

BRIEF CV

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EDUCATION

- 1991 Ph.D. in Social Ecology, Social & Health Psychology, University of California, Irvine
1986 Ed.M. in Counseling & Consulting Psychology, Harvard University
1984 B.A. in Psychology with High Honors, Clark University

PRIMARY APPOINTMENTS

- 2015- Founding Chair, Dept of Social & Behavioral Sciences, Temple U
2019-2020 Interim Chair, Dept of Health Services, Administration, & Policy, Temple U
2014-2015 Director, Division of Social & Behavioral Sciences, Temple U
2014- Professor of Clinical Sciences, School of Medicine, Temple U
2012- Member, Cancer Prevention & Control Program, Fox Chase Cancer Center, Temple U
2006- Professor of Social & Behavioral Sciences, Temple U
2006-2012 Founding Director, PhD in Social & Behavioral Sciences and Health Policy, Temple U
2003-2006 Member, Herbert Irving Cancer Center, Columbia University
2002-2006 Professor of Health & Behavior Studies, Teachers College, Columbia University
2002-2004 Professor of Psychology, Brooklyn College and the Graduate Center, CUNY
1999-2002 Associate Professor of Psychology, Brooklyn College and the Graduate Center, CUNY
1996-1999 Associate Professor of Psychology, Carnegie Mellon University
1991-1996 Assistant Professor of Psychology, Carnegie Mellon University

REPRESENTATIVE HONORS

- 2021 World's Top 2% Scientists based on standardized citation indicators in *Scopus*.
([Database](#)) ([related story](#))
2018 Citation abstract award, Society of Behavioral Medicine
2017 Distinguished Visiting Lecturer, Virginia Commonwealth University
2014 Temple University Leadership Academy Trainee (LA9)
2013 Scholar in Residence, Research & Training Institute, Cancer Support Community
2008 Fellow, Academy of Behavioral Medicine Research
2008 Who's Who in Health Sciences in Higher Education
2007 Temple U \$1 Million Research Awards Club
2006 Fellow, Society of Behavioral Medicine
2003 Distinguished Lecturer, Old Dominion University
2003 Charter Member: NIH BMIO Study Section
2001 Award for Outstanding Contributions to Health Psychology, APA (Div 38)
1999 Distinguished Visiting Faculty Award, University of Kentucky
1998 Young Investigator Award: Outstanding Contributions to Behavioral Medicine, SBM

REPRESENTATIVE GRANTS

- 09/18-08/23 Co-Investigator (J. Reese, PI), *Addressing sexual concerns in breast cancer survivors: RCT of a novel couple-based intervention*, National Institutes of Health, National

- Cancer Institute (R01CA222124), \$3,018,719.
- 05/15-04/21 Principal Investigator, contact-PI (MPI with B. Collins), *Multilevel tobacco intervention in community clinics for underserved families*, National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute (R01CA188813), \$2,700,000.
- 09/17-05/20 Principal Investigator, *Factors predicting ineffective contraception use*, National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (R21HD091927-01), \$429,000.
- 01/15-12/19 Mentor (J. Reese, PI). *Enhancing patient-provider communication about sexual concerns in cancer*. MRSG, American Cancer Society, \$61,951.
- 03/12-2/18 Principal Investigator (MPI with B. Collins), *Pediatrician advice, family counseling & SHS reduction for underserved children*, National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute (R01CA158361), \$2,342,000.
- 01/12-12/14 Co-Investigator, (S. Chambers, PI). *A randomized trial of a mindfulness intervention for men with advanced prostate cancer*, NHMRC (APP1024989), \$706,232.
- 10/12-9/14 Co-Investigator (D. Nelson, PI), *Perceptions of community-level violence & unintended pregnancy among urban women*. National Institutes of Health, DHHS (R21HD071200), \$420,750.
- 07/11-06/13 Principal Investigator, *A novel prosocial online support group for distressed breast cancer survivors*, National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute (R21CA15887-01A1), \$359,582. Score: 1st percentile.
- 01/11-12/13 Co-Investigator, (S. Chambers, PI). *ProsCan for Life: A multimodal supportive care intervention for men with prostate cancer*, Beyond Blue/Cancer Australia (ID APP1008320), \$598,194.
- 06/08-04/12 Co-Investigator (W. Kliwer, PI), *School-based expressive writing intervention trial to youth exposed to community violence*, National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Mental Health (R01 MH081166-01), \$1,992,137.
- 09/06-01/11 Mentor (D. Latini, PI). *Prostate cancer symptom management in low literacy men*. MRSG, American Cancer Society, \$61,951.
- 09/04-06/09 Principal Investigator, *Prostate cancer education in African American men*, National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute (R01 CA104223), \$2,162,563.
- 09/04-08/09 Co-Investigator (C. Basch, PI), *Evaluating alternative retinopathy screening approaches*, National Institutes of Health, National Eye Institute (R01 EY015892), \$3,233,000.
- 09/05-08/08 Principal Investigator, *Expressive writing & adjustment to colorectal cancer*, National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute (R21 CA107428), \$237,316.

REPRESENTATIVE PUBLICATIONS

158. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., & Egleston, B. (2022). Multilevel intervention for low-income maternal smokers in the special supplemental nutrition program for women, infants, and children (WIC). *American Journal of Public Health*, 112, 472-481. <https://doi.org/10.2105/AJPH.2021.306601>
157. Schuler, B.R., Collins, B. N., Scheuermann, T. S., Baishya, M., Kilby, L., & Lepore, S. J. (2022, online first). Translating pediatric primary care best practice guidelines for addressing tobacco in the WIC system. *Translational Behavioral Medicine*. <https://doi.org/10.1093/tbm/ibac079>
156. Baishya, M. L., Collins, B. N., & Lepore, S. J. (2022). Antecedents of self-efficacy to achieve smoking behavior change goals among low-income parents enrolled in an evidence-based tobacco intervention. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 20, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph192013573>
155. Berardi, V., Collins, B. N., Wilson, K. M., Lepore, S. J., Mahabee-Gittens, M. E., & Glynn, L. (2022). Real-time feedback on air quality in children's bedrooms increases adherence to WHO indoor air guidelines in the homes of smokers. *Tobacco Prevention and Cessation*, 8, <https://doi.org/10.18332/tpc/149908>.
154. Reese, J. B., Zimmaro, L. A., Sorice, K., Bober, S. L., El-Jawahri, A., Daly, M. B., Wittenberg, E., Handorf, E., Beach, M. C., Wolff, A. C., Lepore, S. J. (2022, online first). Investigating the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on breast cancer clinicians' communication about sexual health. *Supportive Care in Cancer*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00520-022-07003-8>
153. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. N., Killam, W., Barry, B. (2021). Supportive accountability and mobile app use in a tobacco control intervention targeting low-income minority mothers who smoke: An observational study, 9, e28175. *JMIR Mhealth and Uhealth*. <https://doi.org/10.2196/28175>
<https://mhealth.jmir.org/2021/0/e0/>
152. Reese, J. B., Zimmaro, L. A., Sorice, K., Handorf, E., Beach, M. C., Wittenberg, E., Bober, S. L., Wolff, A., El-Jawahri, A., Daly, M. B., Izquierdo, B., & Lepore, S. J. (2021). Mobile technology-based (mLearning) intervention to enhance breast cancer clinicians' communication about sexual health: results from a pilot trial. *Journal of the National Cancer Center Network*, 19, 1133-1140. <https://doi.org/10.6004/jnccn.2021.7032>
151. Kaynak, Ö, Whipple, C. R., Kliwer, W. L., & Lepore, S. J. (2021) Peer victimization exposure and subsequent substance use in adolescents: the role of sleep problems. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 50(6), 1254-1267. DOI: 10.1007/s10964-021-01410-6
150. Reese, J. B., Sorice, K. A., Pollard, W., Handorf, E., Beach, M. C., Daly, M. B., Porter, L. S., Tulskey, J. A., & Lepore, S. J. (2021). Efficacy of a multimedia intervention in facilitating breast cancer patients' clinical communication about sexual health: results of a randomized controlled trial. *Psycho-Oncology*, 30, 681-690. DOI: 10.1002/pon.5613. PMID: PMC8113064
149. Lepore S.J., Kliwer W. (2020) Expressive writing and health. In: Gellman M.D. (ed) *Encyclopedia of Behavioral Medicine*. Springer, Cham. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-39903-0_1225
148. Reese, J.B., Sorice, K., Pollard, W., Zimmaro, L. A., Beach, M. C., Handorf, E., & Lepore, S. J. (2020). Understanding sexual help-seeking for women with breast cancer: What distinguishes women who seek help from those who do not? *Journal of Sexual Medicine*. DOI: 10.1016/j.jsxm.2020.06.004
147. Davis, S., Collins, B., Lepore, S.J. (2020). Exploring mindfulness and its psychosocial correlates in a population of low-income female, tobacco smokers with young children. *CommonHealth* 1(1), 24-

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146. Reese, J.B., Sorice, K.A., Zimmaro, L., Lepore, S.J., Beach, M.C. (2020, online first). Communication about sexual health in breast cancer: what can we learn from patients' self-report and clinical dialogue? *Patient Education and Counseling*. DOI: 10.1016/j.pec.2020.03.029
145. Ralph, N. F., Ng, S. K., Zajdlewicz, L., Lepore, S. J., Heathcote, P., Kneebone, A., Dunn, J. C., & Chambers, S. K. (2020). Ten-year quality of life outcomes in men with prostate cancer. *Psycho-Oncology*, 29, 444-449. DOI: 10.1002/pon.5255
144. Reese, J. B., Zimmaro, L. A., Lepore, S. J., Handorf, E., Daly, M. B., Schover, L. R., Kashy, D., Westbrook, K., & Porter, L. S. (2020, online first). Evaluating a couple-based intervention addressing sexual concerns for breast cancer survivors: study protocol for a randomized controlled trial. *Trials*, 21, 173. DOI: 10.1186/s13063-019-3975-2. PMCID: [PMC7014745](#)
143. Zimmaro, L. A., Lepore, S. J., Beach, M. C., & Reese, J. B. (2020) Patients' perceived barriers to discussing sexual health with breast cancer healthcare providers. *Psycho-Oncology*, 29, 1123-1131. DOI: 10.1002/pon.5386.
142. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Sosnowski, D. (2020). Parents' self-efficacy for tobacco exposure protection and smoking abstinence mediate treatment effects on child cotinine at 12-month follow-up: mediation results from the Kids Safe and Smokefree trial. *Nicotine & Tobacco Research*, 11, 1981-1988. DOI: 10.1093/ntr/ntz175. PMCID: [PMC7593366](#)
141. Lepore, S. J., & Kliewer, W. (2019). Social intelligence attenuates association between peer victimization and depressive symptoms among adolescents. *Psychology of Violence*, 9, 644-652. DOI: 10.1037/vio0000234
140. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. N., & Sosnowski, D. (2019). Self-efficacy as a pathway to long-term smoking cessation among low-income parents in the multilevel Kids Safe and Smokefree intervention. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 204, 107497. DOI: 10.1016/j.drugalcdep.2019.05.027. PMCID: [PMC6878184](#)
139. Lepore, S. J., Rincon, M., Buzaglo, J. S., Golant, M., Lieberman, M. A., Bass, S. B., & Chambers, S. (2019). Digital literacy linked to engagement and psychological benefits among breast cancer survivors in Internet-based peer support groups. *European Journal of Cancer Care*, 28, e13134. PMID: 31318132. DOI: 10.1111/ecc.13134
138. Lepore, S. J., & Roberts, K. J. (2019). Cancer: prostate. In C. Llewellyn, S. Ayers, C. McManus, S. Newman, K. Petrie, T. A. Revenson, & J. Weinman (Eds.), *The Cambridge handbook of psychology, health, & medicine* (3rd Edition), 446-447. London: Cambridge University Press.
137. O'Connor, K. E., Farrell, A. D., Kliewer, W., & Lepore, S. J. (2019). Social and emotional adjustment across aggressor/victim subgroups: are aggressive-victims distinct? *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 48, 2222-2240. DOI 10.1007/s10964-019-01104-0. PMCID: [PMC7364659](#)
136. Reese, J. B., Lepore, S. J., Daly, M. B., Handorf, E., Sorice, K. A., Porter, L. S., Tulskey, J. A., Beach, M. C. (2019). A brief intervention to enhance breast cancer clinicians' communication about sexual health: Feasibility, acceptability, and preliminary outcomes. *Psycho-Oncology*, 28, 872-879. DOI: 10.1002/pon.5036. PMCID: [PMC6445732](#)

135. Davis, S., Lepore, S. J., & Dumenci, L. (2019). Psychometric properties and correlates of a brief mattering scale in a sample of women recovering from breast cancer. *Quality of Life Research*, *28*, 1605-1614. DOI: 10.1007/s11136-019-02118-8. PMCID: [PMC6525027](#)
134. Reese, J. B., Sorice, K., Lepore, S. J., Daly, M. B., & Tulsy, J. L., & Beach, M. C. (2019). Patient-clinician communication about sexual health in breast cancer: A mixed-methods analysis of clinic dialogue. *Patient Education & Counseling*, *102* (3), 436-442. DOI: 10.1016/j.pec.2018.10.003. PMCID: [PMC6421101](#)
133. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. N., Coffman, D. L., Winickoff, J. P., Nair, U. S., Moughan, B., Bryant-Stephens, T., Taylor, D., Fleece, D., & Godfrey, M. (2018). Kids Safe & Smokefree (KiSS) multilevel intervention to reduce child tobacco smoke exposure: long-term results of a randomized trial. *International Journal of Environmental Research in Public Health*, *15* (6), 1239. DOI: 10.3390/ijerph15061239. PMCID: [PMC6025102](#)
132. Goodwin, R. D., Cheslack-Postava, K., Santoscoy, S., Bakoyiannis, N., Hasin, D. S., Collins, B., Lepore, S. J., Wall, M. M. (2018). Trends in cannabis and cigarette use among parents with children at home: 2002 to 2015. *Pediatrics*, *141*, e20173506. PMID: 29759986. DOI: 10.1542/peds.2017-3506. PMCID: [PMC6317643](#)
131. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Winickoff, J. P., Nair, U. S., Moughan, B., Bryant-Stephens, T., Davey, A., Taylor, D., Fleece, D., & Godfrey, M. (2018). An office-initiated multilevel intervention for tobacco smoke exposure: A randomized trial. *Pediatrics*, *141*(Supplement 1):S75-S86. PMID: 29292308. DOI: 10.1542/peds.2017-1026K. PMCID: [PMC5745677](#).
130. Hyde, M. K., Legg, M., Occhipinti, S., Lepore, S. J., Ugalde, A., Zajdlewicz, L., Laurie, K., Dunn, J., & Chambers, S. K. (2018). Predictors of long-term distress in female partners of men diagnosed with prostate cancer. *Psycho-Oncology*, *27*, 946-954, PMID: 29268006. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1002/pon.4617>.
129. Greener, J., Bass, S., & Lepore, S. J. (2018). Contralateral prophylactic mastectomy: A qualitative approach to exploring the decision-making process. *Journal of Psychosocial Oncology*, *36*, 145-158. DOI: doi.org/10.1080/07347332.2017.1395940
128. Galvão, D. A., Newton, R. U., Girgis, A., Lepore, S. J., Stiller, A., Mihalopolous, C, Gardiner, R. A., Taaffe, D. R., Occhipinti, S., Chambers, S. K. (2018). Randomized controlled trial of a peer led multimodal intervention for men with prostate cancer to increase exercise participation. *Psycho-Oncology*, *27*, 199-207. PMID: 28685892. DOI: 10.1002/pon.4495.
127. Lieberman, M. & Lepore, S. J. (2018). Mechanisms linked to positive outcomes in online professionally led breast cancer groups: A replication study in a randomized study. *Journal of Psychiatry and Behavioral Health Forecast*, *1*, 1-4, Article 1001.
126. Lepore, S. J., Nair, R., Davis, S. N., Wolf, R. L., Basch, C. E., Thomas, N., Shmukler, C., & Ullman, R. (2017). Patient and physician factors associated with undisclosed prostate cancer screening in a sample of predominantly immigrant black men. *Journal of Immigrant & Minority Health*, *19*(6), 1343-1350. PMID: 27449217. DOI: 10.1007/s10903-016-0468-1. PMCID: [PMC5407941](#)
125. Chambers, S. K., Occhipinti, S., Foley, E., Clutton, S., Legg, M., Berry, M., Stockler, M. R., Frydenberg, M., Gardiner, R. A., Lepore, S. J., Davis, I., & Smith, D. (2017). Mindfulness-based cognitive therapy in advanced prostate cancer: A randomized controlled trial. *Journal of Clinical Oncology*, *35*, 291-297. PMID: 27870567. DOI: 10.1200/JCO.2016.68.8788.

124. Laurie, K., Hyde, M. K., Lepore, S. J., & Chambers, S. K. (2017). Validation of the factor structure of the Five Facets of Mindfulness Questionnaire in men diagnosed with advanced prostate cancer. *Psycho-Oncology*, 27, 1061-1064. PMID: 28612404. DOI: 10.1002/pon.4474.
123. Reese, J. B., Lepore, S. J., Handorf, E., & Haythornthwaite, J. A. (2017). Emotional approach coping and depressive symptoms in colorectal cancer patients: The role of the intimate relationship. *Journal of Psychosocial Oncology*, 35, 578-596. PMID: 28511030. DOI: 10.1080/07347332.2017.1331492. PMCID: PMC5804335.
122. Reese, J. B., Beach, M. C., Smith, K. C., Bantug, E. T., Porter, L., Bober, S. L., Tulskey, J. L., Daly, M. B., & Lepore, S. J. (2017). Effective patient-provider communication about sexual concerns in breast cancer: A qualitative study. *Supportive Care in Cancer*, 25, 3199-3207. PMID: 28451911. DOI: 10.1007/s00520-017-3729-1. PMCID: PMC5803445.
121. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J. (2017). Babies Living Safe & Smokefree: Randomized controlled trial of a multilevel multimodal behavioral intervention to reduce low-income children's tobacco smoke exposure. *BMC: Public Health*, 17 (online). PMID: 28288601. PMCID: PMC5348842. DOI: 10.1186/s12889-017-4145-7. PMCID: [PMC5348842](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/28288601/)
120. Zajdlewicz, L., Gardiner, F., Hyde, M., Lepore, S. J., Gardiner, R. A., & Chambers, S. (2017). Health-related quality of life after the diagnosis of locally-advanced or advanced prostate cancer: a longitudinal study. *Cancer Nursing*, 40, 412-419. PMID 28282307. DOI: 10.1097/NCC. 000000000 0000432.
119. Lieberman, M. A. & Lepore, S. J. (2017). Fighting spirit expressed by women with breast cancer in profession and peer led online support groups: Effects on outcomes. *Madridge Journal of Cancer Study & Research*, 1, 8-11. DOI: 10.18689/mjcsr-1000102. PMID: 31453570. PMCID: PMC6709702
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115. Sosnowski, D. W., Kliewer, W., & Lepore, S. J. (2016). The role of sleep in the relationship between victimization and externalizing problems in adolescents. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 45, 1744-1754. PMID: 27216201. DOI:10.1007/s10964-016-0506-2. PMCID: PMC5826765.
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mindfulness in distress and quality of life in men with advanced prostate cancer. *Quality of Life Research*, 25, 3027-3035. PMID: 27315118. PMCID: PMC5102949. DOI: 10.1007/s11136-016-1341-3.

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REPRESENTATIVE INVITED TALKS

45. Lepore, S. J. (November 2021). *The power of multi-level ecological interventions for health*

behavior change: Examples from trials targeting parental smoking and child smoke exposure in low-income urban communities. Health Sciences Center, Rutgers University, Camden, NJ.

44. Lepore, S. J. (January 2020). *Ecological approach to reducing smoking and secondhand smoke exposure in low-income urban communities.* Notable Seminar, Rutgers University School of Public Health, Piscataway, NJ.

43. Lepore, S. J. (October 2017). *High tech-warm touch: Integrating digital strategies with traditional behavioral health approaches to protect low-income families from tobacco smoke.* Distinguished Visiting Lecturer, Virginia Commonwealth U, Richmond, VA.

REPRESENTATIVE PRESENTATIONS AT SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

183. Zimmaro, L. A., Lepore, S. J., & Reese, J. B. *Mindfulness-based interventions for sexual functioning in cancer: A systematic review* (November 2022). Paper presented at the Scientific Network on Female Sexual Health and Cancer, New Haven, CT.

182. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B., Godfrey, M., Sosnowski, D. (November 2022). *Pilot trial of peer-led contraception education and cognitive behavioral therapy intervention to improve contraception use in women at risk for unintended pregnancy.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Boston, MA.

181. Klein J., Cohen K., Fales A., Pham T., Choi H., Collins B., Lepore S. J., & Garfield J. (May 2022). *COVID-19 pandemic and inner-city youth e-cigarette use.* Paper presented at the American Thoracic Society International Conference, San Francisco, CA.

180. Collins, B. N. & Lepore, S. J. (April 2022). *Multilevel Kids Safe & Smokefree intervention prolongs parents' smoking abstinence compared to pediatric "Ask, Advise, Refer."* Paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.

179. Lepore, S. J. & Revenson, T. A. (April 2022). *Inadequate sleep linked to depressive symptoms through intrusive thoughts among cancer survivors.* Paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.

178. Baishya, M., Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Goodwin, R., Berardi, V. (April 2022). *Dual cannabis and tobacco smoking among mothers increases children's cotinine and undermines mothers' sustained abstinence.* Paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.

177. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., & Egleston, B. (March 2022). *Community WIC system-initiated multilevel intervention improves maternal smokers' bioverified abstinence, Babies Living Safe and Smokefree RCT.* Paper presented at the Society for Research in Nicotine and Tobacco annual meeting, Baltimore, MD.

176. Reese, J. B, Handorf, E., Sorice, K., Lepore, S. J., Zimmaro, L. A., Zaleta, A., Daly, M. B., Schover, L., Kashy, D., Porter, L. S. (March 2022). *Understanding the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on relationships and intimacy in breast cancer: Results of a quantitative analysis.* Symposium presented at the American Psycho-Oncology Society Annual Meeting, Portland, OR.

175. Reese, J. B., Zimmaro, L. A., Bober, S. L., Sorice, K., Handorf, E., Wittenberg, E., El-Jawahri, A., Beach, M. C., Wolff, A., Daly, M. B., Izquierdo, B., & Lepore, S. J. (April 2021). *Mobile technology-based (mLearning) intervention to enhance breast cancer clinicians' communication about sexual*

health: results from a pilot trial. Paper presented at the Scientific Network on Female Sexual Health and Cancer Virtual Scientific Session.

174. Carney, E. C., Fisher, J. O., Collins, B. N., & Lepore, S. J. (April 2021). *Sugar-sweetened beverage intake in mother-child dyads before and after implementation of Philadelphia's beverage tax.* Research Spotlight paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Virtual Conference.

173. Reese, J. B., Handorf, E., Sorice, K. A., Adekunle, F., Pollard, W., Handorf, E., Daly, M. B., Schover, L. R., Westbrook, K., & Porter, L. S., (April 2021). *Can a sexual health communication skills intervention affect breast cancer survivors' engagement in sexual activity? Results from a randomized controlled trial.* Symposium paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Virtual Conference.

172. Baishya, M., Collins, B. N., & Lepore, S. J. (April 2021). *Factors that influence smoking cessation related self-efficacy: a primary mediator in the KiSS trial.* Research Spotlight paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Virtual Conference.

171. Reese, J. B., Lepore, S. J., Zimmaro, L. A., Sorice, K. A., Pollard, W., Beach, M. C., Daly, M. B., Porter, L. S., Tulsy, J. A., & Lepore, S. J. (April 2021). *Addressing sexual concerns in breast cancer survivors: Progress from an ongoing RCT of a novel couple-based intervention.* Symposium paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Virtual Conference.

170. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Egleston, B., Kilby, L., Godfrey, M. (April 2021). *Babies Living Safe & Smokefree (BLISS): Multilevel behavioral intervention improves long-term parent quit rates.* Paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Virtual Conference.

169. Schuler, B. R., Collins, B. N., Scheuermann, T., Baishya, M., & Lepore, S. J. (April 2021). *Knowledge, attitudes and practices of WIC staff toward addressing child exposure to tobacco smoke among low-income families.* Research Spotlight paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Virtual Conference.

168. Kaynak, O., Whipple, C. R., Kliever, W., & Lepore, S. J. (April 2021). *Peer victimization exposure and subsequent substance use in adolescents: The role of sleep problems.* Research Spotlight paper presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Virtual Conference.

167. Reese, J. B., Sorice, K., Pollard, W., Cruz, C., Zimmaro, L. A., Adekunle, F., Lepore, S. J., Beach, M. C., Wittenberg, E., Wolff, A., Bober, S. L., El-Jawahri, A., Handorf, E., Daly, M. B. (March 2021). *Impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on breast cancer clinicians' communication about sexual health: Results from a mixed quantitative and qualitative study.* Paper presented at the American Psychosocial Oncology Society, Virtual Conference.

166. Zimmaro, L.A., Lepore, S.J., Beach, M.C., Reese, J.B. *Patients' perceived barriers to discussing sexual health with breast cancer healthcare providers.* (October 2020). Paper presented at Fox Chase Cancer Center 25th Annual Trainee Research Day, Philadelphia, PA.

165. Reese, J. B., Sorice, K. A., Pollard, W., Beach, M. C., & Lepore, S. J. (June 2020). *Development and evaluation of a mobile technology-based (mLearning) intervention to enhance breast cancer clinicians' communication about sexual health: Update on the Putnam Scholars Program Project.* Paper presented at the Association for Communication in Healthcare Research Forum, Austin TX.

164. Reese, J. B., Sorice, K., Pollard, W., Zimmaro, L.A., Beach, M.C. & Lepore, S. J. (2020), *Understanding sexual help-seeking for women with breast cancer: how do women who seek*

help differ from those who do not? Paper accepted for presentation at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. (published abstract only due to COVID-19)

163. Lepore, S. J., Sosnowski, D. W., & Collins, B. N. (April 2020). *Behavioral cessation intervention may mitigate adverse effects of poor sleep on long-term abstinence in low-income smokers*. Paper accepted for presentation at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. (published abstract only due to COVID-19)

162. Kaynak, O., Whipple, C. R., Kliwer, W., & Lepore, S. J. (April 2020). *Community violence and risk for subsequent substance use in adolescents: Role of sleep problems*. Presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. (online poster and published abstract due to COVID-19)

161. Lepore, S.J., Collins, B.N., Sosnowski, D. W., & Godfrey, M. (April 2020). *Pilot trial of cognitive behavioral therapy intervention to improve contraception use in women at risk for unintended pregnancy*. Paper accepted for presentation at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. (published abstract only due to COVID-19)

160. Reese, J.B., Sorice, K., Pollard, W., Zimmaro, L., Beach, M.C., & Lepore, S.J. (April 2020). *Understanding sexual help-seeking for women with breast cancer: how do women who seek help differ from those who do not?* Symposium paper accepted for presentation the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, April 3, San Francisco, CA. (published abstract only due to COVID-19)

159. Zimmaro, L.A., Beach, M.C., Lepore, S.J., Reese, J.B. (April 2020). *What are breast cancer patients' beliefs about discussing sexual health with their providers?* Paper accepted for presentation at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. (published abstract only due to COVID-19)

158. Wolak, C., Frankel, A., Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. C., Willsey, D., & Meyers, S. (March 2020). *Valuing an inclusive environment: facilitating faculty and staff training to promote inclusiveness in teaching, research, and service*. Paper presented at the ASPPH Undergraduate Public Health and Global Health Education Summit, Arlington, VA. (Abstract accepted; conference canceled due to COVID-19)

157. Reese, J. B., Sorice, K., Pollard, W., Zimmaro, L.A., Beach, M.C. & Lepore, S. J. (November 2019), *Understanding sexual help-seeking for women with breast cancer: how do women who seek help differ from those who do not?* Paper presented at the 7th conference for the Scientific Network on Female Sexual Health and Cancer, Columbus, OH.

156. Zimmaro, L.A., Izquierdo, B., Beach, M.C., Lepore, S.J., Wittenberg, E., Bober, S.L., Daly, M.B., Reese, J.B. (November 2019), *Developing a mobile technology-based (mLearning) intervention to enhance breast cancer clinicians' communication about sexual health: results from formative interviews*. Paper presented at the 7th conference for the Scientific Network on Female Sexual Health and Cancer, Columbus, OH.

155. Tripicchio, G., Collins, B. N., & Godfrey, M., Lepore, S. J. (November 2019). *Results of a randomized nutrition education intervention to improve fruit and vegetable intake in low-income, tobacco smoking parents*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.

154. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Davis, S., Godfrey, M., Hunt-Johnson, A., & Stefy, G. (November 2019). *Young children of dual marijuana+tobacco using WIC mothers have greater bioverified tobacco*

smoke exposure than tobacco-only smokers despite similar maternal tobacco use. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.

153. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Sosnowski, D., & Davis, S. (November 2019). *Smoking parents' child protection self-efficacy during treatment is a key to reducing 12-month follow-up bioverified child tobacco smoke exposure: Multiple mediation analysis of the KiSS trial.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.

152. Rincon, M., Lepore, S. J., Davis, S. & Collins, B. N. (November 2019). *Factor analysis of a novel 12-item smoking urge coping scale in a sample from the Kids Safe and Smokefree (KiSS) trial.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.

151. Reese, J. B., Lepore, S. J., Daly, M. B., & Beach, M. C. (October 2019). *Clinician communication about fatigue for women with breast cancer: How often does it occur and for whom?* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Conference on Communication in Healthcare, San Diego, CA.

150. Reese, J. B., Beach, M. C., Wittenberg, E., Lepore, S. J., Bober, S., & Daly, M. B. (October 2019). *Development of a mobile technology-based (mLearning) intervention to enhance communication about sexual health for breast cancer clinicians: Update on the Putnam scholars program project.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Conference on Communication in Healthcare, San Diego, CA.

149. Lepore, S. J., Revenson, T. A., Roberts, K., Davis, S., Kaynak, O., & Zimmermann, C. (March 2019). *Cognitive processing without social constraints linked to posttraumatic growth among colorectal cancer survivors.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

148. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. N., Hunt-Johnson, A., Godfrey, M., Adekunle, F., & Davis, S. (March 2019). *Social, practical and motivational factors related to mHealth engagement in low-income women in smoking cessation intervention.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC

147. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Davis, S. Hunt-Johnson, A., Godfrey, M., Adekunle, F. (March 2019). *Dual marijuana + tobacco smoking among WIC mothers relates to higher child cotinine compared to tobacco smoking alone.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC

146. Davis, S., Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Hunt-Johnson, A. (March 2019). *mHealth app use coaching guided by a supportive accountability paradigm boosts multiple health promotion app engagement.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC

145. Davis, S., Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., Hunt-Johnson, A., Godfrey, M., Adekunle, F. (March 2019). *Exploring mindfulness and its psychosocial correlates in a population of low-income female tobacco smokers with young children.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

144. Zimmermann, C. F, Hurt, C. A., Lepore, S. J., & Revenson, T. A. (March 2019). *Predictors of cancer-induced cognitive impairment (CICI) among colorectal cancer patients.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

143. Reese, J. B., Beach, M. C., Sorice, K., Daly, M. B., Porter, L. S., & Lepore, S. J. (March 2019). *Refining a video intervention to enhance breast cancer patients' clinical communication about sexual and menopausal health*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.
142. Reese, J.B., Sorice, K., Lepore, S.J., Daly, M.B., Handorf, E.A., Tulsy, J.A., & Beach, M.C. A. (September 2018). *Brief intervention to enhance breast cancer clinicians' communication about sexual health: feasibility, acceptability, and preliminary data*. Paper to be presented at Scientific Network on Female Sexual Health and Cancer, September 28, Durham, NC.
141. Reese, J. B., Sorice, K., Lepore, S. J., Daly, M. B., Handorf, E. A., Tulsy, J. A., & Beach, M. C. (August 2018). *Discrepancies in Measures of Patient-Clinician Communication about Sexual Health in Breast Cancer*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Communication in Healthcare, Porto, Portugal.
140. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. N., Coffman, D. (August 2018). *Self-efficacy mediates effects of multilevel, pediatric-office-based intervention on bioverified smoking cessation among low-income parents*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the European Health Psychology Society, Galway, Ireland.
139. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. N., Nair, U., Winickoff, J., & Coffman, D. (April 2018). *Long-term results of pediatric trial to reduce child secondhand smoke exposure and promote smoking cessation*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA. **Citation Abstract Winner**
138. Collins, B. N., Nair, U., Davis, S., & Lepore, S. J. (April 2018). *Baseline days walking relates to parents' 12-month bioverified cessation in a children's tobacco exposure reduction trial*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.
137. Davis, S., Collins, B. N., & Lepore, S. J. (February 2018). *NRT use and beliefs in an urban low-income minority population*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research on Nicotine & Tobacco, Baltimore, MD.
136. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. N., Winickoff, J., Coffman, D., Nair, U., & Godfrey, M. (February 2018). *Self-efficacy mediates long-term effects of a multi-level pediatric office-based intervention on smoking cessation among low-income parents*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research on Nicotine & Tobacco, Baltimore, MD.
135. Nair, R. G., Geethakumari, P. R., Williams, A. A. A., & Lepore, S. J. (December 2017). *Race and mortality in prostate cancer: A meta-analysis*. Paper presented at the American Association for Cancer Research, San Antonio, TX.
134. Laurie, K., Hyde, M. K., Legg, M., Occhipinti, S., Lepore, S. J., Zajdlewicz, L., Dunn, J., Chambers, S. K. (July 2017). *Trajectories of distress in female partners of men diagnosed with prostate cancer*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Australian and New Zealand Urogenital and Prostate Cancer Trials Group (ANZUP), Melbourne, AU.
133. Buzaglo, J. S., Zaleta, A. K., Miller, M. F., Johnson, J. Diefenbach, M. A., Lepore, S. J., Nelson, C. J., O'Rourke, M. A., Geynisman, D. M. (June 2017). *Sexual function, quality of life, and cancer-related distress among prostate cancer survivors*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Clinical Oncology, Chicago, IL.

132. Galvao, D. A., Newton, R. U., Girgis, A., Lepore, S. J., Stiller, A., Mihalopoulos, C., Gardiner, R. A., Taaffe, D. R., Occhipinti, S., Chambers, S. K. (May 2017). *Randomized controlled trial of peer led intervention for prostate cancer patients to increase exercise participation*. Paper presented at the American College of Sports Medicine's annual meeting, Denver, CO.
131. Hunt-Johnson, A., Godfrey, M., Adekunle, F., Lepore, S. J., & Collins, B. N. (May 2017). *Safe storage of electronic nicotine delivery systems and marijuana among WIC participants*. Poster presented at the College of Physicians of Philadelphia section on public health student poster session, Philadelphia, PA.
130. Lepore, S. J., Collins, B. N., & Coffman, D. L. (March 2017). *Psychological and behavioral mediators of a multilevel intervention to reduce tobacco smoke exposure in low-income children living with a smoker*. Symposium paper presented at the Society for Research on Nicotine & Tobacco, Florence, Italy.
129. Collins, B. N., Lepore, S. J., & Coffman, D. L. (March 2017). *Kids Safe and Smokefree: Self-efficacy, not home smoking restrictions or urge coping skills, mediate counseling treatment effects on low-income parents' quit status*. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Nicotine & Tobacco, Florence, Italy.
128. Reese, J. B., Beach, M.C., Smith, K. C., Bantug, E. T., Porter, L. S., Bober, S. L., Tulsy, J. A., Daly, M. B., Lepore, S. J. (February 2017). *Effective patient-provider communication about sexual concerns in breast cancer: A qualitative investigation with patients and providers*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psycho-Oncology Society. Orlando, FL.