

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**I. PERSONAL DATA**

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**DATE OF BIRTH:**

November 4, 1955

**PLACE OF BIRTH:**

La Plata, Argentina

**CITIZENSHIP:**

United States of America

**II. EDUCATION**

1993 - 1995

Masters of Science in Health Services, School of Public Health, University of California,  
Los Angeles

1986 - 1987

Infant Psychiatry Fellowship, Department of Psychiatry, Children's National Medical Center Washington, D.C., The George Washington University School of Medicine

1984 - 1986

Child Psychiatry Fellowship, Department of Psychiatry, Texas Children's Hospital, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas

1981 - 1985

General Psychiatry Residency, Baylor College of Medicine Affiliated Hospitals, Houston, Texas

1973 - 1978

Medical School, National University of La Plata, School of Medical Sciences, La Plata, Argentina, Degree: M.D.

### III. PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS, LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

#### **Board Certifications:**

Certification in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, Certificate Number 2326, September 1988

Certification in General Psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, Certificate Number 28485, November 1986

#### **Licenses to practice medicine:**

California Medical License, Number C 043180, April 6, 1994

Virginia Medical License, Number 0101 048570, September 1, 1992

Maryland Medical License, Number D39235, September 3, 1989

District of Columbia Medical License, Number 16593, May 6, 1987

### IV. EXPERIENCE

#### **Academic posts:**

1995- present

Research Scientist, Center for Neuroscience Research, Children's Research Institute, Children's National Medical Center and Center for Health Services and Community Research

1993 - 1998

Faculty Scholar in Mental Health Services Research, Department of Psychiatry  
University of California Los Angeles directed by Kenneth Wells, M.D.

1987 - 2006

Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Child Health and Development  
The George Washington University

2006- present

Associate Professor of Psychiatry and Child Health and Development  
The George Washington University

## **V. MILITARY EXPERIENCE**

1979

Argentinean Army, Military Service. No U.S. military experience

## **VI. SOCIETIES, HONORS AND COMMITTEES**

2006

Youth Pride Alliance, Washington, DC. Allied Honors, 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration.  
Youth Pride Alliance is a non-governmental organization that provides leadership and advocacy to GLBT youth.

2005

US Department of Health and Human Services Secretary's Award for Distinguished Service for the Creation of and Outreach for "Real Men Real Depression", Public Education Campaign given on May 25, 2005 by the Secretary Michael Levitt. I was involved in the campaign planning during my 2000-2004 IPA at the National Institute of Mental Health.

The 2005 Ma Vie en Rose - Children's Advocate Award, was bestowed on the Outreach Program for Children with Gender Variant Behaviors and their Families by the Skylight Project of San Francisco.

California Legislature Assembly Certificate of Recognition on the occasion of the 2005 Ma Vie en Rose Award. Mark Leno, Assemblyman, 13<sup>th</sup> District, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2005

Doctoral Dissertation Committee, External Member. Pediatric HIV: Effects of Adjustment, Social Support, and Disclosure on Cognitive and Psychosocial Functioning.

Diana A. Shelmer, B.A., doctoral candidate in Philosophy in Psychology, Columbian School of Arts and Sciences of the George Washington University.

2004

Doctoral Dissertation Committee, External Member, Discrepancies in Hispanic Adolescents' and Parents' Cultural Beliefs and Adolescents Health Behaviors. Alyssa Rodríguez, B.S., M. Phil, doctoral candidate in Philosophy in Psychology, Columbian School of Arts and Sciences of the George Washington University.

2003 – 2005

Member of the Committee on Gender Identity and Sexual Orientations, American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

2002 - 2004

Member of the research study section, Children's Research Institute, Children's National Medical Center

1993 - 1995

Member of the Advisory Board, International Catholic Child Bureau, North America

1990 - 1993

Member of the Board of Directors, The Samaritans of Washington, D.C.

1985 - 1987

Fellow, National Center for Clinical Infant Programs, Washington, D.C.

1985 – 1986

Chief Resident in Child Psychiatry, Department of Psychiatry, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas

General member, The American Academy of Child Psychiatry - since 1985

General member, American Psychiatric Association - since 1982

## **VII. ADMINISTRATIVE AND CLINICAL DUTIES**

2005 - present

Director of the Gender Development Program, Department of Psychiatry, CNMC. The program provides psychosocial evaluations and therapeutic services for children, adolescents with gender variant behaviors and gender or sexual identity development.

2000 - 2004

IPA with the National Institutes of Health. Medical officer psychiatrist at the Child and Adolescent Prevention and Treatment Intervention Branch, Division of Intervention Research Health Services, National Institute of Mental Health.

1999- present

Co-director the Outreach Program for Children with gender Variant Behaviors and their Families. The program provides community outreach through support groups for parents and children as well as workshops for health care providers and educators.

Instructor, research seminar, Residency Program in Child Psychiatry, CNMC. Year long monthly seminar for second year child psychiatry fellows focusing on individual research project and departmental presentation as required by the ACGME.

1999 - 2001

Mentor of post-doctoral research fellow, Brian Razzino, PhD, Research Training in Early Developmental Psychopathology (NIMH T-32, PI: David Mrazek, MD, 06/30/94-06/29/04)

1999 - 2000

Attending Psychiatrist, Michigan Avenue Outpatient Consultation Center, Children's National Medical Center, Washington, DC

Consultant psychiatrist, Bienestar, an outpatient mental health program for Hispanic administered by Sant?, Inc., DHS, Prince George's County, MD.

1995 - present

Attending Psychiatrist, Montgomery County Outpatient Consultation Center, Children's National Medical Center, Shady Grove, MD

1992 - 1993

Medical Director for Psychiatry, Fairfax Satellite Outpatient Clinic, Children's National Medical Center. Provide outpatient services and supervise Child Psychiatry Fellows

1990 - 1992

Medical Director, Inpatient Psychiatry Unit for School-age Children, Children's National Medical Center. Attending physician, administration of a ten-bed acute care psychiatric unit for children ages 3-14

1987 - 1993

Co-Director of Outpatient Psychiatry Infant and Family Screening Team, Outpatient Psychiatry Department, Children's National Medical Center. Provides training of Child

Psychiatry Fellows in multidisciplinary assessment of young children with behavioral and developmental concerns

1987 - 1990

Director of the School-Based Mental Health Program for Hispanic Children, Youth and Families, Department of Psychiatry, Children's National Medical Center. Developed and directed a multidisciplinary team that provided interventions to recent immigrant Central American children. Contract issued by the District of Columbia Commission on Mental Health.

Associate Medical Director, Inpatient Psychiatry Unit, Children's National Medical Center

## **VIII. CONSULTANT APPOINTMENTS**

2002 - 2005

Clinical consultant for DC Hope - DC Initiative a federally funded demonstration project to reduce infant mortality in the District of Columbia. Principal investigator Jill Joseph, M.D., CNMC. Lead a team that provided mental health consultation to research participants identified as having unmet needs for mental health services.

2002 - 2006

Child Psychiatry Consultant to La Clínica del Pueblo's "Traumatic Stress in Children and Adolescent Immigrants" (NCTSN, CMHS, SAMHSA), Washington, DC. The program provides psychiatric services to children, adolescents and their families at La Clínica del Pueblo, a D.C. community clinic offering bilingual/bicultural services.

1993 - present

Consultant to "Poder - Crecer", the International Catholic Child Bureau, Geneva, Switzerland and DISOP, Brussels, Belgium. Provides technical assistance and training to Latin American organizations serving children in very difficult circumstances

1992

Consultant to a tripartite review between the International Catholic Child Bureau, United Nations High Commission on Refugees, and Community and Family Services International. Co-conducted a mental health assessment of Vietnamese unaccompanied minor asylum seekers in Hong Kong detention camps

## **IX. GRANTS AND CONTRACTS**

### **Current Research**

2005 - 2006

Co-Investigator, Parenting Children With Gender Variant Behaviors. In Collaboration with Darryl Hill, Ph.D. This study involves interviewing parents of gender-atypical children to examine their experiences and attitudes towards gender variance.

2004 - 2008

Consultant, A Structural Equation Analysis of Neighborhood Risk Factors for Maternal Depression, National Institute of Mental Health, K01, PI: Ronzio, Cynthia, 5% effort

2004 - 2009

Co-investigator, Violence Exposure and Teen Mothers: A Multiethnic Study, National Institute of Mental Health, R01 MH72577-01, PI: Joseph, Jill, 15% effort

2003 - 2006

Core Director, Core B Research Core, DC-Baltimore Research Center on Child Health Disparities 1 P20 MD000165, PI: Joseph, Jill, National Institute of Child Health and Development, 20% effort. Provides research mentorship to junior faculty, plans and coordinates research seminar for junior faculty.

2004

Project Director, Outreach Program for Children with gender Variant Behaviors and their Families. Grant to support republication of parent guide booklet, Children's National Medical Center Child Health Center Board, \$7, 789

2003 - 2004

Project Director, Outreach Program for Children with gender Variant Behaviors and their Families. General program support grant from the Freddie Mac Foundation, \$10,000

2002 - 2004

Principal Investigator, minority supplement to "Youth Violence: Unmet Need for Mental Health Services", MH-58730-04S1/05S1, National Institute of Mental Health. The recipient is Ivor Horn, M.D, M.P.H., Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Children's National Medical Center. This project examines how parenting beliefs and practices relate to violence and injury prevention in African American adolescents Direct cost \$193,904; total cost \$318,002

1999 - 2004

Principal Investigator, "Youth Violence: Unmet Need for Mental Health Services", MH-58730-A1, National Institute of Mental Health. This prospective study examines the rate, severity, and clinical course of psychiatric disorders, the rate of functional deficits, and the pattern of services, across service sectors, used by adolescents seeking emergency medical care for injuries. Direct cost \$555,004; total cost \$901,757

2001 - 2002

Project Director, “Being Yourself, Feeling Good and Fitting-in: Outreach, Education and Advocacy for Families of Very Gentle Boys and Tomboy Girls”, Child Health Center Board, Children’s National Medical Center. Grant supports the development of an outreach and public education program for families. Total cost \$24,000

2001 - 2002

Principal Investigator, “Community Norms Regarding Safety Supervision and Child Rearing Practices among Latinos”

Research Advisory Council, Children’s National Medical Center. Grant supports a quantitative and qualitative pilot study of knowledge and attitudes regarding child development and discipline among immigrant Latinos. Total cost \$30,000

1987 - 1990

Program Director, "School-Based Mental Health Program for Hispanic Children, Youth and Families", contract issued by District of Columbia Commission on Mental Health, Department of Health and Human Services

## X. PUBLICATIONS

### Referenced Journals:

Menvielle E, Perrin E, Tuerk, C. The Beat of a Different Drummer: Children Who do not Follow Gender-Typical Expectations. Contemporary Pediatrics, February 2005, 38-46

Razzino B, Joseph J, Menvielle E. Central American adolescent acculturation and parental distress: relationship to ratings of adolescent behavior problems. Psychological reports, 2003, 92:1255-1267.

Ringeisen H, Oliver K, Menvielle E. Recognition and treatment of mental illnesses in children: Considerations for pediatric health systems. Pediatric Drugs, 2002, 4(11):697-703

Menvielle E, Tuerk C. A support group for parents of gender non-conforming boys. Journal of the American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry, 41(8), August 2002:1010-13

Chatoor I., Getson P, Menvielle E, O’Donnell R., Rivera I., Brasseaux C. & Mrazek D. (1997) A feeding scale for research and clinical practice to assess mother-infant interaction in the first three years of life. Infant Mental Health Journal, 18: 76-91.

Bussing R, Menvielle E, Zima B, (1996) The Relationship between Behavioral Problems and Unintentional Injuries in U.S. Children: Findings of the 1988 Health Interview Survey. Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine., 150:50-56.

Chatoor I, Egan J, Getson P, Menvielle E & O'Donnell R, (1988). Mother-infant interactions in infantile anorexia nervosa. Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, 27:535-540.

### **Other Publications:**

Menvielle E. Letter to the Editor regarding “Maternal Issues May Predispose Desire for Gender Change in Boys, Clinical Psychiatry News, April 2005”, Clinical Psychiatry News, August 2005

Menvielle E. Expert Speaks Out: Parents Struggling with their Child’s Gender Issues. The Brown University Child and Adolescent Behavior Letter, July 2004, pp. 1, 3-4

Menvielle E. A Changing Clinical Paradigm on Childhood Gender Variance. AACAP News, a member newsletter of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, October 2003, pp. 274-6

Menvielle E and Silber T. Letter to the editor: Getting to the bottom of cross-dressing: a response. Contemporary Pediatrics October 2002, 19(10):22

Menvielle E. Letter to the Editor: Gender Identity Disorder. Journal of the American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry, 1998, Vol 37(3), 243-244.

### **Books Chapters:**

Menvielle E, (2007), La Resiliencia en el Adolescente Gay y Lesbiana (Resilience in Gay and Lesbian Adolescents), in Adolescencia y Resiliencia (Resilience in Adolescence), Munist, M., Suárez Ojeda, E. Krauskopk D., Silber T. (Eds), Editorial Paidós, Buenos Aires - In Press

Walsh T, Menvielle E, Khushlani D, (2005), Disorders of elimination, Essentials of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Dulcan, Mina K (Ed). American Psychiatric Publishing, Inc. Washington, D.C. - In Press

Walsh T and Menvielle E, (2002), Disorders of elimination, Textbook of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Third Edition, Wiener, J. (Ed). American Psychiatric Press,

Washington, D.C. 2004

Walsh T and Menvielle E, (1996), Disorders of elimination, Textbook of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Second Edition, Wiener, J. (Ed). American Psychiatric Press, Washington, D.C. Ch.38, pp.613-620

Menvielle E, (1992), El síndrome del estrés postraumático, Manual de Medicina de la Adolescencia, Silber, T., Munist, M., Maddaleno, Suárez Ojeda, E. (Eds), Organización Panamericana de la Salud, Organización Mundial de la Salud, Washington, D.C. (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder. Manual of Adolescent Medicine. Panamerican Health Organization, WHO), Ch.24, Sec.5, pp.540-547.

Walsh T and Menvielle E, (1991), Disorders of elimination, Textbook of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Wiener, J. (Ed). American Psychiatric Press, Washington, D.C. Ch.38, pp.416-421

### **Published Abstracts and Presentations:**

#### **2006**

Menvielle E, Latino Parents Confronting Gender Variance and Homosexuality in Symposium “Latino Sexual Minority Youth: Perspectives from Mexico and the U.S.” (Menvielle, E, chair), Scientific Proceedings of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, October 24-29, 2006

Pleak, R, Herbert S and Menvielle E, TransGeneration Treatment: Psychiatrists Working with Transgender Youth (Workshop), Scientific Proceedings of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, October 24-29, 2006

Menvielle, E, Tuerk C, Marrone N, Children with Gender-variant Behaviors (Niños con comportamientos de género variantes), Mexican Federation of Sexual Education and Sexology (Federación mexicana de Educación Sexual y Sexología, FEMESS), Guadalajara, Mexico, September 6-9, 2006

Marrone N, Menvielle, E, From Mockery to Torment: Harassment of LGBT Student, and of those Perceived as Such, in Schools (De la burla a la tortura: Hostigamiento en las escuelas a alumnos LGBT o percibidos como tales), Mexican Federation of Sexual Education and Sexology (Federación mexicana de Educación Sexual y Sexología, FEMESS), Guadalajara, Mexico, September 6-9, 2006

Menvielle E, Hill, D, Tuerk C, Henry J, Hanley T. Effectiveness of Group Interventions for Parents of Gender-variant Children. Scientific Proceedings of the American Psychiatric Association 2006 Annual Meeting, Toronto, ON, May 20-26, 2006

Darryl B. Hill, Edgardo Menvielle, Alisa Johnson, & Kristin Sica. The Parent's Perspective on Gender Variant Children and Adolescents: Concerns, Hopes, And Joys. Scientific Proceedings of the American Psychiatric Association 2006 Annual Meeting, Toronto, ON, May 20-26, 2006

## **2005**

Menvielle E. Symposium Presenter: Queer Think for the Straight Shrink: Tips for Kiddie Clinicians. Scientific Proceedings of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Association 2005 Annual Meeting, Toronto, ON, October 18-23, 2005

Menvielle E, Hill DB, Tuerk C, Henry J, Hanley T (2005), An On-line Group for Parents of Gender-variant Children. Poster presentation. Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Toronto, ON, October 18-23.

Menvielle E (2005). Symposium Presenter: Queer Think for the Straight Shrink: Tips for Kiddie Clinicians. Scientific Proceedings of the American Psychiatric Association 2005 Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, May 21-26, 2005

Barrueco S, Lewin A, Menvielle E. (2004) Young Children's Cultural Experiences: Conceptualization and Measure Development. Scientific Proceeding of the Head Start's 7th National Research Conference, "Promoting Positive Development in Young Children: Designing Strategies That Work", June 28-July1, Washington, DC

Menvielle E and Tuerk K, (2004), Childhood GID: What should we treat and why? In Symposium titled "Critical Perspectives on Gender Identity Disorder in Children and Adolescents", Scientific Proceedings of American Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting

Menvielle E and Tuerk K, (2004), The Sissy Duckling: A Cartoon about Childhood Gender Variance. Media presentation , Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Psychiatric Association

Menvielle E and Tuerk K, (2003), The Sissy Duckling: A Cartoon about Childhood Gender Variance. Media presentation , Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry- This presentation was rated among the 10 presentations rated highest by the conference audience.

Menvielle E, Rivera I, Cheng T, Wright J, Horn I (2003). Latino Parents Attitudes about Pediatrician's Role in Discipline Guidance, a Qualitative Pilot Study. *Scientific Proceedings of the Pediatric Academic Society Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA*

Menvielle E and Tuerk K, (2002) Parenting gender-non-conforming boys: Insights from a parent support group. *Scientific Proceedings of the 49th Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry*

Razzino B, Menvielle E, Nicolas M, Young E, (2002) Externalizing behavior and distress among adolescents with interpersonal assault injuries. *Scientific Proceedings of the 49th Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry*

Menvielle E, Razzino B, Lewin A, New M, Joseph J, (2001) Acculturation and Behavioral Health among Central American Adolescent, *Scientific Proceedings of the Pediatric Academic Society Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD*

Menvielle E, (1997), Violence Exposure In Immigrant Latino Adolescents in Symposium: Unmet Need for Child Mental Health Services Across Sectors of Care, Regina Bussing (Chair), *Scientific Proceedings of the 10th Annual Research Conference, University of South Florida, "A System of Care for Children's Mental Health: Expanding the Research Base"*

Menvielle E, (1995), The Effects of Violence Exposure and Life Disruptions on the Mental Health of Central American Adolescents, in Symposium 31: Child Psychiatrists at Work in War Zones, E. James Anthony (Chair). *Scientific Proceedings of the 42nd Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry*

Bussing R, Menvielle E, (1995), Accidental Injuries and Behavioral Disorders in U.S. Children: Findings of the 1988 Health Interview Survey. *Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Psychiatric Association.*

Bussing R, Menvielle E, (1994), Accidental Injuries and Behavioral Disorders in U.S. Children: Findings of the 1988 Health Interview Survey. *Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.*

Rubin S, Rivera I, Menvielle E, et al., (1994), Secure Attachment in a Central American Immigrant Population. *Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.*

Menvielle E (1991), Psychiatric Outcome and Psychological Interventions for Children Exposed to Trauma. *Proceedings of 1991 International Symposium of the International Catholic Child Bureau, "The Psychological Well-Being of Refugee Children: Research, Practice and Policy Issues", Margaret McCallin (Ed.), Geneva, Switzerland, pp.106-116.*

del Carmen R, Menvielle E, Jensen P, Richters J, Dimitri S, (1991), Depression in mothers of children with physical versus psychological disorders. Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.

Chatoor I. & Menvielle E, (1988), Food refusal by infants and toddlers: Differential diagnosis and treatment. Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, p.26.

Chatoor I, Egan J, Getson P, Menvielle E & O'Donnell R, (1987), Infantile Anorexia Nervosa: A developmental disorder of separation and individuation. Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, p.9.

Chatoor I, Ruley E, Kerzner B, Abbott A, Menvielle E & Kammmerman L, (1987), The interacytion of organic and psychological factors resulting in growth failure in infants with renal disease. Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, p.7.

Chatoor I & Menvielle E, (1987), The assessment of feeding, and play behaviors of infants and young children under the age of three. Scientific Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, p.18.

### **Academic Presentations:**

2006

Georgetown University, Department of Psychiatry, “Reaching Young Children with Gender-Variant Behaviors” , grand rounds presentation, May 11, 2006

2005

Children’s National Medical Center- Department of Adolescent Medicine. Gender Identity in Adolescents, December 13, 2005.

Children’s National Medical Center – Psychiatry Partial Hospital Program. “Gender-variant behaviors and the development of sexual and gender identity” staff development in-service workshop, October 6, 2005.

Operation Respect - Don’t Laugh at Me– “What Works! Models of Success that Create Climates of Respect and Overcome Bullying, Ridicule, and Violence” Symposium, , Plenary Session, Washington, DC: “The Hurt of Stigma Starts in Kindergarten”, July 1,

2005.

Trans NYC, CUNY Graduate Center, New York, NY, “Gender Variance and Autism Spectrum Disorders: three clinical cases”, June 18, 2005

Wisconsin Early Childhood Association “Beyond 'Pink or Blue': Gender-Variant Children and Youth" Pewaukee, WI, “Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation Issues in Childhood and Adolescence”, keynote presentation, Waukesha County Technical College, Pewaukee Campus, May 7, 2005

True Colors XII Conference “Over the Rainbow and Out of the Box”, New Britain, CT, “The Hurt of Stigma Starts in Kindergarten: Supporting Children Who Are Gender-different”, professional development workshop, March 18-19, 2005

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Washington, DC, “Children with Gender-variant Behaviors”, March 16, 2005

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Washington, DC, “Gender Variance and Autism Spectrum Disorders”, grand rounds presentation, February 23, 2005

Long Island Jewish Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, New York, NY, “An outreach program for children with gender-variant behaviors”, invited speaker for the 2004 Dennis Anderson grand rounds November 18, 2004

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Washington, DC, “Gender Identity Disorders”, Core Psychopathology Seminar Series lecture, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Residency Training and Psychology Clinical Internship Programs, 2004

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Adolescent Medicine, The Development of Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation in Children and Adolescents, 2004

University of Maryland School of Nursing, Baltimore, MD, “The Role of Psychopharmacology Interventions in Youth Aggression”, keynote speaker presentation at the 2004 National Conference on Children and Adolescents: "Youth Violence", April 2, 2004

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Washington, DC, “Gender Identity Disorder in Childhood: History and Contemporary Issues” grand rounds

presentation with Karl Bryant, UC Santa Barbara, January 7, 2004

The George Washington School of Medicine, Washington, DC, “Gender Variance In Children: Clinical issues”, presentation for medical students as part of a Lunch Seminar Series sponsored by the Lesbian and Gay Bisexual Transgender People in Medicine, 2004

Children’s National Medical Center, Comp Care and Adams Morgan Outpatient Centers, Washington, DC, “Parenting Beliefs: A Community Study of Latino Parents in DC”, in-service presentation for clinic staff, 2003

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Washington, DC, “An Exploratory Study of Latino Parents’ Discipline and Child Rearing”, grand rounds presentation, February 26, 2003

The Brown University Medical School, Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Providence, RI, “Supporting the Development of Gender-Variant Children Through Parent Work”, grand rounds presentation, February 13, 2003

International Conference on Family Violence, San Diego, CA, Tuerk C, Menvielle E, “Boy+ Feminine = Danger”, Poster presentation at the 8<sup>th</sup> Sept 16-20, 2003

Children's National Medical Center, Department of Adolescent Medicine, Washington, DC, “Support Group for Parents of Children With Gender Non-Conforming Behaviors”, seminar presentation for fellows and residents, 2002

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Washington, DC, “Clinicians Helping Children Cope with Divorce”, grand rounds presentation, 2002

Children's National Medical Center, Washington, DC, “Gender Variant Children”. In-service presentation for pediatrics house-staff, 2002

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Washington, DC, “Parenting Very gentle Boys and Very Tomboy Girls: What Parents Need to Know and Are Afraid to Ask”, grand rounds presentation, 2002

Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health 12th Annual Conference, Washington, DC, “Being yourself, feeling good and fitting in: advocacy and support for very gentle boys and tomboy girls”, 2002

National Middle School Association Conference and Exhibit, Washington, DC, “When did you know that you were different? As long as I can remember: Supporting Youth

with gender Variant Behaviors”, 2002

Children’s National Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Washington, DC,  
“Psychiatric Sequelae of Violence in Adolescents”, grand rounds presentation, 2000

Encuentro sobre Resiliencia, Fundación SES, Buenos Aires, Argentina, “La Resiliencia en el Trabajo con Jóvenes Gays y Lesbianas” (Resilience of Gay and Lesbian Youth), 2000

California Association for Bilingual Education, San Diego, C., "Psychosocial Risk Factors and Mental Health Needs among Khmer and Central American Youth", 1997

Université Catholique de Louvain, Centre Neurologique William Lenaux, Ottignies, Belgium, "Children Exposed to Violence and Trauma", 1995

"Children in an Intercultural Context", International Catholic Child Bureau, Birmingham, U.K., The Effects of Poverty and Marginalization on Child Development, 1992

Psychosocial Trauma in Refugee Children, Almanah Banhusset, Sweden,  
Refugee Children from El Salvador in Washington, D.C.: Clinical Intervention Approaches, Presentation, 1990

The World Congress of Social Psychiatry, Washington D.C., Psychosocial Effects of Violence in Two High Risk Groups of Children in Washington, D.C., 1990

Seventh National Biannual Hispanic Conference on Health and Human Services,  
National Coalition of Hispanic Health and Human Services, Victims of violence a public health concern, 1988

### **Community Presentations:**

Jewish Social Services Agency, Bethesda, MD, “Gender Variance and Sexual Orientation in Childhood and Adolescence, Developmental and Parenting Issues” presentation in annual course “Child and Adolescent Assessment and Treatment: A Bio-psycho-social Approach”, March 28, 2006

DC Public Schools, Washington, DC, “The Development of Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation in Children and Adolescents”, in Creating Safe Schools for LGBTQ Youth, a continuing education seminar for DCPS personnel, July 22, 2005

Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children, Washington, DC “Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation: Developmental Issues“ Training workshop as part of volunteer

training, Washington, DC, May 17, 2005

Jewish Social Services Agency, Bethesda, MD, “Gender Variance and Sexual Orientation in Childhood and Adolescence, Developmental and Parenting Issues” presentation in annual course “Child and Adolescent Assessment and Treatment: A Bio-psycho-social Approach”, April 19, 2005

First Presbyterian Church, Arlington Virginia, “Gender Orientation and Gender Identity Issues in Childhood and Adolescence”, February 27, 2005

DC Superior Court, Washington, DC, “Understanding and Working With Sexual Minority Youth”, expert panel for professional development session for judges, attorneys, advocates and other court staff, November 17, 2004

Board of Jewish Education, Rockville, MD, “Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation Issues in Childhood”, professional development workshop to Directors of the Jewish Early Childhood Centers in the greater Washington, DC area, October 26, 2004

Prince George’s County Public Schools, Mitcheville, MD, “Sexual and Gender Identity Development In Children and Adolescents” professional development workshop for health educators, Kinsford Elementary School, August 18, 2004

DC Public Schools, Washington, DC, “Clinical Issues among Children with Gender-Variant Behaviors”, presentation at continuing education seminar for DCPS teachers in conjunction with Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays summer training, July 23, 2004

DC Department of Mental Health, Washington, DC, “Clinical Issues among Children with Gender-Variant Behaviors”, presentation for mental health professionals and advocates, June 16, 2004

Jewish Social Services Agency, Bethesda, MD, “Gender Identity Issues in Childhood and Coming Out in the Family”, presentation in annual review course on child psychotherapy, March 30, 2004

Georgetown Preparatory School, Bethesda, MD, “Issues of Sexual Identity in Youth”, presentation for headmasters of Catholic high schools in the metropolitan DC area, April 22, 2004

The Psychiatric Institute of Washington, Washington, DC “Understanding and Working with lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Youth”, presentation for staff and mental health professionals, April 30, 2004

DC Bar Association, Washington, DC, “Working with Sexual Minority Youth: The Role of Families and Care Providers”, presentation with Catherine Tuerk at the Neglect Practice Institute, March 23, 2004

Jewish Social Services Agency, Bethesda, MD, “Gender Identity Issues in Childhood and Coming Out in the Family”, presentation as part of an annual review course on child psychotherapy, 2003

Simon Elementary School, Washington, DC, consultation and in-service training for school counselors on childhood gender variance, 2003

Child Center and Adult Services, Inc., Bethesda, MD, “Gender Identity Issues” presentation as a part of a continuing education series open to mental health professionals, April 4, 2003

The Amigo Program of Child Center and Adult Services, Inc., Bethesda, MD, “A Support Group for Parents of Children with Gender Non-Conforming Behaviors”, in-service presentation for program staff. The Amigo provides case management and counseling service for at-risk students and their families, 2002

The Mental Health Association of Montgomery County, Gaithersburg, MD, “A support group for parents of children with gender non-conforming behaviors”, in-service presentation for staff and community professionals, 2002

Georgetown University School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry, Washington, DC, “A support group for parents of children with gender non-conforming behaviors”, in-service presentation for research faculty, 2002

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### **Media Publications and Interviews**

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