

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

NAME	POSITION TITLE	INSTITUTION
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EDUCATION/TRAINING

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE	YEAR	FIELD OF STUDY
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA	Ph.D.	In-Progress	Social Work
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA	M.A. MFT	2016	Marriage and Family Therapy
University of California Irvine, Irvine, CA	B.A.	2012	Psychology

Professional and Research Interests: the application of mental health technologies for increasing access to and effectiveness of mental health care for underserved populations (e.g., people who identify Asian Pacific Islanders Desi American (APIDA); people with disabilities); Reducing barriers to mental health care for immigrant populations; Filipinx mental health; Leveraging big data in mental health care; Dissemination and implementation of digital mental health interventions; Diffusion of mental health treatments across social networks.

Professional Experience:

08/24 – present	Teaching Assistant, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
08/22 – present	Research Assistant, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
03/21 – 08/22	Therapist, Compass Therapy, Newport Beach, CA
04/19 – 08/22	Digital Mental Health Specialist and Research Assistant, UC Irvine, Irvine, CA
06/18 – 06/19	Mental Health Clinician, Olive Crest, Santa Ana, CA
05/13 – 12/19	Program Development, BrightBrain Learning, Tustin, CA
09/16 – 08/17	Therapist, Rossier Park Elementary and Middle School, West Covina, CA

Research Experience:

2019-2022	Research Assistant	Help@Hand Project California
2019-2020	Research Assistant	One Mind PsyberGuide, UC Irvine
2019-2020	Research Assistant	Moodtracking App Study, UC Irvine

Publications:

Published Articles/Papers

- Saba, S. K., Davis, J. P., Prindle, J. J., Howe, E., Tran, D. D., **Bunyi, J.**, ... & Pedersen, E. R. (2024). Bidirectional Associations Between Pain and Perceived Stress Among Veterans: Depressive Disorder as a Predisposing Factor. *Psychosomatic Medicine*, 86(1), 44-51.
- Schueller, S. M., Wasil, A. R., **Bunyi, J.**, DeRubeis, R. J., & Weisz, J. R. (2023). Mental Health Apps for Children and Adolescents: A Clinician-Friendly Review. *Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry*, S0890-8567.
- Davis, J. P., Pedersen, E. R., Borsari, B., Bowen, S., Owen, J., Sedano, A., ... & **Bunyi, J.** (2023). Development of a mobile mindfulness smartphone app for post-traumatic stress disorder and alcohol use problems for veterans: Beta test results and study protocol for a pilot randomized controlled trial. *Contemporary Clinical Trials*, 129, 107181.
- Kaveladze, B. T., Wasil, A. R., **Bunyi, J.**, Ramirez, V., & Schueller, S. M. (2022). User experience, engagement, and popularity in mental health apps: secondary analysis of app analytics and expert app reviews. *JMIR human factors*, 9(1), e30766.
- Erhardt, D., **Bunyi, J.**, Dodge-Rice, Z., Neary, M., & Schueller, S. M. (2022). Digitized thought records: a practitioner-focused review of cognitive restructuring apps. *the Cognitive Behaviour Therapist*, 15, e39.
- **Bunyi, J.**, Ringland, K. E., & Schueller, S. M. (2021). Accessibility and digital mental health: Considerations for more accessible and equitable mental health apps. *Frontiers in digital health*, 3, 131.

- Neary, M., **Bunyi, J.**, Palomares, K., Mohr, D. C., Powell, A., Ruzek, J., ... & Schueller, S. M. (2021). A process for reviewing mental health apps: using the one mind PsyberGuide credibility rating system. *Digital Health*, 7, 20552076211053690.

Under Review

- Wasil, A. R., **Bunyi, J.**, DeRubeis, R. J., & Schueller, S. M. An analysis of analytic data for mental health apps from 2020 to 2021: No evidence of an increase during the COVID-19 pandemic. Manuscript under review.

Other Writings

- **John Bunyi, MFT**, Katelyn Davis, MPH, Elizabeth Eikey, PhD, Gloria Mark, PhD, Daniela Macias, Bessie Mathew, MPH, Dana Mukamel, PhD, Martha Neary, MSc, Stephen Schueller, PhD, Margaret Schneider, PhD, Dara H. Sorkin, PhD, Nicole Stadnick, PhD, Kai Zheng, PhD (2019; Authors listed in Alphabetical Order). Help@Hand Statewide Evaluation: Year 1 (Quarter 2) Report. Program of Research in Translational Technology Enabling High Quality Care, University of California, Irvine.
- **John Bunyi, MMFT**, Katelyn Davis, MS, Elizabeth Eikey, PhD, Cinthia De Leon, MPH, Gloria Mark, PhD, Daniela Macias, Bessie Mathew, MPH, Dana Mukamel, PhD, Martha Neary, MSc, Stephen Schueller, PhD, Margaret Schneider, PhD, Dara H. Sorkin, PhD, Nicole Stadnick, PhD, Kai Zheng, PhD (2019; Authors listed in Alphabetical Order). Help@Hand Statewide Evaluation: Year 1 (Quarter 3) Report. Program of Research in Translational Technology Enabling High Quality Care, University of California, Irvine.
- Sorkin, D.H.; Mukamel, D.; Eikey, E.; Mark, G.; Schueller, S.M.; Schneider, M.; Stadnick, N.; Zheng, K.; Borghouts, J.; **Bunyi, J.**; Davis, K.; De Leon, C.; Macias, D.; Mathew, A.B.; Neary, M.; Swanson, K. (2020). Help@Hand Statewide Evaluation Annual Update-Year 1. Program of Research in Translational Technology Enabling High Quality Care, University of California, Irvine.
- Sorkin, D.H.; Mukamel, D.; Eikey, E.; Mark, G.; Schueller, S.M.; Schneider, M.; Stadnick, N.; Zheng, K.; Borghouts, J.; **Bunyi, J.**; Davis, K.; De Leon, C.; Macias, D.; Mathew, A.B.; Neary, M.; Palomares, K.; Swanson, K. (2020). Help@Hand Statewide Evaluation: Year 2 (Quarter 1) Report. Program of Research in Translational Technology Enabling High Quality Care, University of California, Irvine.
- Sorkin, D.H.; Mukamel, D.; Eikey, E.; Mark, G.; Schueller, S.M.; Schneider, M.; Stadnick, N.; Zheng, K.; Borghouts, J.; **Bunyi, J.**; Davis, K.; De Leon, C.; Macias, D.; Mathew, A.B.; Neary, M.; Palomares, K.; Swanson, K. (2020). Help@Hand Statewide Evaluation: Year 2 (Quarter 2) Report. Program of Research in Translational Technology Enabling High Quality Care, University of California, Irvine.
- Sorkin, D.H.; Mukamel, D.; Eikey, E.; Schueller, S.M.; Schneider, M.; Stadnick, N.; Zheng, K.; Borghouts, J.; **Bunyi, J.**; Davis, K.; De Leon, C.; Janio, E.; Marcotte, V.; Mathew, A.B.; Neary, M.; Palomares, K.; Swanson, K. (2020). Help@Hand Statewide Evaluation: Year 2 (Quarter 3) Report. Program of Research in Translational Technology Enabling High Quality Care, University of California, Irvine.
- Sorkin, D.H.; Mukamel, D.; Eikey, E.V.; Schueller, S.M.; Schneider, M.; Stadnick, N.; Zheng, K.; Borghouts, J.; **Bunyi, J.**; De Leon, C.; Jacobson, L.; Marcotte, V.; Mathew, A.B.; Neary, M.; Palomares, K.; Swanson, K. (2021). Help@Hand Evaluation: Year 2 Annual Evaluation Report. Program of Research in Translational Technology Enabling High Quality Care, University of California, Irvine.

Conference Presentation:

- **Bunyi JBS**, Neary M, Stadnick NA, Schueller SM, Eikey E, Mark G, Schneider M, Zheng K, Mukamel DB, Sorkin D. (2020, November). A MARKET ANALYSIS OF DIGITAL MENTAL HEALTH PRODUCTS DRIVEN BY A STATEWIDE IMPLEMENTATION PROJECT (Poster). Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT) Conference, Online.

Professional Memberships/Certifications:

Certified in Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavior Therapy (TF-CBT)
Association of Cognitive and Behavioral Therapies (ABCT)
International Society for Research on Internet Interventions (ISRII)