

*Curriculum Vitae*

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**EDUCATION**

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- 2000      **Bachelor of Arts in Public Health**, Cum Laude Honors  
Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA  
Thesis: “Message Framing in Organ Donation Requests”
- 2004      **Master of Public Health**  
Brown University, Providence, RI  
Thesis: “Creating Nursing Home Quality Composite Measures”

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

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- 2009-2015      **Teaching Associate**, Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2015-2022      **Associate Professor of the Practice**, Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2022-      **Professor of the Practice**, Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI

**PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS**

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- 1999      **Consultant**  
Newton Health Department, Newton, MA
- 2000      **Program Assistant**, International Health Summer Certificate Program  
Boston University School of Public Health, Boston, MA
- 2001-2002      **Research Assistant**  
Policy Analysis, Inc., Brookline, MA
- 2002-2004      **Research Assistant**, Program in Public Health  
Brown University, Providence, RI
- 2004-2005      **Program Coordinator**  
Healthcentric Advisors (then Quality Partners of Rhode Island), Providence, RI
- 2005-2008      **Associate Scientist**  
Healthcentric Advisors, Providence, RI

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- 2008-2009     **Senior Program Administrator**  
Healthcentric Advisors, Providence, RI
- 2009-2014     **Senior Scientist**  
Healthcentric Advisors, Providence, RI
- 2015-2016     **Consulting Senior Scientist**  
Healthcentric Advisors, Providence, RI
- 2015-2020     **Founding Associate Director**  
*With \$1M in start-up funding, founded a pragmatic research center to improve care for older adults, with emphasis on those residing in nursing homes*  
Center for Long-Term Care Quality & Innovation  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2020-2025     **Director**  
*Annual portfolio of more than \$19.5M in grant funding*  
Center for Long-Term Care Quality & Innovation  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- Spring 2023     **Acting Director** (sabbatical coverage)  
Center for Gerontology & Healthcare Research  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2025-           **Associate Director of Long-Term Care Quality & Innovation**  
Center for Gerontology & Healthcare Research  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI

## **AWARDS**

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- 2025           **Pinnacle Thought Leader Award**  
*McKnight's Long-Term Care News*, Northbrook, IL

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

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- 2009           **Project Management**, Certificate of Completion  
Bryant University, Smithfield, RI
- 2014           **Lean Methodology**, Certificate of Completion  
Bryant University, Smithfield, RI
- 2019           **Mentor Training**, Certificate of Completion  
Advance-CTR Professional Development Core, Brown University, Providence, RI

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2019      **Training Institute for Dissemination & Implementation Research**  
National Institutes of Health Open Access, Bethesda, MD

**SERVICE TO DISCIPLINE**

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*State and national leadership roles reflect sustained contributions to applied, translational research*

**Department, Center, Affiliated Hospital, or University Service**

- 2005-2006      **Member**, MPH Alumni Committee  
*Contributed alumni perspective to growing program's decision-making*  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2006-          **Member**, MPH Admissions Committee  
*Review hundreds of applications annually to ensure diverse, high-caliber students*  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2015-          **Chair**, Q&I External Advisory Council  
*Convene national academic and provider thought leaders to guide research strategy and ensure relevance of research portfolio to real-world practice*  
Center for Long-Term Care Quality & Innovation  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2015-2021      **Member**, Executive Committee  
*Helped to shape policies and decisions to strengthen the Center's aging research*  
Center for Gerontology & Healthcare Research  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2015-          **Member**, Faculty Appointment & Promotions Committee  
*Evaluate faculty dossiers and provide recommendations to uphold standards*  
Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2015-2016      **Member**, MPH Thesis Grant Committee  
Master of Public Health Program  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2015-2025      **Member**, Center Directors' Committee  
*Collaborated with leaders to align operations with School priorities*  
Office of the Dean  
Brown University School of Public Health

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- 2016            **Member**, Funding Diversification Committee  
*Identified opportunities to broaden revenue streams beyond federal grants*  
 Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
 Brown University School of Public Health
- 2017-2019    **Member**, Academic Working Group Advisory Committee  
*Informed collaborative initiatives linking Brown academic and education expertise with state public health priorities*  
 Rhode Island Department of Health
- 2019           **Member**, Older Adults Strategic Plan Working Group  
*Informed the School's first plan for aging-related research and teaching*  
 Brown University School of Public Health
- 2019-2020    **Member**, Implementation Science Faculty Search Committee  
 Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
 Brown University School of Public Health
- 2021, 2022    **Nominator**, Vincent Mor, PhD for Rosenberger Medal of Honor (awarded 2022)  
*Supported successful nomination for Brown's highest faculty honor*  
 Brown University
- 2020-2021    **Member**, Implementation Science Faculty Search Committee  
 Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
 Brown University School of Public Health
- 2021-          **Member**, Operations Management Committee  
*Contribute to operational planning across Center cores, staff groups, and faculty*  
 Center for Gerontology & Healthcare Research  
 Brown University School of Public Health
- 2021-2023    **Member**, Strategic Interactions Advisory Committee  
*Advised on strategies to strengthen cross-campus and community partnerships*  
 Center for Gerontology & Healthcare Research  
 Brown University School of Public Health
- 2021-          **Concentration Lead**, Health Services  
*Develop competencies and serve as primary Concentration contact for students*  
 Master of Public Health Program  
 Brown University School of Public Health
- 2021-          **Member**, MPH Curriculum Committee  
*Help ensure curriculum reflects Concentration priorities and program excellence*  
 Master of Public Health Program  
 Brown University School of Public Health

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- 2021- **Member**, MPH Leadership Committee  
Master of Public Health Program  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2022- **Member**, Leadership Group  
*Advise Chair on strategic direction, faculty affairs, and operational priorities*  
Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2022 **Member**, Research Alignment Working Group  
Office of the Dean  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2022-2023 **Member**, Practice Track Faculty Appointment Committee  
Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2022-2025 **Member**, Public Health Faculty Appointments Committee  
*Review appointment and promotion cases, ensuring candidates meet standards for  
scholarly excellence, teaching, and service*  
Office of Faculty Affairs  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2022 **Reviewer**, Peter G. Peterson Foundation Pandemic Response Policy  
Office of the Vice President of Research  
Brown University
- 2023 **Nominator**, Ann Reddy, MPH for Excellence in Leadership (*awarded*)  
*Led successful nomination recognizing ability to guide and inspire others*  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2023 **Reviewer**, Catalyst Pilot Grant Program  
Office of the Dean  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2023-2025 **Chair**, Leadership Group  
*Led Center faculty and staff leadership team to set priorities and guide strategy*  
Center for Long-Term Care Quality & Innovation  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2023- **Reviewer**, Diamond Fund  
*Review student and faculty proposals for funding for Rhode Island aging research*  
Center for Gerontology & Healthcare Research  
Brown University School of Public Health

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- 2023-2024     **Chair**, McCreedy Faculty Promotion Committee  
Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2023-2024     **Member**, Open Rank Research Scholar Faculty Search Committee  
Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2023-2024     **Reviewer**, Brown Public Health Alumni Impact Award  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2024-2025     **Chair**, Gadbois Faculty Promotion Committee  
Department of Health Services, Policy & Practice  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2024           **Nominator**, Ellen McCreedy, PhD for Dean's Award for Excellence in  
Community Engagement (*awarded*)  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2024           **Nominator**, Jill Harrison, PhD for Dean's Award for Excellence in Research  
Collaboration (*awarded*)  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2025           **Nominator**, Terrie Fox Wetle, PhD for Rosenberger Medal of Honor (*awarded*)  
*Initiated and co-led successful nomination for Brown's highest faculty honor*  
Brown University
- 2025           **Reviewer**, Delta Omega Honor Society  
Brown University School of Public Health
- 2025-          **Member**, Advisory Council  
*Advise on strategic priorities*  
Center for Gerontology & Healthcare Research  
Brown University School of Public Health

### **Community Service**

*State-level roles demonstrate trusted expertise in quality improvement and partner engagement*

- 2007-2014     **Director**, Healthcare Quality Reporting Program  
*Directed Rhode Island's statewide healthcare quality public reporting program,  
expanding measures (satisfaction, healthcare-acquired infections) and settings  
(home health agencies, physician offices), and convening subcommittees to  
integrate stakeholder expertise into quality measures for each setting*  
Rhode Island Department of Health, Providence, RI

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- 2007-2014     **Chair**, Healthcare Quality Reporting Program Home Health Subcommittee  
*Led a statewide group to develop and publicly report home health quality measures, increasing transparency and driving performance improvement*  
Rhode Island Department of Health, Providence, RI
- 2008-2014     **CDC-Designated Rhode Island Healthcare-Acquired Infections Coordinator**  
*Directed Rhode Island's public reporting of data on healthcare-acquired infections for home health, hospitals, and nursing homes, aligning state policy with national CDC priorities*  
Rhode Island Department of Health, Providence, RI
- 2010-2015     **Member**, Board of Directors  
Rhode Island Public Health Institute, Providence, RI
- 2010-2013     **Member**, Beacon Community Program Steering Committee  
Rhode Island Quality Institute, Providence, RI
- 2012            **Facilitator**, Integrated Care Initiative Measurement Workgroup  
*Led multi-stakeholder discussions to define metrics for coordinated care delivery to high-need populations*  
Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Human Services, Cranston, RI
- 2013-2021     **Member**, Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Rhode Island Corporation  
Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Rhode Island, Providence, RI
- 2015-2016     **Member**, Hospital Incentive Program Stakeholder Interest Group  
*Advised on performance metrics and payment model design to improve hospital quality and patient outcomes statewide*  
Rhode Island Executive Office of Health & Human Services, Cranston, RI
- 2015-2016     **Member**, Nursing Home Incentive Program Stakeholder Interest Group  
*Helped shape Rhode Island's value-based payment approach for nursing homes, recommending measures that advance resident quality of life and outcomes*  
Rhode Island Executive Office of Health & Human Services, Cranston, RI
- 2015-2023     **Board Member**, Board of Directors  
*Contributed to governance, financial oversight, and strategic guidance to ensure high-quality, community-based care for nursing home-eligible older adults*  
PACE Organization of Rhode Island, East Providence, RI
- 2017-2023     **Chair**, Quality & Research Committee  
*Advised on performance improvement, quality measurement, and research to strengthen care for older adults with complex needs*  
PACE Organization of Rhode Island, East Providence, RI

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**National or International Service**

- 2007-2009      **Member**, Home Health CAHPS Technical Expert Panel  
*Provided input to refine the CMS Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems survey for home health and ensure meaningful metrics*  
Agency for Healthcare Research & Quality, Rockville, MD
- 2008            **Member**, Home Health Performance and Measurement Steering Committee  
*Contributed to the National Quality Forum's process for home health quality measures, shaping national reporting standards*  
National Quality Forum, Washington, DC
- 2010            **Member**, Home Health Compare Usability Workgroup  
*Reviewed and recommended improvements to CMS's public reporting platform to enhance accessibility and consumer decision-making*  
Mathematica, Washington, DC
- 2012-2013     **Member**, Quality Evaluation Workgroup  
American Healthcare Quality Association, Washington, DC
- 2012-2015     **Reviewer**, Outcomes Research Grant Program  
*Reviewed proposals for applied health services research funding, informing grantmaking priorities*  
Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Kansas City, Kansas City, MO
- 2015            **Member**, Medication Safety Technical Advisory Panel  
Quality Innovation Network National Coordinating Center  
Tolligen, Englewood, CO
- 2017-2019     **Member**, Advisory Board, Mouth Care Without a Battle  
Foundation for Quality Care, Inc., Albany, NY
- 2018            **Reviewer**, Research Grant Program  
*Provided peer review for proposals advancing aging research and innovation*  
Retirement Research Foundation, Chicago, IL
- 2019-2024     **Member**, Implementation Core Executive Committee  
*Developed training and advised pilot grant teams on implementation science strategies to strengthen pragmatic trials of non-drug dementia interventions*  
NIA IMPACT Collaboratory (U grant)  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI



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- 2019-2024     **Director, Pilot Core**  
*Led Core on large team science P grant, awarding competitive pilot awards to national applicants to generate preliminary data for non-drug dementia trials*  
Changing Long-Term Care in America Program Project  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2019-2024     **Executive Committee Member, Health Systems Core**  
*Contributed to Core strategy on large team science U grant and provided consultation to pilot grant applicants and awardees on partnering effectively with health systems to design, implement, and scale non-drug dementia pragmatic trials*  
NIA IMPACT Collaboratory  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2020-     **Co-Director, Learning Health Systems Scholars Program**  
*Lead a Core on a large team science P grant, partnering rehabilitation researchers with health systems to conduct embedded learning health systems research*  
LeaRRn: Learning Health Systems Rehabilitation Research Network  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2020-2022     **Co-Lead, Long-Term Care Learning Community**  
*Facilitated a national forum connecting researchers with long-term care thought leaders, to identify best practices and research priorities for dementia care*  
NIA IMPACT Collaboratory  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2021-     **Volunteer Science Communicator**  
*Distill complex COVID-19 guidance, vaccine, and treatment information into clear, actionable information to empower immunocompromised people*  
TRAIPAG: Transplant Recipients and Immunocompromised Advocacy Group  
New York, NY
- 2024-     **Faculty, Research and Data Analysis Core**  
*Provide expertise on learning health system research, health system partnerships, and research translation in a federally funded training program on improving care for people with disabilities and chronic conditions*  
LeaHD: Learning Health systems training to improve Disability and chronic condition care (P grant)  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2025-     **Member, Steering Committee**  
*Advise on strategic priorities for a multidisciplinary initiative linking climate, health, and aging to develop community-focused research and solutions*  
Climate, Health, and Aging Innovation and Research Solutions for Communities  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI

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### **Journal Reviewer** (selected, alphabetical)

*Aging Clinical and Experimental Research*  
*American Journal of Emergency Medicine*  
*American Journal of Managed Care*  
*Biosafety and Health*  
*BMC Health Services Research*  
*Health Care Management Review*  
*Infection Control & Hospital Epidemiology*  
*International Journal of Medical Informatics*  
*International Psychogeriatrics*  
*Journal of General Internal Medicine*  
*Journal of the American Medical Directors Association*  
*Rhode Island Medical Journal*

### **MEMBERSHIP IN SOCIETIES**

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2004-            AcademyHealth

2007-            Rhode Island Public Health Association

### **PUBLICATIONS** (\*denotes trainee or mentee)

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*Team scientist with a consistent record of disseminating applied, partner-engaged research to academic, policy, and practice audiences. Overall: 34 first authored; 2 co-first; 12 second authored; 21 led by trainees; 4 senior authored.*

#### **Peer-Reviewed Journals**

1. **Baier RR**, Gifford DR, Lyder C, et al. Quality improvement for pressure ulcer care in the nursing home setting. *J Am Med Dir Assoc* 2003 Nov-Dec; 4(6): 291-301.

*(Among the first peer-reviewed evidence that national quality improvement interventions could measurably improve nursing home outcomes)*

2. **Baier RR**, Gifford DR, Patry G, et al. Ameliorating pain management in nursing homes: A collaborative quality improvement project in Rhode Island. *J Am Geriatr Soc* 2004 Dec.
3. **Baier RR**, Gifford DR, Mor V. Reporting nursing home quality in Rhode Island. *R I Med J* 2005 June; 88 (5): 186-7.
4. Buechner JS, **Baier RR**, Gifford DR. The RI survey of physician HIT adoption. *R I Med J* 2008 Feb; 91 (2): 64.

*(Developed first statewide survey of physician HIT adoption)*

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5. **Baier RR**, Butterfield K, Harris Y, Gravenstein S. Aiming for star performance: The relationship between setting targets and improved nursing home quality of care. *J Am Med Dir Assoc* 2008; 9 (8): 594-598.
6. **Baier RR**, Butterfield K, Patry G, Harris Y, Gravenstein S. Identifying star performers: The relationship between ambitious targets and nursing home quality improvement. *J Am Geriatr Soc* Aug 2009 57 (8):1498-1503.  
  
*(Showed that facilities whose staff set clinical goals achieved greater quality improvement; the first papers about nursing home goal-setting)*
7. **Baier RR**, Gravenstein S [Guest Editors of Special Issue]. Curbing healthcare-associated infections. *R I Med J* 2010 October: 260.
8. Viner-Brown S, **Baier RR**. Central line-associated bloodstream infections (CLABSI) in Rhode Island. *R I Med J* 2010 October: 289-290.  
  
*(Collaborated with providers and community members across Rhode Island to develop and expand quality reporting across multiple settings, including adding healthcare-acquired infection measures)*
9. **Baier RR**, Gardner R, Gravenstein S, Besdine R. Partnering to Improve Hospital-Physician Office Communication by Implementing Care Transitions Best Practices. *R I Med J* June 2011.
10. **Baier RR**, Voss R, Morphis B, Viner-Brown S, Gardner R. Rhode Island Physicians' Health Information Technology (HIT) Use, 2009-2011. *R I Med J* July 2011; 94(7): 215-217.
11. Voss R, Gardner R, **Baier RR**, Butterfield K, Lehrman S, Gravenstein S. The Care Transitions Intervention: Translating from efficacy to effectiveness. *Arch Int Med* 2011; 171(14):1232-1237.  
  
*(Conducted the real-world effectiveness trial of Dr. Eric Coleman's Care Transitions Intervention, showing reduced hospital readmissions and cost avoidance)*
12. \*Yan H, Gardner R, **Baier RR**. Beyond the focus group: Understanding physicians' barriers to EMR use across a wide spectrum of specialties and practice settings. *Jt Comm J Qual Safet* Apr 2012; 38(4): 184-191.
13. **Baier RR**, Gardner R, Buechner J, Harris Y, Gifford DS. Creating a survey to assess physicians' adoption of health information technology. *Med Care Res Rev* 2012 Apr; 69(2): 231-45.
14. \*Chang L, Gardner R, **Baier RR**, Trivedi A. Eligibility for financial incentives and electronic medical record use among physicians. *R I Med J* 2012; 95 (11): 358-62.

15. Voss R, Gravenstein S, **Baier RR**, et al. Recruiting hospitalized patients for research: How do participants differ from eligible nonparticipants? *J Hosp Med* 2013 Apr;8(4):208-14.
16. **Baier RR**, Gardner RL, Coleman EA, Jencks SF, Mor V, Gravenstein S. Shifting the national dialogue from hospital readmissions to bundled utilization measures. *J Am Manag Care* 2013 Jun;19(6):450-3.
17. **Baier RR**, Morphis B, Marsella M, Mermel LA. *Clostridium difficile* surveillance: a multicenter comparison of LabID events and use of standard definitions (Letter). *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol*. 2013 Jun;34(6):653-5.  
  
(A 5-paper series on CDI informed the creation of a state task force to improve hospital and nursing home infection control)
18. Jiang Y, **Baier RR**, Viner-Brown S. Burden of hospital-onset *Clostridium difficile* infections in patients discharged from Rhode Island hospitals, 2010-2011: Application of Present-on-Admission Indicators Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology. *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol* 2013 Jul;34(7):700-708.
19. \*Limpahan LA, **Baier RR**, Gardner RL. Reducing care fragmentation during patient transitions: Emergency department care transition best practices. *Am J Emerg Med* 2013 Sep;31(9):1297-1301.
20. **Baier RR**, Keough L, McDonald J. Transitions of care: Professional expectations. *R I Med J* 2013 Nov;26-32.
21. \*Pelland K, **Baier RR**, Morphis B, Viner-Brown S, Gardner R. Health information technology (HIT) adoption and use by Rhode Island advance practice registered nurses and physician assistants, 2013. *R I Med J* 2013 Dec 3;96(12):48-9.
22. Pop-Vicas A, **Baier RR**. Healthcare workers' hands and *Clostridium difficile* spores - making progress? (Letter) *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol*. 2014 Jan;35(1):16-7.
23. Gardner R, **Baier RR**, Li Q, Butterfield K, Coleman E, Gravenstein S. Is Implementation of the Care Transitions Intervention Associated with Cost Avoidance After Hospital Discharge? *J Gen Intern Med* 2014 Jun;29(6):878-84.
24. Jiang Y, **Baier RR**, Morphis B, Mermel L, Viner-Brown S. *Clostridium difficile* infection in Rhode Island. *R I Med J* Jun 2014;60-63.
25. \*Shamji H, **Baier RR**, Gravenstein S, Gardner R. Reducing care fragmentation during patient transitions: best practices for urgent care centers. *Jt Comm J Qual Safet* Jul 2014;40(7):319-324.
26. \*Babalola E, **Baier RR**, Gravenstein S, Capizzo L, Zimmerman Z, Gardner R. Building a health information technology infrastructure to support care transitions: What characteristics

predict nursing home readiness for health information exchange? *Ann Longterm Care* 2014;22(6):43-48.

27. **Baier RR**, Limpahan L, Butterfield K, Marsella M, Gravenstein S, Chase L, Gardner R. Is audit and feedback associated with increased hospital adherence to standards for communication during patient care transitions? *J Hosp Admin* 2014;3(6):1-7.
28. \*Wylie M, **Baier RR**, Gardner R. Perceptions of electronic health record implementation: a statewide survey of physicians in Rhode Island. *Am J Med* Oct 2014;127(10):e21-7.
29. Epstein-Lubow G, **Baier RR**, Butterfield K, Gardner R, Babalola E, Coleman EA, Gravenstein S. Caregiver presence and patient completion of a transitional care intervention. *J Am Manag Care*. 1 Oct 2014;20(10):e349-444.
30. \*Pelland K, Mota T, **Baier RR**. The nuts and bolts of long-term care in Rhode Island: Demographics, services and costs. *R I Med J*. Mar 2015; 98(3): 17-21.
31. **Baier RR**, Wysocki A, Gravenstein S, Cooper E, Mor V, Clark M. A qualitative study of choosing home health care after hospitalization: The unintended consequences of ‘patient choice’ requirements. *J Gen Intern Med*. 2015 May; 30(5): 634-40. Epub 2015 Jan 9.  
  
*(Led an AHRQ-funded qualitative study that revealed how Medicare policy inadvertently hindered informed patient choice)*
32. **Baier RR**, Cooper E, Wysocki A, Gravenstein S, Clark M. Using qualitative methods to create a home health web application user interface for patients with low computer proficiency. *eGEMS* May 2015; 3(2): Art. 4.
33. Gardner R, **Baier RR**, Choo E, Gravenstein S. Why is this patient even being sent here?: Communication from urgent care to the emergency department. *J Emerg Med*. 2016 50(3):416-421. Epub 2015 Aug 14.
34. \*Gordon S, **Baier RR**, Gardner R. Primary care physicians’ use of electronic health records in Rhode Island: 2009-2014. *R I Med J*. 2015 Oct 1; 98(10): 29-32.
35. \*Shreve J, **Baier RR**, Epstein-Lubow G, Gardner RG. Information technology for family caregivers of adults with dementia: Key design insights from qualitative interviews. *Gerontechnology*. 2016; 14(2):89-96.
36. Zullo A, Dore DA, Daiello L, **Baier RR**, Gutman R, Gifford DR, Smith RJ. National trends in treatment initiation for nursing home residents with type 2 diabetes mellitus, 2008-2010. *J Am Med Dir Assoc*. 2016 Jul;17(7):602-8. Epub 24 Mar 2016.
37. Fazeli J, Bridges N, **Baier RR**, Harmon H, Ogarek J, Mor V. Curtailing Antipsychotic use in LTC Medicine: Reducing off-label antipsychotic medication use among Maine skilled nursing centers with the CALM intervention. *JAMDA* 17 (Mar 2016): B12-22.

38. \*Morrill H, Mermel L, **Baier RR**, Alexander-Scott N, Kavosifar S, Reece R, LaPlante K. Antimicrobial stewardship in Rhode Island long-term care facilities: Current standings and future opportunities. *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol*. 2016 Aug;37(8):979-82.
39. **Baier RR**, Trivedi A. In hospital readmissions, hindsight is not 20/20. Editorial. *J Gen Int Med*. Epub 3 Aug 2016.
40. **Baier RR**, Mor V. Pragmatic trials may help to identify effective strategies to reduce nursing home antipsychotic medication use. *Israel Journal of Health Policy Research*. 2017;6(5).
41. \*McConeghy K, **Baier RR**, Ogarek J, Mor V. Implementing a pilot of an infection control program in nursing homes: Results of a matched cluster randomized trial. *J Am Med Dir Assoc*. 2017 Apr 29.

*(Beginning with this pilot, built a portfolio spanning small pilots to large-scale trials on topics ranging from behavioral interventions to infection control and vaccination)*
42. Thomas K, **Baier RR** (first two authors contributed equally), Kosar C, Ogarek J, Mor V. MUSIC & MEMORY individualized music therapy program improves outcomes for skilled nursing center residents with Alzheimer's disease and related disorders. *American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*. 2017 Apr 14.
43. \*Pelland K, **Baier RR**, Gardner RL. It's like texting at the dinner table: A qualitative analysis of the impact of electronic health records on patient-physician interactions. *J Innov Health Inform*. 2017;24(2):1022–1029.
44. **Baier RR**, Mitchell SL, Jutkowitz E, Mor V. Identifying and supporting non-pharmacological dementia interventions ready for pragmatic trials: Results from an expert workshop. *J Am Med Dir Assoc*. 2018;19(7):560-2.
45. Gravenstein S, Manning D, **Baier RR**, et al. A systems approach to nursing home antimicrobial stewardship. *Open Forum Infect Dis*. 2018;5(Suppl 1):S520. Published 2018 Nov 26.
46. Gravenstein S, Davidson HE, McConeghy K, Han L, Canady D, Saade E, **Baier RR**, Mor V. A cluster-randomized trial of adjuvanted trivalent influenza vaccine vs. standard dose in US nursing homes. *Open Forum Infectious Diseases* 2018;5(Suppl 1): S296. Published 2018 Nov 26.
47. McCreedy E, **Baier R**, Thomas K, Mor V. Effects of music and memory on agitated and aggressive behaviors in dementia: Results from nursing home pilot study. *Innov Aging*. 2018;2(Suppl 1):953-954. Published 2018 Nov 16.
48. McKinnell JA, Singh RD, Miller LG, Kleinman K, Gussin G, He J, Saavedra R, Dutciuc TD, Estevez M, Chang J, Heim L, Yamaguchi S, Custodio H, Gohil SK, Park S, Tam S, Robinson PA, Tjoa T, Nguyen J, Evans KD, Bittencourt CE, Lee BY, Mueller LE, Bartsch SM, Jernigan JA, Slayton RB, Stone ND, Zahn M, Mor V, McConeghy K, **Baier RR**, Janssen L,

- O'Donnell K, Weinstein RA, Hayden MK, Coady MH, Bhattarai M, Peterson EM, Huang SS. The SHIELD Orange County project –multi drug-resistant organism (MDRO) prevalence in 21 nursing homes and long-term acute care facilities in southern California. *Clin Infect Dis*. 2019 Feb 11.
49. McCreedy E, Yang X, **Baier RR**, Rudolph J, Thomas KS, Mor V. Measuring effects of non-drug interventions on behaviors: Music & Memory pilot study. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society. J Am Geriatr Soc* 2019 Oct;67(10):2134-2138.
  50. **Baier RR**, Jutkowitz E, Mitchell S, McCreedy E, Mor V. Readiness Assessment for Pragmatic Trials (RAPT): A model to assess the readiness of an intervention for testing in a pragmatic trial. *BMC Med Res Methodol* 2019 Jul 18;19(1):156.  
  
*(To strengthen trial readiness across the field, co-created RAPT using expert perspectives from an NIA-funded workshop; RAPT is now promoted to interventionists by NIA)*
  51. Keeler H, **Baier RR**, Kosar C, Culross B, Cramer ME. Examining the impact of board-certified registered nurses in skilled nursing facilities using national and state quality and clinical indicators. *J Gerontol Nurs* 2019 Nov 1;45(11):39-45
  52. Bélanger E, McHugh J, Meyers DJ, Joyce NR, Rahman M, Schwartz M, **Baier RR**, Mor V. Characteristics of top-performing hospitals caring for high-need Medicare beneficiaries. *Popul Health Manag* 2019 Dec 9. [Epub ahead of print]
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### **National Trainings**

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### **Invited State Presentations**

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6. **Baier RR**. Collaborating to test and spread interventions that improve care. Pre/Postdoc Casually Organized Research Network (POPCORN) Meeting, Brown University Center for Gerontology and Healthcare Research, Providence, RI. May 2015.
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### **Invited National Presentations**

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2. **Baier RR**, Richards M, Polakoff D. Barriers and lessons learned from the Long-Term Care Quality Improvement Partnership. Research Network Symposium, American Medical Directors Association Foundation, Chicago, IL. November 2005. .
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5. **Baier RR**. Nursing Home Improvement and Feedback Tool (NHIFT). Quality Net Conference, Hunt Valley, MD. September 2005.
6. **Baier RR**. Target setting and goals, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Geriatric Physician Advisory Group Conference Call, Baltimore, MD (via phone). March 2006.
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8. **Baier RR**. Results of the Advancing Excellence in America's Nursing Homes Campaign, QualityNet Conference, Baltimore, MD. August 2008.
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### **National Conference Abstracts**

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30. \*Morrill H, LaPlante K, **Baier RR**, et al. Survey of antimicrobial stewardship practices in Rhode Island long-term care facilities. IDWeek2015, San Diego, CA. October 2015.
31. Fazeli J, Bridges B, Ogarek J, Mor V, **Baier RR**. Curtailing antipsychotic medication use in LTC medicine (CALM): A Maine nursing home pilot. American Health Care Association Quality Symposium, San Antonio, TX. February 9, 2016.
32. Fazeli J, Bridges B, Ogarek J, Mor V, **Baier RR**. Curtailing antipsychotic medication use in LTC medicine (CALM): A Maine nursing home pilot. American Medical Directors Association Annual Conference, Orlando, FL. March 17, 2016.
33. \*Pelland K, **Baier RR**, Gardner RL. It’s like texting at the dinner table: A qualitative analysis of the impact of electronic health records on patient-physician interactions. Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Hollywood, FL. May 11, 2016.
34. Zullo A, Dore DA, Daiello L, **Baier RR**, Gutman R, Gifford DR, Smith RJ. Patterns of treatment initiation for nursing home residents with Diabetes Mellitus, 2008-2010. American Diabetes Association, New Orleans, LA. June 10, 2016.
35. **Baier RR**, Cooper E, Wysocki A, Gravenstein S, Mor V, Clark M. Unchanged by public reporting: Do hospitalized patients choose home care? AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, MA. June 26, 2016.

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36. \*Gordon S, **Baier RR**, Gardner R. Primary care physicians' use of electronic health records in Rhode Island: 2009-2014. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, MA. June 2016
37. \*Gordon S, **Baier RR**, Gardner R. Primary care physicians' use of electronic health records in Rhode Island: 2009-2014. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, MA. June 26, 2016.
38. \*Pelland K, **Baier RR**, Gardner RL. It's like texting at the dinner table: A qualitative analysis of the impact of electronic health records on patient-physician interactions. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, MA. June 26, 2016.
39. Zullo A, Dore DA, Daiello L, **Baier RR**, Gutman R, Gifford DR, Smith RJ. Patterns of treatment initiation for nursing home residents with Diabetes Mellitus, 2008-2010. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, MA. June 26, 2016.
40. Keeler H, Silver B, **Baier RR**. The effect of board certification on long term care outcomes. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA. June 2017.
41. Belanger E, Meyers D, Joyce N, Rahman M, **Baier R**, McHugh J, Mor V. Characteristics of top performing hospitals caring for high-need Medicare beneficiaries: The Exemplary Nodes of Care for Outcomes and Reduced Expenditures (ENCORE) for High-Need Patients Study. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Seattle, WA. June 25, 2018.
42. \*Manning D, **Baier RR**, Gravenstein S. Building the antibiotic stewardship foundation: Identifying limitations to nursing home data. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Seattle, WA. June 25, 2018.
43. \*Manning D, **Baier RR**, Gravenstein S. Antibiotic rocks and hard places: Developing an interview guide to assess facilitators and barriers for nursing home antibiotic stewardship. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Seattle, WA. June 25, 2018.
44. Gravenstein S, Davidson HE, McConeghy KW, Han L, Canady DH, Saade E, **Baier RR**, Mor V. A cluster-randomized trial of adjuvanted trivalent influenza vaccine vs. standard dose in U.S. nursing homes. ID Week, San Francisco, CA. October 4, 2018.
45. Gravenstein S, Manning D, **Baier RR**, et al. A systems approach to nursing home antimicrobial stewardship. ID Week, San Francisco, CA. October 6, 2018.
46. McCreedy E, **Baier RR**, Thomas K, Mor V. Effects of music and memory on agitated and aggressive behaviors in dementia: Results from nursing home pilot study. Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA. November 16, 2018.
47. Jutkowitz E, **Baier RR**, Mitchell S, McCreedy E, Mor V. Readiness Assessment for Pragmatic Trials (RAPT): A model to assess the readiness of an intervention for testing in a pragmatic trial. CoHSTAR's 2019 Implementation Science Institute. May 1, 2019.

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48. McCreedy E, **Baier RR**, Thomas K, Rudolph J, Mor V. Measuring effects of non-pharmaceutical interventions to reduce behaviors in nursing home residents with dementia: Lessons from pilot of personalized music intervention. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting. June 4, 2019.
49. McCreedy E, Yang X, **Baier RR**, Rudolph J, Thomas K, Mor V. Measuring effects of non-pharmaceutical interventions to reduce behaviors in nursing home residents with dementia: Music & Memory pilot study. AcademyHealth D&I Conference. December 5, 2019.
50. **Baier RR** (presenter & facilitator), Rudolph J, White E, Gravenstein S. Implications of coronavirus research for clinical practice and operations. American Health Care Association Virtual Convention. October 22, 2020.
51. Freburger J, Reddy A, **Baier R**, Resnik L. Health systems' rehabilitation research priorities during the novel coronavirus pandemic: Findings from the Learning Health Systems Rehabilitation Research Network (LeaRRn). American Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine, annual conference. October 19-24, 2020.
52. **Baier RR**, Ciolek D, Gifford D, Reddy A, Resnik L, Whitten M, Freburger M. Perspectives and research priorities of post-acute and long-term care providers in the context of the coronavirus pandemic. Rehabilitation Research 2020: Envisioning a Functional Future. October 16, 2020.
53. White E, Wetle T, Reddy A, **Baier RR**. "We are scapegoats": Front-line nursing home staff experiences during the COVID-19 pandemic. Gerontological Society of America 2020 Annual Scientific Meeting. November 4, 2020.
54. Miller N, Noell-Waggoner E, McCreedy E, Wetle T, **Baier RR**. A spectral day in the life of a care center resident. Environments in Aging Conference (Webinar). June 1, 2020.
55. McCreedy E, Gutman R, Rudolph J, **Baier R**, Thomas K, Dvorchek F, Ogarek J, Mor V. A hybrid trial design with the potential to reduce time to establishing large-scale effectiveness evidence: An application of the national institutes of health stage model for behavioral intervention development. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting. June 14, 2020.
56. McCreedy E, Wetle T, **Baier R**. Effect of tunable lighting on sleep and agitation outcomes in nursing home residents: A pilot study. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting. June 15, 2020.
57. McCreedy E, Gutman R, Rudolph J, **Baier R**, Thomas K, Dvorchek F, Ogarek J, Mor V. Addressing under-detection in minimum data set behavioral measures using NIH Stage III/IV embedded trial design. Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting. November 4, 2020.
58. Olson M, McCreedy E, Shield R, Uth R, **Baier R**, Mor V, Rudolph. Development of an implementation adherence composite measure for a multisite pragmatic trial. Annual

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Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health. December 15, 2020.

59. Towsley GL, Wong B, **Baier RR**. A telehealth pilot of Me & My Wishes. American Geriatrics Society. May 12, 2021.
60. Berry SD, **Baier RR** (first two authors contributed equally), Syme ML, Gouskova N, Bishnoi C, Patel U, Leitson M, Link-Gelles R, Gharpure R, Gifford DR. Strategies associated with COVID-19 vaccine uptake among nursing home staff. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting. June 14, 2021.
61. **Baier RR** (presenter & facilitator), Bardenheier B, Bosco E, Gravenstein S. Emerging findings from influenza, pneumonia, and COVID-19 research (pre-recorded). AHCA Convention. October 2021.
62. Slavin M, Resnik L, McDonough C, Shireman T, **Baier R**, Freburger J. Resources to develop learning health systems research competencies. American Physical Therapy Association Annual Meeting. February 4, 2022.
63. Uth R, Gadbois E, Meehan A, **Baier R**, Gravenstein S, Zullo A, Kabler H, Loiacono M, Bardenheier B. Flu vaccine hesitancy among staff and residents in skilled nursing facilities. The Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine's PALTC23 Annual Conference. March 10, 2022.
64. Gadbois E, Meehan A, Uth R, **Baier R**, Gravenstein S, Zullo A, Kabler H, Loiacono M, Bardenheier B. Strategies to promote staff and resident flu and COVID-19 vaccination in skilled nursing facilities. The Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine's PALTC23 Annual Conference. March 10, 2022.
65. Meehan A, Uth R, Gadbois E, **Baier R**, Gravenstein S, Zullo A, Kabler H, Loiacono M, Bardenheier B. Impact of COVID-19 on infection control practices in skilled nursing facilities. The Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine's PALTC23 Annual Conference. March 10, 2022.
66. McCreedy EM, Sisti A, Gutman R, Dionne L, Rudolph JL, **Baier R**, Thomas KS, Olson MB, Zediker EE, Uth R, Shield RR, Mor V. Pragmatic Trial of Personalized Music for Agitation and Antipsychotic Use in Nursing Home Residents with Dementia. AcademyHealth Annual Scientific Meeting. June 4, 2022.
67. McCreedy EM, Shi S, Gadbois E, Reddy A, Hickman S, **Baier R**, Gutman R, Thomas K, Zediker E, Mitchell SL. Using the Readiness Assessment for Pragmatic Trials (RAPT) Model in a Pragmatic Trial of an Advance Care Planning Intervention. AcademyHealth Annual Scientific Meeting. June 4, 2022.
68. \*Weems J, Wittenberg G, **Baier RR**, Reddy A, McCreedy E. Maintaining fidelity during the COVID-19 pandemic: A challenge to embedded pragmatic clinical trials. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting. June 26, 2023.

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69. Smith K, Snow LA, Morgan RO, McCullough M, **Baier R**, McCreedy E, Richards K, Hartmann CW. Forty Winks: Pilot multisite pragmatic clinical trial to improve sleep for nursing home residents with dementia. Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting. November 10, 2023.
70. Reddy A, McCreedy E, Mitchell S, **Baier RR**. Partner engagement strategies for an embedded pragmatic clinical trial: A case study. Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting. November 10, 2023.
71. \*Weems J, Wittenberg G, **Baier RR**, Reddy A, McCreedy E. Corporate perspectives of a national nursing home pragmatic trial and factors affecting implementation fidelity. Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting. November 11, 2023.
72. Snow LA, McCullough M, Morgan RO, **Baier R**, McCreedy E, Richards K, Fry L, Hartmann CW. “‘Small bites’ quality improvement: A sleep intervention for residents with dementia in the nursing home ‘new normal.’” Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific
73. Recker A, McCreedy E, **Baier R**, Smith K, George R, Geisser S, Aguilar V, Snow L. Evaluating nursing home-based interventions on competency levels. Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2024.
74. **Baier RR** (discussant). Symposium: Harnessing technology and data to unlock actionable insights in implementation research - Sleep research examples. Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting. 15 November 2025.
75. **Baier RR**, Simonian M, Roma C, Reddy A, McCreedy E. Recruiting and consenting community-dwelling adults with dementia to test sleep tracking Devices. In Symposium: Collaborative research with community-based healthcare providers: Co-presented learnings from pilot studies. Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting. 13 November 2025.
76. \*Conard R, **Baier R**, Sisti A, Dionne L, McCreedy E. Factors associated with use of a personalized music intervention for nursing home residents with dementia. 2025 American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) Convention. 21 Nov 2025.

### **Invited International Presentations**

1. **Baier RR**, Mor V. Evaluating MUSIC & MEMORY. Arts Health Institute 2016 National Play Up Convention, Sydney, Australia (via video). March 2016.

### **International Conference Abstracts**

1. Pelland K, Gardner RL, **Baier RR**. It’s like texting at the dinner table: A qualitative analysis of the impact of electronic health records on patient-physician interactions. International Symposium: The Patient, The Practitioner, and the Computer. Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University. Providence, RI. March 18, 2017.

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2. Gardner RL, Cooper E, **Baier RR**. Developing a meaningful and actionable statewide survey of physician health information technology adoption. Alpert Medical School of Brown University. International Symposium: The Patient, The Practitioner, and the Computer. Alpert Medical School of Brown University. Providence, RI. March 18, 2017.
3. Thomas K and **Baier RR** (organizers). A music program for residents with dementia in institutional long-term care: Implementation and effectiveness (panel). International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics World Congress of Gerontology & Geriatrics, San Francisco, CA. July 23, 2017.
4. Miller N, Noell-Waggoner E, McCreedy E, Wetle T, **Baier RR**. A spectral day in the life of a care center resident (Webinar). LightFair International. July 23, 2020.

### **Press**

1. Manning S. [Celebrating the Center for Long-Term Quality & Innovation's 10th Anniversary](#). *Provider Magazine*. 4 Dec 2024.
2. Roszkowski J. [Meet Rosa Baier, 2025 McKnight's Pinnacle Awards 'Thought Leader Award' honoree](#). *McKnight's Long-Term Care News*. 8 Apr 2025.

### **PRESEARCH GRANTS & SUPPORT**

*Sustained record of securing support from state and federal agencies and foundations, as well as commitment to mission-driven team science aligned with health system and partner priorities*

### **Current Grants**

1. **Co-PI, Mentored Collaborative Opportunity Core (P grant)**. National Institute on Health (PI: Resnik), "LeaRRN: the Learning Health Systems Rehabilitation Research Network." \$5.5M. 6/01/20-5/31/25.
2. **PI**. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, "Safe Healthcare, Epidemiology, and Prevention Research Development (SHEPheRD) Program." Master Contract, 9/30/21-9/29/26.
3. **Site PI**. National Institutes on Aging (PI: Snow, University of Alabama), "Enhancing Sleep Quality for Nursing Home Residents with Dementia: Pragmatic Trial of an Evidence-Based Frontline Huddling Program." \$560K subaward. 5/1/23-4/30/27.
4. **Co-I, Research and Data Analysis Core (P grant)**. Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (PI: Resnik), "Learning Health systems training to improve Disability and chronic condition care (LeaHD)." \$5M. 12/2023-11/2028.
5. **Site PI**. Center for Disease Control and Prevention, via subaward from the American Health Care Association (PI: Gifford), "Nursing Home Infection Control Education (NICE)." \$150K subaward. 11/1/2024-9/30/25.

6. **Co-I.** National Institute on Aging (MPIs: Mor and Mitchell), “NIA IMPACT Collaboratory.” \$79M. 7/1/24-9/30/25.

### **Pending Grants**

1. **Co-I.** National Institutes of Health Small Business Technology Transfer Grant, via subaward with Rubato, Inc. (PI: Koffler), “Novel AI-driven music-based intervention to reduce behavioral and psychological symptoms for people living with ADRD,” \$299K subaward. Recommended for funding April 2025.
2. **Co-I (U grant).** National Institute on Aging via subaward to New York University (MPIs: Mor, Mitchell, Brody, Choudry), “NIA IMPACT Collaboratory.” \$83M. JIT August 2025.
3. **Co-I.** Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (MPIs: McCreedy, Juckett), “Adapting the Evidence-Based STEADI Falls Intervention for Assisted Living Communities (AL-STEADI).” \$2.8M. Scored 20. Undergoing field review August 2025.

### **Grants Under Review**

1. **Co-I.** Alzheimer’s Association Research Grant (PI: McCreedy), “Adaptation of Memory-Lane TV to the Home Setting: a Feasibility Pilot Study.” \$210K. Notification anticipated August 2025.
2. **Site PI and Implementation Aim Lead.** Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute, via subaward from University of Pittsburgh (PI: Nace), “TRial to compare UTI Guidelines to Reduce Inappropriate Treatment (TRU GRIT) in Nursing Homes.” \$1.2M subaward. Notification anticipated November 2025.
3. **Co-I.** National Institutes of Health Small Business Technology Transfer Grant, via subaward from Memoro, Inc. (PI: Maino), “Real-world Experiment of a multisensory intervention for nursing home residents with dementia.” \$1.2M subaward. Score: 46, pending September 2025 Council review.
4. **Site PI.** Donaghue Foundation, via subaward from Boston University (PI: Anderson), “Investigating the Relationships between Nursing Home Architecture and Health Outcomes.” \$150K subaward. Notification anticipated October 2025.
5. **Co-I.** Donaghue Foundation (PI: Geng): “Predicting to prevent: Using EHR data and AI to reduce hospitalizations.” Notification anticipated October 2025.
6. **Site PI and Implementation Aim Lead.** National Institute on Aging, via subaward from Ocean State Research Institute (PI: Gravenstein), “Maya avatar for hospital education and readmission reduction in heart failure transitions: MayaHEART.” \$107K. Study section scheduled September 2025.
7. **PI.** Rhode Island Health Care System Planning Cabinet. “Preventing disruptions in nursing home care.” Concept submitted August 2025. Cabinet discussion September 2025.



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8. **Site PI.** Pfizer, via subaward from Brown Medicine (PI: Abul). “Health Enhancement Antiviral Access for Long Term Care (HEAL-LTC).” Concept submitted August 2025.

### **Grants In Preparation**

1. **Co-I.** National Institute on Aging Small Business Innovation Research Grant, via subaward from Memoro, Inc. (PI: Maino). “Real-world experiment of a multisensory intervention for nursing home residents with dementia. Resubmission due September 2025.
2. **Site PI and Implementation Aim Lead.** Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute, via subaward from Ocean State Research Institute (PI: Gravenstein). “Re-Engineered Discharge - Human Or Technology (RED-HOT) trial. Letter of intent due September 2025.
3. **Co-I.** Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute, via subaward to University of Alabama (PI: Snow). “Nursing algorithm vs. team huddling approach for pain management.” Letter of intent due September 2025.
4. **Co-I.** National Institutes of Health R34 (PI: McCreedy). “Feasibility trial of Rev6 exercise program in assisted living.” Application due October 2025.

### **Completed Grants** (chronological)

1. **Grant Writer.** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, “Chronic kidney disease special study.” 8/1/08-7/31/11.
2. **Senior Scientist.** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, “Safe transitions project special study: Care Transitions Intervention.” 8/1/08-7/31/11.
3. **Grant Writer.** Agency on Aging award to the Rhode Island Division of Elderly Affairs, “Aging and disability resource center coaching.” 11/30/09-9/29/12.
4. **Analytic Advisor.** Agency on Aging award to the Rhode Island Division of Elderly Affairs, “Aging and disability resource center analysis.” 11/30/09-9/29/12.
5. **Site PI.** Centers for Disease Control & Prevention, via subaward from the Rhode Island Department of Health, “Multi-drug resistant organisms collaborative.” 2/1/11-12/31/11.
6. **PI.** Rhode Island Department of Health, “Healthcare quality reporting program.” 7/1/11-6/30/16.
7. **Senior Scientist.** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, “Rhode Island Medicare quality improvement organization.” 8/1/11-7/31/14.
8. **PI.** Agency for Healthcare Research & Quality, “Evaluating the impact of patient-centric home health quality reports.” 10/1/12-8/30/16.

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9. **Grant Writer.** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, “Nursing home palliative care collaborative special innovations project.” 8/1/13-7/31/14.
10. **Grant Writer.** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, “Patient and family engagement campaign special innovations project.” 8/1/13-7/31/14.
11. **Site PI and Rhode Island Healthcare Acquired Infections Plan Coordinator.** Centers for Disease Control & Prevention, via subaward from the Rhode Island Department of Health, “Healthcare-acquired infections planning grant.” 8/1/13-7/13/15.
12. **Co-I.** American Health Care Association, “Center for Long-Term Care Quality & Innovation Master Service Agreement.” 4/1/14-3/31/17.
13. **Senior Scientist** (until 12/31/2014) Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, “New England Medicare Quality Improvement Organization.” 8/1/14-7/31/19.
14. **Site PI.** Rhode Island Executive Office of Health & Human Services, via subaward from the Rhode Island Department of Health, “Health information technology (HIT) Survey 90/10 Matching Grant.” 8/1/14-9/30/15.
15. **Co-I.** Kimberly-Clark Corporation (PI: Mor), “Heroes in prevention.” 3/28/15-8/31/17.
16. **PI.** Retirement Research Foundation, “Creating a Music & Memory implementation guide.” 7/1/16-11/30/16.
17. **Co-I.** Rhode Island Executive Office of Health & Human Services, via subaward from The Lewin Group (PI: Sheedy), “Long-term care services & supports.” 7/1/16-10/31/16.
18. **PI.** Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Healthcare-acquired infections (HAI) research & implementation indefinite delivery, indefinite quantity contract. Master contract. 9/30/16-9/29/21.
19. **PI.** Centers for Disease Control and Prevention task order, “Implementation of the core elements of antimicrobial stewardship in nursing Homes.” 9/30/16-9/29/19.
20. **Co-I.** Seqiris, via subaward from Insight Therapeutics (PI: Davidson), “FluAd vaccine trial.” 10/1/16-9/30/18.
21. **Co-I.** Rhode Island Executive Office of Health & Human Services, via subaward to University of Rhode Island (PI: Blissmer), “State Innovation Model (SIM) evaluation.” 11/2/16-6/30/19.
22. **Co-I.** Rhode Island Foundation (PI: Epstein-Lubow), “Enhancing workforce and services for Rhode Islanders with memory loss.” 1/1/17-12/31/18.
23. **Co-I.** Peterson Center on Healthcare (PI: Mor), “Interventions to address high-cost, high-need patient populations.” 2/1/17-9/30/19.

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24. **Co-I.** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, via subaward from Care New England Integra Accountable Care Organization (PI: Fanale), “Accountable healthy communities grant.” 5/1/17-8/30/19.
25. **Co-I.** National Institute on Aging (PI: Mor, PD: McCreedy), “Music & MEemory: a Pragmatic TRIal for Nursing Home Residents with ALzheimer’s Disease (METRIcAL),” 9/15/2017-3/15/2018 (pilot).
26. **Co-I.** Sanofi (PI: Zullo), “Burden of infections in LTCF study.” 7/1/17-7/31/21.
27. **Co-I.** National Institutes on Aging (PI: Mor), “Changing long-term care in America: Policies, markets, strategies, and outcomes: Administrative supplement for meeting.” 9/1/17-1/31/18.
28. **Co-PI** (with Daiello). Ironwood Pharmaceuticals, “Constipation and Laxative Use Exploration (CLUE) in nursing homes.” 1/1/18-6/30/19.
29. **Site PI.** Centers for Medicaid & Medicaid Services, via subaward from LeadingAge-South Carolina (PI: Moody), “Implementing individualized dementia care and eliminating off-label antipsychotic medications in South Carolina nursing homes.” 1/1/17-12/31/19.
30. **Co-PI** (with McCreedy). McClung Foundation, “LEDs for Sleep AND Mood Adjustment in Nursing homes (LED SANDMAN) Project.” 7/1/18-6/30/20.
31. **Site PI.** National Institutes of Health, via subaward from University of Utah (PI: Towsley), “Me & My Wishes.” 9/15/18-4/30/21.
32. **Co-I.** Rhode Island Parent Information Network (PI: Wallack), “RIPIN Care Management Program Evaluation.” 07/01/19-04/30/22.
33. **PI.** Brown University Office of the Vice President for Research Seed Funding, “Frontline nursing home staff experiences during covid-19: Best practices & implications for the future.” 6/01/20-5/30/21.
34. **Co-I.** National Institute on Aging Supplement to U grant (MPIs: Mor and Mitchell), “IMPACT-C pragmatic trial for staff COVID vaccine uptake.” 9/30/20-6/30/22.
35. **PI.** Connecticut Department of Public Health, “Infection control shift coaching intervention.” 3/8/21-6/30/21.
36. **Co-I.** Sanofi (PI: Bardenheier), “Practices and policies contributing to influenza-related outcomes and suboptimal vaccination rates in LTCFs: A qualitative assessment.” 4/7/21-11/21/22.
37. **Co-I.** Flublok, via subaward from Insight Therapeutics (PI: Davidson), “Stratified, Cluster Random Assignment Trial.” 04/01/19- 09/30/23.

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38. **Co-I.** National Institute on Aging Supplement to U grant (PI: McCreedy), “Bluestone physician group trial of COVID-19 specific advance care planning intervention.” 8/01/20-6/30/23.
39. **PI.** Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, “Healthcare-acquired infections (HAI) research & implementation indefinite delivery, indefinite quantity contract. Master contract.” 10/1/16-9/30/21.
40. **Site Co-PI** (with McCreedy). National Institute on Aging (PI: Snow), “Enhancing Sleep Quality for Nursing Home Residents with Dementia: Pragmatic Trial of an Evidence-Based Frontline Huddling Program.” 9/15/19-8/31/22.
41. **Co-I.** National Institute on Aging (PI: Mor, PD: McCreedy), “Music & MEMory: a Pragmatic TRIal for Nursing Home Residents with ALzheimer’s Disease (METRIcAL).” 9/1/18-1/31/24.
42. **Co-I and Executive Committee Member, Health Care Systems and Implementation Cores (U grant).** National Institute on Aging (MPIs: Mor, Mitchell), “IMbedded Pragmatic Alzheimer's Disease and Alzheimer's Disease-Related Dementias Clinical Trials (IMPACT) Collaboratory,” 09/01/19-06/30/24.
43. **PI, Pilot Core (P grant).** National Institutes of Health (Trivedi and Mor), “Pilot Core: Pilot studies to obtain preliminary data for pragmatic trials of interventions to improve dementia care.” 9/15/19- 5/31/24.
44. **Co-I.** Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (MPIs: White, Gravenstein, Canaday), “Characterizing the Duration of Vaccine-induced Immunity in Nursing Home Residents.” 8/03/21-8/2/24.
45. **Co-I.** National Institute on Aging, via subaward from Johns Hopkins Artificial Intelligence and Technology Collaboratory (PI: Malinsky), “Artificial Intelligence-Based Facial Expression Analysis to Alleviate Distress in Persons with Late-Stage AD/ADRD,” 3/1/23-5/31/24.

## **TEACHING & MENTORSHIP ROLES** (\*denotes published paper/s)

*Skilled in designing experiential learning that partners trainees with researchers and health systems; mentorship across experiential and grant-funded projects has led to publications, funded grants, and mentees’ advancement to further training and professional roles*

2005-	<b>Supervisor,</b> Graduate Research Assistants
	2005-2007 <i>Ann (Gray) Reddy, MPH candidate</i>
	2006-2007 <i>Anbit Long, MPH candidate</i>
	2007-2008 <i>Devi Ross, MPH candidate</i>
	2008-2010 <i>*Rachel Voss, MPH candidate</i>
	2010-2011 <i>*Hannah Shamji, MPH candidate</i>
	2011-2013 <i>*Oluwatosin (Liz) Babalola, MPH candidate</i>

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2013-2014 \*Kim Pelland, MPH candidate

Fall 2018 \*Caroline Mills, MPH candidate

2019-2020 Mary Kathryn Menendez, MPH candidate

2022-2023 \*Jacy Weems, PhD Candidate

2021-2023 Jenna Wahl, MPH candidate

2024-2026 Olivia Taylor, MPH candidate

Healthcentric Advisors, Providence, RI (2005-2014)

Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI (2015-)

2007-2023 **Community-Engaged Projects**, PHP2450: Measuring & Improving Quality  
(Instructors: Amal Trivedi, MD, 2007-2020; Mriganka Singh, MD, 2021-2023)  
*Assigned ~250 projects and personally mentored ~20 students, most recently:*

Fall 2011 \*Chang Liu, PhD candidate

Fall 2013 \*Mathew Wylie, postdoctoral fellow

Fall 2014 \*Sarah Gordon, PhD candidate

Fall 2015 Nishtha Baranwal, MPH candidate

Fall 2016 Joëlla Adams, PhD candidate

Fall 2017 Emma Scarpa, MPH candidate

Fall 2019 Bridget Hagerty, MPH candidate

Fall 2022 Tyler Alexander, MPH candidate

Fall 2022 Jordyn Chandler-Lee, MPH candidate

Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI

2009-2010 **Undergraduate Thesis Reader**

\*Helen Yan, *“Understanding physicians' barriers to electronic medical records”*

Brown University, Providence, RI

2010-2011 **Guest Lecturer**, PHP 2400: The U.S. Healthcare System

Instructor: Christopher Koller

Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI

2012-2014 **Undergraduate Internship Supervisor and Undergraduate Thesis Advisor**

\*Lorraine Limpahan, *“Best practices for cross-setting communication at ED discharge”*

Brown University, Providence, RI

2013-2014 **MPH Thesis Advisor**

\*Joshua Shreve, *“Information Technology for Informal Caregivers of Adults with Dementia: Results from Qualitative Interviews”*

Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI

2014-2017 **Guest Lecturer**, PGY-3 Psychiatry Residency: Quality Improvement

Instructors: Gary Epstein-Lubow, MD & Lisa Shea, MD

Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Providence, RI

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- 2015      **Invited Panelist**, PHP 2040: Applied Research Methods  
Instructor: Melissa Clark, PhD  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2015      **MPH Thesis Reader**  
Alissa Trepman, *“Music & Memory: A preliminary program evaluation”*  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2015      **Biostatistics Master’s Thesis Reader**  
Yi Gu, *“Hospital stays and discharges of patients with delirium, dementia, and amnesic and other cognitive disorders in community hospitals in Rhode Island in comparison with other states and national statistics from 2007 to 2009”*  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- Fall 2016      **PHP 2980 S1B Graduate Independent Study**  
Nishtha Baranwal, *“Interventions that aim to reduce adverse drug events in the nursing home: A systematic review”*  
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2019      **Guest Lecturer**, T32 Postdoctoral Seminar  
Facilitator: Linda Resnik, PhD  
Center for Gerontology & Healthcare Research  
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- 2019-2020      **High School Mentored Research Advisor**  
Caroline Badagliacca (Sacred Heart Greenwich, Greenwich, CT), *“Music and Memory: The ideal dosage of music to reduce agitated behaviors and improve quality of life in patients with Alzheimer’s disease and dementia”*  
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\*Caroline Mills, *“Effect of LED lighting on nursing home residents’ sleep”*  
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- 2021-2022      **Undergraduate Thesis Advisor**  
Skylar Iosepovici, *“Evaluating the pragmatism of randomized trials of dementia care interventions”*  
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                  Olivia Hassinger, *“A scoping review of embedded pragmatic interventions in nursing homes”*  
                  Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2022-2023     **MPH Thesis Advisor**  
                  William Gold, *“Effect of a personalized music intervention on targeted agitated behaviors among nursing home residents with Alzheimer’s disease and related dementias”*  
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- 2023-           **Faculty Advisor**  
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- Spring 2023   **PHP 2980 S1B Graduate Independent Study**  
                  Tyler Alexander, *“What are solid organ transplant patients’ perspectives on communication with transplant centers? Mixed-method findings from an online survey”*  
                  Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2023-2024     **Undergraduate Thesis Reader**  
                  \*Madison McCarthy, *“A scoping review of physician experiences of terminating patient relationships”*  
                  Brown University, Providence, RI
- 2024-2025     **MPH Thesis Reader**  
                  Yueyang Zhang, *“Effects of art co-created with amateur or professional artists and older adults living in nursing homes, on quality of life, depressive symptoms, and loneliness outcomes for nursing home residents: A scoping review”*  
                  Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2024-           **MPH Health Equity Scholar Supervisor**  
                  Olivia Taylor, *“Exploring physical and emotional benefits of an exercise program for older adults in an assisted living community”*  
                  Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
- 2025            **High School Mentored Research Advisor**  
                  Zoe Shrank (Sidwell Friends School, Washington, DC), *“A systematic review of effective methods to teach technology to older adults”*  
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