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EDUCATION

PhD	2017	Brown School of Social Work Washington University in St. Louis Dissertation Title: <i>No Father Left Behind: Exploring Positive Father Involvement as a Protective Factor in the Prevention of Neglect and Adverse Child Outcomes</i>
MSW	2008	Georgia State University School of Social Work Major: Social Work Concentration: Community Partnerships
BA	2005	University of West Georgia Major: Psychology Minor: Sociology

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Experience in Higher Education

2017-Present	<i>Assistant Professor</i> School of Social Work University of Maryland, Baltimore <u>Courses Taught</u> SOWK 630: Social Work Practice with Individuals SOWK 632: Social Work Practice with Groups and Families
2017-Present	<i>Faculty Affiliate</i> Center for Violence and Injury Prevention Washington University in St. Louis
2015-2017	<i>Adjunct Faculty</i> Brown School of Social Work Washington University in St. Louis <u>Courses Taught</u> Social Work Practice with Individuals, Groups and Families Theoretical Basis for Practice with Children, Youth, and Families

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Experience in Other than Higher Education

- 2011-2013 *Research Consultant*
Mark Chaffin Center for Healthy Development
 Atlanta, Georgia
- 2008-2012 *Senior Training Specialist*
National SafeCare Training and Research Center
 Atlanta, Georgia

HONORS

- 2019 Dean's Teaching Award (Spring 2019)
 School of Social Work, University of Maryland
- 2017 Dean's Teaching Award (Fall 2017)
 School of Social Work, University of Maryland
- 2017 Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award
 American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children
- 2015 Excellence in Teaching Award
 Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis
- 2007 Social Work Field Placement Award
 Georgia State University

COMPETITIVE FELLOWSHIPS

- 2019-2021 **National Institute of Health**
National Institute of General Medical Sciences
 Research Education Grant R25GM121266
 (PI: Dr. Laura D'Anna)
 Faculty Fellow, Center for Health Equity Research (CHER) Institute
 California State University, Long Beach
- 2019-2020 **National Institute of Health**
National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
 Research Education Grant 5R25HD082067-04
 (PI: Drs. Cathy Spatz and Melissa Jonson-Reid)
 Faculty Fellow, Center for Innovation in Child Maltreatment Policy,
 Research, and Training
 Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis
- 2016 Competitive Fellowship to Attend PhD Workshop on Child Maltreatment
 Haruv Institute, The Hebrew University (Jerusalem, Israel)

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2012-2015 National Institute of Mental Health Predoctoral Fellowship
Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

RESEARCH SUPPORT

Principal Investigator

2018-2021 **Annie E. Casey Foundation**
Evaluation of Quality Parenting Initiative GA-2018-X4932 (\$80,000)

2020 **University of Maryland School of Social Work**
Competitive Innovative Research Award
Assessing Implementation Outcomes for the Quality Parenting Initiative (\$20,000)

2015-2017 **Doris Duke Charitable Foundation**
Fellowship for the Promotion of Child Well-Being (\$60,000)

2015-2017 **Administration for Children and Families**
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Family Strengthening Scholars
Doctoral Dissertation Grant 90PD0295 (\$50,000)

Unfunded **Administration for Children and Families**
Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation
Secondary Analyses of Strengthening Families Datasets
Examining the Impact of Father Engagement in Family Strengthening Programs to Promote Positive Father Involvement (\$150,000)
Submitted: November 2019

Unfunded **Doris Duke Charitable Foundation**
Research to Action Grant
Evaluating Community-Based Programs to Address Fatherlessness and Promote Positive Youth Development (\$100,000)
Co-Principal Investigator: Dr. Brianna P. Lemmons
Submitted: February 2019

Co-Investigator

2021-2026 **Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration**
National Child Traumatic Stress Initiatives- Category II
Treatment and Service Adaptations Centers
The Collective for Antiracist Child and Family Systems (\$2,989,668)

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Under Review

**Health Resources and Services Administration
Department of Health and Human Services
Health Resources and Services Administration**

A Randomized Controlled Trial of Parents Taking Action for Low-Resourced Families of Children At-Risk for Autism (\$700,000)

Submitted: April 2021

Consultant

2017-2018

Annie E. Casey Foundation

Adapting and Testing Multi-Family Group Therapy: An Evidence-Based Health Program in Child Welfare (\$16,120)

Subcontract: Anne Arundel County Department of Social Services

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles

Lewis, E. M., Lemmons, B., & Woolley, M. (*In Press*). The Ties that Bind: An Exploration of Son-in-Law and Father-in-Law Relationships in Black Families. *Psychology of Men & Masculinities*.

Lemmons, B., Bamishigbin, O., Cryer-Coupet, Q. R., **Lewis, E. M.**, Dorsey, M. S., & Johnson, S. (2021). Exploring the Multiple Determinants of Discipline and Monitoring Among Non-Resident African American Fathers. *Children and Youth Services Review*, *125*, 106004

Lewis, E. M., Hooley, C., Feely, M., Korff, S., Lanier, P., & Kohl, P.L. (2020). Engagement in Triple P Parenting Program Among Parents of Children with Behavioral Disorders Receiving Child Welfare Services. *Journal of Emotional and Behavioral Disorders*. doi: 10.7717/peerj.4676

Dy, T., **Lewis, E. M.**, Murugan, V., Gehlert, S., Taylor, J., Garbutt, J., Bacharier, L. B., & Castro, M. (2018). Caregiver and Pediatric Provider Perspectives on Symptom-Based Inhaled Corticosteroid Therapy in Asthma. *Respiratory Medicine* *137*, 201-205. doi: 10.1016/j.rmed.2018.03.001

Mazzucca, S., Tabak, R., Pilar, M., Ramsey, A. T., Baumann, A. A., Kryzer, E., **Lewis, E. M.**, ... & Brownson, R. C. (2018). Variation in Research Designs Used to Test the Effectiveness of Dissemination and Implementation Strategies: A Review. *Frontiers in Public Health*, *6*, 32. doi: 10.3389/fpubh.2018.00032

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- Tabak, R., Proctor, E., Baumann, A. A., Morshed, A., McKay, V., Prusaczyk, B., Gerke, D., Ramsey, A., **Lewis, E.**, ... & Kryzer, E. (2018). 2346 Development of toolkits to support researchers integrating dissemination and implementation science into their translational research. *Journal of Clinical and Translational Science*, 2(S1), 54-54. doi: 10.1017/cts.2018.204
- Jonson-Reid, M., Drake, B., Kohl, P., Guo, S., Brown, D., McBride, T., Kim, H., & **Lewis, E. M.** (2017). What do we really know about usual care child protective services? *Children and Youth Services Review*, 82, 222-229. doi: 10.1016/j.chilyouth.2017.09.019
- Lewis, E. M.**, Feely, M., Seay, K. D., Fedoravicius, N., & Kohl, P. L. (2016). Child Welfare Involved Parents and Pathways Triple P: Perceptions of Program Acceptability and Appropriateness. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 25, 1-11. doi: 10.1007/s10826-016-0526-2
- Lewis, E. M.**, Murugan, V., Gehlert, S., Taylor, J., Garbutt, J., Bacharier, L. B., ... & Dy, T. (2016). Caregiver Perspectives on Symptom-Based Inhaled Corticosteroid Therapy in Asthma. In *A36. Clinical Problems in Asthma and Allergy* (pp. A1387-A1387). *American Thoracic Society*.
- Gerke, D. R., Prusaczyk, B., Baumann, A., **Lewis, E. M.**, & Proctor, E. (2016). A Model for Providing Methodological Expertise to Advance Dissemination and Implementation of Health Discoveries in Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) Institutions. In *A70. Proceedings of the 3rd Biennial Conference of the Society for Implementation Research Collaboration (SIRC) 2015: advancing efficient methodologies through community partnerships and team science*. *Implementation Science*, 11(1), 1.
- Stahlschmidt, M. J., Threlfall, J., Seay, K. D., **Lewis, E. M.**, & Kohl, P. L. (2013). Recruiting Fathers to Parenting Programs: Advice from Dads and Fatherhood Program Providers. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 35, 1734-1741. doi:10.1016/j.chilyouth.2013.07.004
- Ohmer, M. L., Meadowcroft, P., Freed, K., & **Lewis, E.** (2009). Community Gardening and Community Development: Individual, Social and Community Benefits of a Community Conservation Program. *Journal of Community Practice*, 17, 377-399. doi: 10.1080/10705420903299961

Refereed Journal Articles (Under Review)

- Lewis, E. M.**, Murugan, V., Leffler, K. A., Barth, R. P., & Lee, B. R. (Revise & Resubmit). Relationships Matter: Exploring the Implementation of the Quality Parenting Initiative and the Foster Parent Experience.

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Lewis, E. M., Dababnah, S., Hollie, K., Kim, I., Wang, Y., & Shaia, W. E. (Under Review). *The Creator Didn't Give Me More Than I Can Handle: Exploring Coping in Parents of Black Children with Autism.*

Lewis, E. M., Murugan, V., Feely, M., Leffler, K. A., & Farooq, S. (Under Review). Quality Parenting Initiative: Engaging Diverse Stakeholders as Champions for Foster Care System Reform.

Leffler, K. A., **Lewis, E. M.,** & Feely, M. (Under Review). Stay Just a Little Bit Longer: A Scoping Review of Foster Parent Engagement in the U.S.

Voth Schrag, R., Edmond, T. E., **Lewis, E. M.,** & Cheng, S. (Under Review). Using Organizational and Leadership Characteristics to Promote the Implementation of Evidence Based Treatments in Rape Crisis Centers.

Book Chapters

Gaura-Edwards, A., Whitaker, D. J., Lutzker, J. R., Self-Brown, S., & **Lewis, E. M.** (2012). SafeCare: Application of an evidence-based program to prevent child maltreatment. In A Rubin (Ed). *Empirically Supported Programs and Interventions in Child Welfare* (pp. 259-272). Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley and Sons.

Research Products

Lewis, E.M. & Feely, M. Quality Parenting Initiative (QPI) Measurement Toolkit A: Pre-Engagement. Baltimore, MD: University of Maryland; 2019, July. Available from <http://qpi4kids.org>

Lewis, E.M. & Feely, M. Quality Parenting Initiative (QPI) Measurement Toolkit B: Building Consensus. Baltimore, MD: University of Maryland; 2019, July. Available from <http://qpi4kids.org>

Lewis, E.M. & Feely, M. Quality Parenting Initiative (QPI) Measurement Toolkit C: Implementation. Baltimore, MD: University of Maryland; 2019, August. Available from <http://qpi4kids.org>

Lewis, E.M. & Feely, M. Quality Parenting Initiative (QPI) Measurement Toolkit D: Dissemination. Baltimore, MD: University of Maryland; 2019, August. Available from <http://qpi4kids.org>

Lewis, E. M., Baumann, A., Gerke, D., Tabak, R., Ramsey, A. & Proctor, E. D&I Research Designs. [Internet]. St. Louis, MO: Washington University; 2017, October. Eight toolkits related to Dissemination and Implementation. Available from <http://sites.wustl.edu/wudandi/di-toolkits/>

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Gerke, D., Lewis, E.M., Prusaczyk, B., Hanley, C., Baumann, A., & Proctor, E. Implementation Outcomes. [Internet]. St. Louis, MO: Washington University; 2017, July. Eight toolkits related to Dissemination and Implementation. Available from <http://sites.wustl.edu/wudandi/di-toolkits/>

PRESENTATIONS

Refereed Presentations

Lewis, E. M., Sermon, M., & Woolley, M. (2020, January). *The Ties that Bind: An Exploration of Son-in-Law and Father-in-Law Relationships in Black Families*. Paper accepted for presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 24th Annual Conference, Washington DC.

Feely, M., **Lewis, E. M.**, Endy, K., & Lee, B. (2020, January). *Barriers and Facilitators to Implementing a Community-Engaged Organizational Change Intervention to Improve the Foster Care System*. Paper accepted for presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 24th Annual Conference, Washington DC.

Lewis, E. M., & Feely, M. (2020, January). *Beyond Inclusion: Addressing Power and Privilege in a Community-Engagement Intervention to Improve Foster Care Services*. Paper accepted for presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 24th Annual Conference, Washington DC.

Daro, D., **Lewis, E. M.**, & Schlecht, C. (2019, April). *Collaborative Learning: Linking Research and Policy*. Paper presented at the 21st National Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect, Washington DC.

Lewis, E. M., Scott J., Longo, F., & McKenzie, K.,(2019, March). *Forming Interdisciplinary Partnerships to Engage Communities in the Promotion of Child Well-Being*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 22nd Annual Conference, Washington DC.

Lewis, E. M., & Gerke, D. (2018, January). *Longitudinal Effects of Positive Father Involvement on Child Behavioral Health Among Families At-Risk for Neglect*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 22nd Annual Conference, Washington DC.

Lewis, E. M., Dunnigan, A., Feely, M., Hooley, C., Lanier, P., & Kohl, P. L. (2017, January). *Child Welfare Involved Families Participation in Triple P: The Role of the Provider-Client Relationship on Program Engagement*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 21st Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Lewis, E. M., Feely, M., Dunnigan, A., Seay, K. D., Lanier, P., Huseynli, A., & Kohl, P. L. (2017, January). *18-Month Maintenance Effects of Triple P with Child Welfare-Involved Families: A Randomized Trial of a Behavioral Parent Training Program*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 21st Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.

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Dunnigan, A., **Lewis, E. M.** (2016, November). *Integrating Student Evaluation in Social Work Education: An Adult Learner Approach to Feedback*. Paper presented at the 2016 Council on Social Work Education's Annual Program Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

Tabak, R., Ramsey, A., Baumann, A., **Lewis, E. M.**, ... & Brownson, R. C. (2015, December). *A Review of D&I Study Designs in Published Study Protocols*. Paper presented at the 8th Annual National Institute of Health Science of Dissemination and Implementation Conference, Washington DC.

Baumann, A., Proctor, E., & **Lewis, E. M.** (2015, December). "*Grant-Writing Boot Camp*" and *D&I Toolkits: Models for Accelerating D&I Research*. Paper presented at the 8th National Institute of Health Science of Dissemination and Implementation Conference, Washington DC.

Gerke, D.R., Prusaczyk, B., Baumann, A., **Lewis, E. M.**, & Proctor, E. (2015, September). A Model for Providing Methodological Expertise to Advance Dissemination and Implementation of Health Discoveries in Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) Institutions. Paper presented at the 3rd biennial meeting of the Society for Implementation Research Collaboration, Seattle, WA.

Feely, M., Kohl, P. L., & **Lewis, E. M.**, (2015, January). *Child Welfare Involved Parents and Pathways Triple P: Perceptions of Effectiveness, Acceptability and Appropriateness*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 19th Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Lewis, E. M., Dunnigan, A., & Kohl, P. L. (2014, March). *Exploring the Relationship Between Parenting Behaviors, Attitudes, and Mental Health on Child Disruptive Behaviors Among Child Welfare Involved Families*. Paper presented at the 27th Annual Conference, Tampa, Florida.

Lewis, E. M., & Kohl, P. L. (2014, February). *Examining Paternal Risk Factors Associated with Child Conduct Problems in African American Families*. Paper presented at the 19th Annual Graduate Student Research Symposium, St. Louis, Missouri.

Kohl, P. L., & **Lewis, E. M.** (2014, January). *Triple P with Urban African American Fathers: To Adapt or Not Adapt?* Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 18th Annual Conference, San Antonio, Texas.

Lewis, E. M., & Kohl, P. L. (2014, January). *Fostering Positive Father-Child Interactions: Examining Paternal Risk Factors Associated with Child Conduct Problems in African American Families*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 18th Annual Conference, San Antonio, Texas.

Seay, K.D., Stahlschmidt, M. J., Threlfall, J., **Lewis, E. M.**, & Kohl, P. L. (2013, June). *Overwhelming Obstacles Supersede the Desire to Attend a Parenting Program for Urban, Low-Income African American Fathers*. Paper presented at the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children 21st Annual Colloquium, Las Vegas, Nevada.

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Lewis, E. M., Roby, S., & Self-Brown, S. (2013, February). *Parent Perspectives of Trauma Therapy: Examining Parental Factors Associated with Treatment Engagement of Trauma Exposed Youth*. Paper presented at the Washington University's 18th Annual Graduate Student Research Symposium, St. Louis, Missouri.

Roby, S., Self-Brown, S., Kinnish, K., Montesanti, A., **Lewis, E. M.**, Strickland, M., & Meyer, E. (2012, March). *Preliminary Results from Understanding Barriers to Enrollment and Completion of Evidence-based Interventions for Youth at Risk for Violence Perpetration and Victimization*. Paper presented at the Emory Center for Injury Control's Annual Injury Prevention Poster Session, Atlanta, Georgia.

Lewis, E. M., & Merino, C.M. (2012, January). *SafeCare Home Visiting Model: Realities of the day to day local implementation*. Paper presented at Chadwick Center's San Diego International Conference on Child and Family Maltreatment Conference, San Diego, California.

Invited Presentations

Lewis, E. M. (2021, March). *Black Female Fatherhood Scholars Network*. Presented at Dad Cypher Podcast at Georgia State University. Atlanta, Georgia.

Lewis, E. M. (2020, March). *Building and Sustaining Community Relationships in Research*. Presented at PhD Student Seminar on Philosophy of Science and Socially Just Research at University of Maryland, Baltimore. Baltimore, Maryland.

Lewis, E. M. (2019, September). *Preparing Social Work PhD Students for Independent Course Instruction*. Presented at Pedagogy in Social Work Education course at the University of Denver. Denver, Colorado.

Lewis, E. M. (2019, April). *Scaling Up QPI: Building the Platform for Rigorous Evaluation and Broader Dissemination*. Presented at 6th Annual QPI National Conference, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Lewis, E. M. (2019, February). *Cultural Competence and Your Career*. Presented at Academic Services at the University of Maryland. Baltimore, Maryland.

Lewis, E.M. (2018, November). *Being a New Assistant Professor*. Presented at the Theory and Practice of Social Work Teaching course at University of Maryland, Baltimore. Baltimore, Maryland.

Lewis, E. M. (2018, June). *Engaging Families in Parent-Mediated Interventions to Promote Healthy Child Development*. Presented at the School of Social Work's Board of Advisors Meeting at University of Maryland. Baltimore, Maryland.

Lewis, E.M. (2017, October). *Navigating the Academic Job Market*. Presented at PhD Job Club at University of Maryland, Baltimore. Baltimore, Maryland.

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Lewis, E. M. (2013, November). *SafeCare: Diary of a Home Visitor*. Presented in Social Work Practice in Early Childhood course at Washington University in St. Louis. Saint Louis, Missouri.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Licensure

2009-Present Licensed Masters Social Worker (LMSW), *State of Georgia*

Professional Associations

2019-Present Society for Research in Child Development, *Member*
 2017-Present Society for Implementation Research Collaboration, *Member*
 2014-Present Society for Social Work and Research, *Member*
 2013-Present American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children, *Member*
 2013-Present Institute of Clinical and Translational Sciences, *Member*
 2012-Present Society for Prevention Research, *Member*
 2011-Present Council on Social Work Education, *Member*
 2006-Present National Association of Social Workers, *Member*

Ad-Hoc Editorial Reviews

2021-Present *Child and Adolescent Social Work*
 2018-Present *Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research*
 2018-Present *Global Social Welfare*
 2018-Present *Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute*
 2017-Present *Journal of Child and Family Studies*
 2016-Present *Child Maltreatment*

Service: Community

2018-Present *Board Member*
 Baltimore Connect

2020-Present *Committee Member, Mentor Program*
 Child Well-Being Research Network

Service: University

2021-Present Inaugural UMB Faculty Leadership Program

2020-Present PCORI Stakeholder Advisory Board

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2018-Present Faculty Senate

Service: School of Social Work

2020-Present *Facilitator*
Social Work Affinity Space: People of Color

2019-Present *Chair*
Planning Committee
2022 Doris Duke Charitable Foundation Fellowship's Mid-Year Meeting

2019-2020 *Dissertation Committee Member*
John Cosgrove, *Fidelity and Alliance Effects on Youth Outcomes of Functional Family Therapy*
Dissertation Defended: December 2020

2018-2020 *Committee Member*
Faculty Executive Council

2018-2019 *Committee Member*
Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Strategic Planning Task Force

2017-Present *Committee Member*
Clinical Curriculum