8th Annual Health Services Research Day

Wednesday, May 4, 2022 8:00 am – 3:00 pm Emory School of Medicine Building, Auditorium 110

Time	Agenda Item / Topic	Speaker / Presenter	
8:00 am	Registration and Breakfast		
8:30 am	Welcome & Opening Remarks	David S. Stephens, MD Vice President for Research, Woodruff Health Sciences Center Chair, Department of Medicine, Emory University School of Medicine	
SESSION 1: Structure of Care to Improve Population Health			
Moderator: Megan Denham, MAEd			
8:35 am	Featured Talk: A Spatial Analysis of Primary Care Access and Disparities in Pre-pregnancy Chronic Disease and Cesarean Delivery Rates in Georgia	Sheree Boulet, DrPH Assistant Professor Division of Research, Department of Gynecology and Obstetrics Emory University School of Medicine	
9:00 am	Barriers to Postpartum Care: A Qualitative Study of Patients with Cardiometabolic Pregnancy Conditions Served by a Safety-Net Hospital in Georgia	Sarah C. Blake, PhD, MA Associate Professor Director of Graduate Studies, MPH and MSPH Programs Department of Health Policy & Management Rollins School of Public Health Emory University	
9:15 am	The Impact of Vertical Integration of Oncologists on Cancer Outcomes and Healthcare Costs Among Metastatic Prostate Cancer Patients	Xin Hu, MSPH PhD Candidate Department of Health Policy and Management Rollins School of Public Health Emory University	
9:30 am – 10:15 am	AM Poster Session		
10:15 am	Break		





SESSION 2: Processes of Health and Health Care Delivery Moderator: Dio Kavalieratos, PhD			
10:20 am	Featured Talk: Behavioral and Mental Health Costs among Children (2019-2020)	Janani Rajbhandari-Thapa, PhD Associate Professor of Health Policy & Management Director of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Director, Economic Evaluation Research Group Director, Obesity and Weight Management Certificate University of Georgia	
10:45 am	Improving Postoperative Sepsis Performance Measurement Using Hospital Risk-Adjustment and Concomitant Monitoring of Prevention and Rescue Within a Statewide Surgical Collaborative	Jesse Codner, MD Research Resident Department of Surgery Emory University	
11:00 am	Use of Advance Care Planning Among Medicare Beneficiaries with Kidney Failure	Kelsey Drewry, MA Doctoral Candidate Rollins School of Public Health Emory University	
11:15 am	Keynote Presentation: Is Quality Really in the Eye of the Beholder? Implications for Measurement	Elizabeth McGlynn, PhD Senior Vice President of Research and Quality Measurement Interim Executive Director, Kaiser Permanente Research Bank Executive Director, Center for Effectiveness & Safety Research	
12:15 – 1:00 pm	Networking Lunch: Please join other Health Services researchers and leaders for a networking lunch in the SOM Lobby	·	
1:00 – 1:45 pm	PM Poster Session		
SESSION 3: Effects of Health and Health Care on Patient Outcomes Moderator: Dale Hardy, PhD, RD, LD, CDE, CHES			
1:45 pm	Featured Talk: The Road to Achieving Equity in Advanced Therapies for Heart Failure	Alanna Morris MD, MSc, FHFSA, FACC, FAHA Director of Heart Failure Research Associate Professor of Medicine, Division of Cardiology Emory University Clinical Cardiovascular Research Institute	
2:10 pm	Racial Differences in Low Natriuretic Peptide Levels: Implications for Clinical Trials	Apoorva Gangavelli, BS MD/MSCR Candidate Emory University School of Medicine	
2:25 pm	Healthcare Utilization of Pediatric Patients with Feeding Difficulties after Congenital Heart Surgery	Tahmina Mohiuddin, BA MCG Medical Student Augusta/University of Georgia Medical Partnership	
2:40 pm	Poster Award Announcements & Concluding Remarks		



