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CURRENT POSITION AND ADDRESS

Associate Professor (with Tenure) of Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences
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EDUCATION

Institution	Degree	Date Conferred	Field of Study
The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston School of Public Health Houston, TX (Postdoctoral Fellow: 1987–89)	MPH	1989	Community Health Practice
Arizona State University Tempe, AZ	PhD	1984	Social Psychology
Eastern Washington University Cheney, WA	MS	1974	Psychology
Grinnell College Grinnell, IA	AB	1972	Psychology

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

09/2009–Present	Admissions Officer Department of Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston School of Public Health Houston, TX
09/1999–Present	Associate Professor (with Tenure) of Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences Department of Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences Center for Health Promotion and Prevention Research The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston School of Public Health Houston, TX

09/1999–09/2001 Convener of Behavioral Sciences Discipline
The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston
School of Public Health
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09/91–08/99 Assistant Professor of Behavioral Sciences (on tenure track)
Center for Health Promotion Research and Development
The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center
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04/1989–08/1991 Research Assistant Professor
Center for Health Promotion Research and Development
The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center
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08/1987–03/1989 Postdoctoral Fellow
Center for Health Promotion Research and Development
The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center
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1986–1987 Research Associate
Cancer Prevention and Control Program
Arizona Cancer Center
University of Arizona
Tucson, AZ

1982–1984 Regulations Compliance Officer
Office of Assistant to the President
Arizona State University
Tempe, AZ

1975–1976 Social Services Program Analyst
Division of Human Services
Seattle, WA

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

11/2008–Present Adjunct Associate Professor
Department of Nursing Systems
The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston
School of Nursing
Houston, TX

10/1994–Present Adjunct Associate Professor
Communications Department
Texas Southern University
Houston, TX

04/1991–Present	Adjunct Associate Professor at the Graduate Level College of Education Graduate Studies University of Houston Houston, TX
1986–1987	Evaluation Specialist Program Evaluation Department La Frontera Community Mental Health Center Tucson, AZ
1986–1987	Associate Faculty Department of Psychology Pima Community College-East Campus Tucson, AZ
1985–1986	Faculty Associate Department of Psychology Arizona State University Tempe, AZ
1984–1985	Personnel Specialist Personnel Department Arizona State University Tempe, AZ
1982–1983	Instructor Department of Psychology Mesa Community College Mesa, AZ
1976–1982	Teaching Assistant and Research Associate Arizona State University Tempe, AZ
1978–1979	Research Assistant Veterans Administration Medical Center Phoenix, AZ
1974–1975	Crisis Team Member Rap-in Crisis Center Eastern Washington University Cheney, WA

HONORS, AWARDS, AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2015 Institute of Medicine, Roundtable on Obesity Solutions, invited commentary, “Disparities in Physical Activity Among Low-Income and Racial/Ethnic Minority Communities: What Can We Do?,” April 6, 2015
- 2009 The University of Texas Academy of Health Science Education Awards, 3rd Place, Title: Interprofessional Community-based Service Learning Course; Marianne T. Marcus, EdD, RN, FAAN, Wendell C. Taylor, PhD, MPH, Mark D. Hormann, MD; School of Nursing, School of Public Health, Medical School

- 2009 Meditation and Visualization Practices for Everyday Living and Well-Being and to Enhance Peak Performance, Harvard Medical School, Department of Continuing Education, December 11–12, 2009
- 2006 American Medical Writers Association, Professional Development Certificate
- 2005 Kriya Breathing – Art of Living Course – Part 1, University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, Texas, July 8–12, 2005
- 2005 Mindfulness-based Stress Reduction for Mindful Living, 8-week training, Mindful Living, Houston, Texas, September–November, 2005
- 2004 Clinical Training in Mind/Body Medicine, Harvard Medical School, Mind/Body Medical Institute, Boston, MA, March 21–25, 2004
- 2004 National Register Who's Who in Executives and Professionals, Library of Congress Catalog Card Number 65-3612
- 2003–2004 Excellence in Research Award, The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Public Health
- 2002–2003 Excellence in Research Award, The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Public Health
- 2000–2001 Excellence in Research Award, The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Public Health
- 2000–2001 Excellence in Scholarship Award, The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Public Health
- 2000–2001 Association for Medical Education and Research in Substance Abuse (AMERSA) Faculty Fellow, “Collaborative faculty development grant.” Center for Substance Abuse Prevention
- 1999–2000 Excellence in Research Award, The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Public Health
- 1999 Editing and Writing Certificate, American Medical Writers Association Core Curriculum Program, Rockville, MD, October 1999
- 1999 Keynote Speaker for Open House, Park Hill Adult Day Care, “Keep Active: Physical, Mental, and Social Activities,” Houston, TX, July 23, 1999
- 1997–1998 President's Award Nominee for Mentoring Women, The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center, School of Public Health
- 1997–1998 Excellence in Scholarship Award, The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center, School of Public Health
- 1995–1996 Invited Contributing Author to the 1996 *Surgeon General's Report on Physical Activity and Health*, Contributed to Chapter 6, “Understanding and Promoting Physical Activity”
- 1995–1996 Outstanding Faculty Award, The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center, School of Public Health
- 1995–1996 Excellence in Scholarship Award, The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center, School of Public Health

- 1992–1993 Outstanding Faculty Award, The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center, School of Public Health
- 1992 Essential Skills for Television Teaching Workshop, Center for Educational Development, College of Human and Community Services, New Mexico State University.
- 1987–1989 Postdoctoral Fellowship, National Research Service Award, National Cancer Institute (1987–1988) and National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (1988–1989)
- 1985 Outstanding Young Men of America
- 1983 Dissertation Grant Award, Graduate Student Research Grant-in-Aid Program, Arizona State University.

RESEARCH SUPPORT

- 09/2012 Co-Investigator, “Building a quality improvement system to support innovative University of Texas programs to improve University of Texas employees’ health and wellness.” The University of Texas System, \$183,333 per year/4 years (PI: Jessica Tullar, PhD) (15% time commitment).
- 09/2008 Co-Investigator, “Creating an interprofessional service learning model.” Association for Prevention Teaching and Research, \$10,700/1 year (PI: Marianne Marcus, EdD, RN) (02% time commitment).
- 07/2007 Principal Investigator, “Booster Break: A 21st century innovation to improve worker health and productivity.” National Institute of Nursing Research, \$148,500/2 years (10% time commitment).
- 12/2005 Co-Investigator, “Aldine and University of Texas partnership to prevent obesity in youth.” National Institute of Nursing Research, \$445,500/2 years. (PI: Janet Meininger, PhD, RN) (05% time commitment).
- 04/2002 Principal Investigator, “Feasibility of physical activity counseling for underserved populations during routine health care visits.” The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, \$110,000/1.5 years and a 1-year no-cost extension (05% time commitment).
- 09/2001 Principal Investigator (subcontract), “Lifestyle adherence in high CVD risk African Americans.” National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, \$166,749/4 years (20% time commitment).
- 06/2000 Faculty Fellow, “Collaborative faculty development grant.” Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, 3 years. (PI: Marianne Marcus, EdD, RN & Michael Swint, PhD) (08% time commitment)
- 09/1999 Co-Investigator, “Substance abuse/HIV prevention: African American youth.” Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, \$299,535/3 years. (PI: Marianne Marcus, EdD, RN) (20% time commitment).

- 09/1999 Principal Investigator (subcontract), "Decreasing weight gain in African American preadolescent girls." National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, \$147,870/7 years (15% time commitment).
- 09/1999 Co-Investigator, "Healthy Passages: A community-based longitudinal study of adolescent health." Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, \$336,435/4 years and renewals (PI: Guy Parcel, PhD) (05% time commitment).
- 02/1996 Principal Investigator, "Minority Graduate Research Supplement—Physical activity and cardiovascular risk reduction in African American girls." National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, \$27,314/1 year (10% time commitment).
- 04/1994 Principal Investigator, "Minority Graduate Research Supplement - Physical activity and cardiovascular risk reduction in African American girls." National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, \$49,470/2 years (10% time commitment).
- 09/1993 Co-Principal Investigator, "Smoking initiation in multi-ethnic youth." National Institutes of Health, \$842,265/3 years. (PI: Ellen R. Gritz, PhD) (15% time commitment).
- 10/1991 Principal Investigator, "The influence of childhood and adolescent physical activity patterns on adult exercise habits." Biomedical Research Support Grant, \$5,000/6 months (05% time commitment).
- 04/1991 Co-Investigator, "Texas children's activity trial of cardiovascular health: study centers." National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, \$2,867,406/4 years. (PI: Guy Parcel, PhD) (20% time commitment).
- 02/1991 Principal Investigator, "Physical activity and cardiovascular risk reduction in African American girls." National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, \$350,000/5 years (50% time commitment).
- 09/1990 Project Director, "Physical activity and fitness in African American girls." Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Centers, Centers for Disease Control, \$1,382,165/3 years. (PI: Darwin Labarthe, MD, PhD & Guy Parcel, PhD) (30% time commitment).
- 07/1990 Co-Investigator, "Sustaining women's smoking cessation postpartum." National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, \$1,727,308/5 years. (PI: Patricia Mullen, DrPH) (10% time commitment).
- 07/1990 Principal Investigator, "Assessing children's physical activity at school." American Heart Association, Texas Affiliate, Grant-in-Aid Award, \$51,000/2 years (20% time commitment).
- 04/1989 Minority Investigator Research Supplement, "Psychosocial determinants of children's physical activity." National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, Texas Child and Adolescent Trial for Cardiovascular Health, \$60,000/2 years. (PI: Guy Parcel, PhD) (75% time commitment).

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

As of September 22, 2018: 110 publications, 17,786 citations, h-index=48, i10-index=85.

(*Indicates student author) (IF indicates journal impact factor)

1. **Taylor, W. C.**, Suminski, R. R., Das, B. M., Paxton, R. J., & *Craig, D. C. (2018). Organizational culture and implications for workplace interventions to reduce sitting time among office-based workers: A systematic review. *Frontiers in Public Health*, <https://doi.org/10.3389/fpubh.2018.00263>. IF: 2.11
2. Paxton, R. J., Hajek, R., Newcomb, P., Dobhal, M., Borra, S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Parra-Medina, D., Chang, S., Courneya, K. S., Block, G., Block, T., & Jones, L. A. (2018). A lifestyle intervention via email in minority breast cancer survivors: Randomized parallel-group feasibility study. *JMIR Cancer*, 3(2), e13. <http://cancer.jmir.org/2017/2/e13/>. doi:10.2196/cancer.7495. IF: 5.17
3. Tullar, J. M., Walker, T., Page, T. F., **Taylor, W. C.**, Roman, R., & Amick, B. C. (2018). Evaluation of a worksite-based small group team challenge to increase physical activity. *American Journal of Health Promotion*, 10.1177/0890117118784229. IF: 2.58
4. *Robertson, M. C., Song, J., **Taylor, W. C.**, Durand, C. P., & Basen-Engquist, K. M. (2018). Urban-rural differences in aerobic physical activity, muscle strengthening exercise, and screen-time sedentary behavior. *The Journal of Rural Health*, 34, 401–410. doi: <https://doi.org/10.1111/jrh.12295>. IF: 1.45
5. *Pinion, C., Brewer, S., Douphrate, D., Whitehead, L., DelliFraine, J., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Klyza, J. (2017). The impact of job control on employee perception of management commitment to safety. *Safety Science*, 93, 70-75. IF: 2.16
6. *Steel, K. C., Fernandez-Esquer, M. E., Atkinson, J. S., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2017). Exploring relationships among social integration, social isolation, self-rated health, and demographics in Latino day laborers. *Ethnicity and Health*, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/13557858.2017.1280130>. IF: 1.97
7. Suminski, R. R., **Taylor, W. C.**, May, L. E., & Blair R. I. (2017). Primary care provider's consideration of environmental factors when counseling patients about physical activity. *SM Preventive Medicine and Public Health*, 1(2), 1009.
8. **Taylor, W. C.**, & Page, T. F. (2017). Behavioral economic approaches to increase workplace physical activity from research to reality. *Health Economics & Outcome Research: Open Access*, 3(3), 134. DOI: 10.4172/2471-268X.1000134. IF: 0.10
9. **Taylor, W. C.**, Suminski, R. R., Das, B. M., Paxton, R. J. & Blair, R. I. (2017). Evaluation of Mayor's Wellness Councils: Recommendations for website content informed by Community Coalition Action Theory. *SM Preventive Medicine and Public Health*, 1(1), 1005.
10. *Walker, T. J., Tullar, J. M., **Taylor, W. C.**, Roman, R., & Amick, B. C. (2017). How do stages of change for physical activity relate to employee sign-up for and completion of a worksite

physical activity competition? *Health Promotion Practice*, 18(1), 93-101. IF: 0.55

11. Atkin, A. J., van Sluijs, E. M. F., Dollman, J., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Stanley, R. M. (2016). Identifying correlates and determinants of physical activity in youth: How can we advance the field? *Preventive Medicine*, 87, 167-169. IF: 3.09
12. Paxton, R. J., *Anderson, A., *Sarkar, S., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2016). Breaking up sedentary behavior: Perceptions from cancer survivors. *Cancer Nursing: An International Journal for Cancer Care*, 39(4), 272-278. IF: 1.97
13. *Sarkar, S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Lai, D., Shegog, R., & Paxton, R. J. (2016). Social support for physical activity: Comparison of family, friends, and co-workers. *WORK – A Journal of Prevention, Assessment & Rehabilitation*, 55(4), 893-899. IF: 0.32
14. *Sarkar, S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Lai, D., Shegog, R., & Paxton, R. J. (2016). Perceived health, sedentary time, body mass index, and breaks from prolonged sitting in the workplace. *International Journal of Sports and Exercise Medicine*, 2:044.
15. **Taylor, W. C.**, Paxton, R. J., Shegog, R., Coan, S. P., *Dubin, A., Page, T. F., & Rempel, D. M. (2016). Impact of Booster Breaks and computer prompts on physical activity and sedentary behavior among desk-based workers: A cluster-randomized controlled trial. *Preventing Chronic Disease*, 13:160231. doi: <https://doi.org/10.5888/pcd13.160231>. IF: 2.80
16. *Eckhardt, M., Kerr, J., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2015). Point-of-decision signs and stair use in a university worksite setting: General versus specific messages. *American Journal of Health Promotion*, 29(5), 291-293. IF: 2.37
17. *Ifland, J. R., Preuss, H. G., Marcus, M. T., Rourke, K. M., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Wright, T. (2015). Clearing the confusion around processed food addiction. *Journal of the American College of Nutrition*, 34(3), 240-243. IF: 1.68
18. McNeill, L. H., Murguia, K., Nguyen, N., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2015). Walking trail use among a sample of black, white, Hispanic, and Asian adult walkers. *Journal of Physical Activity & Health*, 12, S31-S39. IF: 1.95
19. **Taylor, W. C.**, Kimbro, R. T., Evans-Hudnall, G., McNeill, L. H., & Barnes, A. S. (2015). Sedentary behavior, body mass index, and weight loss maintenance among African American women. *Ethnicity & Disease*, 25(1), 38-45. IF: 0.92
20. **Taylor, W. C.**, Paxton, R. J., *Fischer, L. S., & Bellows, L. L. (2015). The Healthy Weight Disparity Index: Why we need it to solve the obesity crisis. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, 26(4), 1186-1199. IF: 1.52
21. Michael, S. L., Wentzel, K., Elliott, M. N., Kanouse, D. E., Dittus, P., Wallander, J., Pasch, K. E., Franzini, L., **Taylor, W. C.**, Qureshi, T., Franklin, F. A., & Schuster, M. A. (2014). Parental and peer factors associated with body image discrepancy among fifth-grade boys and girls. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 43(1), 15-29. IF: 2.72
22. Paxton, R. J., Nayak, P., **Taylor, W. C.**, Chang, S., Courneya, K. S., Schover, L., Hodges, K., & Jones, L. A. (2014). African American breast cancer survivors' preferences for various types of physical activity interventions: A Sisters Network Inc. survey. *Journal of Cancer Survivorship*:

Research and Practice, 8(1), 31-38. *IF*: 3.57

23. *Rianon, N. J., Lang, T. F., Siggeirsdottir, K., Sigurdsson, G., Eiriksdottir, G., Sigurdsson, S., Jonsson, B. Y., Garcia, M., Yu, B., Kapadia, A. S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Selwyn, B. J., Gudnason, V., Launer, L. J., & Harris T. B. (2014). Fracture risk assessment in older adults using a combination of selected quantitative computed tomography bone measures: A subanalysis of the Age, Gene/Environment Susceptibility-Reykjavik Study. *Journal of Clinical Densitometry*, 17(1), 25-31. *IF*: 1.71
24. **Taylor, W. C.**, *Horan, A., *Pinion, C., & Liehr, P. (2014). Evaluation of Booster Breaks in the workplace. *Journal of Occupational and Environmental Medicine*, 56(5), 529-534. *IF*: 1.88
25. **Taylor, W. C.**, Upchurch, S. L., Brosnan, C. A., Selwyn, B. J., Nguyen, T. Q., Villagomez, E. T., & Meininger, J. C. (2014). Features of the built environment related to physical activity friendliness and children's obesity and other risk factors. *Public Health Nursing*, 31(6), 545-555. *IF*: 0.78
26. *Mansyur, C. L., Pavlik, V. N., Hyman, D. J., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Goodrick, K. G. (2013). Self-efficacy and barriers to multiple behavior change in low-income African Americans with hypertension. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*, 36, 75-85. *IF*: 3.10
27. Marcus, M. T., **Taylor, W. C.**, Walker, T., *Carroll, D. D., Cron, S. G., Marcus-Mendoza, S. T., & Liehr, P. (2013). Project SMART: An interdisciplinary collaboration to design and test a mentored health promotion program for school children. *Journal of Addictions Nursing*, 24(1), 20-28. *IF*: 0.31
28. Paxton, R. J., **Taylor, W. C.**, Chang, S., Courneya, K. S., & Jones, L. A. (2013). Lifestyle behaviors of African American breast cancer survivors: A Sisters Network, Inc. study. *PLoS ONE*, 8(4), e61854. *IF*: 3.53
29. **Taylor, W. C.**, *King, K. E., Shegog, R., Paxton, R. J., Evans-Hudnall, G., Rempel, D. M., Chen, V., & Yancey, A. K. (2013). Booster Breaks in the workplace: Participants' perspectives on health-promoting work breaks. *Health Education Research*, 28(3), 414-425. *IF*: 1.66
30. Kumanyika, S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Grier, S. A., Lassiter, V., Lancaster, K. J., Morssink, C. B., & Renzaho, A. M. N. (2012). Community energy balance: A framework for contextualizing cultural influences on high risk of obesity in ethnic minority populations. *Preventive Medicine*, 55(5), 371-381. *IF*: 3.50
31. *Ottenbacher, A. J., Day, R. S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Sharma, S. V., Sloane, R., Snyder, D. C., Lipkus, I. M., Jones, L. W., & Demark-Wahnefried, W. (2012). Long-term physical activity outcomes of home-based lifestyle interventions among breast and prostate cancer survivors. *Supportive Care in Cancer*, 20(10), 2483-2489. *IF*: 2.09
32. Paxton, R. J., Phillips, K. L., Jones, L. A., Chang, S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Courneya, K. S., & Pierce, J. P. (2012). Associations among physical activity, body mass index, and health-related quality of life by race/ethnicity in a diverse sample of breast cancer survivors. *Cancer*, 118(16), 4024-4031. *IF*: 5.20
33. Paxton, R. J., **Taylor, W. C.**, Evans Hudnall, G., & Christie, J. (2012). Goal setting to promote a healthy lifestyle: A parallel-group feasibility study. *International Proceedings of Chemical*,

Biological and Environmental Engineering: Nutrition and Food Sciences, 39, 101-105.

34. *Rianon, N. J., Lang, T. F., Sigurdsson, G., Eiriksdottir, G., Sigurdsson, S., Garcia, M., Pajala, S., Koster, A., Yu, B., Selwyn, B. J., **Taylor, W. C.**, Kapadia, A. S., Gudnason, V., Launer, L. J., & Harris, T. B. (2012). Lifelong physical activity in maintaining bone strength in older men and women of the Age, Gene/Environment Susceptibility–Reykjavik Study. *Osteoporosis International*, 23(9), 2303-2312. *IF: 4.04*
35. **Taylor, W. C.**, Franzini, L., Olvera, N., Poston, W. S. C., & Lin G. (2012). Environmental audits of friendliness toward physical activity in three income levels. *Journal of Urban Health*, 89(2), 296-307. *IF: 1.89*
36. *Andrepoint, E., Cullen, K. W., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2011). The use of Point-of-Sale machines in school cafeterias as a method of parental influence over child lunch food choices. *Journal of School Health*, 81(5), 239-243. *IF: 1.50*
37. Cervantes, C. M., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2011). Physical activity interventions in adult populations with disabilities: A review. *Quest*, 63(4), 385-410. *IF: 0.90*
38. Kersh, R., Stroup, D. F., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2011). Childhood obesity: A framework for policy approaches and ethical considerations. *Preventing Chronic Disease*, 8(5), A93. http://www.cdc.gov/pcd/issues/2011/sep/10_0273.htm. *IF: 1.96*
39. Marcus, M. T., **Taylor, W. C.**, Hormann, M. D., Walker, T., & *Carroll, D. D. (2011). Linking service-learning with community-based participatory research: An inter-professional course for health professional students. *Nursing Outlook*, 59(1), 47-54. *IF: 1.54*
40. *Ottenbacher, A. J., Day, R. S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Sharma, S. V., Sloane, R., Snyder, D. C., Kraus, W. E., & Demark-Wahnefried, W. (2011). Exercise among breast and prostate cancer survivors-what are their barriers? *Journal of Cancer Survivorship*, 5(4), 413-419. *IF: 3.57*
41. **Taylor, W. C.** (2011). Prolonged sitting and the risk of cardiovascular disease and mortality. *Current Cardiovascular Risk Reports*, 5, 350-357.
42. **Taylor, W. C.** (2011). Booster Breaks: An easy-to-implement workplace policy designed to improve employee health, increase productivity, and lower healthcare costs. *Journal of Workplace Behavioral Health*, 26(1), 70-84. *IF: 0.79* **As of July 16, 2016, ranked 9th of the 20 most read articles in the journal.**
43. Franzini, L., **Taylor, W. C.**, Elliott, M. N., Cuccaro, P., Tortolero, S. R., Gilliland, M. J., Grunbaum, J., & Schuster, M. A. (2010). Neighborhood characteristics favorable to outdoor physical activity: Disparities by socioeconomic and racial/ethnic composition. *Health & Place*, 16(2), 267-274. *IF: 2.42*
44. Meininger, J. C., Reyes, L. R., Selwyn, B. J., Upchurch, S. L., Brosnan, C. A., **Taylor, W. C.**, Villagomez, E., Quintana, V., Pullis, B., Caudill, D., Sterchy, S., & Phillips, M. (2010). A structured, interactive method for youth participation in a school district-university partnership to prevent obesity. *Journal of School Health*, 80(10), 493-500. *IF: 1.50*
45. **Taylor, W. C.**, Shegog, R., Chen, V., Rempel, D. M., Baun, M. P., Bush, C. L., Green, T., & Hare-Everline, N. (2010). The Booster Break Program: Description and feasibility test of a worksite

physical activity daily practice. *Work-A Journal of Prevention, Assessment & Rehabilitation*, 37(4), 433-443. *IF: 0.52*

46. Floyd, M. F., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Whitt-Glover, M. C. (2009). Measurement of park and recreation environments that support physical activity in low-income communities of color: Highlights of challenges and recommendations. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 36(4Suppl.), S156-S160. *IF: 4.24*

47. *Ifland, J. R., Preuss, H. G., Marcus, M. T., Rourke, K. M., **Taylor, W. C.**, Burau, K., Jacobs, W. S., Kadish, W., & Manso, G. (2009). Refined food addiction: A classic substance use disorder. *Medical Hypotheses*, 72(5), 518-526. *IF: 1.15*

48. Suminski, R. R., Pyle, S., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2009). Environmental characteristics and physical activity in racial/ethnic minority and Euro-American college students. *Perceptual & Motor Skills*, 108(2), 465-478. *IF: 0.49*

49. Wallander, J. L., **Taylor, W. C.**, Grunbaum, J. A., Franklin, F. A., Harrison, G. G., Kelder, S. H., & Schuster, M. A. (2009). Weight status, quality of life, and self-concept in African American, Hispanic, and White fifth-grade children. *Obesity*, 17(7), 1363-1368. *IF: 3.92*

50. Whitt-Glover, M. C., **Taylor, W. C.**, Floyd, M. F., Yore, M. M., Yancey, A. K., & Matthews, C. E. (2009). Disparities in physical activity and sedentary behaviors among U.S. children and adolescents: Prevalence, correlates, and intervention implications. *Journal of Public Health Policy*, 30(Suppl. 1), s309-s334. *IF: 1.48*

51. **Taylor, W. C.**, Hepworth, J. T., *Lees, E., Feliz, K., *Ahsan, S., Cassells, A., *Volding, D. C., & Tobin, J. N. (2008). Obesity, physical activity, and the environment: Is there a legal basis for environmental injustices? *Environmental Justice*, 1(1), 45-48.

52. *Barnes, A. S., Goodrick, G. K., Pavlik, V., *Markesino, J., *Laws, D. Y., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2007). Weight loss maintenance in African American women: Focus group results and questionnaire development. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*, 22(7), 915-922. *IF: 3.28*

53. Dowda, M., Pate, R. R., Sallis, J. F., Freedson, P. S., **Taylor, W. C.**, Sirard, J. R., & Trost, S. G. (2007). Agreement between student-reported and proxy-reported physical activity questionnaires. *Pediatric Exercise Science*, 19(3), 310-318. *IF: 1.57*

54. *Lees, E., **Taylor, W. C.**, Hepworth, J. T., Feliz, K., Cassells, A., *Volding, D. C., & Tobin, J. N. (2007). Environmental changes to increase physical activity: Perceptions of older urban ethnic minority women. *Journal of Aging & Physical Activity*, 15(4), 425-438. *IF: 1.85*

55. Hyman, D. J., Pavlik, V. N., **Taylor, W. C.**, Goodrick, G. K., & Moye, L. (2007). Simultaneous vs sequential counseling for multiple behavior change. *Archives of Internal Medicine*, 167(11), 1152-1158. *IF: 11.46*

56. **Taylor, W. C.**, Chan, W., *Cummings, S., & Lei, L. (2007). Healthy Growth: Findings from year four. *Journal of Exercise Science & Physiotherapy*, 3(1), 84-97. *IF: 0.80*

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PRESENTATIONS

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2018 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. September 18, 2018. Topic: Disparities, Environmental Justice, and Active Living among High Priority Populations (remote presentation to Columbia, South Carolina because of Hurricane Florence).

2018 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. September 17, 2018. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates and Determinants of Physical Activity (remote presentation to Columbia, South Carolina because of Hurricane Florence).

2018 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. September 16, 2018. Topic: Workplace Health Promotion, Physical Activity, and Sedentary Behavior (remote presentation to Columbia, South Carolina because of Hurricane Florence).

2016 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Columbia, SC, September 20, 2016. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions among Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations.

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2016 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Columbia, SC, September 19, 2016. Topic: Grant Activities: Essential Elements of the Research Plan.

2016 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Columbia, SC, September 19, 2016. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates and Determinants of Physical Activity.

2016 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Columbia, SC, September 18, 2016. Topic: Workplace Health Promotion, Physical Activity, and Sedentary Behavior.

Energy Balance and Cancer Research Retreat, The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Dissemination and implementation research on energy balance interventions, Houston, TX, February 12, 2014. Topic: Booster Breaks in the workplace: Effects on energy balance.

2013 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 17, 2013. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations.

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2013 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 16, 2013. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

2013 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 15, 2013. Topic: Worksites and Health Promotion.

2012 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 18, 2012. Topic: Environmental Justice, Physical Activity, and Underserved Communities.

2012 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 18, 2012. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations.

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Benefits Compensation Specialists Workshop, Clear Lake, TX, September 12, 2012. Topic: Workplace Wellness Pays Off!

The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Nursing, Center for Nursing Research Seminar Series, Houston, TX, April 5, 2012. Health Promoting Work Breaks: Why Should We Care?

Active Living Research Annual Conference, Disparities in Environments and Policies that Support Active Living, San Diego, CA, March 13, 2012. Do All Children Have Places to Be Active? Disparities in Access to Physical Activity Environments in Racial and Ethnic Minority and Lower-Income Communities (breakfast roundtable).

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Pasadena Rotary Club Meeting, Pasadena, TX, March 2, 2012. Topic: Workplace Wellness.

2011 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 20, 2011. Topic: Environmental Justice, Physical Activity, and Underserved Communities.

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Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 20, 2011. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations.

2011 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 19, 2011. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

2011 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 19, 2011. Topic: Grant Activities Panel: Essential Elements of the Research Plan.

9th Annual Disparities in Health in the Global Context Summer Workshop, The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX, June 22, 2011. Topic: Environmental Justice: Opportunities for Physical Activity and Healthy Communities.

Public Health Grand Rounds, Texas Public Health Training Center and Houston Department of Health and Human Services, Houston, TX, March 16, 2011. Topic: Health Promoting Work Breaks.

2010 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 21, 2010. Topic: Environmental Justice, Physical Activity, and Healthy Communities.

2010 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 21, 2010. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations.

2010 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 20, 2010. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

2010 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 20, 2010. Topic: Grant Activities Panel: Research Plan: Measures.

4th African American Collaborative Obesity Research Network Invited Workshop, Addressing Social Inequities: CBPR to Improve African American Environmental Contexts for Obesity Prevention, August 19-21, 2010, Philadelphia, PA. Topic: Environmental Scan: What Is Happening Now and Where Is the Potential in African American Communities?

2010 Ethical Issues in Interventions for Childhood Obesity, The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Symposium, Pescadero, CA, January 12-13, 2010.

2009 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 22, 2009. Topic: Environmental Justice, Physical Activity, and Healthy Communities.

2009 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 22, 2009. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations.

2009 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and

Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 21, 2009.
Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

2009 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 21, 2009.
Topic: Grant Activities Panel: Research Plan: Measures.

15th Annual Joint Conference on Health, Health Equity: Global and Local Challenges, Washington State Department of Health, Yakima, WA, October 6, 2008. Plenary Session: Environmental Justice: Opportunities for Physical Activity and Healthy Communities.

15th Annual Joint Conference on Health, Health Equity: Global and Local Challenges, Washington State Department of Health, Yakima, WA, October 6, 2008. Luncheon Meeting: Community-Based Physical Activity Interventions for Underserved Populations.

2008 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 23, 2008. Topic: Environmental Justice, Physical Activity, and Healthy Communities.

2008 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 23, 2008. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations.

2008 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 22, 2008. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

2008 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 22, 2008. Topic: Grant Activities Panels: Research Plan: Measures.

2008 Conference of the State of Environmental Justice in America, Howard University School of Law, Washington D.C. May 23, 2008. Symposium: Inequalities in Resources and Environments for Active Living.

2007 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 18, 2007. Topic: Environmental Justice, Physical Activity, and Healthy Communities.

2007 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 18, 2007. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations.

2007 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 17, 2007. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

2007 Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course on Research Directions and Strategies, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Hilton Head, SC, September 17, 2007. Topic: Grant Activities Panels: Research Plan: Measures.

Kansas City University of Medicine and Biosciences, Kansas City, KS, June 22, 2007. Topic: Environmental Justice: Opportunities for Physical Activity and Healthy Communities.

54th Annual Meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, New Orleans, LA, May 31, 2007. Topic: Environmental Justice: Neighborhood Resources and Physical Activity in Diverse Urban Environments.

Border Health Seminar Series, The University of Texas School of Public Health, Brownsville, TX, April 20, 2007. Topic: Environmental Justice: Opportunities for Physical Activity and Healthy Communities.

National Health and Livability Summit, Atlanta, GA, April 17, 2007. Topic: Environmental Justice: Parks, Recreation, and Public Health.

Sapora Research Symposium, Department of Recreation, Sport, and Tourism, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL, April 10, 2007. Topic: Environmental Justice: Opportunities for Physical Activity and Healthy Communities.

Kansas University Medical City Distinguished Visiting Scholar Series, Kansas City, KS, November 9, 2006. Topic: Environmental Justice, Community Empowerment, and Increasing Physical Activity Opportunities.

The Cooper Institute Conference Series, Parks, Recreation, and Public Health: Collaborative Frameworks for Promoting Physical Activity, Dallas, TX, October 27, 2006. Topic: Environmental Justice: Describing the Two Waves of Environmental Justice Related to Both Public Health and Parks and Recreation.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 19, 2006. Topic: Environmental Justice, Physical Activity, and Underserved Communities.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 19, 2006. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 17, 2006. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Park City, UT, September 16, 2006. Topic: Practitioner's Symposium: The Future of Physical Activity.

Participatory Research on African American Community Weight Issues: Defining the State of the Art, Second AACORN Invited Workshop, August 13-16, 2006. Topic: Environmental Justice: Physical Activity, Obesity, and the Environment.

World Conference: Expanding Paradigms-Science, Consciousness, and Spirituality, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi, India, February 26, 2006. Topic: Sudarshan Kriya Yogic Breathing and Employee Stress at the Workplace.

Perspectives 2006, The Raymond B. Witt Lecture Series: Mind, Body, Soul: The Holistic Quest,

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, TN, January 20, 2006. Topic: Environmental Justice: Physical Activity and the Environment.

Eliminating Obesity and Reducing Your Risk of Cancer: A National Priority, Houston, TX, November 5, 2005. Topic: The Healthy Child: Physical Activity and Healthy Eating.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 20, 2005. Topic: Environmental Justice, Physical Activity, and Underserved Communities.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 20, 2005. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 19, 2005. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 17, 2005. Topic: Practitioner's Symposium: The Future of Physical Activity.

Healthy Choices: A Health Forum for Teens, Houston, Texas, April 16, 2005. Topic: Healthy Weight for Teens.

Active Living Research 2nd Annual Conference, Coronado Island, CA, February 25-26, 2005. Topic: Environmental Justice: Physical Activity, Healthy Eating, and Obesity.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Park City, UT, September 21, 2004. Topic: Community-based Physical Activity Interventions in Underserved Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Park City, UT, September 21, 2004. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Park City, UT, September 20, 2004. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 23, 2003. Topic: Community-based Physical Activity Interventions in Underserved Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 23, 2003. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 22, 2003. Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

National Youth Leadership Forum, Houston, TX, July 11, 2003. Topic: Health Education, Health Promotion, Behavioral Sciences, and Public Health.

Third Annual Health Services and Outcomes Research Conference, Houston, TX, November 25, 2002. Topic: Improving Physical Activity Levels.

Say Yes to a Youngster's Future, Alcott Elementary School, Houston, TX, November 2, 2002. Topic: Careers in Public Health.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Park City, UT, September 24, 2002.
Topic: Community-based Physical Activity Interventions in Underserved Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Park City, UT, September 24, 2002.
Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Park City, UT, September 23, 2002.
Topic: Psychosocial Correlates of Physical Activity.

The Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, Baltimore, MD, February 26, 2002. Topic: Faculty Development Program: Recording the Legacy.

Association for Medical Education and Research in Substance Abuse, Alexandria, VA, November 9, 2001. Topic: Engaging Adolescents to Learn Communication Skills.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 25, 2001.
Topic: Community-based Physical Activity Interventions in Underserved Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 25, 2001.
Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head, SC, September 24, 2001.
Topic: Psychosocial Determinants of Physical Activity.

Colloquium speaker at Ohio State University School of Physical Activity and Educational Services in Columbus, OH, May 18, 2001. Presentation: Community-based physical activity interventions in underserved populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Park City, UT, September 25, 2000.
Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Park City, UT, September 24, 2000.
Topic: Ethnic Minority Populations and Physical Activity Research.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head Island, SC, September 28, 1999. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head Island, SC, September 28, 1999. Topic: Research Directions: Physical Activity and Ethnic Minorities.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head Island, SC, September 27, 1999. Topic: Psychosocial Determinants of Physical Activity.

Frontrunners Conference: Local Government Taking the Lead in Fitness Promotion, Richmond, VA, October 30, 1998. Topic: Reversing the Downward Trend in Youth Fitness.

Frontrunners Conference: Local Government Taking the Lead in Fitness Promotion, Richmond, VA, October 29, 1998. Topic: Bolstering Retention: What Works.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head Island, SC, September 29, 1998. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions in Ethnic Minority Populations.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head Island, SC, September 29, 1998. Topic: Research Directions: Physical Activity and Ethnic Minorities.

Physical Activity and Public Health Postgraduate Course, Hilton Head Island, SC, September 27, 1998. Topic: Psychosocial Determinants of Physical Activity.

45th Annual Meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Orlando, FL, June 6, 1998. Topic: Family Aggregation and Physical Activity: Theoretical Models.

45th Annual Meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Orlando, FL, June 5, 1998. Topic: Activity Patterns and Correlates among Obese and Non-Obese Youth.

Cardiovascular Health: Coming Together for the 21st Century: A National Conference, San Francisco, CA, February 19, 1998. Topic: Interventions to Promote Physical Activity in Populations at Risk for Inactivity.

Preventive Cardiology Forum VIII, The University of Texas-Houston Medical School, Houston, TX, February 14, 1998. Topic: Physical Activity in Youth: A Public Health Challenge.

Physical Activity Interventions: An American College of Sports Medicine Specialty Conference, The Cooper Institute for Aerobics Research, Dallas, TX, October 19-21, 1997. Topic: Physical Activity Interventions Targeting Underserved Populations.

Abstracts, Papers, and Posters

Leatherwood, M. D., Paxton, R. J., Higginbotham, J. C., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2018, June 1). Racial and ethnic differences in time spent sitting: The Booster Break study. Poster presentation at the 2018 Annual Meeting, World Congress on Exercise is Medicine, and World Congress on the Basic Science of Muscle Hypertrophy and Atrophy of the American College of Sports Medicine, Minneapolis, MN.

Park, E., Volding, D. C., **Taylor, W. C.**, Chan, W., & Meininger, J. (2018, March 22). Cardiorespiratory fitness is associated with ambulatory blood pressure in adolescents. Poster presentation at the EPI/Lifestyle 2018 Scientific Sessions, New Orleans, LA.

Pinion, C., Klyza, J., Brewer, S., Douphrate, D., Whitehead, L., DelliFraine, J., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2017, May 11). Job control and management commitment to safety. Presentation at Kentucky's 32nd Annual Governor's Safety and Health Network Conference and Exposition, Covington, KY.

Robertson, M. C., Betts, A. C., Da Silva Espinosa, C., Tran, V., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2015, April 9). Feasibility of implementing a worksite physical activity routine to break up sedentary time. Poster presented at Student Research Day, The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Public Health, Houston, TX.

Del Rio Rodriguez, B., Chen, T. A., Cullen, K. W., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2012, April 19). Timing of solid food introduction is not associated with overweight and obesity in a national sample of children ages 2 to 5 years from NHANES 2003-2008. Poster presented at the Fellow's Research Symposium, Department of Pediatrics, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX.

Pollack, K. M., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Yancey, A. (2010, July 31). Practitioners as advocates: Promoting

environmental and policy change to increase physical activity and decrease obesity among lower-income and racial and ethnic minority children. National Medical Association oral abstract presentation, Orlando, FL.

Upchurch, S. L., Brosnan, C. A., Reyes, L., **Taylor, W. C.**, Selwyn, B., Villagomez, E., Ross, M. E., Starchky, S., Phillips, M., & Meininger, J. C. (2008, October 2-4). An investigation of obesity prevention in youth through three research strategies. Poster presented at the Council for Advancement of Nursing Science, Washington D.C.

Marcus, M. T., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Hormann, M. D. (2008, September 6-7). An interprofessional service-learning model. Poster presented at the Institute for Interprofessional Prevention Education, Austin, TX.

Villagomez, E. T., Selwyn, B. J., Brosnan, C., Reyes, L., Ross, M. E., **Taylor, W. C.**, Upchurch, S., & Meininger, J. (2008, February 6). Aldine-UT partnership to prevent obesity in children: The parents' perspective on obesity. Poster presented at the Promoting Health in Underserved Populations: Promoting Healthy Aging Conference, University of Texas, Austin, TX.

Wallander, J. L., Franklin, F. A., Grunbaum, J., Harrison, G., Kelder, S. H., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Schuster, M. (2005, December 14). Weight status, body mass, and quality of life in 5th grade children from different racial/ethnic groups. Poster presented at the 133rd Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.

Lees, E. L., **Taylor, W. C.**, Hepworth, J. T., Tobin, J. N., Feliz, K., & Cassells, A. (2005, February). Urban ethnic minority women's suggested environmental changes to increase physical activity. Poster presented at the 26th Annual Meeting of the Minority Health Conference, Chapel Hill, NC.

Pavlik, V. N., Hyman, D. J., Goodrick, K., **Taylor, W. C.**, Markesino Roberts, J., Moseley, K., Wilson, R., & Laws, D. (2004, June). 24-hour urine sodium in low-income African Americans with hypertension and relationship to stage of change sodium restriction. Paper presented at the 19th Annual Meeting of the International Interdisciplinary Conference on Hypertension & Related Risk Factors in Ethnic Populations, Detroit, MI.

Wei, I. I., Mueller, W. H., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Burau, K. D. (2002, November). Physical activity and acute upper respiratory conditions in a nationally representative sample of U.S. adults. Poster presented at the 3rd Annual Meeting of the Houston Area Health Services & Outcome Research, Houston, TX.

Sallis, J. F., Prochaska, J. J., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2000, April). Correlates of youth physical activity: Studies do not reflect population diversity. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Nashville, TN.

Lees, E., & **Taylor, W. C.** (2000, March). Physical activity readiness among women aged 40-61: A lesson for practitioners. Paper presented at the 46th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, San Diego, CA.

Trost, S. G., Pate, R. R., Freedson, P. S., Sallis, J. F., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1999, October). Using objective physical activity measures with youth: How many days of monitoring are needed? Paper presented at the Cooper Institute for Aerobics Research Conference on Measurement of Physical Activity, Dallas, TX.

Sallis, J. F., Pate, R. R., Freedson, P. S., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1998, June). Understanding patterns and correlates of physical activity in young people, grades 1-12. Paper presented at the meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Orlando, FL.

Sirard, J., Dowda, M., Pate, R. R., Freedson, P. S., Sallis, J. F., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1998, June). Relationship between self-report and parental proxy report of physical activity in adolescents. Paper presented at the meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Orlando, FL.

Welk, G. J., Fulton, J. E., Pratt, M., Lowry, R., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Baranowski, T. (1998, June). Parental influence on physical activity in children: From theory to practice. Symposium presented at the meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Orlando, FL.

Hergenroeder, A., Hill, R., Wong, W., Sangi-Haghpeykar, H., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1997, March). Validity of self-assessment of pubertal maturation in a multiethnic group of adolescent females. Poster presented at the meeting of the Society for Adolescent Medicine, San Francisco, CA.

Hayes, J. C., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Harris, B. A. (1996, May). Characteristics and determinants of leisure-time physical activity among United States astronauts. Paper presented at the meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Cincinnati, OH.

Pivarnik, J. M., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Cummings, S. S. (1996, May). Longitudinal assessment of aerobic fitness values in middle school African American girls. Paper presented at the meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Cincinnati, OH.

Sallis, J. F., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1996, May). Determinants of physical activity in childhood and adolescence. Paper presented at the meeting of the International Conference on Nutrition & Fitness, Athens, Greece.

Mullen, P., DiClemente, C., Carbonari, J., Nichol, L., Richardson, M. A., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Sockrider, M. (1996, March). Project Panda maintenance of prenatal smoking abstinence six weeks postpartum. Paper presented at the meeting of the International Congress of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, D.C.

Pivarnik, J. M., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Snider, S. A. (1994, August). Tracking aerobic capacity in African American girls. Paper presented at the meeting of the North American Society of Pediatric Exercise Medicine, Pittsburgh, PA.

Fulton, J. E., Bray, M., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1993, December). Methods for assessing physical activity and attitudes in children: Measurement issues. Paper presented at the meeting of the Texas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance, Galveston, TX.

Pivarnik, J. M., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Snider, S. A. (1993, September). Aerobic capacities of urban middle school girls. Paper presented at the meeting of the North American Society of Pediatric Exercise Medicine, Ontario, Canada.

Fulton, J. E., Pivarnik, J. M., Tate, A. L., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Snider, S. A. (1993, June). Estimation of maximal voluntary ventilation (MVV) in African American adolescent girls. Paper presented at the meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Seattle, WA.

Taylor, W. C., Richardson, M. A., & Mullen, P. D. (1993, March). Extrinsic-intrinsic motivation and smoking status of women during pregnancy and postpartum. Paper presented at the meeting of the

Society for Behavioral Medicine, San Francisco, CA.

Mullen, P. D., DiClemente, C. C., Sockrider, M. M., Bartholomew, K., **Taylor, W. C.**, Richardson, M. A., Stotts, A., & Corinne, J. (1992, November). Protecting infants from passive smoke exposure. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Public Health Association, Washington, D.C.

Taylor, W. C., Simons-Morton, B. G., Snider, S. A., & Huang, I. W. (1992, November). Amount of physical activity in middle school physical education. Paper presented at the meeting of the North American Society of Pediatric Exercise Medicine, Key Biscayne, FL.

Taylor, W. C., Blair, S. N., Snider, S. A., & Wun, C. C. (1992, November). The influence of physical activity in childhood and adolescence on adult exercise habits. Paper presented at the meeting of the North American Society of Pediatric Exercise Medicine, Key Biscayne, FL.

Taylor, W. C., & Ogamdi, S. O. (1992, September). Married versus single individuals and levels of knowledge about sickle cell disease. Paper presented at the meeting of the 3rd Annual Sickle Cell Symposium, Houston, TX.

Ogamdi, S. O., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1992, September). Levels of knowledge about sickle cell disease in college students. Paper presented at the meeting of the 3rd Annual Sickle Cell Symposium, Houston, TX.

Fulton, J. E., **Taylor, W. C.**, Pivarnik, J. M., Snider, S. A., Jackson, A. S., & Morrow, J. R. (1992, May). Estimation of maximal aerobic capacity without exercise testing in African American girls. Paper presented at the meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Dallas, TX.

Pivarnik, J. M., Fulton, J. E., **Taylor, W. C.**, & Snider, S. A. (1992, May). Effect of age, menarcheal status, and body composition on VO₂ max of African American adolescent girls. Paper presented at the meeting of the American College of Sports Medicine, Dallas, TX.

Richardson, M. A., Mullen, P. D., DiClemente, C. C., Banks, S., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1992, March). Support from partners: Implications for stress prenatally and postpartum. Poster presented at the meeting of the Society for Behavioral Medicine, New York, NY.

Taylor, W. C., Simons-Morton, B. G., Snider, S. A., & Huang, I. W. (1991, August). Amount of physical activity in physical education classes. Paper presented at the meeting of the North American Society of Pediatric Exercise Medicine, Aspen, CO.

Simons-Morton, B. G., & **Taylor, W. C.** (1990, October). The validity of an interview instrument to measure preadolescent children's physical activity in field studies. Poster presented at the meeting of the American Public Health Association, New York, NY.

Taylor, W. C. (1987, April). Data analyses in non-experimental studies. Paper presented at the meeting of the Arizona Cancer Center Retreat, Tucson, AZ.

Taylor, W. C., Braver, S. L., & Wilson, L. A. (1984, March). Laboratory study of constitutional choice. Paper presented at the meeting of the Public Choice Society, Phoenix, AZ.

TEACHING

Classes Taught

Social and Behavioral Aspects of Community Health (sole instructor – 100% responsibility) (multiple sites taught interactively via ITV technology)
 Social and Behavioral Aspects of Physical Activity (sole instructor – 100% responsibility) (multiple sites taught interactively via ITV technology)
 Health Promotion and Health Education Theory and Methods (multiple sites taught interactively via ITV technology)
 Workplace Health Promotion (independent studies)

Advising of Graduate Students (Master's & Doctoral Level)

15–20 master level students per year
 4-6 doctoral level students per year

Supervision of Post-Doctoral Fellows

1–3 postdoctoral fellows per year

SERVICE

Advisory Groups

10/2016–10/2019	National Physical Activity Plan's Standing Committee for Business and Industry Sector, Columbia, SC
03/2012–Present	First Emeritus Board Member, African American Health Coalition, Board of Directors, Houston, TX
12/2013–12/2015	National Physical Activity Plan's Business and Industry Sector Advisory Panel, Columbia, SC
12/2013–12/2015	Nutrition and Physical Activity (NuPA) Advisory Committee, American Cancer Society, Atlanta, GA
09/2012–08/2013	Advisory Board Member, African American Collaborative Obesity Research Network, Philadelphia, PA
09/2011	Technical Advisor, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, School Health Guidelines to Promote Healthy Eating and Physical Activity, <i>Morbidity & Mortality Weekly Report</i> , Atlanta, GA
09/2010	Reviewer, American Cancer Society and Springer Publishers, <i>Cancer Disparities: Causes and Evidence Based Solutions</i> , 2011
08/2010	Reviewer, Division of Adolescent and School Health of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, School Health Guidelines to Promote Lifelong Healthy Eating and Physical Activity among Young People, Atlanta, GA
03/2007–03/2009	YMCA Health and Wellness Task Force, Houston, TX

01/2008-09/2011	Galveston Island Community Research Advisory Committee (GICRAC), gatekeepers for health and wellbeing among African Americans in Galveston, Galveston, TX
01/2007–01/2009	Built Environment Partners Advisory Group, Harris County, TX
07/2006	Expert Panelist, Division of Adolescent and School Health of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, School Health Guidelines to Promote Lifelong Healthy Eating and Physical Activity among Young People, Atlanta, GA
02/2005	Childhood Obesity Prevention Research: Filling the Gaps, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies and Research Triangle International, Washington D.C.
08/2004	AARP/CDC Physical Activity Project Advisory Group Meeting, Active of Life, Washington D.C.
08/2004	Achieving Healthy Weight in African American Communities: Interdisciplinary Research Directions, African American Collaborative Obesity Research Network, Atlanta, GA
06/2004	Modifiable Environmental and Behavioral Determinants of Overweight among Children and Adolescents, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD
12/2003	Equal Rights to Health: Supporting Healthy Living for Children in Low SES African American, Latino, Native American, and Rural Communities, Morehouse School of Medicine, The California Endowment, and The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Atlanta, GA
10/2003–10/2006	Advisory Committee, College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Graduate Program in Health Care Administration, Texas Southern University, Houston, TX
09/2003–09/2009	Advisory Board, American Council for Fitness and Nutrition, Grocery Manufacturers of America, Washington D.C.
05/2003	Cultural Diversity Roundtable on Aging and Physical Activity, American Society on Aging and The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Washington D.C.
02/2002–02/2012	Active Living Policy and Environmental Studies, National Advisory Committee and Grant Reviewer, The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, San Diego, CA
08/2001–08/2005	Medical and Research Advisory Committee, The Council on Alcohol & Drugs Houston, Houston, TX
01/2000	Speaker, Expert Working Group Meeting: Setting Priorities for Public Health Intervention Research in Physical Activity, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Physical Activity and Health Branch, Atlanta, GA. Presentation: Behavior and Community Physical Activity Interventions
08/1993	Invited Expert, The International Consensus Conference on Physical Activity Guidelines for Adolescents convened to review the effects of

physical activity on the health of adolescents and to establish age-appropriate physical activity guidelines

Grant Review Panels

2012–2015	John Hopkins' Global Center on Childhood Obesity, Rapid Response Pilot Project Core Grant Program, Baltimore, MD
03/2005	National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute, Scientific Review Team, Special Emphasis Panel, Transdisciplinary Research on Energetics and Cancer RFA, Bethesda, MD
02/2002–02/2012	Active Living Research Institute, Advisory Grant Review Committee, The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Princeton, NJ
01/2002–12/2005	American Cancer Society, Peer Review Committee on Psychosocial, Behavioral, and Policy Research, Atlanta, GA
06/2000	American Cancer Society, Peer Review Committee on Psychosocial, Behavioral, and Policy Research (ad hoc reviewer), Atlanta, GA
09/1999	The Center for Border Health Research Grants, El Paso, TX
10/1998	Public-Private Sector Collaborative Fitness Promotion Project Grants, Richmond, VA
1993	Comprehensive School Health Education Program Grants U.S. Department of Education, Washington, D.C.

Conference Abstract Reviewer

02/ 2007	The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Active Living Research, 2007 Annual Conference Program Committee (reviewed 30 abstracts), Active Living in Diverse and Disadvantaged Communities, Active Living Research Fourth Annual Conference, Coronado, CA
08/ 2001	8th Biennial Symposium on Minorities, the Medically Underserved, and Cancer, Co-Chair of the Basic, Clinical, and Behavioral Research Abstract Review Committee (reviewed 45 abstracts), Houston, TX
12/1999	7th Biennial Symposium on Minorities, the Medically Underserved, and Cancer, Co-Chair of the Abstract Review Committee (reviewed 160 abstracts), Houston, TX
12/1995	International Society of Behavioral Medicine

Editorial Positions/Journal Reviewer

Annals of Behavioral Medicine (Editorial Board, 08/2005–01/2010)
American Journal of Preventive Medicine
American Journal of Public Health
Ethnicity & Disease
Evaluation Research
Health Education Quarterly

Health Education and Primary Health Care
Health Education Research: Theory & Practice
Health Promotion International
Health Psychology (Editorial Board, 2003–2004)
Hygie
International Journal of Behavioral Medicine
Journal of Health Disparities Research and Practice
Journal of Health Education
Journal of Health Care for the Poor & Underserved
Journal of Physical Activity & Health
Journal of School Health
Journal of Workplace Behavioral Health
Medicine & Science in Sports & Exercise
Medical Care
Obesity Research
Pediatric Exercise Science
Preventive Medicine - An International Journal
Guest Co-Editor for Scientific Review: Children's Physical Activity & Nutrition: A CDC Supplemental Issue (08/2000)
Preventive Medicine Reports
Primary Prevention
Public Health Reports
Research Quarterly for Exercise & Sport
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PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

2018-Present	Council on Black Health, Executive Team
2015-Present	University of Texas Health, Consortium on Aging
2015-Present	African American Health Coalition, Emeritus Executive Board Member
1998–Present	American College of Sports Medicine
1992–Present	American Medical Writers Association
1987–Present	American Public Health Association
1985–Present	American Psychological Association, Division 38
2006–2014	African American Collaborative Obesity Research Network
1999–2009	Community-based Health Coalition, Chair of the Clinical Research Committee
1990–2000	North American Society of Pediatric Exercise Medicine
1987–1994	The New York Academy of Sciences
1986–1987	WELCOT Employers Assistance Committee, Wellness Council of Tucson
1985–1990	The Society for the Advancement of Social Psychology
1985–1987	Western Psychological Association

1985–1986 Arizona Affirmative Action Association

1984–1986 Public Choice Society

CONSULTATION

10/2000 Texas Education Agency, Health and Physical Education Center for Educator Development, Austin, TX

6/2000 Key Informant Interview: Prevention Institute, California Nutrition Network for Healthy and Active Families, Berkeley, CA

01/2000 Expert Working Group, Setting Priorities for Public Health Intervention Research in Physical Activity, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA

11/1999–2001 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Strategies to Promote Physical Activity in African Americans, African American Physical Activity Advisory Group, Atlanta, GA

01/1998–07/2001 Executive Steering Committee, Bright Futures in Practice: Physical Activity Implementation Guide for Healthcare Professionals, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, Department of Health and Human Services, Rockville, MD

08/1997–08/1999 Consultation Team, Guide to Community Preventive Services (Promoting Physical Activity), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA

04/1997–10/1999 Research Scientist Advisory Committee, Texas Southern University, Houston, TX

09/1996–11/1997 Planning Committee, Physical Activity Interventions Conference, The Cooper Institute for Aerobics Research, Dallas, TX

05/1996–05/1999 Scientific Advisor, Cowles Media Foundation, Research Project--Physical Activity in Children, Minneapolis, MN

06/1993–06/1995 Member of the External Advisory Panel, Tulane/Xavier NIEHS Center Development Grant (P20), Environmental Exposures and Risks of Minority and Other Disadvantaged Populations, School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, Tulane University Medical Center, New Orleans, LA

06/1994 Participant in the National Cancer Institute's meeting to plan nationwide youth focus groups on tobacco use, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD

09/1989–10/1996 Behavioral Sciences Consultant to the National Cancer Institute's Community Intervention Program, "Cancer Prevention Awareness: The Black College as a Resource," Texas Southern University, Houston, TX