Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

2013	BS, Nursing	University of Wisconsin-Madison
2017	PhD, Nursing	University of Wisconsin-Madison

POSTDOCTORAL EXPERIENCE						
2018	National Institute of Health, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities,					
	Health Disparities Research Institute					
2017-2019	Fellowships in Research and Science Teaching Postdoctoral Fellow, Emory University					
2017-2019	Reproductive Health Research in the SouthEast Postdoctoral Fellow, Emory University					

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

2016-	Registered Nurse, Wisconsin, License #RN227/03
2017-	Registered Nurse, Georgia, License #RN273003
2020-	Registered Nurse, Illinois, License #RN502316

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS & EMPLOYMENT

2017-19	Voluntary Faculty	, School of Nursing,	, University of Wisconsin-Madison
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- 2018-19 Instructor, Department of Psychology, Morehouse College
- 2019-Assistant Professor, Department of Human Development Nursing Science, College of Nursing, University of Illinois Chicago
- Affiliate Faculty, Center for Dissemination and Implementation Science, Department of Medicine, 2021-University of Illinois Chicago

SELECTED HONORS AND AWARDS

2016	Rising Star Sigma Theta Tau International, School of Nursing, University of Wisconsin-
	Madison
2017	Commencement Student Speaker, School of Nursing, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2018	Outstanding Qualitative Dissertation Award, Midwest Nursing Research Society
2019	Honors Fellow, Honors College, University of Illinois Chicago
2019	Scholar, Intersectional Qualitative Research Methods Institute, Consortium on Race,
	Gender, and Ethnicity, University of Maryland
2020	Distinguished Abstract, Midwest Nursing Research Society
2020-2022	Affiliate Scholar, KL2 Clinical and Translational Science Award, University of Illinois
	Chicago

- 2020-2022 Affiliate Scholar, Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health, College of Medicine, University of Illinois Chicago
- 2023-2024 OpEd/Public Voices Fellowship, sponsored by the University of Illinois System

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

2016 Grounded Theory Workshop, School of Nursing, University of Wisconsin-Madison 2017 Women and Leadership in Medicine, Science, and Engineering, University of Wisconsin-Madison 2017 Consultant for Sex-Positive HIV/STD Prevention Campaign, Detroit Health Department 2018 Postdoctoral Student Shadow Search Committee, Behavioral Sciences and Health Education, **Emory University** 2018 K-Club, Emory University, Department of Pediatrics and Department of Medicine, Georgia Clinical & Translational Science Alliance and Emory Center for AIDS Research 2018 NIH K Award Tutorial, Office of Postdoctoral Education, Emory University Selling your Work without Selling your Soul: Clear and Persuasive Grant Writing, University 2019 of Illinois Chicago 2019 NIH Biosketch Seminar, Office of Postdoctoral Education, Emory University 2019 NIH Specific Aims Seminar, Office of Postdoctoral Education, Emory University 2020 Tips for Academic Leadership in Challenging Times, Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health Webinar Series Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health Annual Meeting 2021 2021 National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity Faculty Success Program 2023 Quirkos Qualitative Analysis Software Training, University of Illinois Chicago 2023 NIH Office of AIDS Research Workshop for Early Career Investigators in HIV/AIDS, National Institutes of Health

SPONSORED RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Submission Date	Role	PI Name	Agency	Title of Proposal	Amount Requested	Amount Funded	Amount Attributable	Funding Period
09/01/2014	PI	Carnes	NIH/NIGMS R25GM083252	Training & Education to Advance Minorities in Science	\$48,730	\$48,730	\$48,730	09/01/14- 05/31/16
09/01/2014	PI	Crooks	Jonas Center for Nursing and Veterans Healthcare	Jonas Nurse Leader Award	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	09/01/14 - 09/01/16
09/01/2015	PI	Crooks	Robert and Carroll Heideman Research Award	Becoming a Sexual Black Woman a Grounded Theory Study	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000	09/01/15 – 09/01/16
09/29/2016	PI	Crooks	NIH/NINR F31NR016624	Pre-doctoral Fellowship Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service	\$28,677	\$28,677	\$28,677	09/29/16- 08/29/17
09/30/2016	Co-I	Donenberg	SAMHSA- CSAP 1H79SP021757	Building COIP's Capacity to Address HIV/STI & Substance Use for Young African American Women	\$203,998	\$203,998	\$203,998	09/30/16 – 05/31/22
09/01/2017	Post-doc	Eaton	NIH Institutional Research and Academic Career	Fellowships in Research and Science Teaching	\$23,924	\$23,924	\$23,924	09/01/17- 08/15/19

			Development Awards (IRACDA) K12GM0000580					
09/01/2017	Post-doc	Hall	Anonymous	The Center for Reproductive Health Research in the SouthEast Translation Core and Confidentiality & Parental Involvement project	\$23,924	\$23,924	\$23,924	09/01/17- 08/15/19
09/01/2018	Co-I	Donenberg and Bekker	NIH NICHD UG3/UH3HD09 6875	Multilevel Comprehensive HIV Prevention for South African Adolescent Girls and Young	\$470,701	\$470,701	\$11,767.525	09/01/18 – 08/31/23
01/22/2019	PI	Crooks	Visiting Professor Program Center for AIDS Prevention Studies	Targeting STI/HIV Prevention Programming to Black Girls Across the Life Course	\$20,000	NF	NF	
02/23/2019	PI	Crooks	NIH Research Education Institute for Diverse Scholars	Targeting STI/HIV Prevention Programming to Black Girls Across the Life Course	\$20,000	NF	NF	
01/05/2020	Co-I	Singer	Institute for Research on Race and Public Policy Faculty Fellowship (IRRPP)	The Road to Reducing HIV and STIs in Chicago's Black Sex Worker Community	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	07/2/20- 06/30/21
06/01/2020	PI	Crooks	Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Associate (BIRCWH)	Instrument development and STI/HIV risk in Black girls	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$40,000	07/9/20- 07/15/22
01/05/2021	PI	Crooks	NIH NIMHD U54MD012523 Center for Health Equity Research (CHER)	Protecting Black girls: Development of Family- based Sexual and Reproductive Health	\$79,300	\$50,000	\$50,000	1/7/21- 06/30/23
01/05/2021	PI	Crooks	Institute for Research on Race and Public Policy Faculty Fellowship (IRRPP)	Protecting Black girls Sexual Development: A Family Intervention	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	07/2/21- 06/30/22
02/19/2021	PI	Crooks	Janet A. Deatrick Award for Assistant Professors	Supports the vision of your research trajectory innovation and impact	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500	02/19/21- 02/19/22
05/05/2021	Co-I	Mkandawire- Valhmu		Understanding Intersecting Realities/Complex	\$3,067,607	NF	NF	04/01/22- 03/31/27

			R01DA055607- 01	Healthcare Needs of Black, American Indian, Hispanic/Latinx cisgender Women who trade sex, are involved in substance misuse in midwestern Urban Metro Areas				
05/05/2022	Co-I	Donenberg	NIH NIMHD R0100801198- 01	A Hybrid Type I Trial Linking Justice-Involved Youth to Care via Peer Navigation	\$3,993,546	NF	NF	07/01/23- 06/30/28
05/10/2022	Co- mentor	Donenberg	NIH NICHD UH3HD096875 -05S1	Multilevel Comprehensive HIV Prevention for South African Adolescent Girls and Young-Diversity Supplement	\$84,611	\$84,611	\$84,611	08/19/22- 08/31/23
07/05/2023	PI	Crooks	NIH NIMHD/NINR/ NICHD-RO1 00801198-01	A Family-Based HIV Prevention Program for Black Men to Protect Black Girls	\$3,802,81	Pending	Pending	04/01/24- 03/31/29
07/31/2023	Co-I	Crooks and Singer	CCTS	CCTS Implementation Research Development Pilot Grant	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$30,000	10/1/23- 10/1/24

PUBLICATIONS

(Senior author <u>underlined</u>, #invited, ^student led)

Peer-Reviewed Publications

- 1. Martell, J., Rice, E. I., Crooks, N., Ko, D., & Muehrer, R. J. (2015). What are patients saying about sex after a kidney or simultaneous kidney/pancreas transplant? *Progress in Transplantation*, 25(3), 251-256. Doi: 10.7182/pit2015912
- 2. Lor, M., Crooks, N., & Tluczek A. (2016). A proposed model of patient person, family and culture centered nursing. *Nursing Outlook*. 64(4), 352-366. Doi: 10.1016/j.outlook.2016.02.006
- 3. Sun, S., Crooks, N., Kemnitz, R., & Westergaard, R. P. (2018). Re-entry experiences of Black men living with HIV/AIDS after release from prison: Intersectionality and implications for care. *Social Science & Medicine*, 211, 78-86. Doi: 10.1016/j.socscimed.2018.06.003
- 4. **Crooks, N.,** & Muehrer, R. (2018). Are STI/HIV behavioral interventions for women of color culturally grounded? A review of the literature. *Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care*. Doi: 10.1097/JNC.00000000000000008
- 5. **Crooks, N.,** King, B., Tluczek. A., & Sales, J.M. (2019). The process of becoming a sexual Black woman: Results of a grounded theory study. *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*. Doi:10.1363/psrh.12085
- 6. Crooks, N., King, B., & Tluczek., A. (2019). Protecting Black female sexuality. *Culture, Health, and Sexuality*. Doi: 10.1080/13691058.2019.1632488
- 7. Sun, S., Crooks, N., DiClemente, R.J, & Sales., J.M. (2020). Perceived neighborhood violence and crime, emotion regulation, and PTSD symptoms among justice-involved, urban African American adolescent girls. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*. Doi:10.1037/tra0000562

- 8. **Crooks, N.,** Wise, A., & Frazier, T. (2020). Addressing sexually transmitted infections in the sociocultural context of Black heterosexual relationships in the United States. *Social Science and Medicine*. Doi: 10.1016/j.socscimed.2020.113303
- 9. Singer, R.B., Crooks, N., Johnson, A., Lutnick, A., & Matthews., A. (2020). COVID-19 Prevention and Protecting Sex Workers: A Call to Action. *Archives of Sexual Behavior*. Doi: 10.1007/s10508-020-01849-x
- 10. Matthews, A., Allen-Meares, P., Watson, K., Crooks, N., Smith, A., Hart, A., Estrella, M., & Sage., K. (2020). The use of strategies from the social sciences to inform pipeline development programs for underrepresented minority faculty and students in the health sciences. *Journal of Clinical and Translational Science*. Doi:10.1017/cts.2020.566
- 11. **Crooks, N.,** Singer, R.B., & Tluczek, A. (2021). Black Female Sexuality: Intersectional Identities and Historical Contexts. *Advances in Nursing Science*. Doi: 10.1097/ANS.000000000000332
- 12. **Crooks, N.,** Donenberg, G., & Matthews, A. (2021). The Ethics of Research at the Intersection of COVID-19 and Black Lives Matter: A Call to Action. *Journal of Medical Ethics*. Doi: 10.1136/medethics-2020-107054
- 13. Singer, R.B., Johnson, A., Crooks, N., Bruce, D., Karczmar, A., Mkandawire-Valhmu, L., & Sherman, S. (2021). Feeling Safe Feeling Seen and Feeling Free: Combating Stigma and Creating Culturally Safe Care for Sex Workers in Chicago. *PLOS One*. Doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0253749
- 14. Neely, J., Eddins, A., Lesure, N., Real, R., Dee, D., Singer, R.M., Crooks, N., Singer, R.B., (2021). Privacy or the lack thereof and its implications for dignity and mobile COVID-19 testing. *Sage Open Nursing*. Doi: 10.1177/23779608211029096
- 15. Singer, R.B., Crooks, N., Gelbort, J., Lenon, P. (2021). Nursing Student-Led Health Education for Sixth Graders on Chicago's South Side. *Sage Open Nursing*. Doi: 10.1177/23779608211029070
- 16. **Crooks**, **N.**, Smith, A., & Lofton, S. (2021). Building bridges and capacity for Black, Indigenous, and scholars of color in the era of COVID-19 and Black Lives Matter. *Nursing Outlook*. Doi: 10.1016/j.outlook.2021.03.022
- 17. Lamberson, J., Pearson, P., **Crooks, N.,** & Ricca, P. (2021). Examining Whiteness in Obstetric and Pediatric Simulations: A Content Analysis. *Journal of Nursing Education*. Doi: 10.3928/01484834-20211102-01
- 18. Singer, R.B., Crooks, N., Abboud, S., & Patil, C. (2022). Engaging Vulnerable Populations in Community-based Participatory Research: Lessons Learned. *Progress in Community Health Partnerships: Research, Education, and Action.* Doi: 10.1353/cpr.2022.0026
- 19. **Crooks, N.,** * Singer, R.B., * Green, N., Stamps, J., Singer, R., Motley, D., Matthews, A. (2022). Ballroom icons and the power to promote COVID-19 Vaccination among Black and Brown LBGTQ individuals. *American Journal of Public Health*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.2105/AJPH.2021.306581 * indicates co-first authors
- 20. Loyd, A., Kurum, E., **Crooks, N.,** Emerson, E., & Donenberg., G. (2022). Investigating associations between racial microaggressions, coping-racial identity, and mental health in Black adolescent girls and their female caregivers. *Journal of Research on Adolescence*. Doi:10.1111/jora.12710
- 21. **Crooks, N.**, Sosina, W., Debra, A., Donenberg, G. (2022). The Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Black Girls: A Socioecological Perspective. *Journal of Pediatric Psychology*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1093/jpepsy/jsab139
- 22. **Crooks, N.,** King, B., & Tluczek A. (2022). Being fast or cautious? Sociocultural conditions influencing the sexual pathways of Black females in the United States. *BMC Women's Health*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1186/s12905-022-01644-x
- 23. Singer, R.B., Crooks, N., Johnson, AK., Smith, A., Wesp, L., Singer, R.M., Karczmar, A., Stamps, J., Pardes, B., Patil, C., Matthews, A., (2022). Culturally Safe Nursing Care for Black Sex Workers in the Greater Chicago Area, 2020–2021. *American Journal of Public Health*. Doi: https://10.2105/AJPH.2022.306836

- 24. Atujuna, M., Tucker, J., **Crooks, N.,** Zanoni, B., Donenberg, G., (2022). Disseminating Evidence-Based Interventions for Adolescent HIV treatment and prevention in sub-Saharan Africa. *AIDS and Behavior*. Doi: https://10.1007/s10461-022-03794-3
- 25. ^Hill, E., Bimbi, O., **Crooks, N.,** Brown, R., Maeder, A. (2022). Uncovering the Experience: Return to Work of Nurses After Parental Leave. *Journal of Emergency Nursing*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jen.2022.10.005
- 26. Smith, A., Singer, R.B., Jan, J., Matthews, A., Crooks, N. (2022). "Teen Dating Violence Interventions for Sexual Minority Youth: A Scoping Review." Preprint. In Review. Doi: https://doi.org/10.21203/rs.3.rs-1813041/v1
- 27. Crooks, N., Singer, R.B., Smith, A., Donenberg, G., Matthews, A., Patil., C. Johnson, AK., Haider, S. (2023). Barriers to PrEP Uptake Among Black Female Adolescents and Emerging Adults: An Intersectional Perspective. *Preventive Medicine Reports*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pmedr.2022.102062
- 28. ^OjiNjideka- Hemphill, N., **Crooks, N.,** Zhang, W., Fitter, F., Erbe, K., Rutherford, J., Liese, K., Pearson, P., Stewart, K., Kessee, N., Reed, L., Tussing-Humphreys, L., Koenig, M. D. (2023). Obstetric Experiences of Young Black Mothers: An Intersectional Perspective. *Social Science and Medicine*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2022.115604
- 29. Crooks, N., Barrie, R., Singer, R.B., & Donenberg, G., (2023). The role of the Strong Black Woman in Black Female Sexual Development. *Archives of Sexual Behavior*. Doi: 10.1007/s10508-023-02529-2
- 30. Crooks, N., Sun, S., Wise, A., DiClemente, R.J., & Sales., J.M. (2023). Does parental style predict STI/HIV risk among a sample of justice-involved African American adolescent girls? *Children and Youth Services Review*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2023.106970
- 31. Singer, R. *, Abboud, S. *, Zemlak, J., Johnson, AK., Crooks, N., Lee, S., Wilson, J., Gorvine, D., Stamps, J., Bruce, D., Matthews, AK., Sherman, S., Patil, C. (2023). "I definitely have compromised": A Qualitative Exploration of the Lived Experiences of Chicago Sex Workers During the COVID-19 Pandemic. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph20115948
- 32. Koenig, M. D. Crooks, N., Burton, L., Li, Y., OjiNjideka- Hemphill, N., Erbe, K., Rutherford, J., Liese, K., Pearson, P., Stewart, K., Kessee, N., Reed, L., Gondwe., K., Tussing-Humphreys, L. (2023). Structural Violence and Stress Experiences of Young Pregnant Black People. *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Disparities*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1007/s40615-023-01661-y.
- 33. Crooks, N., King., B. Donenberg., G., & Sales., J.M. (2023). Growing up too "Fast": Black girls' Sexual Development. *Sex Roles*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1007/s11199-023-01390-w
- 34. Adebayo, CT., Olukotun, O.V., Olukotun, M., Kirungi, J., Whitney, K., Alfaifi, FY., Crooks, N., Singer, R.B., Dressel, A., Kako, P., Snethen, J., & Mkandawire-Valhmu, L. (2023). Experiences of Gender-Based Violence among Somali Refugee Women: A Socio-Ecological Model Approach. *Culture, Health & Sexuality*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1080/13691058.2023.2236163.
- 35. **Crooks, N.**, Debra, A., Coleman, D., Sosina, W., Singer, R., Green, B., Caldwell, C., Johnson, W., Patil, C. Jeremiah, R., Matthews, A., Donenberg, G. (2023). Application of ADAPT-ITT: Adapting an Evidence-Based HIV/STI Mother-Daughter Prevention Intervention for Black Male Caregivers and Girls. *BMC Public Health*. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-16364-6

Manuscripts Under Review

- 1. Sun, S., Crooks, N., DiClemente, R.J, & Sales., J.M. (under review). Examining the "broken windows" theory among justice-involved African American adolescent girls: The role of Black identity. *Journal of Adolescent Health*.
- 2. Sales, J.M., Barton, A., Lei, M., Kogan, S., Crooks, N., Zapolski, T., & Brody, H. (under review). Developmental patterns of sexual risk among rural African American youth from adolescence to emerging adulthood. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*.

- 3. **Crooks, N.,** Wise, A., Sales., J.M., DiClemente, R.J., & Frazier, T. (under review). Early life abuse and relationship power in becoming a sexual Black woman. *Journal of Black Psychology*.
- 4. Olukotun, M., Alfaifi, F., Olukotun, O., Adebayo, T., Singer, R.B., Crooks, N., Gondwe, K., Anderson, A., Dressel, A., Snethen, J., Schadewald, D., Kibicho, J., Kako, P., Adam, S., Jun, M., Mkandawire-Valhmu, L. (under review). Violence in the Lives of Refugee Women in Camps: A Thematic Analysis of Literature. *Health & Social Care in the Community*.
- 5. Barrie, R.E., **Crooks, N.,** Parikh, R., & Robertson, V. (under review). There's more to being a provider: Qualitative exploration of marriage socialization of African American men. *Family Relations*.
- 6. ^Reed, T., Patil, C., Park., C, Kershaw, K, Crooks, N., Jeremiah, R., Park., C. (under review) Prevalence of Hypertensive Disorders of Pregnancy and Gestational Diabetes Mellitus in Illinois by Race/Ethnicity (2018-2020). *Annals of Epidemiology*.
- 7. **Crooks, N.**, Yates, L., Sosina., W, Strong, A., Griggs, B., Shipp, K., Johnson, J., Green, B., Matthews, A. Johnson., W. (under review). Protecting Black Girls Sexual and Reproductive Health: Strategies for Recruiting Black Male Caregivers. *Child Youth and Health Services Review*.
- 8. Crooks, N., Sosina, W., Debra, A., Coleman, D., Barrie, R.E. & Singer, R.B., (under review). The Role of Black Men in Protecting Black Girls' Sexual Development. *Family Relations*.
- 9. **Crooks, N.,** Barrie, R. Coleman, D., Debra, A., Sosina, W., Yates, L., Sanker-Panchal, K., Okafor, A., Sissoko, G., & Jeremiah., R. (under review). "Dark skin girls are unworthy of protection": Impact of Colorism on Black Girls Sexual and Psychological Development. *Archives of Sexual Behavior*.
- 10. ^Griffin, A., Guerrier, P., Smith, M., Whetstone, L., Strong, A., Green, B., Johnson, R., Singer, R., Crooks, N. (under review). Sustaining Community-Academic Partnerships: Black Nursing Students Supporting Black Adolescent Health in Chicago. *Journal of Nursing Education*.
- 11. Birch, L., Bindert, A., Luo, E., Macias, S., Nwanah, P., Stamps, J., Green, N., Johnson, R., Crooks, N., Singer, R.M., Singer, R.B. (under review). When Stigma, Disclosure, and Access to Care Collide: An ethical reflection of mpox vaccination outreach reflect. *Public Health Reports*.
- 12. Crooks, N., Sosina, W., Debra, A., Sanker-Panchal, K., Okafor, A., Barrie, R., "Protecting your body and loving yourself" Strategies Black Male Caregivers use to Protect Black Girls Sexual and Reproductive Health" *Culture Health and Sexuality*.
- 13. Crooks, N., Abboud, S., Jeremiah, R & Matthews, A. (under review). Writing Qualitative Research Proposals Using the Pathway Project Mapping Tool. *Qualitative Health Research*.
- 14. ^Debra, A., Sanker-Panchal, K., Reskallah, J., Mhlongo, E., Ngcuka, A., Donenberg, G., Jaworski, Emerson, E., Atujuna, M., <u>Crooks, N.</u> (under review). Female Caregivers' and Adolescent Girls' Perceptions of a Family-Based HIV Prevention Program in South Africa. *Journal of Research on Adolescence*.
- 15. Burton, T., **Crooks, N.**, OjiNjideka- Hemphill, N., Pezley, L., Li, Y., Sawatpanich, A., Farrow., V., Erbe, K., Keessee, N., Reed, L., Tussing-Humphreys, L. Koenig, M. D. (under review). "I don't even shop in this neighborhood." A Qualitative Study of Nutritional Determinants and Dietary Perspectives of Young, Urban, Black Pregnant Women. *Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics*.

Manuscripts in Preparation

- 1. **Crooks, N.,** Onyipat E., Raszewski., R., Sanker-Panchal, K., & Donenberg., G. (manuscript in preparation). A scoping review of HIV/STI prevention evidence-based interventions for Black girls and women.
- 2. ^Debra, A., Coleman, D., Sosina, W., Odeniyi, F., Yates, L., & <u>Crooks, N.</u> (manuscript in preparation). Growing, Glowing and Getting our Work Done: Perspectives of an all-Black Female Research Team.
- 3. ^Debra, A., & <u>Crooks, N.</u> (manuscript in preparation). Cognitive Interviewing with Adolescent Black girls: An Empowering Qualitative Method.
- 4. Donenberg, G., Kendall, A., **Crooks, N.,** Emerson, E., Rodriguez, V. (manuscript in preparation). Impact of COVID-19 on Mental Health of South African Adolescents.

Book Chapters

1. **Crooks, N.** (2022). Application: Addressing Sexual Health Disparities Among Black Girls and Women. *Sourcebook of Family Theories and Methodologies*.

MEDIA CONTRIBUTIONS

Op-Ed

1. **Crooks, N.,** & Wise, A. (2019). What We Risk When We Fail to Protect Black Girls. Rewire. News. https://rewire.news/article/2019/02/25/what-we-risk-when-we-fail-to-protect-black-girls/

Blog Posts

- 1. **Crooks, N.,** Donenberg, G., & Matthews, A. (2021). How to ethically conduct research with Black populations at the intersection of COVID-19 and Black lives matter. *Journal of Medical Ethics Blog*. https://blogs.bmj.com/medical-ethics/2021/02/11/how-to-ethically-conduct-research-with-black-populations-at-the-intersection-of-covid-19-and-black-lives-matter/
- 2. **Crooks, N.,** Singer, R.B., & Tluczek, A. (2021). Feature Article: Black Female Sexuality Intersectional Identities and Historical Contexts. *Advances in Nursing Science Blog. https://ansjournalblog.com/*

Cited Work

- 1. Hicks, S. (2018). To Understand Challenges Black Men with HIV Face on Re-Entry from Prisons, an Intersectional Approach Is Needed, Study Shows. TheBodyPRO. https://www.thebodypro.com/article/to-understand-challenges-black-men-with-hiv-face-o
- 2. College of Nursing. (2020). Researcher explores higher STI, HIV rates among Black women. https://nursing.uic.edu/news-stories/researcher-explores-higher-sti-hiv-rates-among-black-women/
- 3. Forston, J. (2020). Girl, Grown and Woman. Public Health Post. Boston University. https://www.publichealthpost.org/research/girl-grown-and-woman/
- 4. Carter, S. (2021). Sex Workers are Fighting to get the COVID Vaccine. Vice. https://www.vice.com/en/article/k7a53v/sex-workers-are-fighting-to-get-the-covid-vaccine
- 5. Neufeld., J. (2022). Vaccinated at the ball: A true story about trusted messengers. The Journalist's Resource. https://journalistsresource.org/home/vaccinated-at-the-ball-a-true-story-about-trusted-messengers/
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- 7. College of Nursing. (2022). Collaboration brings innovative healthcare to the South Side. https://nursing.uic.edu/news-stories/collaboration-brings-innovative-healthcare-to-the-south-side/
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Podcasts

- 1. **Crooks, N.** (Guest). (June 13, 2023). *Episode: 113 Coaching Client Spotlight: Natasha Crooks, PhD, RN.* Your Unapologetic Career Podcast. Retrieved from https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/113-coaching-client-spotlight-natasha-crooks-phd-rn/id1565219435?i=1000616801296.
- 2. **Crooks, N.** (Guest). (December 2, 2019). *Sex Part 2 Episode: 28* [audio podcasts]. Fire Love Podcast. Retrieved from https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/sex-part-2-episode-28/id1446202434?i=1000458432044

Twitter

1. #Jamoutsavelives (>2.4 million impressions) (2021). Retrieved from https://twitter.com/UICnursing/status/1458944355616579585?s=20

PRESENTATIONS

Invited

- 1. **Crooks, N.,** (April 6, 2023). The Impact of COVID-19 Among Black Girls: A Social-Ecological Perspective. Oral presentation at the Institute for Urban Policy Research and Analysis., University of Texas. Austin, TX. Audience: Professional.
- 2. Koenig, MD., and Crooks, N. (August 9, 2022). Obstetric Experiences of Young Black Mothers: An Intersectional Perspective. Oral presentation at the *ACNM Diversity and Inclusion program*, Chicago, IL. Audience: Professional.
- 3. Coleman, D., Debra. A., Sosina, W. & Crooks, N., (November 8, 2021). Growing, Glowing, and Getting Our Work Done: Black Women's Perspectives in Research. Presented at the *University of Illinois Chicago*, College of Nursing Lunch and Learn. Audience: Professional.
- 4. **Crooks, N.** (March 9, 2021). Ethics of Mandatory Immunizations. Presented at the *University of Illinois at Chicago*, College of Medicine Humanities in Medicine group. Audience:15 medical students.
- 5. **Crooks, N.** (February 9, 2021). Sexual health disparities among Black girls and women. Presented at the *University of Illinois Chicago*, Women's Health Institute. Audience: 25 undergraduate students.
- 6. Crooks, N. & Igbinoba, SK. (August 20, 2021). Webinar: Life after COVID-19. Oral presentation for Southside Health Advocacy Resource Partnership. Facebook live. Audience: Community.
- 7. **Crooks, N.** & Singer R.B. (April 15, 2021). Community-based research during COVID-19. Oral presentation at *Northwestern Memorial Hospital 13th Annual Brinson Foundation Nursing Research & Evidence-Based Practice Symposium*. Audience: Healthcare providers.
- 8. **Crooks, N.** (March 18, 2021). Women Leading through Change in Healthcare. Panel presentation hosted by *M.E.A.N Girls Empowerment*. Zoom. Audience: Community.
- 9. Singer, R.B., Crooks, N., Velek, L., & Schei C. (December 7, 2020). Sex Work and COVID-19. Presented at the *University of Illinois Chicago*, College of Nursing Lunch and Learn. Audience: Professional.
- 10. **Crooks, N.** (March 27, 2020). Sexual development of Black girls: a grounded theory study. Presented at the *University of Illinois Chicago*, Adolescent Medicine Training Program, College of Medicine. Audience: 30 adolescent medicine specialists.
- 11. **Crooks, N**. (February 29, 2020). How to research vulnerable populations and underrepresented groups. Panel presentation at *Emory University*, Atlanta, GA. Audience: Professional.
- 12. **Crooks, N.** (June 11, 2019). Minor interview workshop. Presented at the *Center for Reproductive Health Research in the SouthEast*. Audience: Graduate students and researchers.
- 13. **Crooks, N.** (October 26, 2017). The process of becoming a sexual Black woman: Results of a grounded theory study. Oral presentation at *Wisconsin STD Summit*, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional.
- 14. **Crooks, N.** (July 24, 2017). The process of becoming a sexual Black woman: Results of a grounded theory study. Oral presentation at *Public Health Madison and Dane County*, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional
- 15. Crooks, N. (April 25, 2015). A self-reflective nursing practice. Oral presentation at *Wisconsin Nurses Association Conference*, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional.

International

- 1. Singer, R.B., and **Crooks, N.** (November 5, 2022). Development of a Centering Healthcare Community Empowerment Intervention for Sex Workers in Chicago. *Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality (SSSS)*, Vancouver, Canada. Audience: Professional.
- 2. **Crooks, N.** (July 8, 2022). The Impact of COVID-19 Among Black Girls: A Social-Ecological Perspective. Oral presentation at the *International Children and Youth Conference*, India, Sri Lanka. Audience: Professional.
- 3. **Crooks, N.** (August 19, 2015). Comparative concept analysis calls for an integrated nursing model of a person, family, and culture-centered care. Oral presentation at *International Family Nursing Association (IFNA)* Conference, Odense, Denmark. Audience: Professional.

National

- 1. Singer, R.B., Crooks, N., Abboud, S., Patil, C. Engaging Vulnerable Populations in Community-Based Participatory Research: Lessons Learned. (November 16-19, 2023). Poster presentation at the *Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality (SSSS)*. New Orleans, Louisiana. Audience: Professional.
- 2. **Crooks, N.** (August 7, 2023) Application of ADAPT-ITT: Adapting an Evidence-Based HIV/STI Mother-Daughter Prevention Intervention for Black Male Caregivers and Girls. Oral presentation at *National Black Nurses Association*, Atlanta, GA. Audience: Professional.
- 3. Singer, R.B., Crooks, N., Matthews, A., Patil, C... Stamps, J. (November 9, 2022). Community Empowerment: The Road to Reducing HIV in Chicago's Sex Worker Community. Oral presentation at the *American Public Health Association*, Boston, MA. Audience: Professional.
- 4. Koenig, MD., and **Crooks**, **N.** (May 22, 2022). Obstetric Experiences of Young Black Mothers: An Intersectional Perspective. Oral presentation at the *American College of Nurse-Midwives*, Chicago, IL. Audience: Professional.
- 5. Crooks, N. (July 12, 2019). Sexual development of Black girls: a grounded theory study. Oral presentation at the *National Sexual Health Conference*, Chicago, IL. Audience: Professional.
- 6. **Crooks, N.** (November 13, 2018). The process of becoming a sexual Black woman: Results of a grounded theory study. Oral presentation at the *American Public Health Association*, San Diego, CA. Audience: Professional.
- 7. **Crooks, N.** (October 28, 2017). The process of becoming a sexual Black woman: Results of a grounded theory study. Poster presentation at *Rising Star Sigma Theta Tau International* Convention, Indianapolis, IN. Audience: Professional.
- 8. **Crooks, N.** (July 7, 2017). The process of becoming a sexual Black woman: Results of a grounded theory study. Oral presentation at *National Sexual Health Conference*, Denver, CO. Audience: Professional.
- 9. Crooks, N. (October 27, 2015). Blended nursing model of person, patient, family, and culture centered care: A comparative analysis. Oral presentation at *Jonas Nurse Leaders Scholars Conference*, Washington, D.C. Audience: Professional.

Local, State, and Regional

- 1. **Crooks**, N., (January 28, 2022). UIC College of Nursing visit with Senator Ann Gillespie. Virtual presentation at the *University of Illinois Chicago*, College of Nursing. Audience: Professional.
- 2. **Crooks, N.**, (December 3, 2021). Looking Back/Moving Forward: Structural Violence and Health Equity in the COVID-19 Pandemic. Virtual presentation at the *Center for Health Equity Research Chicago Virtual Townhall*. Audience: Researchers.
- 3. **Crooks, N.** (April 2, 2020). Sexual development of Black girls: a grounded theory study. Virtual presentation at *Midwest Nursing Research Society*, Schaumburg, IL. Audience: Professional. https://mnrs.org/2020-annual-conference/.
- 4. **Crooks, N.** (December 2, 2019). Becoming a sexual Black Woman: Sexual development & STI/HIV prevention across the life course. Oral presentation at the *Center for Dissemination and Implementation Science*, Chicago, IL. Audience: Professional.
- 5. **Crooks, N.** (April 14, 2018). The process of becoming a sexual Black woman: Results of a grounded theory study. Oral presentation at *Midwest Nursing Research Society*, Cleveland, OH. Audience: Professional.
- 6. **Crooks, N.** & Freitag, M. (May 9, 2017). Lessons learned from teaching culturally congruent care in nursing. Oral presentation at *Nursing Research Colloquia, University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing*, Madison, WI. Audience: Public.
- 7. **Crooks, N.** (September 1, 2016). Welcome into nursing. Oral presentation at *White Coat Ceremony, University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing*, Madison, WI. Audience: Public.

- 8. Crooks, N. (April 16, 2016). Infusing intersectionality into nursing research. Oral presentation at Summit on Women, Gender, and Well-being Annual Wisconsin Women's and Gender Studies Conference, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional.
- 9. **Crooks, N.** (March 25, 2016). Microaggressions in nursing. Oral presentation at *Diversity Lunch and Learn, University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing*, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional.
- 10. Crooks, N. (November 4, 2015). An NRSA proposal review: Health Disparities in Sexually Transmitted Infection Prevention in Young Women of Color. Oral presentation at *Nursing Research Colloquia*, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*, *School of Nursing*, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional.
- 11. Crooks, N. (November 3, 2015). The sexual concerns of kidney transplant and simultaneous pancreas and kidney transplant recipients. Oral presentation at *Training and Education to Advance Minority Scholars in Science, University of Wisconsin -Madison, Center for Women's Health Research*, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional.
- 12. **Crooks**, **N.** (February 23, 2015). What patients are saying about sex after kidney transplant and simultaneous pancreas and kidney transplants. Oral presentation at *Nursing Research Colloquia*, *University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing*, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional.
- 13. **Crooks, N.** (February 16, 2015). A self-reflective nursing practice. Oral presentation at *Nursing Research Colloquia, University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing, Madison, WI. Audience: Professional.*

PROFESSIONAL AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Membership in Professional Organizations

2022-2023	The Society for Scientific Study of Sexuality
2022-2023	American Nurses Association
2018-20	American Public Health Association
2018-20	Center for AIDS Research
2018-19	Minority Postdoctoral Council
2015-17	Sigma Theta Tau International Society of Nursing
2014-	Midwest Nursing Research Society
2015-18	National Black Nurses Association
2016-17	Black Graduate and Professional Student Association
2016-17	American Nurses Association

Peer Review Service

2021-	Nursing Outlook
2020-	Violence Against Women
2019-	Culture, Health, and Sexuality
2018-	Qualitative Health Research
2018	Journal of Adolescent Health
2017	International Journal of Nursing Studies
2017	SAGE Open Journal

Service at University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing

2021 Member, Werley Chair Committee

Service to the Department of Human Development Nursing Science, College of Nursing

2023	Member, Human Development Nursing Science Tenure Track Job Search
2022	Member, Human Development Nursing Science Bridge 2 Faculty Search
2022	Member, Human Development Nursing Science Tenure Track Job Search

2021 Member, Human Development Nursing Science Peer Review Committee 2020-2022 Member, Advisory and Search Committee

Community and Local Service

- 2019- Lawndale AMACHI Mentoring Program (LAMP). Health education workshops. Chicago, IL
- 2019 STEM Honors Society. Seminar Series. Agnes Scott College. Decatur, GA.
- 2019 Emory Reproductive Health Association. Journal club. Emory University, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 Ins and Outs of Graduate School Panel. Spelman College, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 *IRCADA 2018 Meeting*. Conference organizer and moderator. Emory University, Atlanta, GA.
- Nursing as a Career Path for Underrepresented Students. Advancement Via Individual Determination and Teens of Promise Program (AVID & TOPS). West High School. Madison, WI.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE Courses Taught

Semester/	Course #	Course Title and University	Team	Credit	Required/ Elective	Enrolled	Rating ±SD
Term Fall 2023	NURS 596	Independent Study	Taught No	Hours 1	Elective	1	±5D
Fall 2023	NURS 515	Theoretical Foundation for Evidence-Based Practice: University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Required	41	
Spring 2023	NURS 515	Theoretical Foundation for Evidence-Based Practice: University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Required	28	
Fall 2022	NURS 515	Theoretical Foundation for Evidence-Based Practice: University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Required	35	Average= 4.65 Dev=0.6
Fall 2022	NUPR 520	Clinical Synthesis Practicum for the Advanced Generalist Nurse; University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Required	4	
Spring 2021	NURS 574	Qualitative Research in Nursing; University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	Yes	4	Required	12	Average= 4.89 Dev=0.3
Fall 2020	NURS 568	Grant Writing for the Nurse Scientist; University of Illinois at Chicago, College of Nursing	Yes	3	Required	9	Average= 4.63 Dev=0.5
Fall 2018	PSYCH 410	Research Methods and Statistics III; Morehouse College, Psychology	Yes	3	Required	16	
Spring 2017	NURS 510	Culturally Congruent Health Practice; University of Wisconsin Madison, School of Nursing	Yes	3	Elective	40	

Spring	NURS	Culturally Congruent Health	Yes	3	Elective	23	
2016	510	Practice; University of					
		Wisconsin-Madison, School of					
		Nursing					

Guest Lectures

Semester/ Term	Course #	Course Title and University	Team Taught	Credit Hours	Required/ Elective	Enrolled
Spring 2023	NURS 568	Qualitative Research Methods. Research Methods in Nursing Science Program	No	4	Required	6
Spring 2023	NUR406	Community Health Nursing	No	2	Elective	37
Fall 2022	CRN 29075	Human Sexuality and Health: From Local to Global; University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Elective	24
Spring 2022	NUEL 585	Research Seminar; University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	2	Elective	22
Fall 2021	CRN 29075	Human Sexuality and Health: From Local to Global; University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Elective	24
Fall 2020	CRN 29075	Human Sexuality and Health: From Local to Global; University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Elective	24
Spring 2020	NUR 574	Qualitative Research in Nursing, University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Required	16
Fall 2019	NURS 331	Nursing Care of Childbearing Women and Families; University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Required	45
Fall 2019	CRN 29075	Human Sexuality and Health: From Local to Global; University of Illinois Chicago, College of Nursing	No	3	Elective	24
Spring 2019	PSYCH 410	Research Methods and Statistics III; Morehouse University	No	3	Required	22
Fall 2018	BSHE 538	Qualitative Methods for Research and Evaluation; Emory University	No	3	Required	12
Fall 2017	BSHE 538	Qualitative Methods for Research and Evaluation; Emory University	No	3	Required	8
Summer 2017	Grounded Theory Workshop	Grounded theory methodology and analysis; University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing	No		Elective	
Spring 2017	Teaching and Learning Symposium	Lessons learned from teaching culturally congruent care in nursing; University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing	No		Required	34
Spring 2017	NURS 302	Introduction to Systematic Investigation Audience: Undergraduate	No	2	Required	8

		pre-nursing students; University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing				
Spring	NURS 510	Culturally Congruent Health Practice;	No	3	Elective	28
2017		University of Wisconsin-Madison,				
		School of Nursing				

Teaching Professional Development

2018	Fellowships in Research and Science T	Teaching Development Course.	Emory University

Writing an Effective Teaching Statement, Emory University

2017 Teaching Academy Summer Institute, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Winter Reboot: Teaching in Divisive Times, University of Wisconsin-Madison

2016 Teaching Academy Summer Institute, University of Wisconsin-Madison

MENTORING

Graduate Student Advising and Supervision

Name of student	Dates	Degree	Title of project	College/University	Role on committee
Gina Sissoko	2023-	PhD	Impact of colorism, gendered racism, and trauma on mental health and system involvement on Black women and girls		Research Mentor
Rita Omuero	2023-	PhD	Nigerian Immigrant women Nursing Maternal Health		Chair
Pia Lenon	2022-	PhD	Building Trust, Buffering Trauma: Nursing Understanding Black Mothers' Experience with Racially Concordant Care in Pregnancy		Member, F31
Jennifer	2022-	MD	Black Female Sexual Development	Meharry Medical	Research
Reskallah			and HIV/STI risk	College	Mentor
Folasade	2022-	MD	Black Female Sexual Development	Medicine	Research
Odeniyi			and HIV/STI risk		Mentor
Diamond	2022-	MD	Black Female Sexual Development	Medicine	Research
Colemen			and HIV/STI risk		Mentor
Latrice Yates	2022-	MS	Black Female Sexual Development and HIV/STI risk	Psychology	Research Mentor
Kimberly	2022-	MS	Black Female Sexual Development	Public Health	Research
Sanker-Panchal			and HIV/STI risk		Mentor
Alyssa Debra	2022-	MD/PhD	Adverse Childhood Experiences Among Black boys in South Africa	Medicine	Member, F30
Enuma Onyipat	2021-	PhD	Cardiovascular Risk Factors Among Patients Living with HIV in Nigeria		Member
Nanyombi Lubimbi	2021-	PhD	Nursing Experience in Rwanda	Nursing	Member
Luz Rivera	2021-	PhD	Understanding Healthcare Provider Perceptions and Cognitive Impairment Screening in Primary Care		Member

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Wuraola Sosina	2020-	PhD	Role of Black men in Sexual	Psychology; Adler	Member
	2023	PsyD	Socialization of Black Girls	University	(external)
Annanda	2020-	PhD	Experiences of Youth and Families Nursing		Member
Batista	2023		Living with Autism Spectrum		
			Disorder and Type 1 Diabetes		
			Mellitus		
Tiffany Reed	2020-	PhD	Association of Neighborhood	Nursing	Member
	2022		Environment Impact on HDP and		
			GDM Among Women in Illinois		

University of Illinois Chicago Honors College Students

Name of student	Semester and year	Nature of supervision
Kat Kleczka	Fall 2023-	Honors College Fellow
Kc Almabis	Fall 2022-	Honors College Fellow
Morgan Daszkiewicz	Fall 2020-Spring 2021	Honors College Fellow
Krystal Cheung	Fall 2019-	Honors College Fellow

University of Wisconsin-Madison Undergraduate Nursing

Name of student	Degree	Duration of mentorship	Program
Kaitlyn Hopfensperger	BSN	2018	Honors Student
Taylor Behnke	BSN	2017	Honors Student
Audrey Flack	BSN	2017	Honors Student

DIRECTION OF RESEARCH ASSOCIATES, VISITING SCHOLARS, AND TECHNICIANS

Research Associates

Name of associate	Dates	Nature of Supervision
Alexis Strong	2022-	Recruitment, data collection and entry
Juquita (Jay) Johnson	2022-23	Recruitment, senior research specialist, facilitator
Brianna Griggs	2022-23	Senior research specialist, facilitator