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EDUCATION/TRAINING

- 1996-2001 **National Institutes of Health; National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Division of Epidemiology and Clinical Applications, Bethesda, MD**

(2000-2001) Guest Researcher: Division of Epidemiology and Clinical Applications Prevention and Behavioral Medicine Scientific Research Groups.
(1996-1999) Post Doctoral Fellow: Denise Simons-Morton, M.D., Ph.D., Peter Kaufmann, Ph.D., Jeffery Cutler, M.D., M.P.H.
- 1991-1994 **Johns Hopkins University School of Hygiene and Public Health, Baltimore, MD**
PhD. Department of Health Policy and Management, Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences. Dissertation topic: *Effectiveness Comparisons of Two Community Based Behavioral Interventions for Smoking Cessation.*
Advisor: David D. Celentano, Sc.D., M.H.S., Department Chair
- 1991-1994 **Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD**
Research Pre-doctoral Fellowship; *Behavioral Aspects of Cardiovascular Disease.*
NIH, National Heart Lung and Blood Institute
P.I.: David Levine, M.D., Sc.D., M.P.H.
- 1986-1988 **University of Charleston Graduate School, Charleston, WV**
M.B.A.; Masters in Business Administration
- 1983-1985 **University of Michigan Graduate School, Ann Arbor, MI**
M.S.; Exercise Physiology/Nutrition
Graduate Assistant: Victor Katch, Ph.D.
Pediatric Obesity Research
- 1979-1983 **University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI**
B.S. Education; Kinesiology

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2002-present **University of Maryland, College Park**
Research Associate Professor (2004), Department of Public and Community Health
Research Assistant Professor (2002), Department of Public and Community Health
- 2001-present **Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD**

- 1995-1996 *Assistant Professor*, Department of Medicine, General Internal Medicine
 Instructor in Medicine, Department of Medicine, General Internal Medicine
- 1993-1994 Research Associate, Department of Medicine, General Internal Medicine
- 1994-1996 **Johns Hopkins University/Sinai Hospital Program in Internal Medicine**,
 Baltimore, MD
Evaluation Specialist/Education Coordinator, Department of Medicine, General Internal Medicine.
- 1993-1994 *Research Coordinator and Investigator*, Center for Health Promotion, General Internal Medicine
- 1991-1993 *Research Fellow*, Division of General Internal Medicine, Center for Health Promotion
- 1988-1991 **Johns Hopkins Health Plan**, Baltimore, MD
 Manager, Health Promotion Programs
- 1986-1988 **Charleston Area Medical Center**, Charleston, WV
 Director, Cardiac Rehabilitation
- 1984-1986 **Lexington Clinic Sports Medicine Center**, Lexington, KY
 Exercise Physiologist

Consulting/Research Assistantships

- 1984-1986 **Keeneland Association**, Lexington, KY
 Consultant and Instructor
- 1984-1986 **Independence Health Plan of Kentucky** Lexington, KY
 Consultant and Instructor- Employee health, fitness and nutrition.
- 1983-1984 **University of Michigan Adult Lifestyle Program** Ann Arbor, MI
 Consultant and Instructor-Corporate Health Promotion.
- 1982-1983 **Ford Motor Company World Headquarters** Dearborn, MI
 Consultant and Instructor- Employee health promotion
- 1982-1983 **University of Michigan School of Medicine** Ann Arbor, MI
 Program Leader - Adolescent Obesity Research Project; Pediatric Cardiology.
- 1981-1983 **University of Michigan Center for Sport and Fitness Research**, Ann Arbor, MI
 Graduate Research Assistant

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 1994-present American Public Health Association
- 1994-present Society of Behavioral Medicine
- 1995-2003 Society of General Internal Medicine
- 1995-1996 Association for Health Services Research
- 1995-present Association for Teachers in Preventive Medicine
- 2005-present International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity
- 2006-present American Academy of Health Behavior

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

Journal Peer Review Activities

1996-present Preventive Medicine, reviewer
1996-present Society of General Internal Medicine, Reviewer
1998-present American Journal of Public Health
1997-present American Journal of Preventive Medicine, Editorial Board, Reviewer
1999 Health Psychology, Guest Editor
2000-present Medical Care, Reviewer
1996-2001 NHLBI/DECA Reviewer
2002-present Archives of Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine, Reviewer
2003-present Annals of Behavioral Medicine, Reviewer
2004-present Social Science and Medicine, Social Epidemiology
2005-present Health Education and Behavior, Reviewer
2005-present American Journal of Health Behavior, Reviewer
2006-present International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Reviewer
2006-present Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise
2007-present American Journal of Health Promotion
2007-present Biomed Central
2008-present Journal of Adolescent Health

Guest Editor

1999-2000 Health Psychology; Supplement (Maintenance of Behavior Change in Cardiorespiratory Risk Reduction)

Grant Reviewer

2003-present Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
2004 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA, August 11-12, 2004, RO1 Panel, Primary Reviewer.
2008 NIH RO1 and R23 Measurement in Physical Activity and Nutrition, March 11, Washington, DC. Primary Reviewer
2008 CDC-Evaluation of environment and policy interventions to increase fruit and vegetable intake. May 29, Washington, DC.

AWARDS/HONORS

1996-1999 **National Institutes of Health; National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute (NHLBI), Bethesda, MD**
Division of Epidemiology and Clinical Applications (DECA)
Prevention and Behavioral Medicine Scientific Research Groups
Epidemiology and Biostatistics Fellowship Training Award

1991-1993 **Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD**
Pre-doctoral Research Fellowship

Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health, Baltimore, MD
Department of Health Policy and Management; Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences
Departmental Scholarship
Post Certified Scholarship

1979-83 **University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan**
Athletic Scholarship, All-American; swimming

RECENT TEACHING (1995-2008)

Classroom Instruction:

Worksite Health Promotion 430, University of Maryland School of Public Health. Spring 2008. Undergraduate course.

Consumer Behavior 437: University of Maryland, Department of Public and Community Health. Fall 2007. Undergraduate course.

Community Health 740. University of Maryland, Department of Public and Community Health. Spring 2007. MPH required course.

Environmental Health 761. University of Maryland, Department of Public and Community Health: Fall 2005, 2006 Required MPH Course.

Womens Health 471. University of Maryland, Department of Public and Community Health; 2003, 2004, 2005. Undergraduate course.

Epidemiology of Exercise, Kines. University of Maryland, Department of Kinesiology. 2003 (co-taught with Dr. Deborah Young, graduate course).

Public Health Aspects of Tobacco Control. Johns Hopkins University School of Hygiene and Public Health. Co-instructor with Fran Stillman . 1994, 1995.

Introduction to Clinical Medicine: Community Health. Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. (First Year Medical Students) Course Coordinator, Co-Instructor. 1994, Spring Semester 1996.

Community Oriented Primary Care Workshop. Johns Hopkins University/ Sinai Hospital Program in Internal Medicine. (PGY 2) Weekly, Sept. 1995-June 1996.

Clinical Epidemiology Part I: Statistics for Clinicians. Johns Hopkins University/Sinai Hospital Program in Internal Medicine. (Housestaff) Fall, 1995.

Clinical Epidemiology Part II: Assessing Risk and Causation. Johns Hopkins University/Sinai Hospital Program in Internal Medicine. (Housestaff) Fall, 1995.

RESEARCH GRANT PARTICIPATION (1991-2006)

Investigator Initiated (RO1)

1991-1994 **Smoking Cessation: A Community Model Among Inner City African Americans**
NIH, National Heart Blood and Lung Institute
PI: David Levine, MD, ScD, MPH and Diane Becker, ScD, MPH

- 1994-1998 % effort: 80%
Co-Investigator
- 1994, 1996 **Community Based Health Initiative, Medical School Curriculum**
Kellogg Foundation, effort: 10%
- 2002-2006 **Community Characteristics and Physical Activity in Adolescent Girls**
NIH, NHLBI (Rand Corporation Subcontract: Deborah Cohen, MD, MPH)
137,000, 4 years (UMD Portion)
PI: Carolyn C. Voorhees, PhD
% effort: 20%

Collaborative Studies

- 2001-2006 **TAAG: Trial of Activity in Adolescent Girls.** Multi-center Clinical Trial
NIH, National Heart, Blood and Lung Institute (NHLBI)
PI: Deborah R. Young, PhD
% effort: 20% 2001-2004; 2005-2006 10% Co-investigator: Mediators, moderators and
secondary outcomes, design and analyses, recruitment/retention.
- 2002-2003 **Women's Cardiovascular Health Network: Identifying Environmental, Policy and
Psychosocial Factors Important for Designing Culturally-Appropriate Physical Activity
Programs for Women**
PI: Deborah R. Young, PhD
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention(CDC)/Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJ)
% effort: 30% Co-investigator
- 1996-2000 **Activity Counseling Trial (ACT).** NHLBI initiated multi-center (3) clinical trial
comparing effectiveness of three primary care interventions to increase physical activity in
sedentary patients. NIH, NHLBI (recruitment complete; baseline data in; involved in baseline
writing groups); Investigator, Intervention Committee (fellowship)
- 1996-2000 **Enhancing Recovery in Coronary Heart Disease Patients. (ENRICHD)**
NHLBI initiated, multi center (8) clinical trial comparing effectiveness of psychosocial
interventions for depression and low social support in post Myocardial Infarction patients on
morbidity and mortality. Investigator (fellowship)
- 1996-present **National Heart Lung and Blood Institute Growth and Health Study. (NGHS)**
Multi-center cohort study of black and white girls aged 9-10 at beginning of study and
(currently 17-18) investigating explanations for differences in obesity and smoking onset.
Member of several writing groups including exploring psychosocial relationships with
smoking onset, teen pregnancy. (fellowship)

EDUCATION GRANT PARTICIPATION

- 6/94-7/97 Residency Training in General Internal Medicine
NIH, Bureau of Health Professions
PI: Bart Chernow, MD
85% (Project Director)
(\$500,000, 3 years)

- 6/96-4/97 **Cross-Cultural Primary Care Education: Materials and Training for Russian Patients and Health Care Providers**
Sinai Hospital Auxillary
\$8,000
PI: Carolyn Voorhees, Ph.D.
- 6/96-6/97 **Patient Satisfaction Surveys as an Evaluation Tool for Internal Medicine Residents**
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Department of Medicine
\$10,000. Investigators: Patricia Thomas, M.D., Nancy Ryan Lowitt, M.D., Carolyn Voorhees, Ph.D., M.B.A., Haya Rubin, M.D., Ph.D.

Funded Research Grant Applications 2004-2008

- 1/02-1/06 **National Institutes of Health, National Heart Lung and Blood Institute**
Community Characteristics and Physical Activity in Adolescent Girls
(Rand Corporation Subcontract: Deborah Cohen, MD, MPH)
PI: Carolyn C. Voorhees, PhD
\$137,000, 4 years (UMD Portion)
- 2/08-2/09 **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation**
Environmental influences on physical activity and obesity in African American adolescents—A multilevel perspective.
Alice F. Yan and Carolyn C. Voorhees CO-PI
Dissertation Award
\$25,000
- 1/06-1/08 **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation**
Increasing walking and bicycling with federally funded programs and state, regional and local policies.
PI: Susan Handy, UC Davis
Co-Investigator
\$200,000
- 2/06-8/08 **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation**
The relationship among availability of healthy foods, body mass index and dietary patterns in urban adolescents.
Michelle Harris and Carolyn C. Voorhees Co-PI
Diversity Supplement
\$80,000
- 1/06-1/07 **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation**
Environmental Influences on the Use of Recreational Facilities for Physical Activity among Urban African American Youth
Dissertation Award to Amy Vastine Ries, JHSPH, Population and Family Studies
Co-PI
\$20,000
- 6/04-12/08 **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation**

Adolescent Physical Activity in an Urban Environment
PI: Voorhees, CC
\$450,000 for 4 years

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Articles:

Voorhees CC, Stillman FA, Swank RT, Becker DM, Levine D. Heart, Body and Soul: Impact of Church Based Smoking Cessation Interventions on Readiness to Quit. *Preventive Medicine* . 25(3):277-285, May/June 1996.

Voorhees CC, Stillman FA, Swank RT, Becker DM. Illegal Cigarette Sales to Minors in Black and White Low Income Urban Areas. *American Journal of Public Health*.87(4):652-654, April, 1997.

Voorhees CC, Stillman FA, Yanek LR, Becker DM. Reducing Cigarette Sales to Urban Youth: Opportunities for Intervention. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 14(2): 138-142. 1998.

Becker DM, Young DR, Yanek LR, **Voorhees CC**, Levine DM, Janey N. Agreement with smoking restriction policies in a socioeconomically diverse african american population. *Health Values: Health Behavior, Education and Promotion*. 22,451-459, 1998.

Ockene JK, Emmons KM, Mermelstein RJ, Perkins KA, Bonollo DS, **Voorhees CC**, Hollis JF. Relapse and Maintenance Issues for Smoking Cessation. *Health Psychology*. 2000(19)1:17-31.

Valmadrid C., **Voorhees CC**, Litt B Schneyer C. Practice patterns for prophylaxis and treatment of antiepileptic drug-induced bone disease: a national survey of neurologists. *Archives of Neurology*. September, 2002

Striegel-Moore RH, McMahon RP, Biro FM, Schrieber G, Crawford PB, **Voorhees C**. Exploring the relationship between timing of menarche and eating disorder symptoms in black and white adolescent girls: the NHLBI Growth and Health Study. *International Journal of Eating Disorders*. (In press, 2001)

Voorhees CC, Schreiber GB, Schumann BC, Biro F, Crawford PB. Early predictors of daily smoking in young women: The NHLBI Growth and Health Study. *Preventive Medicine* 2002(34): 616-624.

Young DR and **Voorhees CC**. Associations among sociocultural and environmental factors and physical activity level in Urban African American Women. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*. 2003 25(3)38-44.

Voorhees CC and Young DR. Personal, Social and Physical Environmental Correlates of Physical Activity Levels in Young, Urban Latinas. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 2003 25(3)61-67.

Voorhees CC Murray DM, Welk G, et al. The role of peer social network factors and physical activity in adolescent girls. *American Journal of Health Behavior*. 2005 Mar-Apr;29(2):183-9.

Birnbaum AS, Evenson KR, Motl RW, Dishman RK, **Voorhees CC**, Sallis JF, Elder JP, Dowda. Assessing school climate for girls physical activity. *American Journal of Health Behavior*. 2005 May-Jun;29(3):250-7.

Dishman R, Motl R, Sallis J, Dunn A, Birnbaum AS, **Voorhees CC**, Jobe J. Self-Management

strategies mediate self-efficacy and physical activity. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*. 2005 Jul;29(1):10-8.

Cohen D, Ashwood S, Scott M, Overton A, Evenson K, **Voorhees CC**, Bedimo-Rung A, McKenzie T. Proximity to School and Physical Activity among middle school girls. *Journal of Physical Activity and Health*. 1, S124-133. 2006.

Kimm SYS, Glynn NW, McMahon RP, **Voorhees CC**, Streigel-Moore R, Daniels SR. Barriers to physical activity in a biracial cohort of sedentary adolescent girls. *Medicine and Science in Sport and Exercise*, 38(3)534-540. 2006.

Rushowich BR, **Voorhees CC**, Davis E, Neumark-Sztainer D, Elder JP, Going S, Marino VG. The relationship between unsupervised time after school and physical activity in adolescent girls. *International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity*. 2006 Jul 31;3:28

Evenson KR, Birnbaum AS, Bedimo-Rung aL, Sallis JF, **Voorhees CC**, Ring K, Elder JP. . Girls' perception of physical environmental factors and transportation: reliability and association with physical activity and active transport to school. *In J Behav Nutr Phys Act*. 2006 Sep 14;3:28.

Evenson KR, Scott MM, Cohen DR, **Voorhees CC**. Association of Girl's Perception of neighborhood factors on physical activity, sedentary behavior, and adiposity. *Obesity*. 2007 Feb. 15(2):430-45.

Dowda M, McKenzie T, Cohen D, Scott M, Evenson KR, Bedimo-Rung A, **Voorhees CC**, Almeida J. Commercial venues as supports for physical activity in adolescent girls. *Preventive Medicine*. 2007. Aug-Sept; 45(2-3); 163-8.

Kuo J, **Voorhees CC**, Haythornthwaite JA, Young DR. Associations among family support, family intimacy and neighborhood crime with physical activity in urban adolescent girls. *Am J Public Health*. 2007 Jan. 97(1):101-3.

Ries AV, **Voorhees CC**, Gittelsohn J, Roche KM, Astone N. Perceptions of the Environment and Physical Activity: Gender Differences among African American Adolescents. *American Journal of Health Behavior*. 2008. 32(1), 26-39.

Ries AV, Gittelsohn JG., **Voorhees CC**, Roche K, Clifton K, Astone, N. (in press 2008). The environment and urban adolescents' use of recreational facilities for physical activity: A qualitative study. *American Journal of Health Promotion*.

MANUSCRIPTS CURRENTLY PEER REVIEW

Voorhees CC, Ashwood S, Catellier D, Cohen D, Conway T, Dowda M, Lytle L, Bedimo-Rung A. Indicators of socioeconomic status and physical activity and body mass index in adolescent girls. Under revision

Voorhees CC, Yan F, Clifton K, Wang MQ. How does neighborhood built environment influence physical activity in urban youth? Evaluating a structural model of walking behavior pathways among African American adolescents. Manuscript Under review; Abstract under review, North American Association of Obesity Research (NAASO), October 2008, Phoenix, AZ.

Voorhees CC, Ashwood SA, Evenson K, Sirard J, Dowda M, McKenzie T, Rung A. Community Design and Perceptions-Relationship with Adolescent, School-Based Active Commuting. Manuscript Under review . Abstract under review, North American Association of Obesity Research (NAASO), October 2008, Phoenix, AZ.

Voorhees CC, Ries AV, Yan AF, Clifton K. Objective and perceived measures of crime, traffic safety and their relationship to walking behavior and park use in urban adolescents. Tenth Annual Crime Mapping Confering: Solving problems with geography and technology. Mapping and Anlalysis for Public Safety. September 17-20 2008, New Orleans, LA. Invited Talk/Paper.

Published Abstracts/Presentations

Voorhees CC. Effectiveness Comparisons of Two Community Based Interventions for Smoking Cessation in An Urban African American Population. NHLBI Cardiovascular Epidemiology/Biostatistics and Behavioral Medicine Trainee Session in conjunction with the 34th Annual Conference on Cardiovascular Disease Epidemiology and Prevention. Tampa, Florida Conference Proceedings, March 1994.

Voorhees CC, Stillman FA, Becker DM. Outcome Comparisons of Two Community Based Interventions for Smoking Cessation in An Urban African American Population. Society of Behavioral Medicine National Conference. Boston, Mass. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*. 16:suppl:70. 1994

Stillman FA, **Voorhees CC**, Becker DM. Smoking Prevalence Comparisons in Urban African American Communities Utilizing Two Survey Methods. Society of Behavioral Medicine National Conference. Boston, Mass. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*. 16:suppl:56. 1994

Stillman FA, **Voorhees CC**, Harris DX., Watson H., Becker, DM. Project Bless: Community Based Tobacco Control. 9th World Conference on Tobacco and Health. Paris, France. October 1994.

Stillman FA, Harris DX., Lees P, **Voorhees CC**, Becker, DM. Assessing Household Exposure to ETS: A Pilot Study. 9th World Conference on Tobacco and Health. Paris, France. October 1994.

Stillman FA, **Voorhees CC**, Becker DM. Church-Based Trial of Smoking Cessation in an African American Community. 9th World Conference on Tobacco and Health. Paris, France. October 1994.

Voorhees CC, Shochet RB, Chow RT, Urbaitus JC, Muneses T. An Ambulatory Based Curriculum for Internal Medicine Residents in Psychosocial and Behavioral Medicine: Design, Pilot and Evaluation. Eighth Biennial Teaching Internal Medicine Symposium. Seattle, Washington. Conference proceedings, September 1995.

Park JH, Meyerhoff J, **Voorhees CC**. Sodium intake and body weight monitoring in outpatients with hypertension and related conditions in a resident practice office. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*. 11(1):120 (supplement). April 1996

Meyerhoff J, **Voorhees CC**. Computer generated reminders can significantly increase housestaff compliance with health maintenance items. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*. 11(1):60 (supplement). April 1996.

McNabney M, Cogen R, **Voorhees C**, Rajani S, Stein B, Wicks W. Linking Education with service through geriatric consultations in "non-internal medicine" geriatric specialty units. American Geriatrics Society. Chicago, Illinois. May 1996 .

Valmadrid C., **Voorhees CC**, Litt B, Schneyer C. Practice patterns for prophylaxis and treatment of antiepileptic drug-induced bone disease: a national survey of neurologists. American College of Physicians Regional Conference. May 1996.(first place scientific presentation; mentored medical resident). Presentation at ACP national meeting Philadelphia, PA March 1997.

Valmadrid C, **Voorhees CC**, Litt B, Schneyer CR. Bone disease and antiepileptic drug use: a national survey of neurologists. Association for Bone and Mineral Research. September 1996. #T641.

Thomas PA, Miller LR, Ryan-Lowitt N, **Voorhees CC**. Outpatient patient satisfaction surveys in a residency evaluation system. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*. 12(1):99 (supplement). April 1997.

Voorhees CC, Stillman FA, Yanek LR, Young DR, Levine DM, Becker DM. Smoking Prevalence in urban african american populations: A multi-strategy sampling method. The 37th Annual Meeting of the Council on Epidemiology and Prevention, American Heart Association. Montreal, June 29-July 3 1997. *Canadian Journal of Cardiology* (supplement), July 1997.

Voorhees CC, Yanek LR, Stillman FA, Young DR, Levine DM, Becker DM. Smoking patterns, attitudes and quitting behavior in urban african americans. The 37th Annual Meeting of the Council on Epidemiology and Prevention, American Heart Association. Montreal, June 29-July 3 1997. *Canadian Journal of Cardiology* (supplement), July 1997.

Kimm SYS, Glynn NW, Streigel-Moore R, **Voorhees CC**. Barriers to physical activity in a biracial cohort of adolescent girls. Society of Behavioral Medicine, April, 1999.

Cody M, Johnson K, Klesges R, King A, Albright C, Hogan P, Rejeski J, Cohen S, Marcus B, Sallis J, **Voorhees CC**. Smoking status and ability to initiate a program of physical activity. Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco. April, 1999.

Cody M, Somes G, King A, Smith H, **Voorhees C**, Johnson K, Cohen S, Marcus B. Smoking status influence on changes in fitness, physical activity and motivational characteristics in ACT. Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco. 2001

Kimm SYS, Glynn NW, Streigel-Moore R, **Voorhees CC**. Barriers to physical activity in a biracial cohort of adolescent girls: Perception or Reality? *Ann Behavioral Medicine*. 1999; 21:Suppl:S206.

Birnbaum AS, Evenson KR, Motl RW, Dishman RK, **Voorhees CC**, Sallis JF, Elder JP, Dowda M. Assessing school climate for girls' physical activity. *International Society of Obesity and Nutrition*, 2003

Voorhees CC, Young DR. Association among sociocultural and environmental factors in urban African American women. *American Public Health Association*, San Francisco, CA , November, 2003

Young DR, **Voorhees CC**. Social and environmental correlates of physical activity in urban Latino women. American Public Health Association, San Francisco, CA . November 2003

Voorhees CC, Clifton K, Whitt K, Young DR. Influence of travel patterns and community environment on daily walking in urban high school girls. *Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Active Living Research Annual Meeting*, Del Mar, CA. January, 2004

Evenson KR, Birnbaum AS, Bedimo-Rung AL, **Voorhees CC**, Ring K, Sallis JF, Elder JF. Test-retest reliability of girl's perception of environmental factors and transportation for physical activity. Med Sc Sport and Ex: Vol 36(5) Supplement May 2004 p S329.

Voorhees CC, Clifton K, Knaap G, Young DR, Wang MQ. Adolescent Physical activity and the Urban Environment. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Active Living Research Annual Meeting, Coronado, CA. February, 2005

Voorhees CC, Barr-Anderson D, You T, Young DR. Changes in Fitness, BMI and Body Image in Urban, African American Adolescent Girls International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity (ISBNPA). Amsterdam, Netherlands, June 2005.

Cohen DA, Ashwood S, Scott M, Overton A, Evenson KR, **Voorhees CC**, Staten L, McKenzie T, Bedimo-Rung A. Neighborhood characteristics and physical activity in adolescent girls. American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA. December, 2005.

Ries AV, **Voorhees CC**, Alexander C. Understanding environmental factors influencing the use of recreational facilities for physical activity among urban African American adolescents. Active Living Research National Meeting: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. Feb 2006, San Diego, CA

Voorhees CC, Ashwood JS, Cohen D et al. Indicators of socioeconomic status and BMI and non-school physical activity in adolescent girls. *International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity* July 2006 Boston.

Voorhees CC, Clifton K, Yan F, Vastine A, Knaap G, Wang MQ. Exploring the relationship between neighborhood design, crime, safety and physical activity in urban adolescents. *International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity*. June 2007, Oslo, Norway.

Harris BM, **Voorhees CC**. Availability of healthy foods, BMI and dietary patterns in urban adolescents. *American Public Health Association*. Washington, DC. November 2007

Young DR, Clifton K, **Voorhees CC**, Wang MQ, Knaap G. Association between physical activity and land use neighborhood clusters in adolescents. *American Public Health Association*. Washington, DC. November 2007

Ries A, **Voorhees CC**, Astone N. Environmental factors impacting urban adolescents' use of parks for physical activity. *American Public Health Association*. Washington, DC. November 2007

Rushovich B, **Voorhees CC**, Ries A. Adolescent employment and physical activity. *American Public Health Association*. Washington, DC. November 2007

Voorhees CC. Smart Growth and Public Health. "Where's the data?" Seventh Annual New Partners for Smart Growth: Building Safe, Healthy and Livable Communities. February 8, 2008, Washington, D.C.

Voorhees CC, Yan AF, Clifton KC, Wang MC. Neighborhood Built environment and physical activity in urban adolescents evaluating a structural model of walking behavior and physical activity. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Active Living Research National Meeting. April 10, 2008 Washington, DC

Yan AF, **Voorhees CC** Environmental influences on physical activity and obesity in African American adolescents—A multilevel perspective. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Active Living Research National Meeting. April 10, 2008 Washington, DC

Ries AV, **Voorhees CC**, Gittelsohn J, Roche KM, Astone N. Perceptions of the Environment and Physical Activity: Gender Differences among African American Adolescents. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Active Living Research National Meeting. April 10, 2008 Washington, DC

SERVICE-State of Maryland (2004-2008)/University

State Maryland (DHMH) Nutrition, Physical Activity and Obesity Prevention State Plan:
Co-author, *Surveillance and Evaluation Working Group, State Plan*
Co-chair *Community Implementation Workgroup.*

University/School Department Human Subjects Chair
School of Public Health Development Committee and Founding Faculty
School of Public Health Self-Study for CEPH Accreditation

Affiliations/Appointments (University of Maryland/Johns Hopkins University)

Maryland Population Research Center, UMD, Associate Faculty

National Center for Smart Growth Research, UMD, Affiliate Faculty

UMD Integrative Environmental Research Center, Affiliate Faculty

Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine: General Internal Medicine (part time appointment)

Affiliate with the Welch Center for Prevention and Epidemiology- Joint center between SOM and SPH Department of Epidemiology

**Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
Adolescent Prevention Research Center
Adjunct Associate Professor Department of Health, Behavior and Society**