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Present Title and Affiliation: Associate Professor (with tenure)  
Department of Health Services Policy and Management  
Director, Rural and Minority Health Research Center  
Arnold School of Public Health  
University of South Carolina

**Education**

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PhD                   Clemson University, December 2012  
                          Major: Policy Studies

M.S.                   Clemson University, August 2010  
                          Major: Applied Economics and Statistics

B.S.                   Centre College, May 2008  
                          Major: Financial Economics

**Professional Experience**

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August 2022-present: Tenured Associate Professor, Health Services Policy and Management, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina.

August 2017- May 2022: Tenure-Track Assistant Professor, Health Services Policy and Management, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina.

June 2015- August 2017: Research Assistant Professor, Health Services Policy and Management, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina.

May 2013-May 2015: Senior Research Associate, The Division of Medicaid Policy and Research, Institute for Families in Society, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina.

August 2012- May 2013: Instructor of Economics, Anderson University, Anderson, South Carolina.

Summer 2011, Summer 2012: Faculty, Governor’s Scholars Program of Kentucky, Murray State University, Murray, Kentucky.

August 2010-May 2013: Adjunct Instructor of Economics and Statistics, TriCounty Technical College, Pendleton, South Carolina.

August 2009-December 2011: Research Assistant, Cotton, Inc., Clemson, South Carolina.

August 2008- December 2012: Research Assistant/Instructor, Clemson University, Clemson, South Carolina.

**Professional Service**

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Program Director, Master of Public Health, Health Services Policy and Management. June 2022-present.

Director of the Rural and Minority Health Research Center, 2022-present.

Board of Trustees, National Rural Health Association, Rural Health Congress Chair, 2023-present.

Deputy Director of the Rural and Minority Health Research Center, 2018-2022.

Board of Trustees, National Rural Health Association, Research and Education Chair, 2019-2022.

South Carolina Rural and Primary Healthcare Advisory Committee, 2019-present.

Editorial Board for the Journal of Rural Health, 2019-2021.

National Rural Health Association Rural Health Fellow Program, 2018-2019.

### **Honors & Awards**

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Clemson University, College of Behavioral, Social and Health Sciences, Centennial Alumni Award, 2024.

National Rural Health Association Outstanding Researcher Award, 2023.

University of South Carolina Breakthrough Star, 2021.

Delta Omega Honor Society Induction, Mu Chapter, on May 8, 2019. University of South Carolina, Arnold School of Public Health. 2018-2019 Faculty Inductee.

Cotton Incorporated Doctoral Research Fellowship, August 2009-December 2011.

Full Assistantship, Clemson University, 2008-2012.

Faculty (4 year full-tuition) Scholarship, Centre College, August 2004- May 2008.

### **Research Support**

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#### ***Grants and Contracts Funded as Principal Investigator (Total funding as PI > \$10,500,000)***

Rural Health Research Grant Program Cooperative Agreement 2024-2028

Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS

09/01/2024 – 08/31/2028

Total Award \$2,800,000

**Note: Co-Principal Investigator** with Dr. Peiyin Hung

Subaward from South Carolina Center for Excellence in Addiction – BCBS

SC Department of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services (DAODAS)/BCBS Foundation

01/11/2023 - 12/31/2024

Total Award- \$24,499

Improving STD Prevention and Care Through Partnerships

CDC Foundation/ National Foundation for the Centers for Disease and Control and Prevention, Inc.

12/1/2023-6/30/2024

Total Award- \$204,305

Maternal Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Coordinated Evaluation 2023-2025  
09/30/2023 – 09/29/2025  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust of South Carolina  
Total Award - \$322,679

Scope and Impact of the Unknowingly Insured Patient Population of SC Free Clinics  
12/1/2022 – 11/30/2023  
Blue Cross Blue Shield Foundation of South Carolina with SC Free Medical Clinic Association  
Total Award - \$38,161

FY 22 Maternal Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Coordinated Evaluation  
09/31/2022 – 09/29/2024  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust of South Carolina  
Total Award - \$322,680

Improving STD Prevention and Care Through Partnerships  
CDC Foundation/ National Foundation for the Centers for Disease and Control and Prevention, Inc.  
1/1/2021-7/31/2022  
Total Award- \$308,750

FY 21 Maternal Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Coordinated Evaluation  
09/31/2021 – 09/29/2023  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust of South Carolina  
Total Award - \$321,191

Rural Border Health Chartbook: An Update  
National Rural Health Association  
03/01/2021-07/31/2021  
Total Award \$175,000  
**Note: Co-Principal Investigator** with Dr. Jan Eberth

Rural Health Research Grant Program Cooperative Agreement 2020-2024  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS  
09/01/2020 – 08/31/2024  
Total Award \$2,800,000  
**Note: Co-Principal Investigator** with Dr. Jan Eberth

Continuing the Examination of SC MIECHV Client and Staff Attrition and the Organizational Factors that Promote Retention  
09/30/2020 – 09/29/2022  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust of South Carolina  
Total Award - \$371,110

Piloting Implementation of family engagement strategies within school mental health services in rural elementary schools

SC Center for Rural and Primary Healthcare  
07/01/2020 – 06/31/2021  
Total Award \$99,980  
**Note: Co-Principal Investigator** with Dr. Melinda Merrell

Examining SC MIECHV Client and Staff Attrition and the Organizational Factors that Promote Retention  
09/30/2019 – 09/29/2021  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children's Trust of South Carolina  
Total Award - \$382,061

Community Support for Young Parents (CSYP-II) Evaluation  
Children's Trust of South Carolina with funding from the Federal Office of Adolescent Health/HHS  
07/01/2018 – 06/30/2020  
Total Award \$187,182

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Expanded Workforce Evaluation Part II  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children's Trust of South Carolina  
10/01/2018 – 09/30/2019  
Total Award - \$362,827

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Client Survey  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children's Trust of South Carolina  
10/01/2018 – 09/30/2020  
Total Award - \$395,976

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Needs Assessment  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children's Trust of South Carolina  
01/01/2019 – 9/30/2020  
Total Award \$98,839

CDC Foundation Medicaid Analysis 2019  
CDC Foundation/ National Foundation for the Centers for Disease and Control and Prevention, Inc.  
03/01/2019 – 12/31/2019  
Total Award - \$75,000

Rural Health Research Center Cooperative Agreement 2019-2020 – NCI Project  
09/01/2019 – 08/31/2020  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS  
Total Sponsor Amount \$329,775  
**Role: Co-Principal Investigator** with Dr. Jan Eberth

Rural Health Research Grant Program Cooperative Agreement 2018-2019  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS

11500-FA80  
09/01/2018 – 08/31/2019  
Total Award \$700,000  
PI – Dr. Jan Eberth  
**Role: Co-Principal Investigator** with Dr. Jan Eberth

Return on Investment for the Collaborative for Reproductive Education and Wellness (CREW) Learning Collaborative  
SC Campaign To Prevent Teen Pregnancy with funds from Blue Cross/Blue Shield Foundation of South Carolina  
11500-19-51108  
03/01/2019 – 12/31/2019  
Total Award - \$64,952

Return on Investment for the South Carolina Adolescent Reproductive Health Leadership Institute (SCARHLI)  
South Carolina Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy/The Duke Endowment  
11550-KA21  
02/16/2018 - 12/15/2018  
Total Award - \$35,489

Rural Oral Health Advancement and Delivery Systems (ROADS)  
Medical University of South Carolina /DentaQuest Foundation  
01/01/2015 – 1/1/2017  
Total Award - \$45,000

Birth Outcomes Collaborative  
Association of Maternal and Child Health Programs  
8/1/2015-12/31/2016  
Total Award - \$45,000

***Grants and Contracts Funded as Co-Investigator***

Rural Health Research Grant Program Cooperative Agreement 2012-2016  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS  
09/01/2012-08/31/2016  
Total Award \$2,640,000  
PI – Dr. Jan Probst  
(10% Time/Effort)

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Expanded Workforce Evaluation  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust of South Carolina  
10/01/2016 – 09/30/2017  
PI – Dr. Elizabeth Radcliff  
Total Award - \$280,403  
(59% Time/Effort)

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Competitive Enhanced Expansion with Quality Component Project  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust

of South Carolina  
10/01/2016 – 09/30/2017  
PI – Dr. Elizabeth Radcliff  
Total Award - \$364,354  
(16% Time/Effort)

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Formula Project  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust  
of South Carolina  
10/01/2016 – 09/30/2017  
PI – Dr. Elizabeth Radcliff  
Total Award - \$132,148  
(9% Time/Effort)

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program Expanded Workforce Evaluation  
Part I  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust  
of South Carolina  
10/01/2017 – 09/30/2018  
PI – Dr. Elizabeth Radcliff  
Total Award - \$65,764  
(46% Time/Effort)

Analysis of Rural Practice Acquisition Proviso  
University of South Carolina School of Medicine Educational Trust/ South Carolina Department  
of Health and Human Services  
7/01/2017 – 7/1/2018  
PI – Dr. Jan Eberth  
Total Award - \$200,000  
(11% Time/Effort)

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS in collaboration with Children’s Trust  
of South Carolina  
10/01/2018 – 09/30/2020  
PI – Dr. Elizabeth Radcliff  
Total Award - \$395,976  
(50% Time/Effort)

Rural Health Research Grant Program Cooperative Agreement 2018-2019  
Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)/HHS  
Time Period 9/1/2016-8/1/2020  
Total Award \$1,487,420  
PI – Dr. Jan Probst  
(9% Time/Effort)

**Scholarship**

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**Manuscripts Under Review (10)**

137. Odahowski, C., Garcia, J., Boswell, E., Taazieh, J., Hung, P., Andrews, C., **Crouch, E.** A Rural-Urban Comparison of Depressive Symptoms and Serious Suicidal Thoughts among Adolescents Ages 12-17 in the United States. Submitted to *Journal of Adolescent Health* on 10/9/24.
136. Benavidez, G., Boswell, E., Hung, P., **Crouch, E.** Examining the Burden of Chronic Disease and Low SES to Identify High-Need Rural Counties. *The Journal of Rural Health*. Submitted 8/30/24.
135. Harrison, S., **Crouch, E.**, Boswell, E., Weaver, K., Johnson, R., Pearson, W. (2024). Expanding access to STI and HIV Prevention in South Carolina: A Qualitative Study to Inform Program Development. *Rural and Remote Health*. Submitted 10/24/24.
134. Wirth, M., Yell, N., Dawson, R., Hung, P., **Crouch, E.** (2024). Examining the Association between nursing staffing hours per resident per day and nurse turnover within skilled nursing facilities. *Medical Care*. Submitted 10/24/24.
133. Boswell, E., Hinds, O., Odahowski, C., **Crouch, E.**, Hung, P., Andrews, C. (2024). Rural-Urban Differences in Substance Use and Substance Use Treatment During Pregnancy. *The Journal of Rural Health*. Submitted 8/22/24.
132. Boswell, E., **Crouch, E.**, Odahowski, C., Hung, P. (2024). Rural-Urban Differences in the Prevalence of Adverse Childhood Experiences Following the COVID-19 Pandemic. Submitted to *The Journal for Healthcare for the Poor and Underserved* 8/22/24. Revision received 9/30/24.
131. Liu, J., Haoyuan, Zhang, J., **Crouch, E.**, Hung, P. (2024). Mental Health-Related Urgent Healthcare Services among U.S. Adults with Mental Health Challenges, 2017-2020. *Journal of Community Health*. Submitted 8/18/24.
130. Boswell, E., Hung, P., Gao, H., Zhang, G., **Crouch, E.** (2024). Disparities in Mental Healthcare Services Among Adults in the United States. Submitted to *Psychiatric Services*. Submitted 3/20/24. Revision received 6/24/24. Revision submitted 8/19/24. Revision resubmitted 10/10/24.
129. Hung, P., Floyd, S., Giannouchos, T., Odahowski, C., Qin, X., Tabassum, M., **Crouch, E.** (2024). Rural-Urban Differences in Medicare Fee-for-Services Expenditures From 2009-2019. *Rural and Remote Health*. Submitted 8/14/24.

#### Refereed Journal Articles in print or in press (\* indicates student author)

128. **Crouch, E.**, Smith, H., Andersen, T. (2024). Rural-Urban Differences in Bullying Victimization and Perpetration using a national sample. *Journal of Rural Mental Health*. Accepted 10/29/24.
127. Boswell, E., **Crouch, E.**, Odahowski, C., Hung, P. (2024). Examining the Association Between Adverse Childhood Experiences and ADHD in School-Aged Children Following the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Journal of Attention Disorders*. Accepted 10/18/24.
126. Soto, M., **Crouch, E.**, Odahowski, C., Boswell, E., Brown, M., Watson, P. (2024). Challenges to School Success among Children in U.S. Military Families. *Military Medicine*. Accepted 10/12/24.
125. **Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Brown, M., Hung, P. (2024). Exploring the association between parenting stress and a child's exposure to positive childhood experiences. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*. Accepted 9/30/24.
124. Benavidez, G., Blackwell, S., Hung, P., and **Crouch, E.** (2024). Geographic Disparities in Availability of Hospital-based Cardiac Services Across the United States. *Circulation*. Accepted 9/13/24.

123. Poudel, P., **Crouch, E.**, Xing, M., Salehabadi, S., Brandt, H. (2024). Exploring the Relationship Between Adverse Childhood Experiences and HPV Vaccination in a National Sample of Adults. *Child Abuse and Neglect*. Accepted 8/28/24.
122. **Crouch, E.**, Bennett, K., Boswell, E., Odahowski, C. (2024). The Health of Children in US Military Families. *Military Medicine*. Accepted 8/21/24.
121. **Crouch, E.**, Figas, K., Benavidez, G., Bennett, K., Hung, P. (2024). Rural-Urban Differences in School Success Among Children and Adolescents in the United States. *The Journal of School Nursing*. Accepted 8/7/24.
120. **Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Boswell, E., Brown, M., Hung, P. (2024). Positive childhood experiences and caregiver-reported ADHD diagnosis and severity. Submitted to *Journal of Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics*. Accepted 8/7/24.
119. Brown, M. J., Sunkara, S., Kaur, A., Addo, P., Amoatika, D., **Crouch, E.** (2024). Childhood sexual trauma and opioid use among older adults living with HIV. *AIDS Care*. In press.
118. Kilpatrick, D., Hung, P., **Crouch, E.**, Self, S., Cothran, J., Porter, D., Eberth, J. (2024). Geographic Variations in Urban-Rural Particulate Matter (PM 2.5) Concentrations in the United States, 2010-2019. *GeoHealth*. Accepted 7/26/24.
117. Brown, M. J., Zhang, J., Addo, P., Kaur, A., Amoatika, D., **Crouch, E.**, Cohen, S. (2024). Childhood sexual trauma, substance use, and ART adherence among older adults living with HIV: A mediational analysis. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*. Accepted 7/3/24.
116. Hunt, E.T., Brazendale, K., Kelder, S., Lanza, K., Mantey, D., Cristol, B., **Crouch, E.**, Schroeder, K., & Hoelscher D.M. Adverse Childhood Experiences and Obesogenic Behaviors Among a Representative Sample of U.S. Children and Adolescents. *Journal of Adolescent Trauma*. Accepted 7/5/24.
115. Boswell, E., **Crouch, E.** (2024). Rural-Urban Differences in Disability Prevalence, Healthcare Services Utilization, and Participation in Special Education. *Journal of Autism and Developmental Disorders*. Accepted 6/1/24.
114. Zahnd, W., Hung, P., **Crouch, E.**, Ranganathan, R., Eberth, J. (2024). Health Care Access Barriers among Metropolitan and Nonmetropolitan Populations of Eight Geographically Diverse States, 2018. *Journal of Rural Health*. Accepted 5/28/24.
113. Kidd, L., Boehme, H.M., **Crouch, E.**, Kennedy, E., & Nolan, M.S. (2024). A Statewide Survey Examining Public Perceptions of ACEs, (poly)Victimization, Mental Health, and Firearm Information Provision in the Aftermath of the Pandemic. *Journal of Crime and Justice* (Special Issue: Public Health and Crime).
112. Probst, J., Yell, N., Benavidez, G., McNatt, M., Herbert, L., Zahnd, W., Crouch, E. (2024). Dialysis is more available than diabetes education in high diabetes prevalence counties. *Preventing Chronic Disease*.
111. McClam, M., **Crouch, E.**, Browder, J., Workman, L. (2024). Assessing Home Visiting Leadership in a Statewide Home Visiting Program. *Journal of Health Visiting*.
110. **Crouch, E.**, Yell, N., Herbert, L., Browne, T., Hung, P. (2024). Availability and Quality of Dialysis Care in Rural and Urban U.S. counties. *American Journal of Nephrology*.
109. **Crouch, E.**, Boswell, E. (2024). Adverse Childhood Experiences and ADHD Diagnosis and Severity: An Update. *Academic Pediatrics*.



108. Boswell, E., Probst, J., Hung, P., Herbert, L., **Crouch, E.** (2024). Rural-Urban Differences in self-reported participation in diabetes self-management education. *Journal of Public Health Management & Practice.*
107. Benavidez, G., **Crouch, E.**, Nelson, J., Martin, A. (2024). Congruence between Dental Health Professional Shortage (HPSA) Designation and the Social Vulnerability Index. *GIS Snapshots.*
106. Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.**, Harrison, S., Brown, M., Brown, T., Pearson, W. (2023). Identifying the need for and availability of evidence-based care for sexually transmitted infections in rural primary clinics. *Sexually Transmitted Diseases.*
105. Negaro, S., Hantman, R., Probst, J., **Crouch, E.**, Odahowski, C., Andrews, C., Hung, P. (2023). Geographic Variations in Driving Time to U.S. Mental Health Care, Digital Access to Technology, and Household Crowdedness. *Health Affairs Scholar.*
104. **Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Bennett, K., Brown, M., Hung, P. (2023). Child and Adolescent Health in the United States: the Role of Adverse and Positive Childhood Experiences. *Journal of Child and Adolescent Trauma.*
103. **Crouch, E.**, Andersen, T., Smith, H. (2023). Adverse Childhood Experiences and Positive Childhood Experiences among United States Children: A National Security Concern. *Military Medicine.*
102. Boswell, E., Richard, C., **Crouch, E.**, Jones, A., Dugger, R., Cordan, K. (2023). Home Visiting Program Participation and Healthcare Utilization amongst Children Enrolled in South Carolina Medicaid, 2017-2021. *Journal of Health Visiting.*
101. Momodu, O., Horner, R., Liu, J., **Crouch, E.**, Chen, B. (2023). Validation of Gestational Weight Gain Records on South Carolina Birth Certificate Data. *Discover Health Systems.*
100. **Crouch, E.**, Abshire, D., Wirth, M., Hung, P., Benavidez, G. (2023). Rural-Urban Differences in Overweight and obesity, physical activity, and food security among children and adolescents. *Preventing Chronic Disease.*
99. **Crouch, E.**, Probst, J., Radcliff, E. (2023). Changes in Positive Childhood Experiences during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Academic Pediatrics.*
98. **Crouch, E.**, Hung, P., Benavidez, G., Giannouchos, T., Brown, M. (2023). Rural-Urban Differences in Access to Care among children and adolescents in the United States. *The Journal of Rural Health.*
97. Probst, J., **Crouch, E.**, and Hung, P. (2023). Increasing all-cause mortality in US children and adolescents. *JAMA.*
96. Brown, M., Amoatika, D., Addo, P., Kaur, A., Haider, M., Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.** (2023). Childhood Sexual Trauma and Subjective Cognitive Decline: An Assessment of Racial/Ethnic and Sexual Orientation Disparities. *Journal of Applied Gerontology.* P. 07334648231175299.
95. Momodu\*, O., Horner, R., Liu, J., **Crouch, E.**, Chen, B. (2023). Participation in the Centering Pregnancy Program and Pregnancy-Induced Hypertension. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine.*
94. Figas\*, K., Giannouchos, T, **Crouch, E.** (2023). Child and Adolescent Anxiety and Depression Prior to and During the COVID-19 Pandemic in the United States. *Child Psychiatry and Human Development.* 1-11.
93. **Crouch, E.**, Figas, K., Radcliff, E., Hunt, E. (2023). Examining bullying victimization, bullying perpetration, and positive childhood experiences. *Journal of School Health.*

92. Zahnd, W., Silverman\*, A., Self, S., Hung, P., Natafagi, N., Adams, S, Merrell, M., Owens, O., **Crouch, E.**, Eberth, J. (2023). The COVID-19 Pandemic Effect on Independent and Provider-Based Rural Health Clinics' Operations and Cancer Prevention and Screening Provision in the United States. *The Journal of Rural Health*.
91. **Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Brown, M., and Hung, M. (2023). Association between positive childhood experiences and childhood flourishing among US children. *Journal of Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics*. 44(4), e255-e262.
90. **Crouch, E.**, Nelson, D., Radcliff, E., Workman, L, Browder, J., McClam, M. (2023). Factors Influencing Home Visiting Client Attrition in a Southern State. *Journal of Health Visiting*.
89. Elmore, A., **Crouch, E.** (2023). Anxiety, Depression, and Adverse Childhood Experience: An Update on Risks and Protective Factors Among Children and Youth. *Academic Pediatrics*. 23 (4), 720-721.
88. Giannouchos, T., **Crouch, E.**, Merrell, M., Brown, M., Harrison, S., Pearson, W. (2022). Racial, ethnic, and rural/urban disparities in HIV and Sexually Transmitted Infections, in South Carolina. *Journal of Community Health*. 48(1), 152-159.
87. **Crouch, E.**, Nelson, J., Radcliff, E., Merrell, M., and Martin, A. (2022). Safe, Supportive Neighborhoods: Are they Associated With Childhood Oral Health? *Journal of Public Health Dentistry*.
86. **Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Browder, J., Workman, L., McClam, M. (2022). Assessing Supports Provided to Home Visitors during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Journal of Health Visiting*. 10(10),428-433.
85. Zahnd, W., Hung, P., Shi, S., Zgodic, A., Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.**, Probst, J., Eberth, J. (2022). The effect of hospital closure on cancer services in the rural United States: 2008-2017. *The Journal of Rural Health*.
84. Hung, P., Shih, Y., Ranganathan, R., Probst, J., Brown, M., **Crouch, E.**, Eberth, J. (2022). Rural-urban disparities in inpatient psychiatric care quality. *Psychiatric Services*.
83. **Crouch, E.**, Probst, J., Shi, S., McLain, A., Eberth, J., Brown, M., Merrell, M., Bennett, K. (2022). Examining the association between rurality and positive childhood experiences using a national sample. *The Journal of Rural Health*.
82. **Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Merrell, M., Brown, M., and Bennett, K. (2022). A national examination of the association between poverty and interactive caregiving practices among parents of young children. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 1-9.
81. Bell, N., Hung, P., Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.**, and Eberth, J. (2022). Changes in access to community health services among rural areas affected and unaffected by hospital closures between 2006-2018: a comparative interrupted time series study. *The Journal of Rural Health*.
80. **Crouch, E.**, Srivastav, A., Stafford, A. (2022). Examining Racial/Ethnic Differences in Positive Childhood Experiences among Respondents in a Southern States. *Journal of Child and Adolescent Trauma*, 1-8.
79. Eberth, J., Hung, P., Benavidez, G., Probst, J., Zahnd, W., McNatt, M.K., Toussaint, E., Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.**, Oyesode, O., Yell, N. (2022). The problem of the color line: spatial access to hospital services for minoritized racial/ethnic groups. *Health Affairs*, 41(2),237-246.
78. **Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Kelly, K., Merrell, M., and Bennett, K. (2022). Examining the influence of positive childhood experiences on childhood overweight and obesity using a national sample. *Preventive Medicine*, 154, 106907.

77. **Crouch, E.,** Smith, H., Anderson, T. (2022). An examination of caregiver incarceration, positive childhood experiences, and school success. *Children and Youth Services Review, 133*, 106345.
76. Brown, M., Kaur, A., James, T., Avalos, C., Addo, P., **Crouch, E.,** Hill, N. (2021). Adverse Childhood Experiences and Subjective Cognitive Decline in the US. *Journal of Applied Gerontology. 07334648211058718.*
75. **Crouch, E.,** Radcliff, E., Merrell, M., Hung, P., and Bennett, K. (2021). Positive Childhood Experiences Promote School Success. *Maternal and Child Health Journal, 25*(10), 1646-1654.
74. Hung, P., Kewiei, S., Probst, J., Zahnd, W., Zgodic, A., Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.,** and Eberth, J. (2021). Trends in cancer treatment service availability across critical access hospitals and prospective payment system hospitals. *Medical Care.*
73. Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.,** Browder, J., Workman, L., Wilson, M., Malbouf, A., Silverman, A. (2021). Home Visiting Caregiver Satisfaction and Engagement in South Carolina. *Journal of Health Visiting, 9*(6), 253-259.
72. Probst, J., **Crouch, E.,** Eberth, J. (2021). COVID-19 risk mitigation behaviors among rural and urban community-dwelling older adults in summer, 2020. *The Journal of Rural Health.*
71. **Crouch, E.,** Radcliff, E., Merrell, M., Bennett, K., and Wilson, A. (2021). Examining Racial-Ethnic Differences in Positive Childhood Experiences Among Rural Children. *Journal of Rural Mental Health.*
70. **Crouch, E.,** Radcliff, E., Bennett, K., Brown, M., and Hung, P. (2021). Examining the relationship between adverse childhood experiences and caregiver-reported ADHD diagnosis and severity. *Academic Pediatrics.*
69. Brown, M., Jiang, Y., Hung, P., Haider, R., and **Crouch, E.** (2021). Disparities by Gender and Race/Ethnicity in Child Maltreatment and Memory Performance. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence. 08862605211015222.*
68. **Crouch, E.,** Radcliff, E., Merrell, M., Brown, M., and Ingram, L. (2021). Racial-ethnic Differences in Positive Childhood Experiences across a National Sample. *Child Abuse and Neglect, 115*, 105012.
67. Zahnd, W., Murphy, C., Knoll, M., Benavidez, G., Day, K., Ranganathan, P., Zgodic, A., Kewei, S., Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.,** Brandt, H., and Eberth, J. (2021). The Intersection of Rural Residence and Minority Race/Ethnicity in Cancer Disparities in the United States. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, 18* (4), 1384.
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### **Presentations**

#### **Invited Presentations**

Invited Speaker at The Pennsylvania State University's Symposium "Innovations to Impact Nutrition Security and Health in Rural Communities", October 28, 2024. Talk titled: "Food Security as an Adverse Childhood Experience in Rural Communities" with Dr. Cassie Odahowski and Ms. Emma Boswell.

Invited Speaker at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, October 17, 2024. Talk titled: "Expanding access to STI and HIV Prevention in South Carolina" with Dr. Sayward Harrison and Ms. Emma Boswell.

Invited Speaker at the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine's workshop "Advancing Equity in Diagnostic Excellence to Reduce Health Disparities", September 23, 2024. Talk titled: "Identifying Barriers to Accessing Equitable High-Quality Diagnosis."

Invited Speaker at the South Carolina Free Clinic Association Annual Meeting, November 17,



2023. Talk titled: “Scope and Impact of the Unknowingly Insured Patient Population of SC Free Medical Clinics.”

Invited Speaker at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Foundation’s April 27, 2023 meeting: Improving STD Prevention and Care through Partnerships with State Legislators and Policy Makers. Talk titled: “Racial, Ethnic, and Rural/Urban Disparities in HIV and Sexually Transmitted Infections in South Carolina.”

Invited Speaker at the New York State Association for Rural Health, October 20, 2022. “: “Adverse Childhood Experiences and Positive Childhood Experiences in Rural Communities.”

Invited Speaker at the Michigan Center for Rural Health, Grand Rounds programs for rural health care providers, September 8, 2022. Title of talk: “Adverse Childhood Experiences and Positive Childhood Experiences in Rural Communities.”

Invited Speaker at the Region 2 of the Network of the National Library of Medicine (NNLM), June 20, 2022. Title of talk: “Rural-Urban Differences in Adverse and Positive Childhood Experiences.”

Invited speaker at the White House COVID-19 Health Equity Task Force on May 10, 2021. Title of Talk: “Racism and xenophobia from a rural health lens” with Dr. Jan Eberth and Dr Carrie Henning-Smith.

Invited speaker at the congressional initiative, the Federal Interagency Taskforce on Trauma-Informed Care. Hosted by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMSHA) on July 12, 2019 in Rockville, Maryland. Title of talk: “The Prevalence of Adverse Childhood Experiences Among U.S. Children.”

April 16, 2018: Invited Speaker for the National Rural Health Advisory Committee Meeting in Saratoga Springs, New York, for a talk entitled “Rural-Urban Differences in Adverse Childhood Experiences.”

### **Competitive Conference Presentations**

Brown, M., Osinubi, M., Murtala, N., Johnson, K., Cohen, S., **Crouch, E.** (2024). Assessment of Gender, Racial/Ethnic and Cognitive Status Disparities in ACEs, Depression, and Life Satisfaction among US Older Adults. American Public Health Association. Minneapolis, MN. Oral Presentation.

Owusu-Sekyere, E., **Crouch, E.**, Benavidez, G., Hung, P., & Boswell, E. (2024, October). Identification and characteristics of high need counties in the United States. In *APHA 2024 Annual Meeting and Expo*. APHA.

Pendergrast, C., Henning-Smith, C., Brown, M., **Crouch, E.**, Jansen, T., Ferdows, N. (2024). Rurality Matters: Understanding the Critical and Nuanced Role of Place-Based Factors in Rural Aging. Gerontological Society of America. Seattle, Washington. Oral Presentation.

**Crouch, E.**, Abshire, D., Nelson, J. (2024). Physical, Behavioral, and Oral Health of Rural Children. 2024 National Rural Health Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. Oral Presentation.

Nelson, J., Benavidez, G., **Crouch, E.**, Martin, A. (2024). Community Characteristics and Dentist Availability: A Novel Use of CSVI. 2024 National Rural Health Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. Oral Presentation.

**Workman, L.,** Crouch, E., McClam, M., Browder, J. Ramage, C. (2024). Using Evaluation Data to Guide the Development of a Home Visiting Leadership Program. 2024 Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program All-Grantee Meeting. Arlington, VA. Oral Presentation.

**Crouch, E.,** Hung, P., Benavidez, G., Giannouchos, T., Brown, M. (2023). Rural-Urban Differences in Access to Care among children and adolescents in the United States. 2023 National Rural Health Association Conference. San Diego, CA. Poster Presentation.

Benavidez, G., Blackwell, S., Hung, P., **Crouch, E.** Rural-Urban Changes in Availability of Hospital-Based Cardiac Services from 2010 to 2020. 2023 National Rural Health Association Conference. San Diego, CA. Poster Presentation.

Benavidez, G., Probst, J., **Crouch, E.** Rural-urban disparities in perceived utility of tobacco prevention messaging. 2023 National Rural Health Association Conference. San Diego, CA. Poster Presentation.

Probst, J., Yell, N., Benavidez, G., Hung, P., and **Crouch, E.** Presented May 2023. "Benefits for some: are rural hospice gaps ethical?" 2023 National Rural Health Association Conference. San Diego, CA. Poster Presentation.

Probst, J., Yell, N., Benavidez, G., McNatt, M., Browne, T., Herbert, L., Hung, P., and **Crouch, E.** Presented May 2023. "Rural Counties Disproportionately Lack Dialysis Facilities." 2023 National Rural Health Association Conference. San Diego, CA. Poster Presentation.

**Crouch, E.,** \*Nelson, J., Radcliff, E., Merrell, M. A., & Martin, A. Presented 17 April 2023. "Safe, Supportive Neighborhoods: Are they Associated with Childhood Oral Health?". 2023 National Oral Health Conference. Orlando, FL. Poster Presentation.

Brown, M. J., Addo, P. N. O., Kaur, A., Amoatika, D., **Crouch, E.,** Cohen, S. (2022, November). Varying forms of childhood sexual abuse and late-life depression among older adults living with HIV. Public Health Association Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. Oral Presentation.

Zahnd WE, Silverman AF\*, Self S, Hung P, Natafqi N, Adams SA, Merrell MA, Owens S, **Crouch E,** Eberth JM. Cancer prevention activities in RHCs: Impacts of COVID-19. National Rural Health Association (NRHA) Annual Conference. Albuquerque, NM. 2022 May. Oral Presentation.

Probst JC, **Crouch E,** McNatt MK, Eberth JM. Geographic and ethnic disparities among U.S. border residents. National Rural Health Association (NRHA) Annual Conference. Albuquerque, NM. 2022 May. Oral Presentation.

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**Crouch, E.**, Nelson, J. Oral Health Status of America's Rural Children. Zufall Health Center's 3rd Annual Rural Oral Health Virtual Conference 2021. Virtual Oral Presentation. 2021 November.

**Crouch, E.**, Ramage, C., Probst, J. Positive Childhood Experiences before and during COVID-19. National Rural Health Association. Virtual Oral Presentation. 2021 May.

Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.**, Hung, P., Brown, M. Rural Sexually Transmitted Infections: where do rural residents go? National Rural Health Association. Virtual Poster Presentation. 2021 May.

Workman, L., Merrell, M., **Crouch, E.**, Browder, J. Reaching rural communities with home visiting before and during the COVID-19 pandemic.

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**Crouch, E.**, Baram, T., and Tottenham, N. (February 15, 2019). Neurobiological and Public Health Perspectives on Early Life Adversity. Oral Presentation as part of session at American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), Washington, D.C.

**Crouch, E.** (November 28, 2018). Adverse Childhood Experiences and Rural/Urban Disparities: Going “Upstream” to Improve Health. Featured Speaker Presentation at Reforming States Group Meeting, Milbank Memorial Fund, Charleston, SC.

**Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Strompolis, M., and Srivastav, A. (November 13, 2018). Safe and nurtured: Protective Factors against poor health outcomes following exposure to Adverse Childhood Experiences. Poster Presentation at the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA.

**Crouch, E.** (September 21, 2018). The Status of Rural Health in the Southeast United States. Featured Speaker Presentation at 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Rural HIV and Research Training Conference, Savannah, GA.

Gordon, N. and **Crouch, E.** (June 25, 2018). Prevalence of and Factors Influencing Use of Online Resources for Health Information and Advice by Middle-Aged and Older Adults. Poster Presentation at Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Seattle, WA.

Eberth, J., **Crouch, E.**, Josey, M., Zahnd, W., Adams, S., Stiles, B., and Schootman, M. (May 2018). Rural-Urban Differences in access to thoracic surgery in the United States, 2010-2014. Poster Presentation at the Accelerating Rural Cancer Control Research Meeting.

**Crouch, E.**, Radcliff, E., Strompolis, M. and Bennett, K. (May 2018). Rural-Urban Differences in Protective Factors in Respondents exposed to Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs). Oral Presentation at National Rural Health Association, New Orleans, LA.

**Crouch, E.**, Eberth, J., Probst, J. Bennett, K, and Adams, S. (May 2018). Rural-Urban Differences in Costs of End-of-Life Care for in the last six months of life among patients with breast, lung, or colorectal cancer. Oral Presentation at National Rural Health Association, New Orleans, LA.

Probst, J., Bennett, K. and **Crouch, E.** (May 2018). Mortality and End of Life Care issues among Rural Residents. Oral Presentation at National Rural Health Association, New Orleans, LA.

Radcliff, E., **Crouch, E.**, and Strompolis, M. “Examining exposure to Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) among South Carolina adults.” Poster presented at the Zero to Three Annual Conference, San Diego. November 29-December 1, 2017.

Liu, J., Karim, S., Probst, J., Burgis, J., **Crouch, E.**, and Cai, B. (November 17, 2017). Infant

Outcomes After Elective Early-Term Delivery Compared with Expectant Management in South Carolina, 2014. Poster presented at the 2017 Annual South Carolina Birth Outcomes Initiative Symposium, Columbus, GA.

Jones, K., Probst, J., Hardin, J., **Crouch, E.**, and McKinney, S. (November 7, 2017). Concordance between Inpatient and Outpatient Recognition of Clinical Depression in Older Adults. Poster presented at the American Public Health Association Conference: Topics on Mental Health in Epidemiology and Public Health, Atlanta, GA.

Strompolis, M., **Crouch, E.**, and Radcliff, E. (October 20, 2017). Our So-called Collaborative Life: How a State-based Adverse Childhood Experience Initiative was Born in South Carolina. Presentation at the Adverse Childhood Experiences Southeastern Summit 2017: The Art of Healing Aces, Asheville, NC.

Radcliff, E., **Crouch, E.**, and Strompolis, M. (October 20, 2017). Rural-Urban Differences in Exposure to Adverse Childhood Experiences Among South Carolina Adults. Presentation at the Adverse Childhood Experiences Southeastern Summit 2017: The Art of Healing Aces, Asheville, NC.

**Crouch, E.**, Bennett, K., and Probst, J. Rural-Urban Differences in Unpaid Caregivers of Adults. (May 2017). Oral Presentation at National Rural Health Association, San Diego, CA.

**Crouch, E.**, Bennett, K., and Probst, J. (May 2017). Supply-Side Differences Associated with Inpatient Hospitalizations among Medicare Beneficiaries in the Last 6 Months of Life. Poster at National Rural Health Association, San Diego, CA.

Radcliff, B., **Crouch, E.**, and Strompolis, M. (May 2017). Rural-Urban Differences in Adverse Childhood Experiences in South Carolina Adults. Poster at National Rural Health Association, San Diego, CA.

**Crouch, E.**, Bennett, K., and Probst, J. (November 2016). Rural-Urban Differences in Medicare Service. Poster Presentation at The Gerontological Society of America's 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

**Crouch, E.**, Bennett, K., and Probst, J. (October 2015). Rural-Urban Differences in Medicare Service Use among Women in the Last Six Months of Life. Poster and Oral Presentation at the Carolina Women's Health Conference, Columbia, SC. Awarded "Best Social Science" poster.

Zarandy, J., Davis, A., **Crouch, E.**, and Dickes, L. (April 2015). Effects of Watching "The Dr. Oz Show" on Achieving Weight Loss Goals. Poster Presentation at the Society of Teachers of Family Medicine Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.

Gareau, S., **Crouch, E.**, Lopez, A., and Cummings, T. (November 2015). Number of Visits Matter: An Exploration of Dosing in Group Prenatal Care. Poster Presentation at the American Public Health Association Meeting, Chicago, IL.

## **Contributions to Education**

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### **UofSC Doctoral Committees**

#### **Completed as Chair:**

Nick Yell, December 2024, PhD in Health Services Policy and Management

Oluwatosin Momodu, December 2021, PhD in Health Services Policy and Management

Mary Wilson, August 2021, PhD in Health Services Policy and Management

Alex Delage, August 2021, PhD in Health Services Policy and Management

Eboni Haynes, December 2019, PhD in Health Services Policy and Management

Current as Chair:

Emma Boswell candidate for PhD in Health Services Policy and Management

Taryn Farrell candidate for PhD in Health Services Policy and Management

Current as Committee Member:

Sophia Negaro, candidate for PhD in Health Services Policy and Management

Completed as Committee Member:

March 2024, PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Shanikque Barksdale

May 2023, PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Chelsea Norregaard

December 2022. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Asma Alzaharni

December 2019. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Kaitlyn Crosby.

December 2019. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Victor Kirkey.

December 2019. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Songyuan Deng.

May 2019. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Lumi Bakos,

May 2019. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Sarah Sullivan.

May 2019. PhD in Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior. Aditi Brussels.

December 2017. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management. Matt Yuen.

August 2017. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Karen Jones

August 2016. PhD in Health Services Policy and Management, Ashley Robertson.

**UofSC Master's Committee Members**

December 2017, Elijah Christian, MPH in Health Services Policy and Management.

December 2017, Dom Francis, MPH in Health Services Policy and Management.

August 2017, Megan Surlles, MPH in Health Services Policy and Management.

December 2015. Ashley Guthrie. MPH in Health Services Policy and Management.

**UofSC Honors College**

May 2021, Raeann Vossberg, South Carolina Honors College, honors' thesis.

August 2018, Aalia Soherwardy, South Carolina Honors College, honors' thesis.

May 2024, Catherine Carr, South Carolina Honors College, honors' thesis.

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**Educational Service and Other Activities**

**National Advisory Workgroups**

February 2020-2021. Rural Healthy People 2030/2040 National Workgroup with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

**State Advisory Workgroups:**

January 2020-May 2022. South Carolina Center for Rural and Principal Healthcare Advisory Committee. Contact: Dr. Kevin Bennett.

**Other State and Local Activities:**

Fall 2023-present. MPH Reaccreditation Committee.

Fall 2023. Chaired the HSPM MPH Clinical Faculty Search Committee.

August 2018-May 2022. Committee member of the MHA Admissions and Curriculum Committee for Dr. Banky Olatosi.

August 2017-present. Committee member of the Scholastic Standards and Petitions Committee, Arnold School of Public Health.

August 2017-May 2022. Committee member of MPH Admissions Committee for Dr. Kelli Kenison.

Guest Lecture for Dr Lucy Ingram's Racial Health Disparities class, April 7, 2020, "Unaddressed disparities among rural minority populations."

December 2019- February 2020. Community Health Worker Institute ROI Pilot Study RFP Hoc Review Panel. Contact: Julie Smithwick.

September 27, 2018. Invited Speaker on "Return on Investment for the Adolescent Collaborative for Education and Wellness (CREW)" at the South Carolina Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy's Expert Task Force Meeting on "Developing and Scaling Models to Increase Contraceptive Access for Young People." Charleston, South Carolina.

September 19, 2018. Invited Speaker on Research Methods for the Children's Trust of South Carolina State Data Team Meeting.

March 21, 2018: Speaker at the Cancer Survivorship Center at the University of South Carolina School of Nursing, talk entitled "The Story Behind Economic Analyses."

November 10, 2017: Keynote Speaker for Teaching Healthcare Economics for the South Carolina Council on Economic Education.

South Carolina Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) Advisory Group 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020

August 2017-May 2018. Committee member for redesign of MPH Core Curriculum for Dr. Delores Pluto.

March 23, 2018: Keynote Speaker for Teaching Healthcare Economics for the South Carolina Council on Economic Education.

April 2018: Discovery Day at the University of South Carolina.

April 2017: Discovery Day at the University of South Carolina. Reviewed health science research posters for students.

March 1, 2017: Keynote Speaker for the South Carolina Certified Nurse Anesthetists Day at the Capitol.

April 2016: Discovery Day at the University of South Carolina. Reviewed health science research posters for students.

May 2014: Peer Review survey methodology for Connected Nation's South Carolina Statewide Economic Developers Broadband Survey.

February 2013: Peer Review survey methodology for Connected Nation's South Carolina Statewide Residential Technology Survey.

October 2013: Peer Review survey methodology for Connected Nation's South Carolina Statewide Business Survey.

Manuscript Reviewer for *Journal of Adolescent Health*, *Applied Health Economics and Health Policy*, *International Journal of Sociology and Social Policy*, *Health Promotion Practice*, *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, *BMC Public Health*, *The Journal of Rural Health*, *Children and Youth Services Review*, *Community Dentistry and Oral Epidemiology*, *Military Behavioral Health*, *Child Abuse and Neglect*.

## **Courses Taught**

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### University of South Carolina

HSPM 846: Advanced Topics in Health Policy and Management (Fall 2018, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023, Fall 2024)

HSPM 709: Perspectives in Rural Health (Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Spring 2022, Spring 2023, Spring 2024)

HSPM 514: Introduction to Health Services and Policy (Fall 2017)

HSPM 791: Introduction to Health Policy (Spring 2017) with Dr. Kelli Kenison

## **Media Coverage**

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Article highlighting my research in *Charleston City Paper*. “Considering the long-term effects of Child abuse in South Carolina as a healthcare crisis.”

<https://www.charlestoncitypaper.com/charleston/considering-the-long-term-effects-of-child-abuse-in-south-carolina-as-a-health-care-crisis/Content?oid=9536477>

Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health. South Carolina: National Rural Health Association Elects Elizabeth Crouch to Board of Trustees.

<https://www.aspph.org/south-carolina-national-rural-health-association-elects-elizabeth-crouch-to-board-of-trustees/>

Becker’s Hospital Review. Can population health save rural America?

<https://www.beckershospitalreview.com/care-coordination/can-population-health-save-rural-healthcare.html>

Arnold School of Public Health. Rural and Minority Research Center awarded \$2.8 million from the Health Services Research Administration.

[https://www.sc.edu/study/colleges\\_schools/public\\_health/about/news/2020/hrsa\\_grant\\_rmhrc.php#.X2uZr2hKgox](https://www.sc.edu/study/colleges_schools/public_health/about/news/2020/hrsa_grant_rmhrc.php#.X2uZr2hKgox)

Arnold School of Public Health. National Rural Health Association elects Elizabeth Crouch to the Board of Trustees.

[https://www.sc.edu/study/colleges\\_schools/public\\_health/about/news/2020/nrha\\_bot\\_crouch.php#.X2uaBGhKgox](https://www.sc.edu/study/colleges_schools/public_health/about/news/2020/nrha_bot_crouch.php#.X2uaBGhKgox)

Arnold School of Public Health. HSPM’s Elizabeth Crouch selected to join National Rural Health Association’s 2018 Rural Health Fellows Program.

[https://www.sc.edu/study/colleges\\_schools/public\\_health/about/news/2017/rural\\_health\\_fellows\\_crouch.php#.X2uapGhKgoy](https://www.sc.edu/study/colleges_schools/public_health/about/news/2017/rural_health_fellows_crouch.php#.X2uapGhKgoy)

Arnold School of Public Health. Nearly two decades after it’s inception, South Carolina Rural Health Research Center gets new name and new leadership.

[https://sc.edu/study/colleges\\_schools/public\\_health/about/news/2018/rural-minority\\_health\\_research\\_center.php#.X2uaxGhKgoy](https://sc.edu/study/colleges_schools/public_health/about/news/2018/rural-minority_health_research_center.php#.X2uaxGhKgoy)

Arnold School of Public Health. Study Examines Rural-Urban Differences in Positive Childhood Experiences Across a National Sample.

[https://sc.edu/study/colleges\\_schools/public\\_health/internal/documents/positive\\_childhood\\_experiences\\_crouch\\_fl.pdf](https://sc.edu/study/colleges_schools/public_health/internal/documents/positive_childhood_experiences_crouch_fl.pdf)