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Dr. Robin Austin is an Assistant Professor at the University of Minnesota, School of Nursing and Graduate faculty in the Earl E. Bakken Center for Spirituality and Healing. Dr. Austin has over 20 years clinical healthcare experience and has translated this experience to focus on patient-centered research. Dr. Austin has earned a Doctorate in Nursing Practice (DNP) and PhD in Nursing both specializing in Nursing Informatics. She is also the co-director of the Omaha System Partnership within the Center for Nursing Informatics. Dr. Austin integrates her clinical background with informatics methods to represent the patients’ perspective across the healthcare continuum. Through her research, Dr. Austin seeks to empower individuals through the use of technology and include their voice in person-centered care.

Patrick Campbell, PharmD, PhD
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Patrick J. Campbell, PharmD, PhD serves as the Senior Director of Research at the Pharmacy Quality Alliance (PQA). In this role, Patrick leads the research team and curates and manages PQA’s research portfolio to advance the quality of medication use. He also serves as the site director for PQA research internships and fellowships. Patrick has over a decade of experience working for Walmart, where he supported safety and quality improvement initiatives and served as a community pharmacist. He received both his PharmD and PhD in Pharmaceutical Economics, Policy and Outcomes from the University of Arizona, College of Pharmacy.
Hadiya Green Guerrero, PT, DPT
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Hadiya Green Guerrero is a Doctor of Physical Therapy, board-certified clinical specialist in sports physical therapy. She achieved her clinical doctorate in physical therapy from Washington University in St. Louis, School of Medicine and is a board-certified clinical specialist in sports physical therapy. Her clinical background spanned New York City to Rochester, MN, including sports, orthopedics, early intervention, school-based, hospital-based (acute and outpatient), inpatient rehab, private practice, pain rehabilitation, and pediatric ICU settings. She participated as a scholar at The National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities Translational Health Disparities Course in Bethesda, Maryland. At APTA she serves as a senior practice specialist covering work covers scope of practice, the practice areas of sports, pediatrics, healthy aging, prevention, health promotion, wellness, primary care roles in physical therapy, nutrition, as well as health disparities and cultural competence.

Cathy Ivory, PhD, RN-BC, RNC-OB, FAAN
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Dr. Cathy Ivory is the Senior Director of Nursing Research at Vanderbilt University Medical Center in Nashville, TN and a health services researcher focused on using EHR data for decision making. Her particular area of expertise is evidence-based maternity care and reducing preventable maternal morbidity and mortality. Dr. Ivory is a member of the Data Use Committee for the Birth Registry project by the American College of Obstetricians & Gynecologists (ACOG) and she is a past president of the Association of Women’s Health, Obstetric and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN).

Lisa Lewis
Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology

Lisa A. Lewis serves as the deputy national coordinator for operations and chief operating officer at the Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology. In these positions, she is responsible for setting the strategic direction and providing executive oversight for program integrity, enterprise risk management, ethics, budget formulation and execution, grants and contracts management, international affairs, legislative affairs, human capital, information technology, the executive secretariat, and operational services. Over the course of Ms. Lewis’ career, she has led the establishment of new organizations, developed enterprise-wide system solutions, created policies, implemented programs, and led large teams of subject matter experts.

During her first three years at ONC, Ms. Lewis served as the chief grants management officer, establishing and adroitly managing a new office, responsible for the oversight of over $1.7 billion in
grants. As a recognized leader in the field of grants management, she championed innovative and cutting edge approaches to grants management and forged strong collaborative partnerships with program officials to provide a framework for ensuring program success and financial accountability. Before coming to ONC, Ms. Lewis led the establishment of the Grant Programs Directorate in the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and served as the first Acting Assistant Administrator of the Directorate. She later served as director of the grants management division within the Grant Programs Directorate. This organization centralized all FEMA business grants management services under one Division. In this position, she was responsible for overseeing the operations of six branches, encompassing the full life cycle of grant administration. She was responsible for the grants policy development for all of FEMA’s 56 grant programs totaling over $50 billion dollars. Ms. Lewis was also responsible for awarding over 6,000 grants annually and managing close to 20,000 open grants.

Ms. Lewis has received Secretary’s awards from both the Department of Health and Human Services and the Department of Homeland Security, as well as a National Coordinator’s award. She also received a Gears of Government Award which recognizes federal employees across the government that play pivotal roles in achieving the vision of a modern, effective government that works on behalf of the American people.

Anna Mangum, MSW, MPH
National Association of Social Workers

Anna Mangum, MSW, MPH is Deputy Director of Programs at the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) in Washington, D.C. In this role, she oversees public policy, practice and professional development. The NASW represents the interests of over 110,000 professional social workers. They are the largest provider of mental health services in the nation and are committed through a distinctive code of ethics to political engagement.

Ms. Mangum has been a long-time and passionate advocate for health and mental health care equity, access and quality, and a leader in the development and implementation of sound social policy at the federal and state level. Prior to her role at NASW, Ms. Mangum was Vice President of Programs at 340B Health, a non-profit membership organization representing hospitals participating in the federal 340B drug discount program. She was previously Director of New Business Development at the National Committee for Quality Assurance and Manager of Research and Development at The Healthcare Forum (part of the American Hospital Association). She was a Legislative Assistant for two members of the U.S. House of Representatives, covering health and social programs, and worked on good government issues for Common Cause. Consulting clients have included the Native American AIDS Prevention Foundation and the Public Health Leadership Institute, among others.

Ms. Mangum has also provided social services to numerous populations. Her direct social work practice experience includes providing psychosocial services at Stanford Medical Center and San Francisco’s healthcare for the homeless program.

Ms. Mangum earned her Master of Social Work (Direct Practice) and Master of Public Health (Health Education) from the University of California at Berkeley and her Bachelor of Arts in Comparative Literature and Psychology from the University of Virginia. She was a Fulbright Scholar in Sweden, where she focused on community health.
Karen Monsen, PhD, RN, FAMIA, FAAN  
University of Minnesota, School of Nursing

Karen A. Monsen is Professor at the University of Minnesota (UMN) School of Nursing; chair the Population Health and Systems Cooperative; director of the Center for Nursing Informatics; where she coordinates the Doctor of Nursing Practice Nursing Informatics specialty. At UMN she is affiliate faculty at the Institute for Health Informatics, faculty in the Department of Computer Science and Engineering, and Scientific Review Team member of the National Center for Interprofessional Practice and Education. She directs the Omaha System Partnership within the Center for Nursing Informatics, a interprofessional practice-based research network. Her career is dedicated to advancing informatics across all professions, and to reusing data to improve healthcare quality and population health. Her research demonstrates that it is possible to translate interprofessional evidence into practice, and to incorporate practice-based evidence from large practice-based datasets using exploratory research methods. She has received numerous awards for her extensive contributions in research, education, and service.

Michelle Proser, PhD, MPP  
National Association for community Health Centers

Michelle Proser is the Director of Research at the National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC) where she has more than 16 years of experience applying research and analysis to uncover and explain health centers’ role in the health care system, as well as empowering health centers in their efforts to improve population health. Her research focus includes identifying the mechanisms that drive health center value, and monitoring the impact of policy and health system changes on health centers, their patients, and their communities.

Michelle also leads a nationally-recognized, multi-partner effort to help health centers document the extent to which patients are socially complex, and use that information to accelerate health improvements and health care transformation. Known as the Protocol for Responding to and Assessing Patients Assets, Risks, and Experiences (PRAPARE), this screening tool and companion action toolkit is now commonly used across health centers and other providers, and has accelerated health improvement at the patient and community levels. In addition, she directs NACHCs’ efforts to build health center capacity for community-directed translational research.
Mark Vafiades
Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology

Mark Vafiades serves as a Senior Advisor to the National Coordinator for Health IT, having transitioned from within HHS’ Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health and the U.S. Surgeon General. Mr. Vafiades leads ONC’s outreach to health information exchanges (HIEs) and community health organizations.

Prior to HHS, Mr. Vafiades was an electronic health records (EHR) site implementation manager for Kaiser Permanente in Southern California. There he led the conversion from paper charts to electronic records in his service area, later becoming the service area EHR site leader once the implementation was complete.

Before joining Kaiser Permanente, Mr. Vafiades served as a national lead training project manager for IBM. He also spent five years managing two state agencies for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

While living in Southern California, Mr. Vafiades worked as a reserve patrol deputy/first responder for the Los Angeles County Sheriff’s Department for twenty years. That experience gave him a unique understanding of the ground-level challenges facing the public health system.

Emily Webber, MD, FAAP, FAMIA
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Emily C. Webber, MD, FAAP, FAMIA is Chief Medical Information Officer Riley Children’s Health and Associate CMIO for Indiana University Health, the largest health care provider in the state. She is a practicing physician, board certified in pediatrics, pediatric hospital medicine and clinical informatics. Dr. Webber is an affiliate scientist at the Regenstrief Institute and currently chairperson of the American Academy of Pediatrics Council on Clinical Information Technology. Having worked on many IT implementations; her work is now focused on optimization of health IT, applications to improve quality care and patient safety and promoting the health of Indiana children and communities.