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EDUCATION

- 9/91 **Ph.D. in Health Services Organization and Policy**
Cognate: Operations Research/Information Systems
School of Public Health
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
- 4/79 **Masters in Health Services Administration**
Department of Medical Care Organization
School of Public Health
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
- 4/77 **Bachelor of Science (Microbiology)**
Graduated with High Distinction
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

EMPLOYMENT

- 4/06- **Implementation Research Coordinator**
Present Diabetes Quality Enhancement Research Initiative (QUERI) Research Coordinating Center
Health Services Research & Development Center of Excellence
VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System, Ann Arbor, MI
- 1/96- **Associate Director**
present Health Services Research & Development Center of Excellence
VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System, Ann Arbor, MI
- 11/95- **Research Investigator**
present Division of Plastic Surgery
Department of Surgery, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
- 7/04- **Adjunct Associate Research Scientist**
6/06 Department of Health Management & Policy
School of Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
- 3/84- **Health Science Research Specialist**
present Health Services Research & Development Field Program
VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System, Ann Arbor, MI

1/94- **Lecturer**

6/98 Department of Health Services Management & Policy
School of Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

1/94- **Adjunct Lecturer**

4/94 Program in Health Policy Studies
College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, University of Michigan, Dearborn, MI

2/90- **Health Systems Consultant**

3/93 Huron Systems, Inc., Ann Arbor, MI

5/85- **Research Assistant**

6/90 Department of Health Services Management and Policy
School of Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

7/82- **Administrative Officer**

3/84 Medical Service
Veterans Affairs Medical Center
Ann Arbor, MI

6/79 **Management Analyst/Administrative Officer**

7/82 Health Services Research and Development
Veterans Affairs Medical Center
Ann Arbor, MI

5/78- **Administrative Resident**

9/78 Medical Service Plan Office
University of Michigan Medical School
Ann Arbor, MI

7/76- **Bartender**

4/79 Dooley's Bar
Ann Arbor, MI

ACADEMIC HONORS/AWARDS

1987-88 MI Health Care Education Research Foundation, Inc., Student Award

1984-86 University of Michigan Regents' Fellowship

1978 Harry J. Harwick Scholarship (sponsored by the American College of Medical Group
Administrators)

1977 Phi Beta Kappa

1976 James B. Angell Scholar

1975-76 Class Honors

1973-76 College Honors Program

NATIONAL AND REGIONAL COMMITTEES AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE

- 2007-present Member, VA Health Services Research & Development Scientific Merit Review Board (Health Services Research Methodology)
- 2007-present Member, Executive Committee, Diabetes Quality Enhancement Research Initiative
- 2006-present Member, Steering Committee, VA HSR&D Center of Excellence, Indianapolis, IN
- 2009-2011 Member, Scientific Peer Review Panel for the Telemedicine and Advanced Technology Research Center of the US Army Medical Research and Materiel Command, to evaluate St. Francis University's Center of Excellence for Remote and Medically Under-Served Areas (CERMUSA)
- 2003 Member, VA Rehabilitation Research and Development Centers of Excellence Review Panel
- 2002 Member, VA Rehabilitation Research and Development Research Enhancement Award Program (REAP) Review Panel
- 2001 Chair, VA Rehabilitation Outcomes Research Center Review Panel
- 1999-2006 Member, VA Rehabilitation Research and Development Service Scientific Merit Review Board (Geriatrics Rehabilitation/Rehabilitation Health Services and Outcomes, Rehabilitation Engineering Panels)
- 1998-2005 Member, VA VISN 11 Customer Satisfaction Committee
- 1998-2006 Member (non-voting), VA VISN 11 Clinical Leadership Board

LOCAL COMMITTEES AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE

- 2007-present Chair, VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System Employee Satisfaction Committee
- 2005-present Member, VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System Human Subjects Subcommittee
- 2002-present Member, VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System Customer Satisfaction Committee

AD HOC REVIEWER

- Advances in Skin and Wound Care*
- Diabetes Science and Technology*
- Journal of General Internal Medicine*
- Journal of Medical Decision Making*
- Medical Care*
- Telemedicine Journal and e-Health*
- Journal of Rehabilitation Research & Development*

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 6/10-present Member, Board of Directors, Midwest Eye Banks, Ann Arbor, MI
- 1/93-present Vestry Member, St. James' Episcopal Church, Dexter, MI (1/93-1/96, 1/97-1/00, 1/02-12/04, 1/07-4/09; 7/10-present); Senior Warden (1/94-1/95, 1/97-1/99, 1/04-12/04)
- 1/93-12/96 Enrollee Member, Care Choices HMO (Michigan) Health Care Management Committee, Farmington Hills, MI
- 1/92-12/94 Enrollee Member, Care Choices HMO (Michigan) Board of Directors, Farmington Hills, MI

FUNDED RESEARCH

Principal Investigator, "ASPIRE: Coaching Veterans to Healthy Weight and Wellness", VA Merit Review, 15% effort, 2009-2012 (\$1,426,000).

Principal Investigator, "Effectiveness of Tele-retinal Screening for Patients with Diabetes", VA HSR&D Rapid Response Project, 2009-2010 (\$97,000).

Principal Investigator, “Information-User-Task Fit and the Utility of the Diabetes Cube”, VA HSR&D Rapid Response Project, 2008-2009 (\$64,000).

Principal Investigator, “Evaluation of VISN 11 Wound Care Teleconsultation Program”, VA HSR&D Rapid Response Project, 2008-2009 (\$70,000).

Co-Principal Investigator, “Evaluation of a Cardiac Nurse Practitioner Palliative Care Program”, VA Merit Review, 15% effort, 2005-2009 (\$845,990).

Co-Principal Investigator, “Does Step Count Feedback Enhance Counseling for Weight Loss?” VA Merit Review, 10% effort, 2004-2007 (\$691,842).

Principal Investigator, “Best Precedents in Human Subjects Protection for Health Services Research”, VA Management Consultation Project, 20% effort, 2003-2004 (\$147,691).

Principal Investigator, “A Custom Approach to Implementation of Diabetes Hypertension Guidelines”, VA Service Directed Project, 20% effort, 2001-2003 (\$229,768). Extended to 2004, with additional funding of \$134,667.

Principal Investigator, “Evaluation of a Nurse Case Management Model for Chronic Heart Failure”, VA Merit Review, 20% effort, 2001-2005 (\$585,743). Extended to 2007, with additional funding of \$106,187.

Co-Principal Investigator, “An Evaluation of Home-Based Telemedicine Services”, VA Merit Review, 20% effort, 2001-2003 (\$291,576).

Principal Investigator, “Assessment of Retinopathy Status via Telemedicine”, VA Merit Review, 20% effort, 2000-2001 (\$180,777).

Co-Principal Investigator, “Shared Decision-Making in Early Breast Cancer Treatment”, University of Michigan Health Service Venture Investment Fund, 5% effort, 1999-2001 (\$145,540).

Principal Investigator, “Pressure Ulcer Assessment via Telemedicine”, VA Merit Review, 20% effort, 1998-2000 (\$220,428).

Project Director, “Breast Reduction Assessment: Value and Outcomes”, Plastic Surgery Educational Foundation, 20% effort, 1997-1999 (\$92,700).

Principal Investigator, “Design and Validation of VA Clinical Dietetic Staffing Model”, VA HSR&D Service Directed Research, 37.5 % effort, 1994-1997 (\$258,300).

Principal Investigator, “Evaluation of Admissions Scheduling System in VA and DOD Hospitals”, VA Merit Review, 50 % effort, 1994-1996 (\$273,700).

Co-Investigator, “Michigan Breast Reconstruction Outcomes Study”, U.S. Army Medical Research and Development, 5 % effort, 1994-1998 (\$830,000).

Principal Investigator, “Reliability of Two Methods for Nutrition Status Assessment”, VA Great Lakes HSR&D, 7.5 % effort, 1992 (\$8500).

Principal Investigator, “Design and Validation of Decision-Support Software for the Critical Care Area: Phase I”, Small Business Innovation Research Program, Department of Health and Human Services, 25% effort, 1991 (\$35,300).

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. Keith RE, Hopp FP, Subramanian U, Wiitala W, Lowery JC. Fidelity of implementation: Development and testing of a measure. *Implementation Science* (online) 2010; 5:99. The electronic version of this article can be found online at: <http://www.implementationscience.com/content/5/1/99>.
2. Fletcher CE, Ronis DL, Hetzel JM, Lowery JC. A quick measure to guide allocation of chaplains' time with hospitalized veterans. *Journal of Pastoral Care and Counseling* (online) 2010; 64(4):3.1-8.
3. Damschroder LJ, Lutes LD, Goodrich DE, Gillon L, Lowery JC. A small change approach delivered via telephone promotes weight loss in veterans: Results from the ASPIRE-VA pilot study. *Patient Education and Counseling* 2010; 79:262-266.
4. Damschroder LJ, Aaron DC, Keith RE, Kirsh SR, Alexander JA, Lowery JC. Fostering implementation of health services research findings into practice: A consolidated framework for advancing implementation science. *Implementation Science* 2009;4:50doi:10.1186/1748-5908-4-50. The electronic version of this article can be found online at: <http://www.implementationscience.com/content/4/1/50>.
5. Atisha D, Alderman AK, Lowery JC, Kuhn LE, Davis J, Wilkins EG. Prospective analysis of long-term psychosocial outcomes in breast reconstruction: two-year postoperative results from the Michigan Breast Reconstruction Outcomes Study. *Annals of Surgery* 2008;247(6): 1019-28.
6. Brockhurst AC, Alderman AK, Lowery JC, Davis JA, Wilkins EG. Survey assessment of physical function following postmastectomy breast reconstruction. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 2008;121(4): 1108-15.
7. Subramanian U, Hopp F, Mitchinson A, Lowery J. Impact of provider self-management education, patient self-efficacy and health status, on patient adherence in heart failure in a Veterans Administration population. *CHF* 2008;14:6-1.
8. Green LA, Wyszewianski L, Lowery JC, Kowalski CP, Krein SL. An observational study of the effectiveness of practice guideline implementation strategies examined according to physicians' cognitive styles. *Implementation Science* 2007;2:41.
9. Roth RS, Lowery JC, Davis J, Wilkins EG. Preoperative affective distress and somatic complaints predict persistent pain following postmastectomy breast reconstruction. *European Journal of Plastic Surgery* 2007;29:227-233.

10. Roth RS, Lowery JC, Davis J, Wilkins EG. Persistent Pain Following Postmastectomy Breast Reconstruction: Long-term Effects of Type and Timing of Surgery. *Annals of Plastic Surgery* 2007; 58(4):371-6.
11. Fletcher CE, Baker SJ, Copeland LA, Reeves PJ, Lowery JC. Nurse practitioners' and physicians' views of NPs as providers of primary care to veterans. *Journal of Nursing Scholarship* 2007; 39(40):358-362.
12. Kim HM, Lowery JC, Kurtz R. Accuracy of digital images for assessing diabetic retinopathy. *Journal of Diabetes Science and Technology* 2007;1(4):531-539.
13. Roth RS, Lowery JC, Davis J, Wilkins EG. Psychological factors predict patient satisfaction with postmastectomy breast reconstruction. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 2007 (June);119(7):2008-2015.
14. Wyszewianski L, Kowalski CP, Lowery JC, Green LA. Does implementation of evidence-based guidelines follow the available evidence? Implementation of hypertension guidelines at Veterans Affairs medical centers. *Qual Manag Health Care* 2007 Apr-Jun;16(2):174-81.
15. Goodrich DE, Larkin AR, Lowery JC, Holleman, Richardson CR. Adverse events among high-risk participants in a home-based walking study: a descriptive study. *International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity* 2007;4(1):20. www.ijbnpa.org
16. Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Goldfarb S. Feasibility of virtual wound care. *Advances in Skin and Wound Care* 2007 (May);20(5):275-278.
17. Hopp FP, Hogan MM, Woodbridge PA, Lowery JC. The use of telehealth for diabetes management: A qualitative study of clinician perceptions. *Implementation Science* 2007 (May 2);2:14. <http://www.implementationscience.com/content/2/1/14>
18. Alderman AK, Kuhn LE, Lowery JC, Wilkins EG. Does patient satisfaction with breast reconstruction change over time? Two-year results of the Michigan Breast Reconstruction Outcomes Study. *Journal of the American College of Surgeons* 2007;204(1):7-12.
19. Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Copeland LA, Goldfarb S, Wren PA, Janz NK. Impact of an Educational Video on Patient Decision-Making in Early Breast Cancer Treatment. *Medical Decision Making* 2006;26(6):589-98.
20. Hopp F, Whitten P, Subramanian U, Woodbridge P, Mackert M, Lowery J. Perspectives from the Veterans Health Administration about opportunities and barriers in telehealth. *Journal of Telemedicine and Telecare* 2006;12(3):404-409.
21. Hopp F, Woodbridge P, Subramanian U, Copeland L, Smith D, Lowery J. Outcomes associated with a home care telehealth intervention. *Telemedicine Journal and e-Health* 2006;12(3):297-307.
22. Green LA, Lowery JC, Kowalski CP, Wyszewianski L. Impact of IRB practice variation on observational health services research. *Health Services Research* 2006;41(1):214-230.

23. Roth RS, Lowery JC, Davis J, Wilkins EG. Quality of life and affective distress in women seeking immediate versus delayed breast reconstruction following mastectomy for breast cancer. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 2005;116(4):993-1002.
24. Richardson CR, Brown BB, Foley S, Dial KS, Lowery JC. Feasibility of adding enhanced pedometer feedback to nutritional counseling for weight loss. *Journal of Medical Internet Research* 2005; 7(5):e56. <URL: <http://www.jmir.org/2005/5/e56/>>
25. Roth RS, Lowery JC, Hamill JB. Assessing persistent pain and its relation to affective distress, depressive symptoms and pain catastrophizing in patients with chronic wounds. *American Journal of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation* 2004; 83:827-834.
26. Subramanian U, Hopp F, Lowery J, Woodbridge P, Smith D. Research in homecare telemedicine: challenges in patient recruitment. *Telemedicine Journal and e-Health* 2004; 10(2):155-61.
27. Janz NK, Wren PA, Copeland LA, Lowery JC, Goldfarb SL, Wilkins EG. Patient-physician concordance: preferences, perceptions, and factors influencing the breast cancer surgical decision. *Journal of Clinical Oncology* 2004; 22(15):3091-3098.
28. Kim HM, Lowery JC, Hamill JB, Wilkins EG. Patient attitudes toward web-based system for monitoring chronic wounds. *Telemedicine Journal and e-Health* 2004; 10(Suppl 2):S26-34.
29. Kim HM, Lowery JC, Hamill JB, Wilkins EG. Accuracy of Web-based system for monitoring chronic wounds. *Telemedicine Journal and e-Health* 2003; 9(2):129-140.
30. Lowery JC, Hamill JB, Wilkins EG, Clements E. Technical overview of a Web-based telemedicine system for wound assessment. *Advances in Skin and Wound Care* 2002;15(4):165-169.
31. Alderman AK, Wilkins EG, Kim HM, Lowery JC. Complications in post-mastectomy breast reconstruction: two-year results of the MBROS. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery*. 2002;109(7):2265-2274.
32. Kerrigan CL, Collins ED, Kim HM, Schnur PL, Wilkins EG, Cunningham B, Striplin DT, Lowery J. Reduction mammoplasty: defining medical necessity. *Medical Decision Making* 2002;22:208-217.
33. Collins ED, Kerrigan CL, Kim HM, Lowery J, Striplin DT, Cunningham B, Wilkins E. The effectiveness of surgical and non-surgical interventions in relieving the symptoms of macromastia. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery*. 2002;109(5):1556-1566.
34. Kerrigan CL, Collins ED, Striplin D, Kim HM, Cunningham B, Wilkins E, Lowery J. The health burden of breast hypertrophy. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 2001; 108(6):1591-1599. (Abstract reprinted in *JAMA* 2002;287(6):693.) (2002 James Barrett Brown Award by the American Association of Plastic Surgeons, for the best paper of 2001 in *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* and *Annals of Plastic Surgery*.)
35. Hiller L, Lowery JC, Davis JA, Shore CJ, Striplin DT. Nutritional status classification in the Department of Veterans Affairs. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association* 2001; (101)7:786-792.

36. Wilkins EG, Cederna PS, Lowery JC, Davis JA, Kim HM, Roth RS, Goldfarb S, Izenberg PH, Houin HP, Shaheen KW. Prospective analysis of psychosocial outcomes in breast reconstruction: One-year postoperative results from the Michigan Breast Reconstruction Outcome Study. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 2001; 106(5):1014-26.
37. Alderman AK, Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Kim HM, Davis JA. Determinants of patient satisfaction in post-mastectomy breast reconstruction. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 2000;106(4):769-776.
38. Hwang TG, Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Gentile J. Implementation and evaluation of a clinical pathway for TRAM breast reconstruction. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 2000;105(2): 541-548.
39. Lowery JC, Hiller LD, Davis JA, Shore CJ. Comparison of professional judgment versus an algorithm for nutrition status classification. *Medical Care* 1998; 36(11):1578-1588.
40. Lowery JC, Wilkins EG, Kuzon WK, Davis JA. Evaluations of aesthetic results in breast reconstruction: An analysis of reliability. *Annals of Plastic Surgery* 1996; 36(5):601-607.
41. Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Smith DG. Outcomes research: A primer for plastic surgeons. *Annals of Plastic Surgery* 1996; 37(1):1-11.
42. Lowery JC, Martin JB. Design and validation of a critical care simulation model. *Journal of the Society for Health Systems* 1992; 3(3):15-36.
43. Lowery JC, Martin JB. Evaluation of healthcare software from a usability perspective. *Journal of Medical Systems* 1990; 14(1):17-29.
44. Lowery JC, Martin JB. Evaluation of an advance surgical scheduling system. *Journal of Medical Systems* 1989; 13(1):11-23.
45. Thomas JW, Lowery JC. Determining information needs of hospital managers: The critical success factor approach. *Inquiry* 1981; 18:300-310.

PUBLISHED ABSTRACTS, PROCEEDINGS, AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS/REPORTS

1. Veinot TC, Souden M, Zheng K., Keith R, Lowery JC. Using electronic health record systems in diabetes care: Emerging practices (published paper). First ACM International Conference on Health Informatics, Arlington, VA. Nov 11-12, 2010.
2. Fig LM, Lowery J, Davis J, Crouch D, Gross MD. How many are enough? A model to measure Nuclear Medicine technologist productivity and predict staffing needs (published abstract). *Nuclear Medicine Communications* 2010; 31:452.
3. Lowery JC, Krein SK, Green LA, Wyszewianski L, Kim HJ, Kowalski, CP. A Custom Approach to Implementation of Diabetes Hypertension Guidelines. Health Services Research & Development Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington, D.C. January 5, 2006.
4. Wilkins E, Lowery J, Goldfarb S. Feasibility of virtual wound care (published abstract). *Telemedicine and e-Health* 2005; 11(2):203.

3. Hopp F, Whitten P, Subramanian U, Woodbridge P, Mackert M, Goldsmith A, Lowery J. Opportunities and barriers in home telehealth: Perspectives from the Veterans Health Administration (published abstract). *Telemedicine and e-Health* 2005; 11(2):199.
4. Hopp F, Woodbridge P, Subramanian U, Copeland L, Smith D, Lowery J. A randomized trial of VA home telehealth: Study outcomes (published abstract). *Telemedicine and e-Health* 2005; 11(2):220.
5. Lowery J, Kim HM. Assessment of diabetic retinopathy via telemedicine (published abstract). *Telemedicine and e-Health* 2005; 11(2):254.
6. Lowery JC, Kim HM, Kurtz R. Assessment of Retinopathy Status via Telemedicine. Final Report for VA HSR&D Project No. TEL 99-242-1. Health Services Research & Development Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington, D.C. December 21, 2004.
7. Hopp F, Lowery J, Woodbridge P. The benefits of telehome care: What does the research show? *FORUM* (a publication of the VA Office of Research & Development, Health Services Research & Development Service, Management Decision & Research Center) June 2004; pg. 4.
8. Lowery J, Wakefield B. Telemedicine systems may help SCI patients get specialized care sooner. *FORUM* (a publication of the VA Office of Research & Development, Health Services Research & Development Service, Management Decision & Research Center) June 2004; pg. 7.
9. Lowery J. Telemedicine technologies: What is the cost of improving access to health care services in rural areas? *FORUM* (a publication of the VA Office of Research & Development, Health Services Research & Development Service, Management Decision & Research Center) June 2004; pg. 5.
10. Hopp FP, Lowery J, Woodbridge P. Home telemedicine and the VA workforce: potential and challenges. *FORUM* (a publication of the VA Office of Research & Development, Health Services Research & Development Service, Management Decision & Research Center) June 2003; pg. 4.
11. Kowalski CP, Wyszewianski L, Lowery JC, Krein SL, Green LA. VA Diabetes Hypertension Guideline Implementation Strategies: Qualitative Interview Summary Report. VA HSR&D Center of Excellence, VA Medical Center, Ann Arbor, MI. March 27, 2003.
12. Wakefield BJ, Lowery J, Kobb R, Clements EC, Brady M. Development of an item bank for telehealth evaluation (published abstract). *Telemedicine Journal and e-Health* 2002; 8(2):268.
13. Lowery JC. Pressure Ulcer Assessment via Telemedicine. Final Report for VA HSR&D Project No. Acc 97-013-3. Health Services Research & Development Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington, D.C. March 15, 2002.
14. Lowery JC, Wilkins EG, Hamill JB. A store-and-forward system for assessment of pressure ulcers (published abstract). *Telemedicine Journal and e-Health* 2001; 7(2):151.
15. Shavink-Dillerud M, Lowery J, Striplin D. Development and utilization of a patient acuity based clinical nutrition staffing model. *Future Dimensions in Clinical Nutrition Management* 1999;XVIII(3):1-9.

16. Lowery JC, Davis JA. Determination of operating room requirements using simulation. *Proceedings of the 1999 Winter Simulation Conference*. Edited by PA Farrington, HB Nembhard, DT Sturrock, GW Evans. New York: Association for Computing Machinery, 1999, pp.1568-1572.
17. Shavink-Dillerud M, Lowery J, Striplin D. Development of a clinical nutrition staffing model. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association* 1998;98(9 Supplement):A-23.
18. Roberts C, Hiller L, Lowery J, Davis J. Reliability of two methods of nutrition status classification. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association* 1998;98(9 Supplement):A-68
19. Lowery JC. Getting started in simulation in healthcare. *Proceedings of the 1998 Winter Simulation Conference*. Edited by DJ Medeiros, EF Watson, JS Carson, MS Manivannan. New York: Association for Computing Machinery, 1998, pp. 31-35.
20. Cederna PS, Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Goldfarb S, Perkins A. Prospective analysis of psychosocial outcomes in postmastectomy breast reconstruction (published abstract). *Surgical Forum* 1997;48:607.
21. Lowery JC, Rees RS, Hamill JB. Pressure ulcer assessment via telemedicine (published abstract). *Telemedicine Journal* 1997;3(1):94-95.
22. Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Kuzon WM, Perkins A. Functional outcomes in post-mastectomy breast reconstruction: Preliminary results of the Michigan Breast Reconstruction Outcomes Study (published abstract). *Surgical Forum* 1997;48:609.
24. Lowery JC. Introduction to simulation in health care. *Proceedings of the 1996 Winter Simulation Conference*. Edited by JM Charnes, DJ Morrice, DT Brunner, JJ Swain. New York: Association for Computing Machinery, 1996, pp. 78-84.
25. Lowery JC. Design of hospital admissions scheduling system using simulation. *Proceedings of the 1996 Winter Simulation Conference*. Edited by JM Charnes, DJ Morrice, DT Brunner, JJ Swain. New York: Association for Computing Machinery, 1996, pp. 1199-1204.
26. Hakes B, Keller L, Lilegdon WR, Mabrouk K, McGuire F, Lowery JC. Barriers to implementing simulation in health care. *Proceedings of the 1994 Winter Simulation Conference*. Edited by JD Tew and S Manivannan. Baltimore: Association of Computing Machinery, 1994, pp. 868-875.
27. Lowery JC. Multi-hospital validation of critical care simulation model. *Proceedings of the 1993 Winter Simulation Conference*. Edited by GW Evans and M Mollaghasemi. Baltimore: Association of Computing Machinery, 1993, pp. 1207-1215.
28. Lowery JC. Simulation of a hospital's surgical suite and critical care area. *Proceedings of the 1992 Winter Simulation Conference*. Edited by JJ Swain, D Goldsman, RC Crain, and JR Wilson. Baltimore: Association of Computing Machinery, 1992, pp. 1071-1078.

PRESENTATIONS/POSTERS AT NATIONAL AND STATE MEETINGS (not included above)

1. Lutes LD, Damschroder LJ, Goodrich DE, Richardson CR, Lowery JC. Using a small change approach to treat obesity in veterans: Design and rationale for the ASPIRE-VA randomized trial.

Poster presented at the 2010 International Congress on Obesity, Stockholm, Sweden, July 11-15, 2010.

2. Keith R, Hopp F, Subramanian U, Lowery J. Exploring a measure of fidelity of implementation. Poster presentation at the 3rd Annual NIH Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation: Methods and Measurement, Bethesda, MD, March 15-16, 2010.
3. Damschroder L, Mittman B, Sahay A, Lowery J. Using the Internet to promote synthesis in implementation research. Think tank presented at the 3rd Annual NIH Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation: Methods and measurement, Bethesda, MD, March 15-16, 2010.
4. Subramanian U, Welsh D, Lowery J. Effect of nurse practitioner CHF case management on resource utilization. Poster presentation at annual meeting of Society for General Internal Medicine, Pittsburgh, PA, April 9-12, 2008.
5. Subramanian U, Welsh D, Lowery J. Effect of nurse practitioner CHF case management on resource utilization. Oral presentation at annual meeting of VA Health Services Research & Development, Baltimore, MD, February 13-15, 2008.
6. Lowery J, Stemmer K, Zak C, Welsh D. Effect of nurse practitioner CHF case management on resource utilization. Poster presentation at annual meeting of Heart Failure Society of America, Washington, DC, September 16-19, 2007.
7. Lowery, JC. Applications of the preventative health care model to wound care—secondary prevention: novel clinical methods (expert lecture session). Presented at Evidence-based Practice in Wound Care conference, Cleveland, OH, September 15-16, 2006.
8. Stemmer K, Zak C, Welsh D, Lowery J. Patient satisfaction with a nurse practitioner model of CHF care. Poster presentation at annual meeting of Heart Failure Society of America, Seattle, WA, September 2006.
9. Lowery JC, Krein SL, Green LA, Wyszewianski L, Kim HM, Kowalski CP. Factors affecting compliance with diabetes hypertension guidelines. Presented at Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Seattle, WA, June 25-27, 2006. (Awarded one of “Most Outstanding Abstracts”.)
10. Green LA, Kowalski CP, Krein SL, Lowery JC, Wyszewianski L. Effect of physician information style and implementation strategy on guideline adherence. Poster presentation at 27th Annual Meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, San Francisco, CA, October 21-24, 2005.
11. Roth RS, Lowery JC, Davis J, Wilkins EG. Psychological factors predict persistent pain following postmastectomy breast reconstruction. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Francisco, CA, March 22-25, 2006. (Received “Citation” award.)
12. Roth RS, Lowery JC, Davis J, Wilkins EG. Psychological factors predict patient satisfaction following postmastectomy breast reconstruction. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Francisco, CA, March 22-25, 2006.
13. Kim HM, Lowery JC, Kurtz R. Assessment of retinopathy via telemedicine. Paper presentation at 2005 VA HSR&D National Meeting, Baltimore, MD, February 16-18, 2005.

14. Lowery JC, Baker SJ. Variability in human subjects protection for health services research. Poster presentation at 2005 VA HSR&D National Meeting, Baltimore, MD, February 16-18, 2005.
8. Fletcher C, Copeland L, Reeves P, Lowery J. Evaluation of primary care nurse practitioners' duties and responsibilities in VISN 11. Paper presentation at 2005 VA HSR&D National Meeting, Baltimore, MD, February 16-18, 2005.
9. Subramanian U, Hopp F, Austin K, Hyungjin M, Lowery J. Development of a case-mix adjustment model for CHF patients. Poster presentation at 2003 SGIM Midwest Regional Meeting, Chicago, IL, September 19-20, 2003.
10. Kowalski CP, Lowery JC, Wyszewianski L, Green LA. VA diabetes hypertension guideline implementation strategies. Poster presentation at 2003 VA HSR&D National Meeting, Washington, DC, February 12-14, 2003.
11. Lowery JC, Kim HM, Wilkins EG, Hamill JB. Accuracy of Web-based telemedicine system for monitoring ulcers. 20th Annual VA HSR&D Service Meeting, Washington, DC, February 13-15, 2002.
12. Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Smith D, Kim HM, Kuzon WM. Prospective analysis of functional outcomes in breast reconstruction: two year postoperative results. 80th Annual Meeting of the American Association of Plastic Surgeons, Charleston, SC, May 13-16, 2002.
13. Harris A, Lowery JC, Hamill JB, Rees RS, Wilkins EG. Telemedicine assessment of chronic wounds. Michigan Academy of Plastic Surgeons, Mackinac Island, MI, July 23-26, 2000.
14. Wilkins EG, Lowery JC, Hamill JB. The impact of shared decision-making in prostate specific antigen (PSA) screening. 21st Annual Meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Reno, NV, October 3-6, 1999.
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