

## BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

NAME	POSITION TITLE	INSTITUTION
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### EDUCATION/TRAINING

<u>INSTITUTION AND LOCATION</u>	<u>DEGREE</u>	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>FIELD OF STUDY</u>
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA	Ph.D.	In-Progress	Social Work
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA	M.S.G.	2020	Gerontology
Kyungpook National University, Korea	B.S.	2010	Child and Family Studies

**Professional and Research Interests:** minority aging, health disparities among older adults associated with socioeconomic factors.

### Research Experience:

2023	Research Assistant. A Pilot Test of a Digital Oral Health Education Program for Older Korean Immigrants
2023	Research Assistant. The Needs Assessment of Korean American Residents in Low-Income Senior Housing in Los Angeles
2019-2023	Research Assistant. Cultural and Linguistic Adaption of the Savvy Caregiver Program for Korean American Caregivers with Limited English Proficiency
2019-2020	Research Assistant. Limited English Proficiency, Health, and Health Care among Older Immigrants
2019-2020	Research Assistant. Asian American Resource Database (AARD) in the Los Angeles County: A Pilot Study with Chinese and Korean Communities
2019-2020	Research Assistant. Oral Health and Dental Care in Older Ethnic Minorities: A Qualitative Study
2019	Research Assistant. Understanding Disparities in Palliative and Hospice Care among Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations: A Systematic Review

### Professional Experience:

Sep 2020	Volunteer, Center for the Pacific Asian Family, Los Angeles, CA
July 2020 – Present	Volunteer, Koreatown Senior and Community Center, Los Angeles, CA
Sep 2020 – Present	Volunteer, Alzheimer's Los Angeles, CA
Jan 2019 – May 2019	Intern, USC Family Caregiver Support Center, Los Angeles, CA
Mar 2010 – Feb 2011	Intern, Catholic Guardian Society and Home Bureau, New York, NY

### Honors and Other Activities:

2023-2024	Provost Graduate School Fellowship, University of Southern California, CA
2022	Service Award from Korean Senior and Community Center, California Legislature Assembly Certificate of Recognition, CA
2019	Service Award from Korean Senior and Community Center, California Legislature Assembly Certificate of Recognition, CA
2019	Merit Scholarship, University of Southern California
2004-2007	Academic Excellence Scholarship, Kyungpook National University, Korea

### Publication:

**Park J.**, Wilber K., Wu S., Aranda M. P., Oh, H., & Jang Y. (under review). Risk factors for elder mistreatment among older Korean Americans. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*

Jang, Y., **Park, J.**, Park, N. S., Chung, S., & Kim, M. T. (2023). Safety concerns for persons with dementia in senior housing: A qualitative study with Korean American caregivers in Los Angeles. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*. 1-12. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2023.2212715>



**Park, J.**, Aranda, M. P., Choi, Y. J., & Jang, Y. (2023). The role of ethnic community social capital in the association between acculturation and psychological distress among older Korean Americans. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*, 25(3), 608-615 <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10903-022-01426-5>

Jang, Y., Hepburn, K., **Park, J.**, Haley, W. E., & Kim, M. T. (2022). Cultural adaptation of the savvy caregiver program for Korean Americans with limited English proficiency: a feasibility and acceptability study. *BMC geriatrics*, 22(1), 1-11. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12877-022-03611-5>

Jang, Y., Park, N. S., **Park, J.**, Chiriboga, D. A., Haley, W. E., & Kim, M. T. (2022). The mental health benefit of friend networks in older Korean Americans: The conditioning effect of family type. *The Journals of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, 73(1), 143-153 <https://doi.org/10.1093/geronb/gbac109>

**Park, J.**, Jang, Y., Oh, H., & Chi, I. (2022). Loneliness as a mediator in the association between social isolation and psychological distress: A cross-sectional study with older Korean immigrants in the United States. *Research on Aging*, 45(5-6), 438-447 <https://doi.org/10.1177/01640275221098180>

Jang, Y., **Park, J.**, Choi, E. Y., Cho, Y. J., Park, N. S., & Chiriboga, D. A. (2022). Social isolation in Asian Americans: Risks associated with socio-demographic, health, and immigration factors. *Ethnicity & Health*, 27(6), 1428-1441. <https://doi.org/10.1080/13557858.2021.1881765>

Jang, Y., Yoon, H., **Park, J.**, Park, N. S., Chiriboga, D. A., & Kim, M. T. (2021). Health risks posed by social and linguistic isolation in older Korean Americans. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*, 69(11), 3528-3266. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jgs.17367>

Jang, Y., Rhee, M. K., Jeong, C. H., Choi, E. Y., **Park, J.**, & Park, N. S. (2020). Oral health and dental care in older Korean immigrants in the United States: A qualitative study. *Dental Research and Oral Health*. 3(2), 83-95. <https://doi.org/10.26502/droh.0023>

#### **Presentations:**

**Park J.**, Wilber K., Wu S., Aranda M. P., Oh, H., & Jang Y. (2024, January) Risk Factors for Elder Mistreatment among Older Korean Americans. Submitted to a Poster Presentation at the 2024 Society for Social Work Research (SSWR) Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.

**Park, J.**, Jang, Y., Aranda, M. P., Wu, S., Oh, H., & Wilber, K. (2023, November). Mental Health Risks Signified by the Co-Experience of Elder Mistreatment and Social Isolation. Submitted to a Poster Presentation at the 2023 Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America (GSA), Tampa, FL.

**Park, J.**, & Jang, Y. (2023, November). Climate Change, Air Pollution, and Mental Health among Older Korean American Residents in Low-Income Senior Housing. Submitted to a Poster Presentation at the 2023 Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America (GSA), Tampa, FL.

Jang, Y., Hepburn, K., **Park, J.**, Haley, W. E., & Kim, M. T. (2023, November). Initial Efficacy of the Savvy Caregiver Program in Reducing Depressive Symptoms of Korean American Dementia Caregivers. Submitted to a Poster Presentation at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Tampa, FL.

**Park, J.**, Jang, Y., Rhee, M. K., & Park, N. S. (2023, January). Safety Concerns for Persons with Dementia in Senior Housing: A Qualitative Study with Korean American Caregivers in Los Angeles. Poster Presentation at the 2023 Society for Social Work Research (SSWR) Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, and Virtual.

**Park, J.**, Aranda, M. P., Choi, Y. J., & Jang, Y. (2022, November). Acculturation on Psychological Distress among Older Korean Americans: Does Ethnic Community Social Capital Matter. Poster Presentation at the 2022 Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America (GSA), Indianapolis, IN.

Jang, Y., Park, N. S., **Park, J.**, Chiriboga, D. A., Haley, W. E., & Kim, M. T. (2022, November). The Mental Health Benefit of Friend Networks in Older Korean Americans: The Conditioning Effect of Family Type. Poster Presentation at the 2022 Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America (GSA), Indianapolis, IN.



Jang, Y., Hepburn, K., **Park, J.**, Haley, W. E., & Kim, M. T. (2022, June). Cultural Adaptation of the Savvy Caregiver Program for Korean Americans with Limited English Proficiency. Poster Presentation at the Alzheimer's Association Conference on Addressing Health Disparities, Washington, DC and Virtual.

**Park, J.**, Jang, Y, Oh, H., & Chi, I. (2022, January). The Mediating Role of Loneliness in the Association between Social Isolation and Psychological Distress in Older Korean Americans. Poster Presentation at the 2022 Society for Social Work Research (SSWR) Annual Meeting, Washington, DC and Virtual.

**Park, J.**, Jang, Y., Yoon, H., Park, N. S., Chiriboga, D. A., & Kim, M. T. (2021, November). Health Risks Posed by Social and Linguistic Isolation in Older Korean Americans. Symposium Presentation at the 2021 Gerontological Society of America (GSA) Virtual Annual Meeting.

Jang, Y., **Park, J.**, Choi, E. Y., Cho, Y. J., Park, N.S., & Chiriboga, D.A. (2021, January). Social Isolation in Asian Americans: Risks Associated with Socio-demographic, Health, and Immigration Factors. Poster Presentation at the 2021 Society for Social Work Research (SSWR) Virtual Annual Meeting.

Jang, Y., Rhee, M.K. Jeong, C.H., Choi, E. Y., **Park, J.**, & Park, N. S. (2020, November). Oral Health and Dental Care in Older Korean Immigrants in the United States: A Qualitative Study. Poster Presentation at the 2020 Gerontological Society of America (GSA) Virtual Annual Meeting.

**Park, J.**, Chee, K.H., & Yeh, A. (2020, November). Life Course Themes in the Japanese Americans' Dementia Care Profiles. Symposium Presentation at the 2020 Gerontological Society of America (GSA) Virtual Annual Meeting.

**Professional Memberships/Certifications:**

Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)

The Gerontological Society of America (GSA)

The American Society on Aging (ASA)