Hoch, S., Castro, Y., Barnett, S., Civallero, L., Munoz, B., Bhat, R., **Brown, L.D.**, Reininger, B., & Wetter, D. (July, 2011). *Biobanking among Mexican-Americans: Sociodemographic, psychosocial and acculturation factors*. Poster presented at the National Cancer Institute (NCI) Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities (CRCHD) Cancer Health Disparities Program, Rockville, MD.
23. **Brown, L.D.** & Rogers, S. (June, 2011). The impact of mental health consumer-run organizations on transformative change. In B. Kloos, G. Nelson, & J. Ornelas (Chairs) *Transformative change in mental health*. Pre-Conference conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Chicago, IL.
24. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., & Greenberg, M.T. (June, 2011). Enhancing community coalition functioning through a university-sponsored feedback support system. In S.M. Chilenski (Chair), *From the top-down and the bottom-up: How can communities and*

- universities collaborate to advance science and practice.* Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Chicago, IL.
25. **Brown, L.D.** (June, 2011). Integrating journalism and ethnography: The creation of life history narratives. In J. Berryhill (Chair), *Stepping out of bounds: Promises and challenges of adventuresome research methods and topics.* Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Chicago, IL.
 26. **Brown, L.D.** (June, 2011). Measuring and predicting engagement in a peer-run self-help center. In G. Nelson (Chair), *A peer-run self-help center: Insiders, participants, & outsiders perspectives of self-help groups.* Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Chicago, IL.
 27. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., & Greenberg, M.T. (June, 2010). *Measuring coalition functioning: Refining constructs using confirmatory factor analysis.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, Denver, CO.
 28. **Brown, L.D.** (June, 2010). *Current practices and challenges in encouraging high standards in Communities That Care.* Paper presented at the Communities That Care International Meeting, Denver, CO.
 29. **Brown, L.D.**, Bumbarger, B.K., Feinberg, M.E., Rhodes, B.R., & Greenberg, M.T. (June, 2010). *Communities That Care: Diffusion of research-based prevention in Pennsylvania.* Paper presented at the Communities That Care International Meeting, Denver, CO.
 30. Alter, T., **Brown, L.D.**, Cook, J., Corbin, M., Gordon, L., & Terndrup, T. (June, 2010). *Establishment of the Rural Embedded Assistants for Community Health (REACH) Network.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Boston, MA.
 31. **Brown, L.D.** (2009, June). *New perspectives on tapping the potential for self-help group development.* (Chair). Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Montclair, NJ.
 32. **Brown, L.D.** (2009, June). *Making it sane: Using narrative to explore theory in a mental health consumer-run organization.* In S.A. Wituk (Chair), *Mental health peer support: Recent advances and future direction for theory, research, practice, and policy.* Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Montclair, NJ.
 33. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., & Kan, M.L. (2009, May). *Engagement in Family Foundations.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, Washington, DC.
 34. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., & Greenberg, M.T. (2009, January). *Community coalitions and high-quality program implementation.* Poster presented at the annual NIH conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation.
 35. **Brown, L.D.**, Feinberg, M.E., & Greenberg, M.T. (2008, May). *Determinants of community coalition ability to implement evidence-based practices.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, San Francisco, CA.
 36. **Brown, L.D.**, Bumbarger, B.K., Kyler, S., Greenberg, M.T., & Feinberg, M.E. (2008, May). *Promoting and monitoring implementation in a dissemination context: Evidence from large-scale replications.* In B.K. Bumbarger (Chair), *Promoting and sustaining implementation quality in trials and naturalistic conditions.* Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, San Francisco, CA.

37. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M.D., Merkle, E.C., Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G. (2007, June). *Understanding how participation in a consumer-run organization relates to recovery*. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Pasadena, CA.
38. **Brown, L.D.** (2006, August). *Introducing social interaction theory*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada.
39. Meissen, G., Shepherd, M.D., & **Brown, L.D.** (2006, February). *Transforming consumer run organizations through best practices research*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors Research Institute, Baltimore, MD.
40. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M.D., & Meissen, G.J. (2005, July). *The participation benefits of consumer/survivor initiatives*. Poster session presented at the NIMH Mental Health Services Research Conference, Bethesda, MD.
41. **Brown, L.D.**, Collins, V.L., Shepherd, M.D., Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G.J. (2005, June). *Implementing photovoice: Blurring the lines between art and science*. In A. Mulvey (Chair), *Arts and social change: Creating selves, community, meaning, part 1*. Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Champaign, IL.
42. Nelson, G., & **Brown, L.D.** (2005, June). *Digital video dissemination: Building awareness of consumer/survivor initiatives*. Innovative session conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Champaign, IL.
43. Shepherd, M.D., **Brown, L.D.**, & Meissen, G.J. (2005, June). *Organizational health of consumer-run organizations*. In T. Borkman (Chair), *Research and action with mental health consumer run organizations*. Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Champaign, IL.
44. Beeson, J., Wituk, S., Shepherd, M., **Brown, L.**, Pearson, R., Ealey, S., & Reinhart, C. (2005, June). *The many faces of leadership*. Poster session presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Champaign, IL.
45. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M.D., Wituk, S.A., & Meissen, G.J. (2005, February). *Understanding peer-run mutual support organizations*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors Research Institute, Baltimore, MD.
46. **Brown, L.D.** (2004, August). *Goal achievement in consumer-run self-help organizations*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
47. **Brown, L.D.** (2004, August). *Photovoice and consumer-run self-help organizations*. In L.M. Gutierrez (Chair), *Community evaluation: A comparison of methods*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
48. Shepherd, M., **Brown, L.D.**, Wituk, S.A., Ealey, S., & Meissen, G. (2004, November). *Organizational Level Evaluations with Community-based Organizations*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Evaluation Association, Atlanta, GA.
49. Wituk, S.A., Orellana-Damacela, L., Suarez-Balcazar, Y., Shepherd, M.D., **Brown, L.D.**, Ealey, S., & Meissen, G.J. (2004, November). *Participatory evaluation with community-based organizations and non-profits: Insights for evaluation theory and action*. Roundtable at the annual meeting of the American Evaluation Association, Atlanta, GA.

50. Wituk, S.A., Bomhoff, K., Carroll, B., Shepherd, M.D., **Brown, L.D.**, Ealey, S., & Meissen, G.J. (2004, November). Creating and achieving non-profits' outcomes: A participatory model moving from the past to the future. In B.F. Foster (Chair), Collaborative evaluation building policy for communities, non-profits and international development. Multi-paper session presented at the annual meeting of the American Evaluation Association, Atlanta, GA.
51. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M., Wituk, S., Commer, A., Collins, V., Johnson, R., Ealey, S., Brandenberger, H., Carroll, B., Bomhoff, K., & Meissen, G. (2003, June). *Building Capacity in Consumer-Run Organizations through Action Research*. Poster session presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Las Vegas, NM.
52. Wituk, S., Shepherd, M., **Brown, L.D.**, Commer, A., Bomhoff, K., Brandenberger, H., Carroll, B., Collins, V., Warren, M. & Meissen, G. (2003, June). Lessons learned through (servant) empowerment evaluation. In S. Pokorney & L. Jason (Chairs), *Using empowerment evaluation to build community capacity*. Symposium conducted at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Las Vegas, NM.
53. Commer, A., Meissen, G., Wituk, S., **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M., & Warren, M. (2003, June). *Using social marketing research to make mid-course intervention changes*. Poster session presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Las Vegas, NM.
54. Bledsoe, C., Parker, G, Brandenberger, H., Bomhoff, K., Carroll, B., Shepherd, M., Wituk, S., Commer, A., **Brown, L.D.**, & Meissen, G. (2003, May). *Consumer-Run Organizations' Impact on Recovery of People with Psychiatric Disabilities*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the International Association of Psychosocial Rehabilitation Services, Atlanta, GA.
55. **Brown, L.D.**, Shepherd, M., Wituk, S., Commer, A., Carroll, B., Brandenberger, H., Bomhoff, K., Collins, V., & Meissen, G. (2003, April). *Misconceptions about consumer-run organizations*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, New Orleans, LA.