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CURRICULUM VITAE

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Dr. Justin Berk is an addiction medicine physician specializing in correctional healthcare. As the prior Medical Director for the Rhode Island Department of Corrections, he oversaw medical delivery, mental health, and substance use treatment services for all incarcerated individuals in the state. He has provided direct clinical care to awaiting trial and sentenced individuals for over five years and is board-certified in Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, and Addiction Medicine. He completed his residency at Johns Hopkins Hospital and currently serves as Director of the Center for Health and Justice Transformation at Brown University Health.

Dr. Berk directs multiple NIH-funded research studies advancing addiction care, hepatitis C treatment, and other evidence-based practices in jails and prisons. He has authored over 70 peer-reviewed publications, including an New England Journal of Medicine review on correctional healthcare, a Clinical Infectious Diseases State-of-the-Art Review on infections in correctional settings, and a book chapter in the Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice on the health effects of incarceration. As MPI on a Greenwall Foundation grant, he is developing best practices for ethical research in carceral settings. His contributions have been recognized with the ASCI Early Career Research Award, Lifespan Selya Award, and NIDA Young Investigator Award. As Associate Professor of Medicine and Pediatrics at Brown University Health, he trains the next generation of clinicians in correctional health and addiction care.

EDUCATION

Bachelor's Degree (2010)	**Yale University**, (BA, Political Science) *Distinction in Health Politics & Policy*
Master of Public Health (2011)	**Yale School of Public Health** *Health Management and Global Health*
Master of Business Administration (2013)	**Texas Tech Rawls College of Business** *Health Organizations Management*
Doctor of Medicine (2015)	**Texas Tech Health Sciences Center School of Medicine**

POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

Internship (2016) & Residency (2017-2019)	**Johns Hopkins Hospital** 1800 Orleans St. Baltimore, MD 21231 Combined Internal Medicine-Pediatrics Urban Health Residency Program

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS AND POSITIONS

2023 - Director, Center for Health and Justice Transformation
2023 - Academic Consortium of Criminal Justice Health (ACCJH), Board Member
2023 - Co-Medical Director, Project Weber/Renew Harm Reduction Center
2022 - 2025 Rhode Island Opioid Settlement Advisory Committee, Expert Member
2021 - 2022 Rhode Island Covid-19 Vaccine Subcommittee

2020 - 2022 Medical Director, Rhode Island Department of Corrections (RIDOC)
2020 - 2022 NIH Justice Community Opioid Innovation Network (JCOIN):
Project Echo MAT in Correctional Settings, Planning Committee

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS AND POSITIONS

2025 - Associate Professor of Medicine, Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University
2025 - Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University
2025 - Associate Professor of Epidemiology, Brown School of Public Health
2023 - Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, Brown School of Public Health
2019 - Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University
2019 - Assistant Professor of Medicine, Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University

CLINICAL APPOINTMENTS

2023 – Present; Staff Physician, CODAC Behavioral Healthcare (Opioid Treatment Program)
2020 – Present; Staff Physician, Rhode Island Department of Corrections

Previous Positions
2019 - 2024: Active Staff Physician, Rhode Island Hospital and Hasbro Children's Hospital
2018 - 2019: Physician Consult, Baltimore County Health Department
2018 - 2019: Staff Physician, Project Connections at Re-Entry (Baltimore, MD)
2014 - 2015: Director, Student-Run Free Clinic at TTUHSC
2010: Research Assistant, FXB Center for Health and Human Rights (Harvard SPH)
2008: Director/Incorporator, AIDS Walk New Haven

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND BOARD CERTIFICATION

2021 – Certified Correctional Health Professional – Clinical Provider (CCHP-CP),
National Commission on Correctional Health Care (NCCHC)
2021 – Diplomate, Addiction Medicine Subspeciality Certification (ABMS)
2018 - DEA X Waiver; Buprenorphine Prescriber
2017 - Diplomate, National Board of Medical Examiners, Internal Medicine
2017 - Diplomate, National Board of Medical Examiners, Pediatrics
2011 - Certified in Public Health (CPH), National Board of Public Health Examiners

Previous Certifications
2018 – 2020 – HIV Specialist (AAHIVS), American Academy of HIV Medicine

NOTEABLE HONORS AND AWARDS

2024 – American Clinical Society of Investigators – Early Career Research Award
2024 - Lifespan Bruce Selya Early Career Researcher Award
2024 - *Journal of Hospital Medicine* Top Reviewer
2024 – Induction into Society of Pediatric Research (SPR)
2022 - NIDA Young Investigator Award
2021 - Justice Community Opioid Network (JCOIN) Learning Experiences to Advance Practice (LEAP) Investigator
2021 - Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health Early Investigator Scholar
2020 - Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center Distinguished Alumni Award

2020 - American Board of Medical Specialties (ABMS) – Visiting Scholars Program
2020 - The Jeremiah Barondess Fellowship in the Clinical Transaction (NYAM)
2019 - Adolescent Hero Award (Johns Hopkins Children's Center)
2018 - Idoreyin P. Montague MD Community Action Award (JHH)
2018 - Johns Hopkins Center for Global Health's Global Health Travel Fellowship (JHH)
2018 - Young Scholars in GIM Scholarship (Society of General Internal Medicine)
2014 - US. Public Health Service Excellence in Public Health Award
2012 - American Medical Association Foundation – Excellence in Medicine Leadership Award
2010 - Anthony M. Schulte Prize for Community Service (Yale)

2009 - Proclamation of Appreciation from the City of New Haven

HOSPITAL COMMITTEES
2017 - 2019 Johns Hopkins Children's Center Morbidity and Mortality Committee

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES
2023 – Current: T32DA013911 Executive Committee: "HIV and Other Infectious Consequences of Substance Abuse"
2023 – Founder, Early Career Researcher Peer Mentorship Program
2019 – Current: Brown Medicine-Pediatrics Residency Core Faculty
2019 – Current: Brown Medicine-Pediatrics Residency Admissions Committee
2019 – Current: Alpert Medical School Med-Peds Mentorship Committee
2018 – 2019: Johns Hopkins Internal Medicine – Pediatrics Residency Leadership Committee

OTHER TRAINING
Advance-CTR Advance-R Program
Advance-CTR Mentoring Training Program
Qualitative Scientist Mentorship Training Program (QSMTP)
Advance-CTR Advance-K Program
Justice Community Opioid Intervention Network (JCOIN) LEAP Early Investigator
Criminal Justice Research Track Scholar (NIDA *R25DA037190*)
AAMC Medical Education Research Certificate
Green Belt Lean Sigma Course – Hopkins Armstrong Institute for Patient Safety and Quality
Forensic Evaluation Training Course - Physicians for Human Rights
Foundation of Educational Scholarship Course – Hopkins Institute for Excellence in Education

MEMBERSHIP IN SOCIETIES
Society of General Internal Medicine (SGIM)
American College of Physicians (ACP) - Fellow
American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)
American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) - Fellow
Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health (ACCJH) – Board of Directors

PUBLICATIONS LIST

Addiction Medicine and Correctional Health

1. Wilson JD, **Berk J**, Adger H, Feldman L. Identifying Missed Clinical Opportunities in Delivery of Overdose Prevention and Naloxone Prescription to Adolescents Using Opioids. *J Adolesc Heal*. 2018;63(2):245-248. doi:10.1016/j.jadohealth.2018.05.011
2. Deanna Wilson J, **Berk J**, Matson P, et al. A Cross-sectional Survey Using Clinical Vignettes to Examine Overdose Risk Assessment and Willingness to Prescribe Naloxone. *J Gen Intern Med*. 2019;34(4):507-509. doi:10.1007/s11606-018-4733-y
3. **Berk J**. A Good Place to Start — Low-Threshold Buprenorphine Initiation. *N Engl J Med*. 2020;383(8):701-703. doi:10.1056/nejmp2017363
4. Macmadu A, **Berk J**, Kaplowitz E, Mercedes M, Rich JD, Brinkley-Rubinstein L. COVID-19 and mass incarceration: a call for urgent action. *Lancet Public Heal*. 2020;5(11):e571-e572. doi:10.1016/S2468-2667(20)30231-0
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6. **Berk J**, Rogers KM, Wilson DJ, Thakrar A, Feldman L. Missed Opportunities for Treatment of Opioid Use Disorder in the Hospital Setting: Updating an Outdated Policy. *J Hosp Med*. 2020;15(10):619-621. doi:10.12788/jhm.3352
7. Brinkley-Rubinstein L, Peterson M, Martin R, Chan P, **Berk J**. Breakthrough SARS-CoV-2 infections in prison after vaccination. *N Engl J Med*. 2021;385(11):1051-1052.
8. Murphy M, Tao J, Goedell WC, **Berk J**, et al. Characterizing substance use among men who have sex with men presenting to a sexually transmitted infection clinic. *Int J STD AIDS*. 2021;32(4):314-321. doi:10.1177/0956462420965076
9. **Berk J**, Murphy M, Kane K, Chan P, Rich J, Brinkley-Rubinstein L. Initial SARS-CoV-2 Vaccination Uptake in a Correctional Setting: Cross-sectional Study. *JMIRx Med*. 2021;2(3):e30176. doi:10.2196/30176
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11. **Berk J**, Brinkley-Rubinstein L, Murphy M, Chan P, Rich J. MAb for symptomatic COVID-19 in correctional facilities: an important opportunity. *Lancet*. 2021;397(10277):877-878. doi:10.1016/S0140-6736(21)00354-8
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13. **Berk J**, Lorigiano T. "A Cure for Diabetes: Hepatitis C Treatment." *2019 MD ACP Mulholland-Mohler Residents Meeting*. Poster Presentation. Baltimore, MD 5/9/2019
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2. **Berk J,** Chiu C. "Podcasting in Medical Education." *University of Massachusetts Pediatrics Grand Rounds.* 10/15/2021.
3. **Berk J,** Chiu C. "Podcasts in Medical Education" *Grand Rounds – University of Massachusetts Department of Pediatrics.* 11/15/22

4. **Berk J,** Chiu C. "Podcasting in Medical Education." *University of Alabama Pediatrics Grand Rounds.* 3/10/2022.
5. **Berk J**. "Podcasting in Medical Education" *University of Chicago Internal Medicine Grand Rounds.* 2023
6. **Berk J.** "Outpatient Buprenorphine Management." *Lifespan/Brown Neurosurgery Grand Rounds.* 2023.
7. **Berk J** "Podcasting in Medical Education." *Lifespan/Brown/Hasbro Children's Hospital Pediatrics Grand Rounds*. 1/9/2024.

International

1. **Berk, J**. "Social sector micro-franchising in the developing world: Using the ideas behind McDonald's to deliver essential medicines to the poor." *International Social Research Innovation Conference.* Oxford Said Business School Skoll Centre for Social Entrepreneurship. Oxford. 09/15/10.
2. **Berk, J. "**Podcasting: Discovering a Different Way to Talk About Medicine."*The Patient and The Practitioner in the Age of Technology: Promoting Healing Relationships*. International Virtual Conference. 9/5/21

National Conference Plenaries and Workshops

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2. South, A-M., Trimbur, C., **Berk, J**., Jack, H., & Hawks, L. (2024, May 16). *Not a Niche Population: Internal Medicine for Patients with Criminal Legal Involvement in the Era of Mass Incarceration.* Society of General Internal Medicine National Conference, Denver, CO.
3. **Berk J**. "Compassionate Care in the Criminal Justice Setting." *American Society of Addiction Medicine*. National Conference 2022. Denver, CO.
4. **Berk J.** "American College of Physicians: Conference Review" *American College of Physicians.* National Conference 2023. San Diego, CA.

National Events

1. **Berk J,** Gardner T, MacDonald R, Sue K. "The Opioid Crisis & the Criminal Justice System" *The Hill Events*. 5/2/22.

CONFERENCE AND OTHER PRESENTATIONS

National Presentations

2. **Berk, J**; Moore, S; Cowles, S; Prze, C; Song, M. "Challenges in Social Work Follow-up: Barriers in Transitioning Free Clinic Patients to Sustainable Health Care Delivery." *National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics Annual Summit*. Oral Presentation. San Antonio, TX. 10/22/12.
3. Prze, C; **Berk, J**; Moore, S; Cowles, S. "A Self-Reported Study of TTUHSC Medical Students on the Contribution of Free Clinic Volunteering in Medical Education and Specialty Selection." *Society of Student-Run Free Clinics Annual Conference*. Oral Presentation. San Antonio, TX. 1/26/13.

4. **Berk, J**; Moore, S; Cowles, S; Prze, C; Song, M. "An Alternative to EMR Adoption: Creating an Electronic Research Database to Better Understand Patient Needs in a Free Clinic Setting." *Society of Student-Run Free Clinics Annual Conference*. Oral Presentation. San Antonio, TX. 1/26/13.
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7. **Berk J**. "An Infant with Hypotonia." 46th Annual *Pediatric Trends.* Baltimore, MD. 4/30/19
8. **Berk J.** "Prescribing Buprenorphine in Non-Traditional Places." *PCSS Roundtable.* Webinar. 6/27/20
9. **Berk J,** Chiu C. "The Birth of a Pediatric Podcast." *National Med-Peds Residency Association Annual Meeting.* 10/10/2020.
10. Watto M. Williams P. Brigham S. Chiu C. **Berk J**. "An Update in Internal Medicine." *Society of General Internal Medicine*. 5/8/2021
11. Das T. Blumenthal C. Dungan E. Ferraro R. Song E. Desai K. Ambinder D. Hano C. Goyal A. **Berk J.** The CardioNerds Academy: A Novel Digital Media and Medical Education Fellowship. *Society of General Internal Medicine*. 5/21/21
12. Wightman R. Lynch M. Zerbo E. Snyder H. **Berk J.** Taylor J. Samuels L. Lessons Learned from Buprenorphine Telehealth During COVID-19: A Guide for Providers. *American Society of Addiction Medicine ASAM.Virtual.2021*. 5/23/21
13. Raymond-Kolker R; Zhang A, Nwora C, **Berk J**. Anti-Racism as Core Content: The Cribsiders' Approach to Integrating Health Equity into ClinicalMedEd Podcasting. *COMSEP National Conference*. April 7, 2021.
14. **Berk J.** Murphy M."Ethical Considerations Related to the Conduct of HIV Research in Correctional Settings." Lifespan/Brown Criminal Justice Research Track (CJRT). 11/16/21
15. Hurley L, **Berk J**, Martin RA. "MAT in Corrections: 5 Years of Increasing Success." *American Association for the Treatment of Opioid Dependence*. Baltimore, MD. 10/31/22.
16. **Berk J,** Beaudoin F. "Methadone on Wheels: Lessons From the Newest Mobile Opioid Treatment Program." RxSummit 2024. Atlanta, GA
17. Evans-James, M., Bovell-Ammon, B., Martin, M., Rodrigues, K., Modarres, A., Allen, B., & **Berk, J**. (2024, April 11). *When are you getting out? Machine learning to predict length of incarceration in jails.* Presented at the Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health (ACCJH) National Conference. Pheonix, AZ.

<u>Regional</u>

1. **Berk J**. "Lessons That Last" *Johns Hopkins Department of Medicine Education Retreat.* Baltimore, MD. 10/30/18
2. Graddy R. **Berk J.** "Buprenorphine 2.0" *Johns Hopkins Urban Health Residency Noon Conference.* 5/14/19

3. **Berk J.** "13-year-old with emesis, myalgia, and fatigue" Johns Hopkins Barton Childs Case Conference Baltimore, MD. January 8, 2016.
4. **Berk J.** "14-year-old female with cough, dyspnea, and hypoxia." Johns Hopkins Barton Childs Case Conference Baltimore, MD. August 5, 2016.
5. **Berk J.** "Clinical Application of Inflammatory Markers" Saint Agnes Hospital Pediatric Noon Conference. December 7, 2016.
18. **Berk J**. "HSV-2 Serology & Genital Herpes" Johns Hopkins Department of Adolescent Medicine Grand Rounds. Baltimore, MD. January 6, 2017.
19. **Berk J.** "Procalcitonin: An Infectious Marker that has yet to Spread" Johns Hopkins Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds. Baltimore, MD. February 22, 2017.
20. **Berk J.** "When your child's sore throat is really deadly Lemierre's disease" Presented at Brown Pediatric Residency Program Noon Conference. November 18, 2019.
21. **Berk J.** "All Ears: Who Listens to Medical Education Podcasts." Presented at University of Connecticut Internal Medicine Residency Program Noon Conference. 9/8/20.
22. **Berk J.** "Prescribing Buprenorphine from a Van." Presented at University of Connecticut Health Equity Program. 10/14/20.
23. Watto M. **Berk J.** "*Hanging out at the Curb & Crib: The Curbsiders & Cribsiders Podcasts*" Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Medicine – People, Patients, Population Course. 4/12/21
24. **Berk J.** "Health and Incarceration." Johns Hopkins Hospital Urban Health Residency Program. 8/31/21.

GRANTS AND FUNDING

NIH

1. **PI**. National Institute of Drug Abuse (NIDA). K23DA055695. 04/2022-03/2027. Total direct costs $976,121.
2. **PI.** "Implementing Low Threshold Hepatitis C Treatment in a Jail Setting" R34DA061732. National Institute on Drug Abuse. 09/2024-08/2027. Total direct costs $679,478.
3. **Co-I.** "A multidisciplinary approach to integrate HIV prevention services into clinical care settings for people with opioid use disorder." R01DA059503. National Institute on Drug Abuse. 12/1/24-11/30/29. Total direct costs: $3,120,220
4. **Co-I**
5. **Site PI.** Identifying Optimal Buprenorphine Dosing for OUD Treatment and Prevention of Overdose. 1UG3DA056880. National Institute on Drug Abuse. 07/2022-06/2024. 2023.

Foundation

1. **Author**. "The CH Foundation Endowment for the TTUHSC Free Clinic." The CH Foundation (Lubbock). 2014. $100,000.
2. **PI**. Using Podcasting to Teach the Evidence-Based Physical Exam" New York Academy of Medicine Jeremiah Barondess Fellowship in Clinical Transaction. "Total Direct Costs: $50,000 2019 – 2021.
3. **MPI.** Greenwall Foundation Making a Difference. "Expanding equitable research participation: Development of practice guidelines for prison and jail health research policies" $230,000

Clinical Subcontracts

4. **PI.** Rhode Island Department of Corrections Medical Discharge Contract. Solicitation #24003396. Rhode Island Department of Corrections. 07/2024 – 07/2027. Total direct costs $617,000.
5. **Key Personnel,** Buprenorphine Tele-Induction & Treatment Line**.** PO 3830494. Rhode Island - Department of Behavioral Healthcare, Developmental Disabilities & Hospitals. (State Funding) 2020 – 2023 Total Direct Costs: $278,827.70

Small Grants and Pilot Grants

6. **Co-Investigator**. "ClinicWiki" Small Grant. Johns Hopkins Hospitalist Scholar's Fund. 2017
7. **Co-Investigator**. Small Grant. Johns Hopkins Institute for Excellence in Education. 2017.
8. **PI**. "Evaluating a Novel Pedagogy: Medical Education Podcasts." Children's Miracle Network Scholar's Award. Hasbro's Children's Hospital. 05/2020-04/2021. Total Direct Costs: $24,447
9. **PI**. America's Essential Hospitals – Office Based Addiction Treatment Grant. 2022-2024. Total Direct Costs: $50,000
10. **Target Investigator (Pilot)**. Center for Biomedical Research Excellence (COBRE) on Opioids and Overdose. NIGMS P20GM125507. Total Direct Costs: $20,710
11. **Target Investigator (Pilot). "**When Are You Getting Out?" – Using Predictive Modeling to Estimate Jail Length of Stay to Optimize Healthcare for Pre-Adjudicated Populations. R25DA037190. National Institute on Drug Abuse. 04/2023-04/2025. Total direct costs $20,000.
12. **Target Investigator (Pilot).** "Environmental Scan and Content Analysis of Prison and Jail Research Policies in the United States". R25DA037190. National Institute on Drug Abuse. 11/2023-10/2024. Total direct costs $20,000.
13. **Target Investigator (Pilot).** "Identifying Nursing Home Availability to Individuals Granted Compassionate Release" 5R24AG065175 (ARCH Network). National Institute on Aging. 02/2024-02/2025. Total direct costs $50,000.

<u>NIH GRANT REVIEW</u>

1. **Member, NIDA Special Emphasis Panel/Scientific Review Group 2023/10 ZDA1 SKP-E (O2) R.** HEAL Initiative: Translating Research to Practice to End the Overdose Crisis (R61/R33 Clinical Trial Optional) and HEAL Initiative: Translating Research to Practice to End the Overdose Crisis (R33 Clinical Trial Optional). 06/29/2023-06/30/2023.
2. **Member, NIDA ZDA1 GXM-E (J1) Ending the HIV Epidemic: Justice-Involved Populations.** RFA-DA-24-015, "Ending the HIV Epidemic: Focus on Justice Populations with SUD (R61/R33 Clinical Trial Required)" and RFA-DA-24-022 "Ending the HIV Epidemic: Resource Center to Engage Justice-Involved Populations (U24 Clinical Trial Optional). 11/29/2023.
3. **CHAIR, Special Emphasis Panel/Scientific Review Group 2024/05 ZDA1 SUY-E (M2) R.** RFA-DA-23-062 NIDA REI: Reaching Equity at the Intersection of HIV and

Substance Use: Novel Approaches to Address HIV Related Health Disparities in Underserved Racial and/or Ethnic Populations (R34 Clinical Trial Optional). 04/24/2024.

4. **Member, NIDA 2025/01 ZDA1 SKP-X (J1) S.** ***NIDA Avant-Garde Program for HIV and Substance Use Disorder Research.*** PAR-23-269: NIDA Avant-Garde Program for HIV and Substance Use Disorder Research (DP1 Clinical Trial Optional). PAR-23-125: Avenir Award Program for Research on Substance Use Disorders and HIV (DP2 Clinical Trial Optional).12/9/24 and 12/12/24.
5. **DP1/Dp2**

JOURNAL REVIEW

Journal of Correctional Health Care, Editorial Board

Journal of Hospital Medicine Top Reviewer award

Ad Hoc Peer Review:

- *Substance Use & Addiction Journal*
- *Emerging Infectious Diseases*
- *Public Health Reports*
- *Journal of Addiction Medicine*
- *The American Journal on Addictions*
- *Journal of Drug Issues*
- *Journal of Hospital Medicine*
- *Journal of General Internal Medicine*
- *Journal of Urban Health*
- *JAMA Psychiatry*

TEACHING, ADVISING and MENTORING ROLES

Founder, Producer, Host, *The Cribsiders Pediatric Podcast*. www.thecribsiders.com

- Created over 60 CME-eligible hours of education in core pediatric topics
- IMPACT: Over 2,000,000 downloads
- Lead a team of 30 producers (ranging from students, residents, fellows, attendings, advance practice practitioners)

GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION – RESIDENT EDUCATION

Lecturer, Resident Core Curriculum, Department of Pediatrics-Division of Medicine and Pediatrics, Rhode Island Hospital, 2019-present

Academic Hospitalist, Hasbro Children's Center, Providence Rhode Island, 2019-2023

Faculty Mentor, Quality Improvement Curriculum, Department of Pediatrics-Division of Medicine and Pediatrics, Rhode Island Hospital, 2019-2021

Faculty Mentor, Rhode Island Hospital Internal Medicine - Pediatrics Residency Program, Providence, RI, Residents: Cecilia Paasche MD, Becca Raymond-Kolker MD, Cameron Ulmer MD, Julia Solomon MD, Ann Ding MD, Roger Auth MD, Sam Masur MD, Jessica Kelly MD

UNDERGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION – MEDICAL STUDENTS

Faculty Mentor, Pre-Clinical Elective Course, "Incarceration and Health", The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Providence, RI, 2022-present, class size: 15

- Provided guidance, mentorship, and speaker connections to medical students creating an 18-hour elective course on health related to the criminal justice setting

Course Lecturer, Pre-Clinical Elective Course on Addiction Medicine, "Medications for Opioid Use Disorder," The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Providence, RI, 2022-present, class size: 15

Course Lecturer, PHP1551 - Substance Use Prevention, Treatment, & Policy. Brown School of Public Health. 2022-2024. Class size: 30.

Course Lecturer, Pre-Clinical Elective Course on Addiction Medicine, "Medications for Opioid Use Disorder," The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Providence, RI, 2022-present, class size: 15

Panel Participant x2, Health and Society Course, "Health and Incarceration" The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Providence, RI, 2021-present, class size: ~150

Course Lecturer x3, Health Equity Elective, "Health and Incarceration," Vanderbilt University Medical Center (VUMC), Nashville, TN (virtual), x3 2020-Present, class size: ~15

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION

Course Lecturer, Abnormal Psychology "The Medical Model of Addiction;" University of Rhode Island; Kingston, RI (virtual). 2021. Class Size ~30

Course Lecturer, Public Health and Incarceration. Brown University. 2024, 2025. Class size: 40.

DEMONSTRATION OF COMMITMENT TO DEI

Teaching, Mentoring, and Research - My research is centered on addressing health inequities perpetuated by the criminal legal system, which disproportionately affects marginalized populations, including racial and ethnic minority groups, Indigenous populations, individuals with disabilities, and members of the LGBTQIA+ community. My work actively contributes to discussions on racial and gender disparities in healthcare access, the integration of anti-racism principles into medical education, and structural changes needed to promote health equity. I work to actively integrate DEI principles into my teaching, mentoring, and research by fostering an inclusive environment that values diverse perspectives and backgrounds. My mentees, lab members, and co-authors reflect a substantial diversity across race, gender, and backgrounds. Selected examples of scholarship related to this mission:

Berk J, Brar J, Hoadley A, Martin R. Racial Differences in Medications for Opioid Use Disorder Initiation in a Carceral Setting. *Subst Use Addictn J.* Published online September 2, 2024.

Raymond-Kolker R, Zhang A, Nwora C, **Berk J.** Anti-Racism as Core Content: The Cribsiders' Approach to Integrating Health Equity into ClinicalMedEd Podcasting. *COMSEP National Conference.* April 7, 2021.

Murphy M, Rogers BG, Streed C, Hughto JMW, Radix A, Galipeau D, Napoleon S, Scott T, Noh M, Sutten Coats C, Hubbard L, Chan PA, Nunn A, **Berk J.** Implementing Gender-Affirming Care in Correctional Settings: A Review of Key Barriers and Action Steps for Change. *J Correct Health Care.* 2023;29(1):3-11.

Clinical Work - Through Street Medicine, I contribute to advancing health equity by delivering care directly to individuals in need, ensuring that those who may not access traditional healthcare settings receive essential services. Additionally, my work with the CPC Recovery Clinic provides targeted support for individuals with substance use disorders and those recently incarcerated, addressing systemic barriers to care to a group of individuals often overlooked by the healthcare system. This work integrates close partnership with community health workers and community-based organizations to support marginalized individuals.

Service, Professional Organizations, and Committee Work - As part of my role at the Center for Health and Justice Transformation, I work to advance health equity for individuals impacted by the criminal legal system. This includes interdisciplinary collaboration, policy advocacy, and the development of programs that bridge gaps in care and research for justice-involved populations.

Other DEI Initiatives - I co-founded and lead an Early Career Peer Mentorship Program, which facilitates resource sharing among early-career researchers to ensure equitable access to professional development opportunities. This initiative supports emerging scholars from diverse backgrounds, fostering a more inclusive academic environment.