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EDUCATION

- 2006 Ph.D. in Social Welfare, The Graduate School & University Center, The City University of New York. (*Dissertation: Access to cancer education and screening: A long and difficult journey for Chinese immigrants in New York City*)
- 1989 University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa
Master's Degree in Social Work, Master's Scholar Award (GPA. 4.0)
- 1985 Hong Kong Shue Yan University
Diploma in Social Work, Honor Graduate

TRAINING

- 1995-1997 Post Masters Certificate in Social Work Administration
Hunter College School of Social Work
Completed courses in *Case Studies in Agency Management, Personnel Management, Public Policy, Organizational Theory, Management Technology, and Grantsmanship*
- 1995-1996 Post Graduate Program in Social Work Supervision and Training
Hunter College School of Social Work
Completed courses in *Supervision, Group Supervision, Case Studies in Supervision, and Training & Consultation*
- 1992-1994 Family Therapy Weekly Training & Practice
Institute for Family and Community Care/NYC Health and Hospitals Corporation

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

Academic Positions

- 2020 - **Professor**
2022 - 2023 **Interim Associate Dean & Professor**
2014 - 2020 **Associate Professor**
Chair of Social Work Research Sequence and Director of Asian American Social Work Initiative, Touro University Graduate School of Social Work
Courses taught: *Social Work Research, Advanced Social Work Research, Human Behavior in the Social Work Environment III, Clinical Social Work Practice in Health Care, Identity and Social Justice: Implications for Social Work Practice*
- 2007-2014 **Assistant Professor**, Silberman School of Social Work at Hunter College, CUNY
Courses taught: *Human Behavior in the Social Environments I, II, III; Social Work Research I, II; Clinical Social Work Practice in Health Settings; Social Work and Community Health Practice*

- 2007 (Spring) **Instructor**, taught *Human Behavior and Social Environment I*, Distance Learning Program, Hunter College School of Social Work
- 2006 (Fall) **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, taught *Social Work Administration & Human Behavior in Social Environment III*
Hunter College Master in Social Work Program, the City University of New York
- 2004-2005 **Adjunct Lecturer**, taught *Social Work Research I & II*
Hunter College Master in Social Work Program, the City University of New York

Training Faculty

- 2004- 2012 **Faculty & Mentor**, conducted training lectures on *survey design, qualitative research methodology, focus group methodology, and qualitative data analysis* and mentored research trainees, Health Disparity Research Training Program, Charles B. Wang Community Health Center in collaboration with the NYU Center for the Study of Asian American Health. Funding: P60-MD0005-38, National Center for Minority Health and Health Disparities, NIH.

Practice and Evaluation Experience

- 2019 - 2023 **Project Evaluator/Curriculum Co-Chair**
Touro University Graduate Schools Opioid and Substance Abuse Workforce Expansion Program, a 3-year project funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Human Resources and Services Administration (HRSA); funding amount \$1,338,822.
- Designed and completed all project related evaluation activities
 - Led the development of formal mid-year and end of year reports in addition to the reports required by HRSA.
 - Co-chaired the curriculum committee to assist with development of a new elective on Opioid Use Disorder/Substance Use Disorder as well as other training and educational materials
- 2017 - 2020 **Project Evaluator**
CHESD Leadership Program, a collaboration between Touro GSSW, the Lander College for Women/The Anna and Mark Hasten School, and UJA-Federation of New York, a fellowship designed to nurture and advance Jewish women leading nonprofit organizations, and/or social service efforts in Brooklyn.
- Designed and complete assessment and evaluation activities
- 2017-2018 **Project Evaluator**
Scholarships for Disadvantaged Student Program, Touro GSSW, a multi-year program funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Human Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), to recruit, educate, and retain graduate students from disadvantaged backgrounds thereby increasing the number of highly qualified and deeply dedicated social work MSW professionals working in clinical, primary care behavioral/mental health settings in medically underserved communities.
- Led the development of evaluation plan.
 - Designed and completed assessment and evaluation activities.

- 2014-2015 **Educational Consultant**
Charles B. Wang Community Health Center/NYU Greenlight Obesity Prevention Project
- Worked with staff to plan several patient and provider focus groups for the Greenlight Obesity Prevention Project
 - Prepared and facilitated focus groups with patients, families, and providers to solicit their feedback and suggestions on a set of Chinese translated booklets with the goal to keep babies healthy and maintain healthy weight.
- 2012-2013 **Evaluation Consultant**
The Child Center of New York
- Worked with staff to identify major program strategies and what specific data to be captured in the Korean School Outreach Program
 - Designed database with intended usability for social workers who will do data entry
 - Conducted staff training on data compilation and data management.
- 2011 **Project Evaluator**
- Worked as a project evaluator for The Child Center of New York on the “Getting Asian-Americans and Pacific-Islanders Services (GAPS)” Project funded by the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.
- 2010-2012 **Educational Consultant**
Charles B. Wang Community Health Center, New York City
- Developed a bilingual curriculum and educational resource tools on child development and school readiness.
 - Facilitated parent training and skills enhancement events on various issues related to healthy child development and school readiness.
 - Provided guidance in identifying and developing effective channels to provide educational information and supportive services to parents/caregivers.
- 2008-2011 **Project Evaluator**
- In collaboration with Hamilton Madison House and worked as a project evaluator on a 3-year grant to expand and enhance Asian American substance abuse treatment services funded by the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.
- 2007-2008 **Research and Evaluation Associate (Part-time Per-diem)**
Charles B. Wang Community Health Center, New York City
- Served as a consultant to assist with the development, implementation, and evaluation of assigned research projects, and evaluated grant funded projects.
- 2006 -2007 **Director of Research and Evaluation**
Charles B. Wang Community Health Center, New York City
- Directed the development, implementation, and evaluation of assigned research projects.
 - Served as a project evaluator for grant funded projects.

- Developed research protocols and monitored research compliance with regard to IRB regulations and established protocols.
- Developed presentations of research data and findings
- Provided oversight of research operations and administration
- Developed research policies and procedures for the Center.
- Contributed to the development and writing of research proposals for submission to federal, state and city agencies, foundations, and other funding sources.
- Conducted in-service training and provided mentorship for staff in the areas of research and evaluation.
- Convened strategic planning activities to establish core research functions and agenda.

2005-2006 **Director of Evaluation**

Charles B. Wang Community Health Center, New York City

2004-2005 **Health Education/Research Project Director**

Charles B Wang Community Health Center, New York City

- Directed community health projects targeting the Asian American communities such as cardiovascular health, diabetes, and tobacco control.
- Served as the co-principal investigator for mental health research projects.

2002-2004 **Health Education Special Projects Manager**

Charles B Wang Community Health Center, New York City

1998-2002 **Director of Health Education**

Charles B Wang Community Health Center, New York City

- Directed community health projects targeting the Asian American communities such as hepatitis B awareness campaign, breast health services, HIV, cancer study, anti-smoking campaign, cardiovascular health coalition building, diabetes education, mental health awareness, and directed community outreach activities.
- Led the development of Chinese American Healthy Heart Coalition and the New York's Asian American and Pacific Islander Tobacco Control Network.
- Supervised the development of educational curricula on parenting skills, mental health care for Chinese elderly and adolescents, diabetes and hepatitis B.
- Directed health education departmental activities and supervised a team of more than ten health education staff.

1999-2000 **Director of Social Work**

Charles B Wang Community Health Center, New York City

1994-1998 **Program Coordinator**

Asian Bicultural Clinic, Gouverneur Hospital, New York City

- Managed and coordinated the operation of the multi-disciplinary mental health team.
- Coordinated the administrative and clinical activities.
- Supervised a team of mental health professionals including psychiatrists and social workers
- Provided psychotherapy and psychoeducation to individuals, groups, and families.

- 1991-1994 **Social Worker/Hospitalization Liaison Person**
Asian Bicultural Clinic, Gouverneur Hospital, New York City
- 1990-1991 **Social Worker, Adult Inpatient Unit of Psychiatry**
Bellevue Hospital Center, New York City.
- 1989-1990 **Psychiatric Social Worker**, Asian American Mental Health Services,
Hamilton Madison House, New York City
- 1985-1988 **Residential Social Worker**, Hong Kong Student Aid Society
Hong Kong, China

GRANTS

Recent Grants

- 2022-2025 **Research Collaborator and Consultant** for a NIH K99/R00 Award Grant “Effect of Early and Prolonged Parent-Child Separation and Reunification: Mental Health among Affected Chinese American Children”, led by Dr. Shaobing Su (PI) affiliated with Boston College School of Social Work
- 2018-2019 **Research Collaborator**: “Impacts of Prolonged Parent-Child Separation on the Psychosocial Well-Being of Transnational Chinese Immigrant Children and Families”, led by Dr. Chenyue Zhao from Department of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Child Study Center of NYU Langone Health.
- 2013-2014 **Principal Investigator**: “The Effects of Poverty, Parental Immigration Status, and Reverse-Migration Separation on the Developmental Challenges of Young Children in Chinese Immigrant Families”, submitted to PSC-CUNY 44 Research Award (Traditional B); Total Amount Requested: \$5,946.2.
- 2011-2012 **Principal Investigator**: “Reverse-Migration Separation & Successful Reunification among Chinese Immigrant Families – An Exploratory Study”, Funded by the PSC-CUNY 42 Research Award (Traditional B). Funding Amount: \$5,970.
- 2010-2011 **Principal Investigator**: “Gender Role Perception, Physical and Psychological Well-Being, & Health Care Experiences of Low Income Chinese American Women” funded by the PSC- CUNY 41 Research Award. Funding amount: \$1,438.92
- 2010-2011 **Recipient**, Faculty Innovations in Teaching with Technology (FITT) 2010. Funded by Hunter College. Funding amount: \$2,000. The focus of this initiative was to retool a Blackboard site for a practice elective course by incorporating technology to increase student engagement and class participation. The retooled site incorporated rich media elements and included wiki assignments for group projects and blog journal assignments to engage students in online dialogue.
- 2008-2011 **Project Evaluator**: Expand and Enhance Asian American Substance Treatment Services in New York City, led by the Hamilton Madison House; Project Director: May Lai. Funding: Substance Abuse and Mental Health Service Administration (SAMHSA),

Subcontract to Hunter College Research Administration, \$60,000 over a 3-year period for evaluation.

Past Research Grants

- 2006-2007 **Principal Investigator:** Assessment of Attitude, Perception, and Barriers towards Mental Health Treatment among Chinese Immigrants in New York City Study; Funding: NYU Center for the Study Asian American Health of NYU School of Medicine, P60-MD0005-38, National Center for Minority Health and Health Disparities, National Institutes of Health. Funding amount: \$150,000
- 2003-2006 **Co-Principal Investigator/Study Director:** Chinese American Depression Care Study, a randomized trial on collaborative care; Lead PI: Henry Chung, MD. Funding: NYU Center for the Study Asian American Health of NYU School of Medicine, P60-MD0005-38, National Center for Minority Health and Health Disparities, National Institutes of Health. Funding amount: \$415,000 over a 3-year period.
- 2004-2005 **Co-Principal Investigator:** Access to Prenatal Care Services for Chinese American Women; Lead PI: Henry Chung, MD. Funding: United Hospital Fund. Funding amount: \$60,000.
- 2002 -2005 **Co-Investigator:** Evaluation of a smoking cessation intervention using an intervention-control study design to assess the effectiveness of culturally competent case-management vs. usual provider care for adult smokers in a community health center;
Investigator and Project Director: Evaluation of a school-based youth tobacco control prevention program in collaboration with Ohio State University School of Public Health and Chinese Progressive Association; Lead PI: Alan Tso, MD. Funding: American Legacy Foundation; Funding amount: \$528,000 for 3 years.
- 2000-2001 **Site Investigator and Project Director:** Preparing the Ground War against Tobacco among Chinese Americans in New York City, a comprehensive tobacco survey; in collaboration with Ohio State University; Lead PI: Moon Chen, Ph.D., MPH. Funding from American Legacy Foundation; Funding amount: \$60,000.
- 2000-2002 **Site Investigator and Project Director:** New York Cancer Project, a large-scale, cohort study of residents of the greater metropolitan New York to investigate the joint roles of diet, physical activity, and genetics in the development of cancer, heart disease, and diabetes; successfully enrolled 1,200 subjects primarily Chinese Americans over a 2-year period; Funding through Beth Israel Medical Center from Academic Medicine Development Company, a consortium of major health institutions and academic institutions in New York City. Funding amount: \$171,000 over a 2-year period.
- 2000-2001 **Principal Investigator:** Breast and Prostate Cancer Prevention and Screening Study; Funding: Center for Medicaid and Medicare Services (formerly known as Health Care Financing Administration); Funding amount: \$25,000.

Past Grant-funded Community Health Projects

- 2006-2007 **Project Evaluator:** Community-Based Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Project; Funding: New York State Department of Health; funding amount \$200,000 per year.
- 2004-2007 **Project Evaluator:** Heart Healthy Education for Chinese American Consumers and Vendors Program; Funding: Office of Minority Health, US Department of Health and Human Services; funding amount: \$600,000 over a 3-year period.
- 2000-2006 **Project Director:** Chinese American Partnership for Heart-Healthy Living Project; Funding: New York State Department of Health Minority Health Community Partnerships Initiative; funding amount: \$53,000 per year.
- 2002-2004 **Project Director:** The Chinese American Diabetes Health Literacy Initiative; Funding: Pfizer Foundation Health Literacy Community Grant; funding amount: \$100,000 over a 2-year period.
- 2002-2004 **Project Director:** Chinese American Diabetes Education & Awareness Campaign. Funding: Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations BALANCE Program for Diabetes; funding amount: \$48,000 over a 2-year period.
- 1999-2000 **Project Director:** End-of-Life Care Public Awareness Campaign; Funding: Nathan Cummings Foundation; funding amount: \$20,000
- 2000-2001 **Project Director:** Chinese American Diabetes Education, Outreach, & Screening Campaign; Funding: Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations BALANCE Program for Diabetes; funding amount: \$15,000.
- 2000-2002 **Project Director:** Breast Health Screening and Outreach Program; Funding: Susan G. Komen New York Race for the Cure; funding amount: \$50,000 per year.
- 2000-2003 **Training Consultant/Project Advisor:** Excellence in Social Emotional Literacy Project; Funding: Community School District 2, New York; funding amount: \$12,925 per year.
- 2000-2004 **Project Director:** APPEAL Technical Assistance & Training Consortium Regional Partner; Funding: Asian Pacific Partners for Empowerment, Advocacy and Leadership Tobacco Control Program; funding amount: \$15,000 to \$18,000 per year.
- 2001-2002 **Project Director:** HIV Planning Grant; Funding: HRSA Ryan White CARE Act Title III HIV Planning; funding amount: \$50,000.
- 2000-2002 **Project Director:** Project H.O.P.E. – Comprehensive Breast Health: Inreach, Outreach, Recall, and Follow-Up Project; Funding: AVON Breast Care Fund; funding amount: \$100,000 per year.
- 2001-2002 **Project Director:** Cancer Support Program; Funding: Health Care Financing Administration; funding amount: \$24,999.

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Kwong, K. (2021). Work, stress, and well-being of healthcare and human service professionals during outbreak of COVID-19. *International Journal of Healthcare*, 7(2), 15-21.

<https://doi.org/10.5430/ijh.v7n2p15>

Kwong, K. (2020). Teaching microaggressions, identity, and social Justice: A reflective, experiential and collaborative pedagogical approach. *International Journal of Higher Education*, 9(4), 184-198.

<https://doi.org/10.5430/ijhe.v9n4p184>

Kwong, K. (2018). Assessing secondary trauma, compassion satisfaction, and burnout – Implications for professional education for Asian-American social workers. *International Journal of Higher Education*, 7(5), 75-85. <https://doi.org/10.5430/ijhe.v7n5p75>

Kwong, K. (2018). Career choice, barriers, and prospects of Asian American social workers. *International Journal of Higher Education*, 7(6), 1-12. <https://doi.org/10.5430/ijhe.v7n6p1>

Lin, J. L. L., Chan, M., **Kwong, K.**, & Au, L. (2018). Promoting positive youth development for Asian American youth in a Teen Resource Center: Key components, outcomes, and lessons learned. *Children & Youth Services Review*, 91, 413-423. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2018.06.040>

Kwong, K. (2017). Advancing social work practice research education – An innovative, experiential pedagogical approach. *International Journal of Higher Education*, 6(5), 1-13.

<https://doi.org/10.5430/ijhe.v6n5p1>

Kwong, K. & Yu, Q.Y. (2017). Prolonged separation and reunification among Chinese immigrant children and families: An exploratory study. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 26(9), 2426-2437.

<http://doi:10.1007/s10826-017-0745-1>

Kwong, K. (2017). The developmental impact of reverse-migration separation on low-income Chinese-American children – Provider perspectives. *Open Journal of Social Sciences*, 5, 146-165.

<http://dx.doi.org/10.4236/jss.2017.55011>

Kwong, K. (2016). Understanding work-related stress and practice of professional self-care – An Innovative pedagogical approach. *International Journal of Higher Education*, 5(4), 41-51.

<http://dx.doi.org/10.5430/ijhe.v5n4p41>

Kwong, K. (2016). Cancer beliefs and cancer screening behaviors among low income Chinese immigrants - Implications for culturally relevant interventions. *Journal of Nursing Education and Practice*, 6(10), 130-140.

Kwong, K., Chung, H., Cheal, K., Chou, J. C., & Chen, T. (2013). Depression care management for Chinese Americans in primary care: A feasibility pilot study. *Community Mental Health Journal*, 49, 157-165

Kwong, K., Chung, H., Cheal, K., Chou, J. C., & Chen, T. (2012): Disability beliefs and help-seeking behavior of depressed Chinese American patients in a primary care setting. *Journal of Social Work in Disability & Rehabilitation*, 11(2), 81-99. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/1536710X.2012.677602>

Kwong, K., Ferketich, A. K., Wewers, M. E., Shek, A., Tsang, T. & Tso, A. (2009). Development and evaluation of a physician-led smoking cessation intervention for low-income Chinese Americans. *Journal of Smoking Cessation*, 4(2), 92-98.

Kwong, K., Chung, H., Sun, L., Chou, J., & Taylor-Shih, A. (2009). Factors associated with reverse-migration separation among a cohort of low-income Chinese immigrant families in New York City. *Social Work in Health Care*, 48(3), 348-359.

Kwong, K. & Mak, A. (2009). Health care and cancer screening experience of Chinese immigrants in New York City: A qualitative study. *Social Work in Health Care*, 48(3), 321-347.

Au, L., **Kwong, K.**, Chou, J., Tso, A., & Wong, M. (2009). Prevalence of overweight and obesity in Chinese American children in New York City. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*, 11(5), 337-341. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s10903-009-9226-y>

Ferketich, A. K., **Kwong, K.**, Shek, A., & Lee, M. (2007). Design and evaluation of a tobacco prevention program targeting Chinese American youth in New York City. *Nicotine & Tobacco Research*, 9(2), 249-256.

Ferketich, A. K., Wewers, M.E., **Kwong, K.**, Louie, E., Moeschberger, M. L., Tso, A., & Chen, M. (2004). Smoking cessation interventions among Chinese Americans: The role of families, physicians, and the media. *Nicotine & Tobacco Research*, 6, 241-248.

Kramer, E. J., **Kwong, K.**, Lee, E., & Chung, H. (2002). Culture and medicine - Cultural factors influencing the mental health of Asian Americans. *Western Journal of Medicine*, 176(4), 227-232.

Harrison, W. D., **Kwong, K.** & Cheong K. J. (1989). Undergraduate education and cognitive development of MSW students: A follow-up to Specht, Britt, and Frost (1984). *Social Work Research and Abstracts*, 25, 15-19.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Abstract

Bohr, Y., **Kwong, K.**, & Whitfield, N. (2010). Transnational families and their infants: Examples, conceptual issues, and clinical implications. *Infant Mental Health Journal*, 31, (Abstract Supplement, p. 19).

Peer-Reviewed Continuing Education Articles

Kwong, K. (2015). *Work-related stress: The practice of professional self-care. A curriculum-based CME initiative*. ContinuingEducation.com: A Gannett Company, a provider for social work continuing education approved by the Association of Social Work Boards.
<http://www.continuingeducation.com/course/sw05/work-related-stress/>

Kwong, K. (2013). *Breaking the cultural barrier: Effective treatment strategies for Asian-American families*. A curriculum based CME initiative. ContinuingEducation.com: A Gannett Company, a provider for social work continuing education approved by the Association of Social Work Boards.
<http://www.continuingeducation.com/course/sw04/breaking-the-cultural-barrier/>

Book, Book Chapters, and Book Review

Kwong, K. (2024). Reflecting on Racism Within Social Work Profession and Developing an Anti-Racist Workforce. In: *Addressing Anti-Asian Racism with Social Work Advocacy and Action*. Edited by Meirong Liu and Keith T. Chan, Oxford University Press.
<https://doi.org/10.1093/oso/9780197672242.003.0014>

Liu, X., **Kwong, K.**, & Xu, Q (2024). Racism, Xenophobia, and Violence against Asian Americans during COVID-19 Pandemic. In: *Addressing Anti-Asian Racism with Social Work Advocacy and Action*. Edited by Meirong Liu and Keith T. Chan, Oxford University Press.
<https://doi.org/10.1093/oso/9780197672242.003.0002>

Kwong, K. (2022). 9.03. Special Populations: Asian. In: Asmundson, G.J.G. (Ed.), *Comprehensive Clinical Psychology*, 2nd edition, vol. 9. Elsevier, pp. 33–51. <https://dx.doi.org/10.1016/B978-0-12-818697-8.00071-6>.

Kwong, K. (2016). Book Review of *Action Learning in Social Work*. *China Journal of Social Work*, 9(1), 87-89. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17525098.2016.1141477>

Kwong, K. (2013). Book Review of *Shattering Culture: American Medicine Responds to Cultural Diversity* edited by Mary-Jo DelVecchio Good, Sarah S. Willen, Seth Donal Hannah, Ken Vickery, & Lawrence Taeseng Park. *Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare*, 40(1), 198-201.

Kwong, K. (2010). Tobacco use. In Edith Wen-Chu Chen & Grace J. Yoo (eds). *Encyclopedia of Asian American Issues Today*. Volume 1, (pp. 387-394). Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood Press.

Kwong, K. (2009). Book Review of *Human Behavior and the Social Environment: Models, Metaphors, and Maps for Applying Theoretical Perspectives to Practice*. *Journal of Teaching in Social Work*, 29(4), 474-477. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/08841230903256682>.

Kwong, K. (2009). *Access to Cancer Education and Screening: A Long and Difficult Journey for Chinese Americans in New York City*. VDM Verlag Dr. Müller Aktiengesellschaft & Co. KG.

Kwong, K. (2009). Socioeconomic and cultural barriers to preventive health, in William B. Bateman, Noilyn Abesamis-Mendoza, & Henrietta Ho-Asjoe (eds). *Praeger Handbook of Asian American Health: Taking Notice and Taking Action*, (pp. 657-684). Praeger.

Ursua, R., Abesamis-Mendoza, N., **Kwong, K.** Ho-Asjoe, H., Chung, W., & Wong, S. (2009). Addressing cardiovascular health disparities in Filipino and Chinese immigrant communities in New York metropolitan area, in William B. Bateman, Noilyn Abesamis-Mendoza, & Henrietta Ho-Asjoe (eds). *Praeger Handbook of Asian American Health: Taking Notice and Taking Action*, (pp. 123-145), Praeger.

Kwong, K., Ho-Asjoe, H., Chung, W., & Wong, S. (2007) Addressing cardiovascular health disparities of Chinese immigrants in New York City - A case study of the Chinese-American Healthy Heart Coalition, in B. C. Wallace, (ed). *Toward Equity in Health: A New Global Approach to Health Disparities*, (pp.237-251) Springer Publishing Company.

Evaluation and Technical Reports

Kwong, K. (2011). *Evaluation report of Getting Asian-Americans and Pacific Islanders, The Child Center of New York*, submitted to The Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.

Kwong, K. (2011). *Evaluation report of Expand and Enhance Asian-American Substance Abuse Treatment Services in New York City, Hamilton Madison House*, submitted to The Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.

Kwong, K. (2007). The Charles B. Wang Community Health Center and Ohio State University: Successes, lessons, and compromises (pp. 28-30). In: *Achieving the Promise of Authentic Community-Higher Education Partnerships: Community Case Studies*. Seattle, WA: Community-Campus Partnerships for Health, 1-30.

Kwong, K. (2006). *New York City - A case study highlighting how the New Your City region took up the challenge of reducing tobacco use in its local Asian American and Pacific Islander communities using a community capacity building approach.* (pp.14-19). In *Implementing a community readiness approach to tobacco control*. Oakland, CA: Asian Pacific Partners for Empowerment, Advocacy, and Leadership.

Kwong, K. (2004). Improve health literacy and self-management skills of Chinese American patients with diabetes, a paper presented at the 2004 National Diabetes Education Program Partnership Network Meeting at Atlanta, Georgia. The key findings were printed at *Endocrine Today*, January 21, 2005.

PRESENTATIONS AT NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

Kwong, K. (2022). “COVID-19, xenophobia, and mental health of Asian Americans: A call for developing an anti-Asian racism workforce”. Paper presented at the New York State Social Work Education Association 55th Annual Conference, Saratoga Springs, New York, October 2022.

Kwong, K. (2022). “Work, psychological stress, and well-being of healthcare and human service professionals during outbreak of COVID-19”. Poster presented at Society for Social Work and Research 26th Annual Conference: Social Work Science for Racial, Social, and Political Justice. Washington DC, January 2022.

Kwong, K. (2021). “Asian Americans: Identity, critical challenges, pandemic, and mental health.” Paper presented at the 4th Annual Conference on Opportunities and Challenges – Culturally and Spiritually Congruent Integrative Health and Mental Health Models for Asian/Asian American Pacific Islanders. P.E.A.R.L Institute/NYU, New York, December 2021.

Kwong, K. (2021). “Work, stress, and well-being of human service and healthcare workers during outbreak of COVID-19”. Paper presented at the New York State Social Work Education Association 54th Annual Conference, New York, November 2021.

Kwong, K. (2020). “Advancing family-centered palliative care and end-of-life care with Asian American populations.” Paper presented at the 3rd Annual Conference on Opportunities and Challenges – Culturally Congruent Health/Mental Health Integrative Models for A/AAPI Populations. P.E.A.R.L Institute/NYU, New York, December 2020.

Kwong, K. (2020). “Healthy aging, palliative care, and end-of-life care panel – Critical challenges and culturally relevant solutions”. Panel Organizer/Moderator, 3rd Annual Conference on Opportunities and

Challenges – Culturally Congruent Health/Mental Health Integrative Models for A/AAPI Populations. P.E.A.R.L Institute/NYU, New York, December 2020.

Kwong, K. (2019). “Asian-American social workers’ career, stress, and well-being study”. Paper presented at the New York State Social Work Education Association 52th Annual Conference, Saratoga Springs, New York, November 2019.

Kwong, K. (2019). “Enhancing patient-centered family-based practice for low income Asian-Americans and Asians with chronic mental illness – An innovative pedagogical approach.” Paper presented at the 2nd Annual Conference on Opportunities and Challenges – Finding Solutions to Better Serve Asian-American/Asian Mental Health Needs, P.E.A.R.L Institute, NYU, New York, June 2019.

Kwong, K. (2017). “Advancing competency-based practice research - An innovative experiential pedagogical approach.” Paper presented at the New York State Social Work Education Association 50th Annual Conference, Saratoga Springs, New York, October 2017.

Kwong, K. (2017). “Advancing competency-based practice research training - An innovative, experiential pedagogical approach.” Experiential workshop presented at the 4th International Conference on Practice Research, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong, May 2017.

Kwong, K. (2016). “Advancing family-centered practice with low income populations with chronic illness – An innovative pedagogical approach.” Paper presented at the New York State Social Work Education Association 49th Annual Conference, Saratoga Springs, New York, October 2016.

Kwong, K. (2016). “The effects of poverty, parental immigration status, and reverse-migration separation on the developmental challenges of young children in Chinese immigrant families”. Paper presented at the 8th International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health, Singapore, June 2016.

Kwong, K. (2016). “Enhancing patient-centered family-based practice for low income immigrant populations with chronic illness - An innovative pedagogical approach”. Paper presented at the 8th International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health, Singapore, June 2016.

Kwong, K. (2016). “Social work-related stress and secondary trauma - The practice of professional self-care in mental health settings”. Paper presented at the 8th International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health, Singapore, June 2016.

Lee, R., Au, L., Yin, S., van Schaick, L., **Kwong, K.**, Yau, J., Yu, Z., Tam, S., & Chen, M. (2015). “Cultural adaptation of evidence-based interventions for diverse populations: Early lessons in adapting a pediatric obesity prevention program for Chinese immigrant families”. Poster presented at 2015 Community Health Institute (CHI) & Expo, Orlando, FL, August 2015.

Lin, J., Chan, M., Au, L., **Kwong, K.**, & Hanlen, E. (2015). “Impact of peer-led youth development services at an urban community health center”. Poster presented at 2015 Community Health Institute (CHI) & Expo, Orlando, FL., August 2015.

Kwong, K. (2015). “Effects of prolonged separation and reunification upon Chinese immigrant parents and children”. Poster presented at Society for Research in Child Development 2015 Biennial Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, March 2015.

Kwong, K. (2014). “Social work-related stress and secondary trauma - Increasing self-awareness and

enhancing therapeutic competence”. Paper presented at New York State Social Work Education Association Conference, Paths to Wellness: Innovative Strategies with Individuals, Families, and Communities, Saratoga Springs, New York, October 2014.

Kwong, K. & Bearman, S (2012). “Evaluation of substance abuse intervention services for Chinese Americans in New York City.” Paper presented at Knowledge Mobilization Symposium: Social Work with Chinese Communities: Integration of Research & Professional Practice in a Global Context, The Chinese Immigrant Services Agency Network International & S.U.C.C.E.S.S, Vancouver, Canada, September 2012.

Kwong, K. & Bearman, S. (2011). “Evaluation of substance abuse intervention services for Asian Americans in New York City.” Presented at International Conference on Global Health and Public Health Education, School of Public Health and Primary Care of the Chinese University of Hong Kong, October 2011.

Kwong, K. (2011). “Socioeconomic and system barriers to cancer information and cancer screening among Chinese immigrants.” Presented at International Conference on Global Health and Public Health Education, School of Public Health and Primary Care of the Chinese University of Hong Kong, October 2011.

Kwong, K. (2011). “Increasing access to mental health services and assessing help-seeking behavior of depressed Chinese-American patients in primary care – A feasibility pilot study.” Paper presented at Society for Social Work and Research 15th Annual Conference: Emerging Horizons for Social Work Research. Tampa, Florida, January 2011.

Kwong, K. (2010). “Illness beliefs and help-seeking behavior of depressed Chinese-American patients in a primary care setting.” Paper presented at The 2010 Joint World Conference on Social Work & Social Development: The Agenda. Hong Kong, China. **Best Abstract Award (Researcher)**

Kwong, K., Bohr, Y., & Whitfield, N. (2010). “Transnational families & their young children: Trends, practices, & clinical and policy implications.” Presented at The 2010 Joint World Conference on Social Work & Social Development: The Agenda. Hong Kong, China.

Kwong, K., & Lai, M. (2010). “Expand and enhance Asian-American substance-abuse treatment services in New York City (EASTS).” Presented at 2010 Joint World Conference on Social Work and Social Development: The Agenda. Hong Kong, China.

Bohr, Y, **Kwong, K.**, & Whitfield, N. (2010). “Transnational families and their infants: Examples, conceptual issues and clinical implications.” Presented at the 12th World Congress, World Association for Infant Mental Health, Leipzig, Germany, June 2010.

Kwong, K. (2008). “Access to health care and prostate cancer screening – A long and difficult journey for Chinese American men in New York City.” Presented at The First Annual National Conference in Social Work with Men and For Men, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, April 2008.

Kwong, K. (2008). “Collaborative Care Management of Depression for Chinese Americans in Primary Care.” Presented at the 3rd Annual Health Disparities Conference, Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY. March 2008

Kwong, K. (2007). “Collaborative care management of depression for Chinese immigrants in primary care: A pilot study.” Presented at The 2007 World Mental Health Congress of the World Federation for Mental Health, Hong Kong, China.

Kwong, K. (2007). “Assessment of attitude, perception, and barriers towards mental health treatment among Chinese Americans in New York City.” A paper presented at The 2007 World Mental Health Congress of the World Federation for Mental Health, Hong Kong, China.

Kwong, K. (2006). “Access to cancer education and screening: A long and difficult journey for Chinese immigrants in New York City.” Paper presented at The 5th International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health, Hong Kong, China. December 2006.

Kwong, K. (2006). “Navigating the boundary between research and practice: A case study in depression care research in a community health center.” Paper presented at The 5th International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health, Hong Kong, China. December 2006.

Kwong, K., Ferketich, A., & Shek, A. (2005). “A smoking cessation intervention for Chinese Americans in New York.” 2005 National Conference on Tobacco or Health, Chicago, IL.

Kwong, K. (2004). “Improve health literacy and self-management skills of Chinese American patients with diabetes.” Presented at the 2004 National Diabetes Education Program Partnership Network Meeting at Atlanta, Georgia.

Kwong, K. (2004). “Health literacy: Policy and practice.” The 4th National Conference on Quality Health Care for Culturally Diverse Populations, Washington, DC. September 2004

Kwong, K. (2002). “Community readiness and capacity for tobacco control work; Case studies from AAPI communities.” National Conference on Tobacco Control or Health, San Francisco, CA. November 2002.

Kwong, K. (2001). “Facing the challenges of language and culture in breast health programs for Asian American Women.” Presented at The VOICES From the Community- Building Community Readiness to Improve Asian American and Pacific Islander Health Conference, sponsored by Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum, Redwood City, CA. April 2001.

INVITED LECTURES/PRESENTATIONS

2021 Asian Americans: Identity, critical Challenges, Pandemic, and Mental Health. Presented at Annual Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month Program, Creedmoor Psychiatric Center, NYS Office of Mental Health, May 2021.

2021 Work, stress, and well-being of healthcare and human service professionals during outbreak of COVID-19. Poster presented at Touro College Research Day, New York, May 2021.

2019 Asian-American social workers’ career, stress, and well-being, presented at a seminar event hosted by Asian American/Asian Research Institute of the City University of New York, held on October 2019. The seminar was broadcasted at <https://aaari.info/19-10-18kwong/>

2019 Assessing secondary trauma, compassion satisfaction, and burnout – Implications for professional education for Asian-American social workers, poster presented at Touro College Research Day 2019, Harlem Campus, New York City, May 2019.

- 2019 Career choice, barriers, and prospects of Asian-American social workers. Poster presented at Touro College Research Day 2019, Harlem Campus, New York City, May 2019.
- 2017 Advancing competency-based practice research: An innovative, experiential pedagogical approach, presented at the First Annual Touro College Faculty Learning Strategies Exchange Conference, New York, New York, February 2017.
- 2016 The effects of poverty, parental immigration status, and reverse-migration separation on the developmental challenges of young children in Chinese immigrant families, poster presented at 5th Annual Touro College Research Day, Harlem Campus, New York City, May 2016.
- 2015 Effects of prolonged separation and reunification upon Chinese immigrant parents and children, poster presented at 4th Annual Touro College Research Day, Harlem Campus, New York City, April 2015.
- 2014 Reverse-migration separation (satellite babies phenomenon) among low income Chinese immigrant families, presented at the National Conference on Asian American Children Challenges of Growing Up Asian American Panel Discussion, hosted by Asian American Federation of New York, March 2014.
- 2013 Confronting depression among Asian Americans: Culture specific prevention and intervention strategies, presented at The 20th Annual National APAMSA Conference, New York, October 2013.
- 2013 Depression among Asian Americans: Culture specific prevention and intervention strategies, hosted by The New Jersey Asian American Association for Human Services. New Jersey, April 2013.
- 2009 Reverse-migration separation and its effects upon Chinese immigrant families & children in New York City, presented at The Ripple Effect of Early Separation Symposium, University Settlement, New York, New York. October 2009
- 2009 Gender role perception, physical, and psychological well-being and health care provision among Low Income Asian American Women. Delivered a keynote speech at The 6th Annual Women's Health Symposium – Today's Healthcare for a Better Tomorrow, Hunter College School of Social Work, New York, New York. June 2009
- 2009 Expand & enhance substance abuse and other addictive behavior screening & treatment services for Asian Americans, presented at The Center on Behavioral Health, Hong Kong University, Hong Kong, April 2009.
- 2009 Experience in using ATLAS.ti as a qualitative data analysis tool on studying community health issues in New York City. Conducted a lecture at the Department of Applied Social Science, Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong, April 2009.
- 2008 Adjustments of adoptive children and parents. Presented at The Women's Health Symposium: Life in Balance: Body, Mind, and Soul. NYU School of Medicine, New York, New York, June 2008.
- 2008 Navigating the boundary between research and practice: A case study in depression care research

- in a community health center. Presented at the 20th Anniversary Conference: Cultivating Traditions of Wellness, the Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations, Washington, DC, March 2008.
- 2006 Combating diabetes and poor health literacy among Chinese: Innovative interventions, lessons learned, and future recommendations. Presented at The First Annual Health Disparities Conference at Teachers College of Columbia University, New York City.
2006. Prolonged separation and its effects upon Chinese immigrant parents and children. Poster presented at the 16th Annual Symposium on Health Care Services in New York: Research and Practice, New York City, November 2005.
- 2005 Voluntary separation and its effects upon Chinese immigrant parents and children. CUNY Hunter Psychology/NEURON Conference, New York City. April 2005
- 2004 Affecting policy change on a city level – Success, celebrations, and challenges in New York City Smoke Free Air Act 2002. The 10th Anniversary APPEAL National Conference., Washington, DC. September 2004.
- 2004 Enhancing health literacy in a multi-lingual and cross-cultural context. Regional Training, sponsored by the Literacy Assistance Center. July 2004
- 2004 “Health outreach and education for Asian American communities” as part of the Community Panel on “Domestic Violence, Cultural Competencies and Mental Health.” The Johns Hopkins School of Public Health. April 2004.
- 2004 Immigrant health and cultural awareness – Working with the Chinese immigrant population. State University of New York Downstate Medical Center. March 2004
- 2004 Immigrant health and cultural awareness – Working with the Chinese immigrant population. The Immigrant Advocacy Group of Mount Sinai School of Medicine.
- 2003 Cultural Factors Influencing the Mental Health of Asian Americans. The New York State Department of Health Office of Minority Health. December 2003.
- 2003 Community impact and responses panel, Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS). East Coast Regional Conference, sponsored by the Charles B. Wang Community Health Center. December 2003.
- 2003 Reducing cross-cultural miscommunication through increased cultural competency at the urban health initiative medical student forum, sponsored by the New York Academy of Medicine. October 2003.
- 2003 Capacity building and coalition development skills training, at the Creating a Vision for Partnerships - Southeast Regional Meeting, sponsored by the Asian Pacific Partners for Empowerment and Leadership. September 2003
- 2003 Chinese-American diabetes health literacy initiative. 2002 Pfizer Health Literacy Grant Awards Project Report, the 6th National Pfizer Health Literacy Initiative Conference on Key Advances in Health Literacy: Models for Action. September 2003.

- 2003 Immigrant health and cultural awareness – Working with the Chinese immigrant population. State University of New York Downstate Medical Center. February 2003.
- 2002 Description of the design and delivery of a youth-led smoking prevention intervention targeting Chinese American Students in Chinatown, New York, National Conference on Tobacco Control. November 2002.
- 2002 Immigrant health and cultural awareness – Working with the Chinese immigrant population, hosted by NYU Downtown Hospital. April 2002.
- 2002 Mental Health Panel of the “Eliminating Health Disparities through Strengthening Community Capacity Conference”, organized by the New York City Department of Health. February 2002.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Scientific Review

Research Grants Reviewer. Research Grants Council, Hong Kong, 2014-Present

Reviewer, National Institute of Health Partners in Research Program RFA Grant Review, April 2008

Journal Review

Reviewer	Journal of Teaching in Social Work
Ad hoc Reviewer	BMC Public Health
Ad hoc Reviewer	Health Education Research
Ad hoc Reviewer	Journal of Ethnic & Cultural Diversity in Social Work
Ad hoc Reviewer	Journal of Social Work in Disability & Rehabilitation.
Ad Hoc Reviewer	Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health
Ad Hoc Reviewer	Journal of Health Behavior and Public Health
Ad Hoc Reviewer	Journal of Social Work Education
Ad Hoc Reviewer	Developmental Neurorehabilitation

School and University Service

Touro University Graduate School of Social Work

2025-	Course Leader/Mentor , Social Work Research Sequence
2014-2025	Chair , Social Work Research Sequence
2022-	Chair , Outcome Assessment Committee
2024-	Member , Touro University Institutional Review Board
2022-2024	Member , Middle States Workgroup V, Educational Effectiveness Assessment
2023-2024	Member , Assistant Professor Search Committee
2023-2024	Chair , Associate Dean Search Committee
2021-2023	Member , Dean Search Committee
2019-2022, 2023	Member , Graduate Students Review Committee
2018-2022, 2024	Chair , Curriculum Committee
2015-2019	Member , Field Education Review
2015-2016	Member , Faculty Search Committee
2015-2019	Member , Admission Committee
2015-2022	Member , Outcome Assessment Committee

2014-2018 **Member**, Touro College Research Council

Silberman School of Social Work at Hunter College, CUNY

2013-2014 **Co-Chair**, Health and Mental Health Field of Practice

2013-2014 **Member**, BSW Committee

2010-2013 **Chair**, Health and Mental Health Field of Practice

2010-2012 **Member**, Dual Degree Committee

2011-2013 **Member**, Innovation Committee

2011-2012 **Member**, Dean's Council

2009-2012 **Member**, Educational Review Committee

2010-2014 **Member**, Curriculum Committee

2007-2014 **Member**, Award Committee

Hunter College

2012, 2013 **Reviewer**, Faculty Innovations in Teaching with Technology Grant Program

2013-2014 **Member**, Advisory Board for Hunter's Academic Center for Excellence in Research and Teaching (ACERT)

2007-2011 **Member**, Institutional Review Board

2010 **Judge**, 17th Annual Paul LeClerc Competition for Best Research Papers, Hunter College Library

2009-2010 **Member**, Hunter College Faculty/Student Senate

City University of New York

2012-present **Expedited Reviewer**, University Integrated Institutional Review Board (UI-IRB)

Manhattanville Community College, New York

2007-2018 **Member**, Institutional Review Board

Professional Associations and Membership

2014-2015 **Member**, Council of Social Work Education

2014-2015 **Member**, National Association of Social Workers

2011-2013 **Member**, Regional Health Equity Council for Region 2, National Partnership for Action to End Health Disparities, U.S. Department of Health & Human Services

2007-2014 **Member**, Minority Health Council, New York State Department of Health

2002-present **Advisory Board Member**, Asian Lupus Network, New York

2007-2013 **Member**, Society for Social Work and Research

2011-2012 **Member**, Society for Research in Child Development

2005-2008 **Member**, American Evaluation Association

2003-2004 **Member**, the Society of Public Health Education

2005-2007 **Member**, Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations' National Research Advisory Committee

2000-2006 **Founding Chair**, Chinese-American Healthy Heart Coalition, New York

2001-2006 **Founding Chair**, New York's AAPI Tobacco Control Network

2002-2007 **Member**, Asian American & Pacific Islanders Workgroup, National Diabetes Education Program, a Program of NIH and CDC to promote diabetes education, outreach, and disease management

2004-2005 **Team Leader**, Asian Pacific Partners for Empowerment and Leadership

HONORS AND AWARDS

2014	Distinguished Educator Award, Organizations of Chinese Americans Long Island Chapter, 33 rd Anniversary Gala & Dinner Dance, New York.
2010	Best Abstract Award (Researcher), 2010 Joint World Conference on Social Work and Social Development: The Agenda, held in Hong Kong, China
2004-2005	University Fellowship, City University of New York, New York
2003-2004	Dissertation Fellowship Award, City University of New York, New York
2004	Minority Health Vision Award from the New York State Department of Health Office of Minority Health for Chinese American Healthy Heart Coalition, New York
2003	A citation from New York City Council Speaker, Emigrant Award, New York
2003	Advancing Tobacco Control Movement through Mobilization Award from the Asian Pacific Partners for Empowerment and Leadership for the New York AAPI Tobacco Control Network, New York
2000	New York State Dr. Martin Luther King's Healthy Community Expo's Community-Based Organization Award, Chinese American Healthy Heart Coalition, Albany, New York