

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., 2001, University of Pennsylvania, School of Social Work (now School of Social Policy and Practice), Social Welfare
M.S.W., 1996, University of Pennsylvania, School of Social Work (now School of Social Policy and Practice), Social Work
B.S., 1993, University of Pittsburgh, Psychology

POST GRADUATE TRAINING & FELLOWSHIP APPOINTMENTS

2002-2004, NRSA Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
Training Program in Age-Related Neurodegenerative Diseases (NIH/NIA 5T32AG000255)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2022-present Research Professor, School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania
2019-present Senior Fellow, Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics, University of Pennsylvania
2013-2022 Research Associate Professor, School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania
2004-present Fellow, Institute on Aging, Department of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania
2004-2013 Research Assistant Professor, School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania
1998-2004 Associated Faculty, University of Pennsylvania School of Social Work, Philadelphia, PA
1996-1998 Teaching Assistant, University of Pennsylvania School of Social Work, Philadelphia, PA

RESEARCH POSITIONS

1999-2002 Research Coordinator, University of Pennsylvania, Division of Geriatric Medicine
1997-1998 Assessment Coordinator & Interviewer, University of Pennsylvania, School of Social Work
1995-1997 Research Assistant/Policy Analyst, Center for the Study of Youth Policy, University of Pennsylvania
1993-1994 School Assessment Specialist for the Attention Deficit Disorder Clinic, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Pittsburgh, PA
1993-1994 Research Assistant, University of Pittsburgh, Department of Psychology, Dr. Benjamin Lahey
1992-1993 Research Assistant (Pitt Mother and Child Project), University of Pittsburgh, Department of Psychology, Pittsburgh, PA

CLINICAL POSITIONS

2003-2005 Patient and Caregiver CGIC (Clinical Global Impression of Change) Evaluator, Memory Disorders Clinic (now Penn Memory Center), University of Pennsylvania
2001-2004 Support Group Facilitator, Children of Aging ParentS (CAPS), Philadelphia, PA
1998-1999 Social Worker, The Millhouse Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Trenton, NJ
1996 (May-Aug) Social Worker, SPARK Program, Department of Community Health & Preventive Medicine, Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, PA
1992 (May-Aug) Assistant Director of Admissions, Lakewood of Voorhees Nursing Home, Voorhees, NJ

OTHER APPOINTMENTS - INTERNSHIPS

1995-1996 Social Work Intern, SPARK Program, Department of Community Health & Preventive Medicine, Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, PA
1994-1995 Social Work Intern, Charter Fairmont Institute, Philadelphia, PA

CERTIFICATIONS/LICENSURE

Pennsylvania LSW #: SW127288 (active)
New Jersey LSW #: SL 48944 (inactive)

HONORS/AWARDS

- 2015 Named *NewCourtland Term Chair in Health Transitions Research*, University of Pennsylvania
- 2014 Selected as a Fellow of the Gerontological Society of America
- 2013 Department of Biobehavioral Health Sciences Junior Faculty Research Award in recognition of significant and outstanding contribution to nursing scholarship, University of Pennsylvania
- 2009 Selected through competitive application to attend the College of Palliative Care Research Scholars Program through the American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine (AAHPM)
- 2008 Invited to be on the National Advisory Panel for the New York Academy of Medicine, Social Work Leadership Institute (SWLI), Hartford Partnership Program Aging Education (HPPAE)
- 2006 Recipient of the *Helen Rehr Best of Social Work in Health Care* award for the article “*How do tangible supports impact the breast cancer experience?*” (Published 2005)
- 2005 Selected as a trainee for the National Institute on Aging Summer Institute
- 2004 Selected to attend the National Institute on Aging Technical Assistance Workshop
- 2004 2nd Place Award for Poster Presentation at the Sylvan M. Cohen 2004 Annual Retreat and Poster Session on Aging, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2003 Honorable Mention for Poster Presentation at the Fourth Annual Center for Neurodegenerative Disease Research Retreat, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2002 2nd Place Award for Poster Presentation at the Third Annual Center for Neurodegenerative Disease Research Retreat, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2002 Selected as a trainee on the NIH/NIA (T32 AG00255) Training Program in Age-Related Neurodegenerative Diseases.
- 1998 Herman L. Levin Award—Outstanding Doctoral Student, University of Pennsylvania School of Social Work

RESEARCH**Doctoral Dissertation**

Sick Role Theory and Breast Cancer: An Exploration of the Impact of the Sick Role on Women with Breast Cancer. (Doctoral Dissertation, University of Pennsylvania, 2001, 185 pages). Dissertation Abstracts International, DAI-A 62/05, p. 1943. Publication Number: AAT 3015321. ISBN: 0-493-25638-5. Advisor: Peter B. Vaughan, PhD

PUBLICATIONS**Journal Articles: Research, Peer Reviewed** [* indicates data-based]

1. * Wallace LG, **Hirschman KB**, Huang L, Cacchione PZ, Naylor MD. (2023). Hospitalizations, Emergency Department Visits, and Home Health Use Among Older Adults With Sensory Loss. *Journal of Aging and Health*. 2023, (in press). <https://doi.org/10.1177/08982643231176669> PMID: [37207352](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/37207352/)
2. * Massimo L, **Hirschman KB**, Aryal S, Quinn R, Fisher L, Sharkey M, Thomas G, Bowles KH, Riegel B. iCare4Me for FTD: A pilot randomized study to improve self-care in caregivers of persons with frontotemporal degeneration. *Alzheimer’s Dement*. 2023 May 1;9(2):e12381. doi: 10.1002/trc2.12381. PMID: [37143583](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/37143583/).
3. Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB**, Morgan B, McHugh M, Hanlon AL, Ahrens M, McCauley K, Shaid EC, Pauly MV. The Study Protocol to Evaluate Implementation of the Transitional Care Model in Four U.S. Healthcare Systems During the Covid-19 Pandemic. *Archives of Gerontology and Geriatrics*. 2023; 108 (epub, in press). DOI: 10.1016/j.archger.2023.104944 PMID: [36709563](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/36709563/)
4. * Goldman AS, Abbott KM, Huang L, Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB**. Changes in Tangible Social Support Over Time Among Older Adults Receiving Long-Term Services and Supports. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*. 2023;42(5):981-991. doi: 10.1177/07334648221150966. PMID: [36650926](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/36650926/).
5. * Clason C, Sterner-Stein K, **Hirschman KB**, Barg FK, Riegel B. Developing Effective Health Coaches: Experience Gained in a Clinical Trial of a Health Coach Intervention. *Patient Education and Counseling*. 2022; (in press, epub). doi:10.1016/j.pec.2022.107592. PMID: [36516655](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/36516655/)
6. * Rivera E, Clark-Cutaia MN, Schrauben SJ, Townsend RR, Lash JP, Hannan M, Jaar BG, Rincon-Choles H, Kansal S, He J, Chen J, **Hirschman KB**. Treatment Adherence in CKD and Support From Health care Providers: A Qualitative Study. *Kidney Medicine*. 2022; 4(11): epub <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.xkme.2022.100545> PMID: [36339664](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/36339664/)
7. * **Hirschman KB**, Rivera E, Sefcik JS, McCauley K, Hanlon AL, Pauly MV, Press MJ, Naylor MD. Older Adult and Family Caregiver Perspectives on Engagement in Primary Care. *Journal of Gerontological Nursing*. 2022; 48(11):7-13. doi: 10.3928/00989134-20221003-02. Epub 2022 Nov 1. PMID: [36286501](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/36286501/).
8. * Rivera E, Levoy K, Clark-Cutaia MN, Schrauben S, Townsend RR, Rahman M, Lash J, Saunders M, Frazier R, Rincon-Choles H, **Hirschman KB**. Content Validity Assessment of the Revised Illness Perception

- Questionnaire in CKD Using Qualitative Methods. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*. 2022; 19: epub. doi: <https://doi.org/103390/ijerph19148654>. PMID: [3588650](#)
9. * Levoy K, Rivera E, **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon AL, Naylor MD. Caregiver Engagement Enhances Outcomes among Randomized Control Trials of Transitional Care Interventions: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis. *Medical Care*. 2022; 60(7): 519-529. PMID: [35679175](#)
 10. O'Connor M, Kennedy EE, **Hirschman KB**, Mikkelsen MK, Deb P, Ryvicker M, Hodgson NA, Barron Y, Stawnychy SA, Garren PA, Bowles KH. Improving Transitions and Outcomes of Sepsis Survivors (I-TRANSFER): A Type 1 Hybrid Protocol. *BMC Palliative Care*. 2022; Jun 2; 21(1): epub. doi: 10.1186/s12904-022-00973-w. PMID: [35655168](#)
 11. * Sefcik JS, Petrovsky DV, Huang L, Behrens L, Naylor MD, Hodgson NA, **Hirschman KB**. Predictors of change over time in satisfaction with outdoor activity ratings among long-term care services and supports recipients. *Geriatric Nursing*. 2022; 45:153-159. doi: 10.1016/j.gerinurse.2022.03.007. Epub 2022 Apr 23. PMID: [3547275](#)
 12. * Hanlon AL, Pauly MV, Huang L, Lozano AJ, **Hirschman, KB**. PhD, McCauley, K, Press M, Naylor MD. Medical Complexity Mediates Healthcare Resource Use in the Socially Vulnerable. *Journal of Healthcare Management*. 2022. 67(3):173-191 doi: 10.1097/JHM-D-21-00072. PMID: [35576444](#)
 13. Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB**, McCauley K, Shaid E, Whitehouse C, Ghosh A, Sullivan B, Brown R, Pauly MV. MIRROR-TCM: Multisite replication of a randomized controlled trial - Transitional Care Model. *Contemporary Clinical Trials*. 2022; 112 (in press) doi: 10.1016/j.cct.2021.106620. PMID: [34785306](#)
 14. * Travers JL, **Hirschman KB**, Naylor MD. Older adults' goals and expectations when using long-term services and supports. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*. 2022, 41(3):709-717. DOI: 10.1177/07334648211033671. PMID: [34315240](#)
 15. Magan KC, **Hirschman KB**, Starr LT, Meghani SH. Longitudinal Trajectories and Correlates of Post-Caregiving Depressive Symptoms in Former Caregivers of Persons With Alzheimer's Disease or A Related Dementia. *American Journal of Hospice and Palliative Care*. 2022; 39(6):725-736. doi: 10.1177/10499091211042836. PMID: [34477008](#).
 16. *Sorra J, Zebrak K, Carpenter D, Famolaro T, Rauch J, Li J, Davis T, Nguyen HQ, McIntosh M, Mitchell S, **Hirschman KB**, Levine C, Clouser JM, Brock J, Williams MV. Development and psychometric properties of surveys to assess patient and family caregiver experience with care transitions. *BMC Health Services Research*. 2021;21(1):785-799. doi: 10.1186/s12913-021-06766-w. PMID: [34372847](#)
 17. *Johnson MC, Liu H, Sorra J, Brock J, Gass B, Li J, Clouser JM, **Hirschman K**, Carpenter D, Nguyen HQ, Williams MV. Development and psychometric properties of surveys to assess provider perspectives on the barriers and facilitators of effective care transitions. *BMC Health Services Research*. 2021; 21(1):478-490. doi: 10.1186/s12913-021-06369-5. PMID: [34016113](#)
 18. * Rivera E, **Hirschman KB**, Naylor MD. Reported needs and depressive symptoms among older adults entering long-term services and supports. *Innovations in Aging*. 2020; 4(3): (eCollection). DOI: /10.1093/geroni/igaa021. PMID: [32685704](#)
 19. * Sefcik JS, **Hirschman KB**, Petrovsky DV, Hodgson NA, Naylor MD. Satisfaction with outdoor activities among northeastern U.S. long-term services and supports recipients. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*. 2021; 40(6): 590-597. DOI: 10.1177/0733464820933774. PMID: [32608313](#)
 20. * **Hirschman KB**, Bowles KH, Garcia-Gonzalez L, Shepard B, Walser TJ, Thomas GL, Stawnychy MA, Riegel B. Lessons learned from the implementation of a video health coaching technology intervention to improve self-care of family caregivers of adults with heart failure. *Research in Nursing and Health*. 2021; 44(1): 250-259. DOI: 10.1002/nur.22100. PMID: [33341950](#)
 21. *Khan TS, **Hirschman KB**, McHugh MD, Naylor MD. Self-efficacy of family caregivers of older adults with cognitive impairment: A concept analysis. *Nursing Forum*. 2021; 56(1): 112-126. DOI: 10.1111/nuf.12499. PMID: [32888197](#)
 22. * Travers JL, **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon AL, Huang L, Naylor MD. Factors associated with perceived worsened physical health among older adults who are newly enrolled long-term services and supports recipients. *INQUIRY: The Journal of Health Care Organization, Provision, and Financing*. 2020; 57: 1-10. DOI: 10.1177/0046958019900835. PMID: [31994424](#)
 23. Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB**, McCauley K. Meeting the transitional care needs of older adults with COVID-19. *Journal of Aging & Social Policy*. 2020; 32(4-5): 387-395. DOI: 10.1080/08959420.2020.1773189. PMID: [32476586](#)
 24. Corey Magan K, McCurry MK, Sethares KA, Bourbonniere M, Meghani SH, **Hirschman KB**. The Post-Caregiving Health Model: A theoretical framework for understanding the health of former family caregivers of persons with dementia. *ANS Advanced Nursing Science*. 2020; 43(4): 292-305. DOI: 10.1097/ANS.000000000000316. PMID: [32427606](#)
 25. * Petrovsky D, **Hirschman KB**, Varrasse McPhillips M, Sefcik J, Hanlon A, Huang L, Brewster G, Hodgson NA, Naylor M. Predictors of change over time in subjective daytime sleepiness among older adult recipients of

- long-term services and supports. *International Psychogeriatrics*. 2020; 32(7): 849-861. DOI: 10.1017/S1041610220000782. PMID: [32524932](#)
26. * **Hirschman KB**, Toles MP, Hanlon AL, Huang L, Naylor MD. What predicts health care transitions for older adults following introduction of LTSS? *Journal of Applied Gerontology*. 2020; 39(7): 702-711. DOI: 10.1177/0733464819833565. PMID: [30819004](#)
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 28. * Travers JL, **Hirschman KB**, Naylor MD. Adapting Andersen's expanded behavioral model of health services use to include older adults receiving long-term services and supports. *BMC Geriatrics*. 2020; 20(1): 26 double spaced pages (e-pub open access). DOI 10.1186/s12877-019-1405-7 PMID: [32059643](#)
 29. * Corey KL, McCurry MK, Sethares KA, Bourbonniere M, **Hirschman KB**, Meghani SH. Predictors of psychological distress and sleep quality in former family caregivers of people with dementia. *Aging & Mental Health*. 2020; 24(2): 233-241. DOI: 10.1080/13607863.2018.1531375. PMID: [30588830](#)
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 31. * Vega A & **Hirschman KB**. The reasons older immigrants in the United States of America report for returning to Mexico. *Ageing & Society*. 2019; 39(4): 722-748. DOI: 10.1017/S0144686X17001155 PMID: [31768083](#)
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 37. * Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB**, Toles MP, Jarrin OF, Shaid E, Pauly MV. Adaptations of the evidence-based Transitional Care Model in the U.S. *Social Science & Medicine*. 2018; 213:28-36. DOI: 10.1016/j.socscimed.2018.07.023. PMID: [30055423](#)
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 41. * Miller RK, Keddem S, Katz S, Whitehouse CR, **Hirschman KB**, Johnson J. Intern transitions of care curriculum through posthospital home and skilled nursing facility visits. *Journal of Graduate Medical Education*. 2018;10(4): 442-448. DOI: 10.4300/JGME-17-00499.1. PMID: [30154977](#)
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 43. * Mitchell SE, Laurens V, Weigel GM, **Hirschman KB**, Scott AM, Nguyen HQ, Martin Howard J, Laird L, Levine C, Davis TC, Gass B, Shaid E, Li J, Williams MV, Jack BW. Experiencing care transitions from the patient and caregiver perspective. *Annals of Family Medicine*. 2018; 16(3): 225-231. DOI: 10.1370/afm.2222. PMID: [29760026](#)
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- intensity planning for newly admitted patients: A qualitative descriptive study. *Home Health Care Services Quarterly*. 2018; 37(3): 211-231. DOI: 10.1080/01621424.2018.1456997. PMID: [29578844](#)
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3. **Hirschman KB**. (Invited). Creating New Knowledge: Palliative Care Research. The Omaha System International Conference. Eagan, MN. April 5, 2013.
4. **Hirschman KB**, Naylor MD. (Invited). Transitional Care Model for Cognitively Impaired Elders. Translating Innovation to Impact: Evidence-based interventions to support people with Alzheimer's disease and their

- caregivers at home and in the community. Administration on Aging and Alliance for Aging Research. Washington, DC. June 28, 2011.
5. **Hirschman KB.** (Keynote Speaker). Evidence Based Tools to Assess for Cognitive Impairment. Beatrice M. Renfield Lecture, Visiting Nurse Service of New York. New York, NY. May 16, 2012.
 6. **Hirschman KB.** (Invited). Data Analysis in Qualitative Research. (N813 Qualitative Empirical Nursing Research), School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. Course Director: Janet A. Deatrck, PhD, FAAN. November 13, 2011.
 7. Bowles KH, Mattio S, **Hirschman K,** & Naylor MD. (Invited) Problems and Symptoms of Cognitively Impaired Elders Associated with Caregiver Burden. The Omaha System International Conference. Eagan, MN. April 6, 2011.
 8. Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB,** Bixby MB. (Invited). Understanding Transitional Care. Sussex County Department of Human Services. Newton, NJ. February 8, 2011.
 9. **Hirschman KB.** (Invited). Data Analysis in Qualitative Research. (N813 Qualitative Empirical Nursing Research), School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. Course Director: Janet A. Deatrck, PhD, FAAN. November 10, 2010.
 10. **Hirschman KB.** (Keynote Speaker). Enhancing transition in care for persons with dementia and their family. Changing Perspectives in Elder Care. Alzheimer's Association - Greater Pennsylvania Chapter. Wilkes-Barre, PA. November 4, 2010.
 11. **Hirschman KB.** (Invited). Data Collection I: Sampling. 2nd Annual Nursing Research Fellowship Program. Main Line Health System. Lankenau Hospital, Philadelphia, PA. May 12, 2010.
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 13. **Hirschman KB.** (Invited). Palliative care and dementia. Penn Future of Hospice & Palliative Care Conference. Philadelphia, PA. March 24, 2010.
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 15. **Hirschman KB.** (Invited). I've written my Advance Medical Directive: What comes next? Waverly Heights, Gladwyne, PA. November, 19, 2008.
 16. **Hirschman KB.** (Invited). Data Analysis in Qualitative Research: Method "specific" guidelines. (N813 Qualitative Empirical Nursing Research), School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. Course Director: Janet A. Deatrck, PhD, FAAN. November 12, 2008.

Paper Presentations (ALL data-based)

1. Osokpo OH, Iroegbu C, Lewis LM, Huang L, **Hirschman, K,** Naylor MD, Riegel BJ. (2022). Higher Social Vulnerability is Associated With Lower Self-Care Monitoring in African Immigrants With Chronic Disease. *Circulation*. American Heart Association's 2022 Scientific Sessions. November 2022.
2. Osokpo OH, Iroegbu C, Lewis LM, Huang L, **Hirschman, K,** Naylor MD, Riegel BJ. Strong African Immigrant Social Network Influences Self-Care of African Immigrants With Chronic Illness. *Circulation*. (2022). American Heart Association's 2022 Scientific Sessions. November 2022.
3. **Hirschman KB,** Morgan B, McHugh M, West J, Hanlon AL, McCauley K, Shaid EC, Pauly MV, Naylor MD. The Impact of COVID-19 on MIRROR-TCM Intervention Fidelity. AcademyHealth 2022 Annual Research Meeting, June 4, 2022.
4. Riegel B, **Hirschman K.** Self-care theory and translation to intervention. The Gerontological Society of America's 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2021. [online due to COVID-19].
5. Levoy K, Rivera E, McHugh, Hanlon A, **Hirschman K,** Naylor M. The moderating effect of caregiver engagement in transitional care intervention outcomes: a meta-analysis. The Gerontological Society of America's 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2021. [online due to COVID-19].
6. Naylor M, **Hirschman K,** Morgan B, McHugh M, Shaid E, McCauley K, Whitehouse C, Pauly M. Challenges and strategies to maintain fidelity to the MIRROR-TCM intervention during the COVID-19 pandemic. The Gerontological Society of America's 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2021. [online due to COVID-19].
7. Carpenter, B (Chair), **Hirschman KB** (Discussant). Advance care planning in the context of COVID-19: Complexities across a range of constituents. The Gerontological Society of America's 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2021. [online due to COVID-19].
8. Rivera E, **Hirschman KB,** Townsend R. Characterizing illness perception phenotypes in older adults with chronic kidney disease The Gerontological Society of America's 71st Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2020. [online due to COVID-19].

9. Demiris G, **Hirschman K**. (Discussant). Caregiver-centered communication: Engaging family caregivers. The Gerontological Society of America's 71st Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2020. [online due to COVID-19].
10. Riegel B, **Hirschman K**, Thomas G, Shepard B, Walser T, Stawnychy M, Bowels K, Garcia L. Challenges using technology in a health coaching intervention, early lessons learned. The Gerontological Society of America's 71st Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2020. [online due to COVID-19].
11. Rivera E, **Hirschman K**, Naylor MD, Sefcik J, McCauley K, Hanlon A, Pauly M, Press M. Patient and Caregivers' Perspectives on Engagement in Primary Care. 32nd Eastern Nursing Research Society Annual Scientific Meeting. [cancelled due to COVID-19].
12. Cook C, Clouser J, Adu A, Vundi N, Li J, **Hirschman K**, McIntosh M, Williams M. It takes (At Least) two: Partnerships and collaborations in transitional care. 12th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health (D&I), National Institutes of Health (NIH) and AcademyHealth, Arlington, VA. December 4, 2019
13. Rivera E, **Hirschman K**, Naylor M. Quality of life and perceived needs among older adults receiving long-term services and supports. 2019 The Gerontological Society of America's 70th Annual Scientific Meeting. Austin, TX. November 17, 2019.
14. Sefcik JS, **Hirschman K**, Petrovsky DV, Hodgson N, Naylor M. Satisfaction with outdoor activities among long-term services and supports recipients. The Gerontological Society of America's 70th Annual Scientific Meeting. Austin, TX. November 15, 2019.
15. Demiris G, **Hirschman K**. Innovative strategies to support older adults and their families in hospice and palliative care. The Gerontological Society of America's 70th Annual Scientific Meeting. Austin, TX. November 14, 2019.
16. Corey KL, **Hirschman K**, Starr LT, Meghani SH. Trajectories and correlates of post-loss depressive symptoms in former dementia caregivers. The Gerontological Society of America's 70th Annual Scientific Meeting. Austin, TX. November 13, 2019.
17. Petrovsky DV, **Hirschman KB**, Brewster G, Hanlon AL, Huang L, McPhillips MV, Hodgson NA, Naylor MD. Changes over time in daytime sleepiness among older adults receiving long-term services and supports. *Innovations in Aging*. 2019. The Gerontological Society of America's 70th Annual Scientific Meeting. Austin, TX. November 13, 2019.
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25. **Hirschman KB**, Toles MP, Hanlon AL, Daly BK, Naylor MD. What Predicts Transitions in Care for Older Adults New to Long-Term Services and Supports? 21st International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics (IAGG) World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics. San Francisco, CA. July 25, 2017.
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29. **Hirschman KB**, Toles MP, Jarrin O, Shaid E, Pauly M, Naylor MD. Phase I: A Quantitative Evaluation of Adaptations of the Transitional Care Model. 21st International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics (IAGG) World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics. San Francisco, CA. July 23, 2017.
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32. **Hirschman KB**, Pauly MV, Hanlon AL, Huang L, Bowles KH, Bradway C, McCauley K, Naylor MD. Cost Impact of the Transitional Care Model for Hospitalized Cognitively Impaired Older Adults. AcademyHealth's Annual Research Meeting. New Orleans, LA. June 26, 2017.
33. Chase J, **Hirschman K**, Hanlon A, Huang L, Bowles K, Naylor M. Determinants of Physical Function Among Older Adults New to Long-term Services and Supports. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 20, 2016.
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35. **Hirschman K**, Vega A, Hanlon A, Bradway C, Bowles K, McCauley K, Pauly M, Naylor M. A Reducing Caregiver Burden among Caregivers of Cognitively Impaired Older Adults Post Hospitalization. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 17, 2016.
36. **Hirschman K**, Berkman CS. Advance Care Planning Among Older Adults: Predictors and Patterns. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. Orlando, FL. November 22, 2015.
37. Berkman CS, **Hirschman K**, Horgas A. Education in Palliative and Hospice Care: Contributions to Professional Development. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. Orlando, FL. November 19, 2015.
38. MacKenzie MA, **Hirschman K**, Coburn K, Marcantonio SA, Hanlon A, Mauer E, Ulrich C. End of Life Health Care Utilization Patterns in Chronically Ill Aging Adults. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. Orlando, FL. November 19, 2015.
39. Van Cleave JH, Egleston BL, Abbott K, **Hirschman KB**, Rao A, Meghani SH, Naylor MD. Use of Short-Term Skilled Nursing Stays by Older Adults Living With Cancer as One of Multiple Chronic Conditions. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. Orlando, FL. November 18, 2015.
40. **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon AL, Naylor MD. Pain among new long-term services and support recipients over time. The Gerontological Society of America's 67th Annual Scientific Meeting. Washington, DC. November 6, 2014.
41. **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon AL, Davies J, Bixby MB, Bowles KH, Bradway C, McCauley K, Naylor MD. Experience with Care: The Transitional Care Model for Hospitalized Cognitively Impaired Older Adults. The Gerontological Society of America's 67th Annual Scientific Meeting. Washington, DC. November 7, 2014.
42. **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon AL, Bowles KH, Naylor MD. Does the percentage of palliative care interventions impact burden or quality of life in hospitalized cognitively impaired patients and their family caregivers? The Gerontological Society of America's 66th Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 22, 2013.
43. Naylor MD, Bowles KH, Foust JB, Abbott K, **Hirschman KB**, Zubritsky C. Conceptualization and Design of Health Related Quality of Life among Long-term Services and Support Recipients. (Symposium: *Health Related Quality of Life among Long-term Services and Support Recipients: A Longitudinal Analysis*) The Gerontological Society of America's 65th Annual Scientific Meeting. San Diego, CA. November 18, 2012.
44. **Hirschman KB**, Shah S, Bowles KH, Naylor MD. Changes in Physical Health and Quality of Life: Two Key Health Related Quality of Life Domains. (Symposium: *Health Related Quality of Life among Long-term Services and Support Recipients: A Longitudinal Analysis*) The Gerontological Society of America's 65th Annual Scientific Meeting. San Diego, CA. November 18, 2012.
45. Steis MR, Evans L, **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon A, Fick DM, Flanagan N, Inouye SK. Validation of the Family Confusion Assessment Method (FAM-CAM). The Gerontological Society of America's 64th Annual Scientific Meeting. San Diego, CA. November 17, 2012.
46. **Hirschman KB**, Shankar KN, Hanlon A, Naylor MD. Burden among Caregivers of Hospitalized Older Adults with Cognitive Impairment. The Gerontological Society of America's 64th Annual Scientific Meeting. San Diego, CA. November 16, 2012.
47. **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon A Relationships between Dementia Severity and Patient Participation in Medical Care Decisions during a Hospitalization. (Alzheimer's Disease Interest Group Symposium: *Understanding Decision-Making in Dementia*) The Gerontological Society of America's 64th Annual Scientific Meeting. San Diego, CA. November 15, 2012.

48. **Hirschman KB**, Naylor MD, Hanlon AL, Bowles KH, Bradway C, McCauley KM. Improving Transitions in Care from the Hospital to Home for Cognitively Impaired Adults and their Family Caregivers. 5th Annual NIH Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation. March 20, 2012.
49. **Hirschman KB**, Abbott K, Hanlon AL, Naylor MD. Palliative Care Needs of Cognitively Impaired Patients at the Start of an Acute Care Episode. The Gerontological Society of America's 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting. Boston, MA. November 19, 2011.
50. Van Cleave JH, Abbott K, **Hirschman KB**, Naylor MD. Health Care Utilization By Patients With Cancer Newly Enrolled in Long Term Care. The Gerontological Society of America's 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting. Boston, MA. November 18, 2011.
51. Bixby MB, **Hirschman KB**, Bowles KH, Bradway CW, McCauley KM, Naylor MD. Transitional Care Needs of Hospitalized Cognitively Impaired (CI) Adults and their Family Caregivers. Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association, Annual Educational Conference & Business Meeting, Washington, DC. September 16, 2011.
52. **Hirschman KB**, Bixby MB, McPartland E, Bowles KH, Bradway C, McCauley KM, Naylor MD. Transitional Care from Hospital to Home: Cognitively Impaired Older Adults and Their Family Caregivers. (Symposium: *Transitioning to Home Care: Health and Functional Status Challenges and Solutions*). The Gerontological Society of America's 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 23, 2010.
53. **Hirschman KB**, Bowles KH, Bixby MB, Panzer S, Naylor MD. Transitions of Frail Elders To and From Hospitals: The Health Care Provider's Perspective. (Symposium: *Exploring the Transitions of Long-term Care Recipients*). The Gerontological Society of America's 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 23, 2010.
54. **Hirschman KB**, Corcoran AM, Panzer S, Kapo JM, Casarett DJ. Perception of Palliative Care Needs of Nursing Home Residents with Advanced Dementia. (Symposium: *End-of-life Care: Preferences, Needs and Services*). The Gerontological Society of America's 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 21, 2010.
55. Naylor MD, Abbott KM, Hanlon AL, **Hirschman KB**, Prvu Bettger J, Zubritsky C, Foust J, Bowles KH. Changes in health and quality of life among diverse elderly recipients of long term care. The Gerontological Society of America's 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 20, 2010.
56. **Hirschman KB**, Bradway C, Bowles KH, Ha BO, Williams TV, Naylor MD. Challenges in Research Recruitment of Hospitalized Older Adults with Cognitive Impairment. The Gerontological Society of America's 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 20, 2010.
57. Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon AL, Bowles KH, Bradway C, McCauley KM. Enhancing Care Coordination for Cognitively Impaired Older Adults and Their Family Caregivers. (Symposium: *Nursing Care of Older Adults Interest Group Symposium: Research and Practice Innovations in Transitions of Care*). The Gerontological Society of America's 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 20, 2010.
58. Van Cleave JH, **Hirschman KB**, Snyder J, Lechtenberg L, Naylor MD. Chronic Illnesses and Health Care Utilization of Elders Newly Enrolled in Long-Term Care. (Paper) 2010 State of the Science Congress on Nursing Research. Washington, DC. September 28, 2010.
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60. Bowles KH, **Hirschman KB**, Bixby MB, McPartland E, Kapustka H, Naylor MD. Meaningful Use of Electronic Data from the Omaha System. (Symposium - *Enhancing Transitional Care for Cognitively Impaired Older Adults and Their Family Caregivers* - Paper Presentation). 2010 State of the Science Congress on Nursing Research. Washington, DC. September 27, 2010.
61. Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB**, Bowles KH, McCauley K, Bradway C, Clark C, Schwartz JS. Hospitalized Elders with Cognitive Impairment and their Families. The 61st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. National Harbor, MD. November 24, 2008.
62. Naylor MD, Bowles KH, **Hirschman KB**, Abbott KM. Similarities and Differences of HRQoL Among Elder in LTC. (Symposium). The 61st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. National Harbor, MD. November 24, 2008.
63. Bixby MB, **Hirschman KB**, McCauley K, McPartland E, Morrissey J, & Naylor MD. Quality Cost Model of Advanced Practice Nurse Transitional Care. AtlanticCare 5th Annual Nursing Research Day. Atlantic City, NJ. April 11, 2008.
64. **Hirschman KB**, Kapo JM, & Karlawish JHT. What do Family Members of Persons with Dementia see as the Barriers and Facilitators to Planning for the Future? 58th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Orlando, FL. November 20, 2005.

65. **Hirschman KB**, Kapo JM, Stanley L, & Kriebel MC. Are Patients Participating in Advance Care Planning Discussions and the Decision to Enroll in Hospice? 58th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Orlando, FL. November 19, 2005.
66. Bressi SK, Lewis B, Strumpf N, **Hirschman KB**, & Casarett DJ. A Place Called L.I.F.E.: Reframing Advanced Care Planning for Frail Elderly African Americans. 9th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research. Miami, FL. January 2005.
67. **Hirschman KB**, James BD, Joyce CM, Casarett DJ, & Karlawish JH. Do Alzheimer's Disease patients want to participate in treatment decisions and, even if they do, will their family let them? (Paper Presentation). 57th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Washington, DC. November 2004.
68. **Hirschman KB**, Kapo J, & Karlawish JHT. What factors impact caregivers' ability to exercise substituted judgment surrounding medical decisions for dementia patients? (Paper Presentation). 57th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Washington, DC. November 2004.
69. Lewis B, Keating S, **Hirschman KB**, & Bourjolly JN. The interdisciplinary research team: Facilitators and barriers to effective collaboration. (Symposium - Paper Presentation). 57th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Washington, DC. November 2004.
70. **Hirschman KB**, James BD, Joyce CM, Casarett DJ, & Karlawish JH. Do Alzheimer's Disease patients want to participate in an AD treatment decision and will their family let them? (Paper Presentation). 9th International Conference on Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders, Philadelphia, PA. July 2004.
71. **Hirschman KB** & Bourjolly JN. How do tangible supports impact the breast cancer experience? (Paper Presentation). 4th International Conference of Social Work in Health and Mental Health, Quebec, Canada. May 2004.
72. **Hirschman KB**, Xie S, Feudtner C, & Karlawish JHT. How does an Alzheimer's Disease patients' role in medical decision-making change over time? (Symposium - Paper Presentation). 56th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Diego, CA. November 2003.
73. Karlawish JHT, Joyce CM, **Hirschman KB**, James BD, & Casarett DJ, Xie SX. Why do caregivers not involve their relatives in a decision to treat Alzheimer's disease? (Symposium - Paper Presentation). 56th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Diego, CA. November 2003.
74. Joyce CM, **Hirschman KB**, James BD, Casarett DJ, Xie SX, & Karlawish JHT. How do caregivers resolve disagreements with patients in a decision to treat Alzheimer's disease? (Symposium - Paper Presentation). 56th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Diego, CA. November 2003.
75. Casarett DJ, Crowley R, & **Hirschman KB**. "If only we had known": What should clinicians tell patients and families about hospice? (Symposium - Paper Presentation). 56th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Diego, CA. November 2003.
76. Bourjolly JN, **Hirschman KB**, & Zeiber, N. A systems perspective on the impact of changes in the U.S. health care system for women with breast cancer. (Paper presentation). Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences. Honolulu, HI. June 2003.
77. Casarett DJ, **Hirschman KB**, Crowley R, Galbraith L, & Leo M. Caregivers' satisfaction with hospice care in the last 24 hours of life. (Paper Presentation). 7th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research. Washington, DC. January 2003.
78. Casarett D, **Hirschman K**, & Crowley R. Does the timing of bereavement surveys matter? Results of a randomized controlled trial. (Paper presentation). American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine, Palm Springs, January 2002.
79. Casarett D, **Hirschman K**, & Crowley R. How do patients and families think that physicians should discuss palliative care and hospice: results of a nationwide survey. (Paper presentation). American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine, Palm Springs, January 2002.
80. Casarett DJ & **Hirschman KB**. Why do patients with advanced cancer enroll in research? (Paper presentation). American Society for Bioethics and Humanities 4th Annual Meeting, Nashville, October 2001.
81. Bourjolly JN & **Hirschman KB**. Similarities in coping strategies but differences in sources of support: African American and white women's coping with breast cancer. (Poster Presentation). International Conference on Social Work Health and Mental Health, Tampere, Finland, July 2001.

Poster Presentations (ALL data-based)

1. Fisher L, Massimo L, **Hirschman K**. Health coaching for dementia caregivers: lessons learned from the iCare4Me study. *Innovation in Aging*. The Gerontological Society of America's 73rd Annual Scientific Meeting, November 2022.
2. McHugh M, **Hirschman K**, Morgan B, Ahrens M, Hanlon A, Osokpo O, Naylor, M. (2022). Lessons from the implementation of the transitional care model during the COVID-19 pandemic. The Gerontological Society of America's 73rd Annual Scientific Meeting, November 2022.

3. Wallace L, **Hirschman K**, Naylor M, Cacchione P. Hospital, emergency department, and home health use in older adults with sensory impairment. The Gerontological Society of America's 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2021. [online due to COVID-19].
4. Sefcik J, **Hirschman K**, Petrovsky D, Huang L, Hodgson N, Behrens L, Naylor M. Satisfaction with outdoor activities over time among long-term services and supports recipients. The Gerontological Society of America's 71st Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2020. [online due to COVID-19].
5. Khan TS, **Hirschman KB**, McHugh MD, Naylor MD. Self-efficacy of family caregivers of older adults with cognitive impairment: A concept analysis. The Gerontological Society of America's 71st Annual Scientific Meeting. November 2020. [online due to COVID-19].
6. Rivera E, **Hirschman KB**, Sefcik JS, McCauley K, Hanlon AL, Pauly MV, Press M, Naylor, MD. Patient and Caregivers' Perspectives on Engagement in Primary Care. 2020 Health Care Systems Research Network Conference Annual Scientific Meeting. Poster. April 2020. [cancelled due to COVID-19]
7. Hwang Y, Hodgson N, Sefcik J, Boateng A, Rajpara A, Foley K, **Hirschman K**. Association between support and anxiety in older adults new to long-term services and supports. The Gerontological Society of America's 70th Annual Scientific Meeting. Austin, TX. November 13, 2019.
8. Travers J, **Hirschman K**, Naylor M. Long-term services and supports use (LTSS): Adapting a conceptual model to include older adults receiving LTSS The Gerontological Society of America's 69th Annual Scientific Meeting. Boston, MA. November 17, 2018.
9. Travers J, **Hirschman KB**, Hanlon AL, Liming H, Naylor MD. Understanding Factors Associated with Perceived Health Among Older Adults Who Are Newly Enrolled Long-Term Services and Supports (LTSS) Recipients. AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, 2017.
10. **Hirschman K**, Shaid E, Hanlon A, Naylor M. Goal Setting and Attainment among Chronically Ill Older Adults. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. Orlando, FL. November 21, 2015.
11. Abbott K, **Hirschman K**, Hanlon A, Zubritsky C, Naylor MD. Change Over Time in Social Support Among Older Adults Receiving Long-Term Services and Supports. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. Orlando, FL. November 20, 2015.
12. **Hirschman K**, Toles M, Shaid E, O Jarrin, Pauly M, Naylor MD. Adaptations of the Transitional Care Model. The Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting. Orlando, FL. November 19, 2015.
13. Brant JM, **Hirschman K**, Jacobsen P, Stricker C. Electronic PRO-Generated Supportive Care Planning: Patient Perspectives. Oncology Nursing Society 40th Annual Congress. Orlando, FL. Thursday, April 23, 2015.
14. Naylor MD, **Hirschman KB**, Shaid E, Barg R, Bowles K, Pauly M. Effects of Patient Centered Medical Home plus Transitional Care for complex older adults. The Gerontological Society of America's 67th Annual Scientific Meeting. Washington, DC. November 6, 2014.
15. Kong D, Davitt JK, **Hirschman KB**, Cacchione P, Bourjolly J. Perceptions of Dementia and Dementia Services in Asian Communities. The Gerontological Society of America's 67th Annual Scientific Meeting. Washington, DC. November 5, 2014.
16. Kong D, Cacchione P, Davitt JK, Bourjolly J, **Hirschman KB**. Culturally-based explanations of dementia in Asian Communities: A Systematic Review. The Gerontological Society of America's 66th Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 20, 2013.
17. Van Cleave JH, Egleston BL, Abbott K, **Hirschman KB**, Rao A, Naylor MD. Comparing Disease Burden Measures Among Older Adult Cancer Survivors. The Gerontological Society of America's 66th Annual Scientific Meeting. New Orleans, LA. November 20, 2013.
18. Bixby MB, **Hirschman KB**, Bradway C, Bowles KH, McCauley K, Naylor MD. Transitional Care Needs of Hospitalized Cognitively Impaired Adults and their Family Caregivers. 15th Annual NICHE Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana. March 7-9, 2012.
19. Hanlon A, **Hirschman KB**, Small D, Naylor MD. Using Full Matching to Estimate Causal Effects in a Non-Experimental Study: Effects of a Nursing Intervention on Rehospitalizations of Cognitively Impaired Older Adults. (E-Poster Presentation). American Statistical Association Conference on Statistical Practice 2012. Orlando, FL. February 18, 2012.
20. Bixby MB, **Hirschman KB**, McCauley K, Naylor MD. Transitional Care Needs of Hospitalized Cognitively Impaired (CI) Adults and their Family Caregivers. Sylvan M. Cohen Annual Retreat with Poster Session on Aging, Philadelphia, PA. May 17, 2011.
21. **Hirschman KB**, Abbott K, Naylor M. Hospitalizations among elderly long-term care recipients: Improving transitions. (Poster Presentation) 2011 Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Geriatrics Society. Washington, DC. May 13, 2011.
22. Bixby MB, **Hirschman KB**, Bradway C, Bowles KH, McCauley K, Naylor MD. Transitional Care Needs of Hospitalized Cognitively Impaired (CI) Adults and their Family Caregivers. (Poster Presentation). ARMC 8th Annual Nursing Research Day: Embracing Research for Evidence-Based Nursing Practice. Atlantic City, NJ. April 1, 2011.

23. Corcoran AM, **Hirschman KB**, Panzer S, Casarett DJ. Nursing Home Providers Perception of Palliative Care Needs of Residents with Advanced Dementia. (Poster Presentation). Long Term Care Medicine – 2011: Spring Training for a Winning Team. Tampa , FL. March 24–27, 2011.
24. Towsley G, **Hirschman KB**, Ersek M. Mixed Messages: Nursing Home Resident Preferences About Care At End Of Life. (Poster Presentation). American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine and the Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association 2011 Annual Assembly. Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. February 16-19, 2011.
25. Van Cleave JH, Abbott K, Hanlon A, **Hirschman KB**, Naylor MD. Chronic Illnesses and Health Care Utilization of Elders Newly Enrolled in Long-Term Care. The 9th Annual Postdoctoral Research Symposium. Philadelphia, PA
October 6, 2010.
26. Towsley G, **Hirschman KB**, Ersek M. Mixed Messages: Nursing Home Resident Preferences About Care At End Of Life. (Poster Presentation). The 9th Annual Postdoctoral Research Symposium. Philadelphia, PA
October 6, 2010.
27. **Hirschman KB**, Bradway C, Bowles KH, Ha BO, Williams TV, Naylor MD. Challenges in research recruitment of hospitalized older adults with cognitive impairment. (Poster Presentation). Sylvan M. Cohen Annual Retreat with Poster Session on Aging, Philadelphia, PA. April 28, 2010.
28. Bixby MB, **Hirschman KB**, McPartland E, Bradway C, McCauley K, Bowles KH, Naylor MD. What are the Transitional Care needs of family members of cognitively impaired older adults during an acute episode of illness? (Poster Presentation). Sylvan M. Cohen Annual Retreat with Poster Session on Aging, Philadelphia, PA. April 28, 2010.
29. **Hirschman KB**, Abbott K, Foust JB, Naylor MD. Differences in advance care planning among frail elders in long-term care settings. (Poster Presentation). American Public Health Association (APHA) 137th Annual Meeting and Expo. Philadelphia, PA. November 8, 2009.
30. **Hirschman KB**, Corcoran A, Celi C, Reed R, Casarett D. Nursing home providers perspectives on the palliative care needs of advanced dementia residents & their family caregivers. (Poster Presentation). Sylvan M. Cohen Annual Retreat with Poster Session on Aging, Philadelphia, PA. May 12, 2009.
31. Bixby MB, **Hirschman KB**, McCauley K, McPartland E, Morrissey J, & Naylor MD. Transitional care needs of hospitalized cognitively impaired elders and their caregivers. (Poster Presentation). AtlanticCare 6th Annual Nursing Research Day. Atlantic City, NJ. April 24, 2009.
32. Paik H, Hollander J, **Hirschman K**, Naylor M, Sununu T, McCusker C, Pines J. Relationship between ED location, crowding and test results in older adults screened for cognitive impairment. (Poster Presentation). 2008 Society of Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting. Washington, DC. May 29-June 1, 2008.
33. **Hirschman KB**, Bixby MB, Bowles KH, Bradway C, McCauley K, McPartland E, Morrissey J, Naylor MD. (Poster Presentation) Transitional Care Needs of Hospitalized Cognitively Impaired Adults and Their Family Caregivers. Sylvan M. Cohen Annual Retreat with Poster Session on Aging. Philadelphia, PA. May 6, 2008.
34. **Hirschman KB**, Panzer SL, Karlawish JHK. Advance Care Planning and Dementia. (Poster Presentation). Alzheimer's Association International Conference on Prevention of Dementia. Washington, DC. June 10-11, 2007.
35. **Hirschman KB**, Kapo JM, Panzer SL, Casarett DJ. Family Members Perceptions of Palliative Care Service Needs of Advanced Dementia Patients. (Poster Presentation). Alzheimer's Association International Conference on Prevention of Dementia. Washington, DC. June 10-11, 2007.
36. Lingler JH, Garand L, **Hirschman KB**, Sarles CE, Schulz R, DeKosky ST. Advance Care Planning in Persons with and at Heightened Risk for Decisional Incapacity. (Poster Presentation). 1st Annual Research Poster Day, University of Pittsburgh Institute on Aging, Pittsburgh, PA. October 17, 2006.
37. **Hirschman KB**, Panzer SL, & Karlawish JHT. Advance Care Planning and Dementia: Are Older Adults Planning? (Poster Presentation). Annual Research on Aging at the Institute on Aging, University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia, PA. May 2006.
38. **Hirschman KB**, Kapo J, & Karlawish JHT. What difficult decisions do family members face when a patient reaches the advanced stages of dementia? (Poster Presentation). Annual Research on Aging at the Institute on Aging, University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia, PA. June 2005.
39. **Hirschman KB**, Kapo J, & Karlawish JHT. What are the difficult decisions family members' of dementia patients face in the severe stages of dementia? (Poster Presentation). The American Geriatrics Society Annual Scientific Meeting. Orlando, FL. May 2005.
40. **Hirschman KB**, James B, Joyce CM, Casarett DJ, & Karlawish JHT. Do Alzheimer Disease Patients want to participate in a treatment decision and would their caregivers let them? (Poster Presentation). Annual Research on Aging at the Institute on Aging, University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia, PA. May 2004.
41. Kapo J, Casarett DJ, McCann E, & **Hirschman K**. Are we really referring patients to hospice too soon? (2nd Place for Poster Presentation). Annual Research on Aging at the Institute on Aging, University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia, PA. May 2004.

42. **Hirschman KB**, Shea JA, Xie SX, & Karlawish JHT. The development of a rapid screen for burden of caregivers of Alzheimer's Disease patients. (Poster Presentation). The American Geriatrics Society Annual Scientific Meeting. Las Vegas, NV. May 2004.
43. Kapo JM, **Hirschman KB**, Galbraith L, & Casarett DJ. Predictors of death in hospice after initial hospice withdrawal. (Poster Presentation). American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine. Phoenix, AZ. February 2004.
44. **Hirschman KB**, Shea JA, Xie SX, & Karlawish JHT. The development of a rapid screen for caregiver burden. (Honorable Mention for Poster Presentation). 4th Annual Center for Neurodegenerative Disease Research (CNDR) Retreat. Philadelphia, PA. November 2003.
45. **Hirschman KB**, Xie SX, & Karlawish JHT. How does the Alzheimer's Disease patients' role in decision-making change over time? (Poster presentation). Conference on Aging at the Institute on Aging, University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia, PA. May 2003.
46. Collins M, Crowley R, Karlawish J, **Hirschman K**, & Casarett D. Are depressed patients near the end of life more likely to delegate decision making to others? (Poster presentation). Conference on Aging at the Institute on Aging, University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia, PA. May 2003.
47. Casarett D, Crowley R, & **Hirschman K**. If only we had known: What should physicians tell patients and families about hospice? (Poster Presentation). The American Geriatrics Society Annual Scientific Meeting, Baltimore, MD. May 2003.
48. Kapo JM, **Hirschman KB**, Galbraith L, & Casarett DJ. All's well that ends well?: Two studies describing patients who are discharged from hospice. (Poster Presentation) American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine. Orlando, FL. February 2003.
49. **Hirschman KB**, Xie SX, & Karlawish JHT. How does the dementia patients' role in decision-making change over time? (2nd Place Award for Poster Presentation). 3rd Annual Center for Neurodegenerative Disease Research (CNDR) Retreat. Philadelphia, PA. November 2002.
50. Casarett DJ, Takesaka J, Karlawish JHT, **Hirschman KB**, & Clark CM. How should clinicians discuss hospice for patients with dementia? Anticipating caregivers' preconceptions and meeting their information needs. (Presidential Poster presentation). The American Geriatrics Society Annual Scientific Meeting, Washington, DC. May 2002.
51. Casarett D, **Hirschman KB**, Miller E, & Farrar J. Is satisfaction with pain management a valid and reliable quality indicator for use in nursing homes? (Presidential Poster presentation). American Geriatrics Society 2002 Annual Scientific Meeting, Washington, DC. May 2002.
52. Casarett DJ, Karlawish JHT, & **Hirschman KB**. The effect of symptoms on cancer patients' capacity to give consent for research. (Poster presentation). American Geriatrics Society 2002 Annual Scientific Meeting, Washington, DC. May 2002.
53. Bourjolly JN, Barg FK, & **Hirschman KB**. Breast cancer appraisal among African American & white women. (Poster Presentation). 8th Biannual Symposium on Minorities, The Medically Underserved & Cancer. Washington, DC. February 2002.
54. Casarett DJ, **Hirschman KB**, & Henry MR. Does Hospice Have A Role In Nursing Home Care At End-Of-Life? (Poster presentation). The American Geriatrics Society Annual Scientific Meeting, Chicago, May 2001.
55. Casarett DJ, **Hirschman KB**, & Henry MR. Does Hospice Have A Role In Nursing Home Care At End-Of-Life? (Poster presentation). Conference on Aging at the Institute on Aging, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, April 2001.

MEETING/CONFERENCE ORGANIZING ROLES

2019-present	Interest Groups Advisor, Gerontological Society of America
2017-2019	Member, Annual Scientific Meeting Program Committee, Gerontological Society of America
2016-2018	Chair, Interest Group Committee, Gerontological Society of America
2011-2017	Convener for the Hospice, Palliative and End of Life Care Interest Group, Gerontological Society of America

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL & SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

2017-2019	AcademyHealth
2009-2010	American Public Health Association (APHA)
2005-present	Gerontological Society of America (GSA)
2003-2008	Society for Social Work Research (SSWR)
1994-2015	National Association of Social Workers (NASW)

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**National**

- 2015-2016 Advisory Board Member on “Caregivers of Persons with Mental Illness” National Alliance for Caregiving
- 2011-2012 Member, Quality Improvement/Best Practices Workgroup, Long-Term Quality Alliance (LTQA), Washington, DC
- 2008-2012 National Advisory Panel Member, Hartford Partnership Program for Aging Education, New York Academy of Medicine Social Work Leadership Institute

Editorial Board

- 2012-present International Journal of Chronic Disease

Peer Review – Journals (most recent reviews in last 10 years)

- 2023 Implementation Science Communications
- 2023 Journal of Applied Gerontology (JAG)
- 2022 Gerontology & Geriatric Medicine
- 2022 BMC Nursing
- 2022 Palliative Care & Support
- 2022 SSM – Qualitative Research in Health
- 2022 Journal of Aging and Health (JAH)
- 2022 Journal of the American Geriatrics Society (JAGS)
- 2022 HealthCare: The Journal of Delivery Science and Innovation (HJDSI)
- 2021 AJOB Empirical Bioethics
- 2021 Journal of Palliative Medicine (JPM)
- 2021 British Medical Journal – Quality and Safety
- 2020 Clinical Nursing Research
- 2019 Quality in Ageing and Older Adults
- 2019 Journal of General Internal Medicine (JGIM)
- 2019 Journal of the American Medical Director Association (JAMDA)
- 2018 The Gerontologist
- 2018 Western Journal Nursing Research (WJNR)
- 2018 International Psychogeriatrics
- 2018 BMC Health Services Research
- 2017 Journal of Clinical Science and Innovation
- 2017 Journal of Evaluation and Clinical Practice
- 2016 BMC Palliative Care
- 2016 Palliative & Supportive Care
- 2016 Health and Quality of Life Outcome (HQLO)
- 2015 Geriatric Nursing
- 2015 Health Care: The Journal of Delivery Science and Innovation
- 2015 British Medical Journal (BMJ)
- 2014 Health Affairs

Peer Review – Grants

- 2014 Technology Evaluation in the Elderly Network, Networks of Centers of Excellence (Canada)
- 2009-2011 Health Research Board (HRB) (Ireland)
- 2006-2012 Alzheimer’s Association (USA)
- 2006 National Institute for Health Research (UK Department of Health)
- 2006-2016 Institute on Aging, University of Pennsylvania (USA)

Peer Review – Conferences

- 2016 IAGG World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics
- 2010-present Annual Gerontological Society of America Conference

COMMUNITY SERVICE**University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing**

- 2014-present Penn Nursing Graduate Group
- 2011-2017 Member/ Chair, Committee on Research

2010-2016	Associated Faculty, Center for Integrated Science
2010-2012	Member, Web Quality Assurance Council
2009	Member, Taskforce to review the Practice Faculty and Research Faculty Guidelines
2008-2009	Member, Dean’s Taskforce on Mentorship for Associated & Academic Support Staff
2006-2022	Internal Executive Committee Member, Institute on Aging
2006-present	Member, NewCourtland Center for Health and Transitions
2004-2010	Associated Faculty, Hartford Center of Geriatric Nursing Excellence
2004-2006	Member, Transitions Interests Group
2003-2006	Participant, RAND/Hartford Center for Interdisciplinary Geriatrics Health Care Research

Other Schools at University of Pennsylvania

2009-2016	Member, Palliative Care Research Group, Interdisciplinary, University of Pennsylvania
2002-2005	Participant, End-of-Life Research Work Group, School of Medicine
2002-2004	Member, Hartford Geriatric Enrichment Task Force, School of Social Work
1998-2004	Member, Research Sequence Committee, School of Social Work
1997-1999	Graduate Student Representative, Ph.D. Steering Committee, School of Social Work

Board of Directors

2018- present	Agency on Aging on Aging Advisory Council, Bucks County, PA
2013- 2020	Libertae, Bensalem, PA
2013- present	Distributing Dignity, Cherry Hill, NJ
2004- present	Dumack Engineering, Newtown, PA

CLINICAL ACTIVITIES

Masters of Social Work – Field Instructor/Supervision

Korlu Ezike Widener University School of Social Work	9/14/2010-5/20/2011
Cliff Wilson Bryn Mawr College, Graduate School of Social Work and Social Research	9/14/2011-5/20/2012

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW MENTORSHIP

Gail Louise Towsley, PhD, NHA (University of Utah School of Nursing) Conversations about End of Life National Institute of Nursing Research T32NR009356, <i>Individualized Care for At Risk Older Adults</i>	01/01/2010-12/31/2011
Alma Vega, PhD (Kaiser Peremente) University of Pennsylvania, Dean’s Distinguished Postdoctoral Fellow	07/01/2014-06/30/2016
Glenna Brewster, PhD, RN, FNP-BC (Emory University School of Nursing) National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute T32HL07713, <i>Training Program in Respiratory Neurobiology and Sleep</i> , Center for Sleep and Circadian Neurobiology, School of Medicine	07/01/2015-06/30/2017
Jasmine Travers, PhD, AGNP-C, RN CCRN (New York University) National Institute of Nursing Research T32NR009356, <i>Individualized Care for At Risk Older Adults</i>	07/01/2016-06/30/2018
Kristin Corey, PhD, RN, ANP-BC, GNP-BC (University of Rhode Island) National Institute of Nursing Research T32NR009356, <i>Individualized Care for At Risk Older Adults</i>	12/01/2017-11/30/2019
Eleanor Rivera, PhD, RN (University of Illinois – Chicago) National Institute of Nursing Research T32NR009356, <i>Individualized Care for At Risk Older Adults</i>	07/01/2018-06/30/2020
Kristin Levoy, PhD, MSN, RN, OCN, CN National Institute of Nursing Research T32NR009356, <i>Individualized Care for At Risk Older Adults</i>	07/01/2019-06/30/2021
Charlotte Weiss, PhD, RN, ACNP National Institute of Nursing Research T32NR009356, <i>Individualized Care for At Risk Older Adults</i>	07/01/2023-06/30/2024

PRE-DOCTORAL MENTORSHIP

Eeeseung Byun (Nursing Gr'13; Assistant Professor, Washington University) Qualitative Research Advisor (N813), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing <i>Lived Experience of Caregivers of Older Adults with Stroke</i>	2008
Maxim Topaz (Nursing Gr'14; Professor, Columbia University) Qualifying Exam Reviewer, Dissertation Reviewer Title: <i>Developing A Tool To Support Decisions On Patient Prioritization At Admission To Home Health Care</i>	2012, 2014
Meredith MacKenzie Greenle (Nursing, Gr'15; Assistant Professor, Villanova) Qualitative Research Advisor (N813), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing <i>Depression and Sleepiness in Older Adults with Heart Failure</i>	2010
Michael Fachko (Nursing, Gr'12, VAMC, Dallas TX) Research Residency co-advisor - 2010-2011	2010-2011
Dexia Kong (SP2, Gr'18; Assistant Professor, Rutgers University) Qualitative Research Advisor (N813), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing <i>Perceptions, Knowledge, And Management Of Alzheimer's Disease And Other Dementias And Help-Seeking Behaviors In Asian Communities.</i>	2012
Andrew Dierkes (Nursing Gr'18, Assistant Professor, University of Pittsburgh) Nurse Adherence to Policies and Protocols: Do Policy Development and Nursing Identity Make a Difference? Qualitative Research Advisor (N813), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	2016
Elliane Irani (Nursing Gr'17, Assistant Professor, Case Western University) Dissertation Committee Title: <i>Exploring Nurse Decision Making Regarding the Planning and Practice of Visit Intensity Among Home Health Patients</i>	2014 – 2017
Hyejin Kim (Nursing Gr'17, Assistant Professor, Chung-Ang University, Korea) Dissertation Reviewer Title: <i>Exploring Surrogates' Experiences of POLST Discussions for Individuals With Advanced Dementia</i>	2017
Darina Petrovsky (Nursing Gr'17, Assistant Professor, Rutgers University) Dissertation Reviewer Title: <i>The Relationship of Musical Abilities with Cognition And Neurodegenerative Pathology In Older Adults With Mild Cognitive Impairment</i>	2017
Tarik Khan (Nursing Gr'23, State Representative Ward) Qualifying Exam Reviewer, Research Residency advisor, Dissertation Committee Title: <i>Self-efficacy of family caregivers of older adults with cognitive impairment: A conceptual analysis</i>	2018-2023
Yeji Hwang (Nursing Gr'21; Assistant Professor Seoul University) Research study development, Dissertation Reader Title: <i>Social Isolation and Anxiety In Individual With Cognitive Impairment: Secondary Analysis Of A Nationally Representative Sample Of Community Residing Older Adults</i>	2019-2021
Elise Tarbi (Nursing Gr', Postdoctoral Scholar, Harvard University) Qualifying Exam Reviewer and Dissertation Reader Title: <i>Beyond Prognosis Communication: Exploring The Existential Dimensions Of Palliative Care Conversations With Adults With Advanced Cancer</i>	2019-2020
Molly McHugh (Nursing Gr' current) <i>Academic Advisor</i>	2020-present
Marguerite Daus (Nursing Gr'21; Advanced HSR&D Fellow U.S. VA, Colorado) Qualifying Exam Reviewer, Dissertation Reader	2020-2021

Dissertation Title: *The Effect Of Nursing Resources On Older Hispanic* Surgical Patient Readmissions*

Brianna Morgan (Nursing Gr'22; Postdoctoral Scholar, New York University) Dissertation Reader Title: <i>Inner Strength and Influencing Factors In Persons Newly Diagnosed With Mild Cognitive Impairment And Their Family Care Partners</i>	2020-2022
Claire Regan (Nursing Gr' current) Qualifying Exam Reviewer	2022-present
Lauren Fisher (Nursing Gr' current) <i>Academic Advisor</i>	2022-present
Elaine Sang (Nursing Gr' current) Qualifying Exam Reviewer; F31 Co-Sponsor	2022-present

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT MENTORSHIP

Dorothy Dokko (graduated 5/2010, Hillman Honors Student) What is the Impact on Caregiver Burden Post Placement in Long-term Care for Persons with Dementia? Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	1/7/2010-4/30/2010
Jamie-Ann Acero (BSN, graduated 5/2011) What interventions, during an acute care episode, are the most beneficial for the geriatric population in preventing re-admissions to the hospital? Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	1/7/2011-5/13/2011
Brittany Horvath (BSN, graduated 5/2011) Mild Cognitive Impairment and Older Adults Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	1/7/2011-5/13/2011
Evelyn Chin (BSN, graduated 12/2011) Biopsychosocial Effects of Caregiver Burden in Hispanic and Asian Americans Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	9/6/2011-12/17/2011
Skylar Cohen (BSN, graduated 5/2012) How does the quality of life for dementia caregivers differ for dementia caregivers in home settings versus dementia caregivers in long-term care settings? Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	1/7/2012-5/14/2012
Juliana Horn (BSN, graduated 5/2012) Retts Syndrome and Caregiver Burden Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	1/7/2012-5/14/2012
Elizabeth Sutcliffe (BSN, graduated 12/2012) What interventions are being used to help adults with life-limiting illnesses complete advanced directives? Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	9/7/2012-12/18/2012
Lisa Sileo (BSN, graduated 12/2013) Patient Perception of Cardiac Device Deactivation at the End of Life Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	8/23/2013-12/11/2013
Rachel Bobrick (BSN, graduated 12/2013) Evaluating Interventions to Improve the Quality of Life for Informal Caregivers of Adult Cancer Patients Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing	8/23/2013-12/11/2013
Annie Flynn (BSN, graduated 5/2014) How can ethics committees impact the palliative care environment for medically futile patients in the intensive care unit?	1/7/2014-5/11/2014

Senior Inquiry Advisor (N385), University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing

Emily Willis (BSN, graduated 5/2014) 1/7/2014-5/11/2014
Effective Interventions for Geriatric Delirium in Acute Care Settings
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Azucena Villalobos (BSN, graduated 12/2019) 10/2018 – 9/2020
Research assistant

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