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Education

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
Ph.D., Social Work, 2004

Widener University, Chester, PA
M.S.W., Social Work (Clinical Social Work Emphasis), 1993

Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA
B.S., Psychology, 1989

Academic / Research Positions Held

Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Adult Mental Health and Wellness
USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
2018-present

Senior Lecturer, Department of Adult Mental Health and Wellness
USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
2016-2018

Research Assistant Professor, USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans and Military Families (CIR)
USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
2010-2015

Project Manager
USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
2004-2009

Doctoral Student Research Assistant / Project Manager

USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
1998-2004

Practice Positions Held

Trauma Social Worker, On Call

UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA
2004-2005

- Provided crisis intervention to trauma patients and their families
- Intervened as needed with patients in the emergency room, particularly those who were elderly, impoverished, and/or experiencing mental health problems

Disaster Mental Health Clinician (Volunteer)

American Red Cross – West District, Los Angeles, CA
1998-2003

- Offered emotional support to disaster volunteers and conducted debriefing sessions upon completion of disaster response
- Provided crisis intervention, information and referral to community residents impacted by apartment fires and natural disasters
- Responded to LAX-based aviation disasters, counseling local airline/airport staff and victims' families

Social Worker

West LA VA Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA
1994-2000

- **Direct Practice:**
 - Provided direct social work services (assessment, information & referral, advocacy, counseling, and case management) to veterans in mental health, homeless services, primary care, and nursing home care unit settings
- **Program Development and Coordination:**
 - Collaborated in the early development of LA VETS/Westside Residence Hall, a transitional housing program for homeless veterans
 - Coordinated service and training activities for 13 AmeriCorps members working to fight homelessness through service at Westside Residence Hall
 - Developed and implemented a transitional services team to facilitate placement of psychiatric inpatients into appropriate community care programs
 - Designed a state-approved educational program for administrators of community care organizations
- **Field Instruction:**
 - Supervised MSW student interns and acted as back-up unit supervisor

- **Student/Staff Education and Training:**
 - Delivered didactic presentations and facilitated group training exercises regarding social work practice, conflict resolution, and teambuilding

ER/Trauma Social Worker

Brandywine Hospital and Trauma Center, Coatesville, PA

1993

- Provided crisis intervention to families of patients brought to trauma unit
- Coordinated patient care and provided brief psychosocial intervention as part of a multidisciplinary ER/Trauma Unit team

Social Work Intern

Coatesville VA Medical Center, Coatesville, PA

1992-1993

- Provided clinical case management to veterans on a 90-day Specialized Inpatient PTSD Treatment Unit (SIPU)
- Co-facilitated a PTSD treatment group, meeting three times/weekly
- Provided individual counseling to wives/partners of veterans undergoing treatment

Social Work Intern

Catholic Social Services, Chester, PA

1991-1992

- Co-coordinated the Chester Homeless Services Coalition, comprised of local social service agencies, churches, and community businesses
- Facilitated grassroots efforts to obtain needed in-kind support for emergency shelter
- Provided individual and couples counseling

Biofeedback Technician / Psychometrician

Mensana Clinic, Stevenson, MD

1989-1991

- Prepared participants for biofeedback sessions
- Provided instruction regarding completion of self-report measures

Social Work Intern

Counsel House Partial Hospitalization Program, Bellefonte, PA

1988-1989

- Assisted with new participant assessment
- Provided supportive counseling to program participants
- Facilitated psychoeducational and therapeutic group sessions, including anger management, life skills, and medication adherence

Curriculum Development and Course Instruction Experience

Clinical Social Work Practice with Individuals, Families, & Groups (SOWK 544)

USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work, MSW Program, Virtual Academic Center
Fall 2020

Grant Writing and Program Development for Social Workers (SOWK 665)

USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work, MSW Program, Virtual Academic Center
Spring 2020

Research and Evaluation for Social Work with Adults and Older Adults (Adult Mental Health and Wellness) (SOWK 635)

USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work, MSW Program, Virtual Academic Center
Summer 2017-present

Asynchronous Course Revision – 2019

Course Lead – 2017-present

The Science of Social Work (SOWK 546)

USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work, MSW Program, Virtual Academic Center
Spring 2017-Summer 2020

Asynchronous Course Revision – 2018

VAC Course Lead – 2018-2020

Evaluation of Research: Community Organization, Planning and Administration (SOWK 629)

USC School of Social Work, MSW Program, Virtual Academic Center
Summer 2016

Social Work Research (SOWK 562)

USC School of Social Work, MSW Program, Virtual Academic Center
Fall 2014-Spring 2017

VAC Course Lead – 2016-2018

Evaluation of Research: Mental Health (SOWK 625)

USC School of Social Work, MSW Program, Virtual Academic Center
Spring 2012–2017

Asynchronous Course Conversion - 2014

VAC Course Lead – 2013-2014; 2017-2018

Directed Research (SOWK 590)

USC School of Social Work, MSW Program
Spring 2011, Summer 2014, Spring 2019

Social Work Research (SOWK 562)

USC School of Social Work, MSW Program
Spring 2002, 2005, 2007-2009

Human Behavior in the Social Environment I (SOWK 503)

USC School of Social Work, MSW Program
Fall 2001, Fall 2002

Multivariate Statistics for Social Work Research: Computer Lab (SOWK 761L)

USC School of Social Work, PhD Program
Spring 2000

Introductory Social Work Statistics: Computer Lab (SOWK 760L)

USC School of Social Work, PhD Program
Fall 1999

Funded Research and Evaluation Experience

Co-Investigator

“Virtual Reality as a Tool for Enhancing the Proficiency of Behavioral Health Providers.” With Anthony Hassan, EdD – PI. Funded by the U.S. Department of Defense.
2014-2015

Principal Investigator

“Evaluation of the U.S. VETS Veterans Reentry Project and Outside the Wire Program.” Funded by the United States Veterans Initiative, Inc.
2011-2013

Co-Investigator

“A Rapid and Revolutionary Response to the Needs of Wounded Warriors.” With Anthony Hassan, EdD – PI, Skip Rizzo, Co-PI. Funded by the U.S. Department of Defense.
2010-2014

Co-Investigator

“SimCoach: Promoting Access to Military Healthcare Information with Virtual Human Mediation.” With Skip Rizzo- PI, Marleen Wong, PhD- Co-PI. Funded by the U.S. Army.
2010-2011

Co-Investigator

“Assessing the Needs of the Nation’s Wounded Warriors: A Comprehensive and Cutting-Edge Training Program for Mental Health Professionals.” With Anthony Hassan, EdD – Co-PI, Marilyn Flynn, PhD - Co-PI. Funded by the Lincy Foundation.
2010-2011

Project Director and Co-Principal Investigator

“Evaluation of the Partnerships for Families Initiative.” With Todd Franke, PhD – PI, Devon Brooks, PhD – Co-PI, Stephen Budde, PhD, Co-PI, and Christina Christie, PhD – Co-PI. Funded by First 5 LA.
2004-2009

Co-Investigator

“Contemporary Adoptive Families Project.” USC Undergraduate Research Project. With Devon Brooks, PhD – PI. Funded by the University of Southern California, Office of the Provost.
2005-2006

Co-Investigator

“Promoting Adoption: Evaluation of the Consolidated Homestudy Program.” With Devon Brooks, PhD – PI. Funded by the Administration for Children Youth and Families.
2004-2006

Co-Investigator

“Structured Decision Making and Child Welfare Service Delivery Project.” With Devon Brooks, PhD – PI. Funded by the California Social Work Education Center (CalSWEC).
2004-2005

Co-Principal Investigator

“Former Employees’ Experiences in Child Welfare: A Qualitative Examination.” With Michàl Mor Barak, PhD – PI. Sponsored by the USC Center on Child Welfare.
2003-2004

Co-Principal Investigator

“Toward an Understanding of Public Child Welfare Turnover.” With Michàl Mor Barak, PhD – PI. Sponsored by the USC Center on Child Welfare.
2003-2004

Project Manager

“Intervening Among Latinas with Cancer: The Multifaceted Oncology Depression Program.” Kathleen Ell, DSW - PI. Funded by the National Cancer Institute.
2001-2002

Project Manager and Co-Investigator

“An Examination of Diversity, Inclusion, and Workforce Retention Among Workers in a Public Child Welfare Organization.” Michàlle Mor Barak, PhD - PI. Sponsored by the USC Center on Child Welfare.
1999-2003

Manager, Special Projects

Special administrative data projects, including PhD program self-study. Conducted under the auspices of the Dean and the PhD Program Director, USC School of Social Work.
1999-2002

Project Coordinator

“Effective Breast and Cervical Cancer Health Education Interventions for High Risk Women Across Diverse Populations and Service Systems.” Kathleen Ell, DSW - PI. Funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
1998-2002

Research Assistant

Formative and Summative Program Evaluations of the Chester Community Prevention Coalition. John Poulin, PhD – PI; Stephen Kauffman, PhD – Co-PI. Funded by the Chester Community Prevention Coalition. 1991-1992

Research Assistant

Randomized clinical outcomes study of treatments for Generalized Anxiety Disorder. Thomas Borkovec, PhD – PI. Funded by the National Institute of Mental Health. 1987-1988

Publications and Presentations

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Nissly, J. A., Adamson, G. T., & Campbell, S. M. (2014). Community-based outreach and early intervention with returning veterans: Lessons learned from an academic-community partnership. *NASW Intersections*. Washington, DC: National Association of Social Workers.

Mor Barak, M. E., Levin, A., Nissly, J. A., & Lane, C. J. (2006). Why do they leave? Modeling child welfare workers' turnover intentions. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 28(5), 548-577.

Nissly, J.A., Mor Barak, M. E., & Levin, A. (2005). Stress, social support, and workers' intentions to leave their jobs in public child welfare. *Administration in Social Work*, 29(1), 79-100.

Nissly, J.A., & Mennen, F. E. (2002). Intervening in response to job stress: Highlights and recommendations from the research literature. *Employee Assistance Quarterly*, 17(4), 15-30.

Ell, K.R., Padgett, D., Vourlekis, B., Nissly, J.A., Pineda, D., Sarabia, O., et al. (2002). The abnormal screening adherence follow-up program (ASAFP): A pilot study among low-income women. *Cancer Practice*, 10(3), 130-138.

Ell, K. R., Vourlekis, B., Nissly, J.A., & Muderspach, L. (2002). Follow-up of cervical screening abnormalities among low-income Latinas: Project SAFE. *Journal of Women's Health & Gender-Based Medicine*, 11(7), 639-652.

Ell, K. R., Vourlekis, B., Nissly, J. A., Padgett, D., Pineda, D., Sarabia, O., et al. (2002). Integrating mental health screening and abnormal cancer screening follow-up: An intervention to reach low-income women. *Community Mental Health Journal*, 38(4), 311-325.

Mor Barak, M. E., Nissly, J. A., & Levin, A. (2001). Antecedents to retention and turnover among child welfare, social work, and other human services employees: What can we learn from past research? A review and meta-analysis. *Social Service Review*, 75(4), 625-661.

Book Chapters

Nissly, J. A., & Johnson, L. (2019). Veteran Service Organizations, Non-Profits and Advocacy Groups. In C. Castro & E. L. Weiss (Eds.), *American Military Life in the 21st Century: Social, Cultural, and Economic Issues and Trends*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO.

Adamson, G. T., Nissly, J., & Campbell, S. (2015). Outside the Wire: A community-based partnership model for prevention and early-identification of psychosocial challenges for student veterans. In J. E. Coll & E. L. Weiss (Eds.), *Supporting Veterans in Higher Education: A Primer for Administrators, Faculty and Advisors*. Chicago: Lyceum.

Kauffman, S. E., Walter, C. A., Nissly, J., & Walker, J. (1994). Putting the Environment into the Human Behavior and the Social Environment Curriculum. In M.D. Hoff & J.G. McNutt (Eds.), *The Global Environmental Crisis: Implications for Social Welfare and Social Work*. Avebury: Aldershot.

Unpublished Manuscripts

Nissly, J. A., & Dodd, S. J. (2001). "Healthcare workers under fire: Solving the problem of workplace violence in healthcare."

Research Reports & Monographs

Hassan, A. M., Nissly, J. A., and the CIR Team. (2014). "A Rapid and Revolutionary Response to the Needs of Wounded Warriors: Final Technical Report." Prepared for the Department of Defense. USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans & Military Families.

Wilcox, S. L., Nissly, J., Ursich, L., Kim, A., Hassan, A. & the CIR Team. (2014). A Rapid & Revolutionary Response to the Needs of Wounded Warriors: Final Report: Web-Based Postgraduate Training Evaluation, A Randomized Controlled Trial. USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans & Military Families.

Nissly, J. A., Campbell, S., & Lee, P. J. (2014). "Evaluation of U.S. VETS *Outside the Wire* Program: Summary of Findings and Areas for Further Consideration. Final Technical Report to the United States Veterans Initiative, Inc." Prepared for the United States Veterans Initiative. USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans & Military Families.

Hassan, A. M., Nissly, J. A., and the CIR Team. (2013). "A Rapid and Revolutionary Response to the Needs of Wounded Warriors: Annual Report, Project Year 3." Prepared for the Department of Defense. USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans & Military Families.

Nissly, J. A., Campbell, S., & Lee, P. J. (2012). "Evaluation of U.S. VETS *Outside the Wire* Program: Annual Report (Evaluation Year 1)." Prepared for the United States Veterans Initiative. USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans and Military Families.

Nissly, J. A., Lee, P. J., & Campbell, S. (2012). "Evaluation of U.S. VETS *Veterans Reentry Project*: Brief Interim Summary of Findings." Prepared for the United States Veterans Initiative. USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans and Military Families.

Hassan, A. M., Nissly, J. A., and the CIR Team. (2012). "A Rapid and Revolutionary Response to the Needs of Wounded Warriors: Annual Report, Project Year 2." Prepared for the Department of Defense. USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans and Military Families.

Hassan, A. M., Nissly, J. A., and the CIR Team. (2011). "A Rapid and Revolutionary Response to the Needs of Wounded Warriors: Annual Report, Project Year 1." Prepared for the Department of Defense. USC Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans and Military Families.

Franke, T., Brooks, D., Budde, S., Christie, C., Nissly, J., Kim, A. K., et al. (2009). "Year 5 evaluation report for the Partnerships for Families Initiative." Prepared for First 5 LA. The PFF Initiative Evaluation Team.

Franke, T., Brooks, D., Budde, S., Christie, C., Nissly, J., Kim, A. K., et al. (2009). "Year 4 evaluation report for the Partnerships for Families Initiative." Prepared for First 5 LA. The PFF Initiative Evaluation Team.

Franke, T., Brooks, D., Budde, S., Christie, C., Nissly, J., Andrade, L., et al. (2008). "Year 3 evaluation report for the Partnerships for Families Initiative." Prepared for First 5 LA. The PFF Initiative Evaluation Team.

Kim, A. K., Brooks, D., Kim, H., & Nissly, J. (2007). "Structured Decision Making and child welfare service delivery project." Curriculum prepared for the California Social Work Education Center, University of California at Berkeley. Hamovitch Center for Science in the Human Services, USC School of Social Work.

Brooks, D., Kim, A. K., Kim, H., & Nissly, J. (2006). "Structured decision making (SDM) and child welfare service delivery project: Final report." Prepared for the California Social Work Education Center (CalSWEC). Hamovitch Center for Science in the Human Services, USC School of Social Work.

Franke, T., Brooks, D., Christie, C., Budde, S., Nissly, J., Kim, A., et al. (2006). "Year 2 evaluation report for the Partnerships for Families Initiative." Prepared for First 5 LA. The PFF Initiative Evaluation Team.

Franke, T., Brooks, D., Christie, C., Budde, S., Nissly, J., Leap, J., et al. (2005). "Year 1 evaluation report for the Partnerships for Families Initiative." Prepared for First 5 LA. The PFF Initiative Evaluation Team.

Carlo, P., Bender, C., Toulmin, D., Goldberg-Levin, A., & Nissly, J. (2000). "The DCFS/BBS licensure survey: A report of the findings." Prepared for the Los Angeles County Department of Child and Family Services. Center on Child Welfare, USC School of Social Work.

Kauffman, S., Poulin, J., Nissly, J., & Storti, L. (1992). "The problem of alcohol and other drugs in Chester: Formal service providers' perceptions of problems and service needs." Center for Social Work Education, School of Human Services Professions, Widener University.

Poulin, J., Kauffman, S., Nissly, J., Storti, L., & Walker, J. (1992). "The problem of alcohol and other drugs in Chester: Key informants' perceptions of problems and service needs." Center for Social Work Education, School of Human Services Professions, Widener University.

Poulin, J., Kauffman, S., Nissly, J., Storti, L., & Walker, J. (1992). "Directory of substance abuse resources available to Chester residents." Center for Social Work Education, Widener University.

Poulin, J., Kauffman, S., & Nissly, J. (1992). "The problem of alcohol and other drugs in Chester: Citizens' perceptions of problems and service needs." Center for Social Work Education, School of Human Services Professions, Widener University.

Poulin, J., Kauffman, S., Nissly, J., Storti, L., & Walker, J. (1992). "The problem of alcohol and other drugs in Chester: At-risk groups perceptions of problems and service needs." Center for Social Work Education, School of Human Services Professions, Widener University.

Policy Briefs

Nissly, J. A., & Turner, K. T. (2011). "Ensuring Behavioral Healthcare Capacity and Quality for Servicemembers, Veterans and Military Families." Center for Innovation and Research on Veterans and Military Families (CIR), School of Social Work, University of Southern California.

Conference Presentations and Workshops

Nissly, J. "Veterans in the Classroom." Presented to the USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work. Los Angeles: September 2018.

Nissly, J., Adamson, G. T., & Campbell, S. "*Outside the Wire*": Identifying and Responding to the Complex Needs of Student Veterans. Presented at the National Association of Social Workers Conference. Washington, DC: July 2014.

Nissly, J. A., Campbell, S., & Adamson, G. T. "Evaluating the implementation of a community-based veterans outreach and early intervention program." Presented at the Military & Veteran Health Research Forum. Edmonton, AB, Canada: November 2013.

Kim, A. K., Nissly, J. A., & Wilcox, S. "Measuring Clinical Skill without Blowing Your Budget or Losing Your Mind: The Development of a Clinical Skill Assessment Tool Relevant to Military Populations." Presented at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference. San Diego: January 2013.

Nissly, J. A., Kim, A. K., & Wilkins, J. N. "Developing and Assessing Skill in Military Social Work Practice." Presented at the Council on Social Work Education's Annual Program Meeting. Washington, DC: November 2012.

Kim, A. K., Campbell, S. M., & Nissly, J. A. "Training Civilian Behavioral Healthcare Providers to Effectively Work with Military-Impacted Clients." Presented at the Council on Social Work Education's Annual Program Meeting. Washington, DC: November 2012.

Adamson, T., & Nissly, J. "U.S. VETS – Outside the Wire." Presented at the National Coalition for Homeless Veterans Conference. Washington, DC: May 31, 2012.

Turner, K. L., Kim, A. K., Nissly, J. A., Campbell, S. M., & Hassan, A. "Assessing Cultural Competence: Developing a Clinical Skill Assessment Tool Relevant to Military Populations." Presented at the Western Psychological Association. San Francisco, April 2012.

Kim, A.K., Turner, K. L., Hazle, M., Nissly, J. A., Campbell, S. M. & Hassan, A. "Culturally Competent Practice: Training Civilian Behavioral Healthcare Providers to Effectively Work with Military-Impacted Clients." Presented at the Western Psychological Association. San Francisco: April 2012.

Nissly, J., & Hassan, A. "Training Behavioral Healthcare Providers to Work with Military-Related Populations: What Do They Need to Know?" Poster presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference. Washington, DC: January 13, 2012.

Nissly, J., Williams, J., & Mor-Barak, T. "What's Next? Avatars for Clinical Training and Interventions." Presented at the 41st National Council Conference on Mental Health and Addictions. San Diego, CA: May 2, 2011.

Nissly, J., Fischer, L., Molina, M., & Stone, S. "In Their Own Voices: Women Warriors and the Military Culture." Panel presentation at the Soldiers Project Conference on Women & War. Los Angeles: April 16, 2011.

Hassan, A., Nissly, J., Cox, A., MacDermid, S., & Pecko, J. "So You're Interested in Doing Research with Service Members, Veterans or Military Families?" Presented at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference. Tampa, FL: January 13-16, 2011.

Hassan, A., Nissly, J., & Kim, A. "The Virtual Patient Training Environment: A Revolutionary Approach to Preparing Military Social Workers." Presented at the Uniformed Services in Social Work conference. Phoenix, AZ: October 31 - November 5, 2010.

Hassan, A., Nissly, J., & Kim, A. "Virtual Patient Training Environment: A Revolutionary Approach to Preparing Military Social Workers." Presented at the Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Portland, OR: October 14-17, 2010.

Franke, T., Nissly, J., Christie, C., & Brooks, D. "First 5 LA's Partnerships for Families (PFF) Initiative: Findings from Evaluation Year 5." Presented to A New Beginning for Partnerships for Children & Families in Los Angeles County, 14th Annual Conference. Los Angeles: November 3, 2009.

Vourlekis, B., Ell, K., McFeaters, S., & Nissly, J. "Making a Difference: Case Managers' View of their Effectiveness." Presented to the 5th International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health. Hong Kong: December 10-14, 2006.

Brooks, D., Frasch, K., & Nissly, J. "Enhancing Positive Outcomes in Transracial Adoptive Families." Presented to the California Social Work Education Center (CalSWEC) Board of Directors. Los Angeles, CA: May 6, 2005.

Nissly, J. A., & Mor Barak, M. E. "Toward Demystifying the Process of Employee Turnover: Understanding the Temporal Progression of Key Work-Related Factors." Paper accepted for presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference. Miami, FL: January 13-16, 2005.

Mor Barak, M. E., Nissly, J. A. & Levin, A. "Workforce Diversity and Organizational Climate in Modeling Turnover Intentions." Presented at the 3rd Annual Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences. Honolulu, HI: June 16-19, 2004.

Mor Barak, M., Levin, A., Nissly, J., & Lane, C. "Why Do They Leave? Modeling Turnover Intentions from Child Welfare Workers' Perceptions of Their Organizational Climate." Presented at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference. New Orleans, LA: January 15-18, 2004.

Nissly, J. A., Mor Barak, M. E., & Levin, A. "Stress, Social Support, and Workers' Intentions to Leave Their Jobs in Public Child Welfare." Presented at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference. Washington, DC: January 16-19, 2003.

Levin, A., Nissly, J. A., & Mor Barak, M. E. "Social Workers' Motivation for Maintaining Employment with a Public Child Welfare Agency: A Qualitative Study." Presented at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference. Washington, DC: January 16-19, 2003.

Ell, K. R., Vourlekis, B., & Nissly, J. A. "Improving Access to Mental Health Care in Primary Care Clinics Serving Low-Income Ethnic Minority Women." Paper presented at the American Public Health Association annual meeting. Philadelphia, PA: November 9-13, 2002.

Mor Barak, M. E., Nissly, J. A., & Levin, A. "Determinants of Retention and Turnover among Human Services Workers." Paper presented at the Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR). San Diego, CA: January 19, 2002.

Ell, K. R., Vourlekis, B., & Nissly, J. A. "Evidence-Based Case Management for Abnormal Cancer Screening Follow-Up Adherence." Paper presented at the American Public Health Association annual meeting. Atlanta, GA: October 23, 2001.

Ell, K. R., Vourlekis, B., & Nissly, J. A. "Follow-up of Cervical Screening Abnormalities Among Low-Income Latinas: Project SAFE." Paper presented at the American Public Health Association annual meeting. Atlanta, GA: October 23, 2001.

Vourlekis, B., & Nissly, J. "IASWR's CDC Project: Lessons Learned for Research and Practice." Invited presentation. IASWR Pre-Conference Institute, Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR). Atlanta, GA: January 20, 2001.

Kosower, E., & Nissly, J. "Introduction to Teamwork." West Los Angeles VA Medical Center, Department of Education, Training and Development. Los Angeles, CA: July 23, 1998.

Nissly, J. A. "Experiential Conflict Management." West Los Angeles VA Medical Center, Department of Education, Training and Development. Los Angeles, CA: July 15, 1998.

Kosower, E., & Nissly, J. "Introduction to Teamwork." West Los Angeles VA Medical Center, Department of Education, Training and Development. Los Angeles, CA: May 29, 1998.

Nissly, J. A. "Aspects of the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator." West Los Angeles VA Medical Center, Department of Research. Los Angeles, CA: November 25, 1996.

Nissly, J. A. "Effective Communication and Conflict Resolution." West Los Angeles VA Medical Center, Blood Bank. Los Angeles, CA: November 23, 1996.

Winckowski, A. J., and the Graduate Education Collective. "A Collective Approach to Graduate Education." University of Southern California School of Social Work's Annual Field Instructors' Symposium. Los Angeles, CA: May 13, 1996.

Passman, L. J., & Nissly, J. A. "Primary Care." West Los Angeles VA Medical Center, Department of Social Work. Los Angeles, CA: April 25, 1996.

Other Notable Achievements

Co-Author of the Fourth Most-Cited Social Work Journal Article, 2000-2009

Hodge, D. R., Lacasse, J. R., & Benson, O. (2012). Influential Publications in Social Work Discourse: The 100 Most Highly Cited Articles in Disciplinary Journals: 2000–09. *British Journal of Social Work*, 42, 765-782.

Faculty Award for Excellence in Social Work Practice

Widener University Center for Social Work Education – 1993

School & University Service

Curriculum Design Committee, Department of Adult Mental Health and Wellness, 2017-present

Part-Time Faculty Committee (A Subcommittee of the University's Academic Senate), University of Southern California, 2015-2016; 2016-2017

Faculty Lead, *Research and Evaluation for Social Work with Adults and Older Adults (Adult Mental Health and Wellness)*, 2020-present

Virtual Academic Center Faculty Lead, *Science of Social Work* course, 2018-2020

Virtual Academic Center Faculty Lead, *Research and Evaluation for Social Work with Adults and Older Adults (Adult Mental Health and Wellness)*, 2017-2020

Virtual Academic Center Faculty Lead, *Social Work Research* course, 2016-2018

Virtual Academic Center Faculty Lead, *Evaluation of Research: Mental Health* course,
2013–2014; 2017-2018

Qualifying Examination Committee, Brooklyn Levine, USC School of Social Work, 2011

All-School Day Committee, USC School of Social Work, 2010-2011

Professional Service

Reviewer, *Advances in Social Work*, 2020-present

Reviewer, *Journal of Social Work*, 2019-present

Reviewer, *Military Behavioral Health*, 2012-2015

Guest Reviewer, *Research on Social Work Practice*, Special Issue on Social Good, 2018

Guest Reviewer, *Advances in Social Work*, Special Issue on Military Social Work, 2011

Reviewer, *Children and Youth Services Review*, 2006-2010

American Red Cross, Disaster Mental Health Services, 1998-2003

Field Instructor, University of Southern California MSW Program, 1995-1998; 2005-2007

Community Service

Venture Outdoors, Outdoor Inclusion Coalition - Steering Committee – 2020-present

Neighborhood Aid (Municipalities of Mt. Lebanon and Dormont, PA) - Volunteer – 2020-present

Girl Scouts of Western Pennsylvania – Troop Leader – 2012-2014

Sierra Club, Angeles Chapter – Outings Leader and Wilderness Travel Course Instructor, 1998-2002

Professional Credentials and Affiliations

Licensed Clinical Social Worker, State of California – LCS 18599, 1997-2013

Licensed Clinical Social Worker, State of Pennsylvania - CW014592, 1994-1995; 2015-present

Member, American Evaluation Association

Member, Council on Social Work Education

Member, National Association of Social Workers

Member, Society for Social Work and Research