

**University of Kentucky**  
**Center on Drug and Alcohol Research**  
**Monthly Report**  
**February, 2008**

## **Grants**

Michele Staton-Tindall submitted an R21 application entitled, Re-entry Alcohol Services for Rural Offenders, to NIH/NIAAA, February 16, 2008.

Robert Walker was appointed to the Data Systems Group to assist in developing a web-based data upload process for the new wave of Administration for Child and family grants (151 new projects). Walker is the evaluator on one of the Kentucky awards to Kentucky River Community Care in eastern Kentucky.

Sharon Walsh had an initial site visit from Catalyst Pharmaceuticals for the start up of a new clinical trial.

I had a site visit from Yaupon Pharmaceuticals as part of the study launch for a new STIR grant we obtained in collaboration with Dr. Cathy Martin from the National Institute on Drug Abuse.

Sharon Walsh had a site visit from Yaupon Pharmaceuticals as part of the study launch for a new STIR grant obtained in collaboration with Dr. Cathy Martin from the National Institute on Drug Abuse.

## **Publications**

Cole, J. & Logan, T. (2008). Negotiating the challenges of multidisciplinary response to sexual assault victims: Sexual assault nurse examiner and victim advocacy programs. *Research in Nursing & Health*, 31 (1), 76-85.

Cole, J., Logan, T., & Shannon, L. (in press). Self-perceived risk for HIV among women with protective orders against male partners. Accepted to *Social Work & Health*.

Knudsen, H. (in press). Implications of clinical supervision for counselors' emotional exhaustion and turnover intention. *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment*.

Knudsen, H. (submitted). Adolescent-only substance abuse treatment: Availability and adoption of components of quality. *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment*. This research was supported by Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Substance Abuse Policy Research Program grant.

Oser, C., Mooney-Palmer, J., Staton-Tindall, M., & Leukefeld, C. (2008). The drugs-violence nexus among rural felony probationers. Forthcoming in the *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*.

Oser, C., Knudsen, H., Staton-Tindall, M., & Leukefeld, C. The adoption of wraparound services among women specific and non-women-specific substance abuse treatment programs serving criminal offenders. Submitted for review at *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*.

## **Editorial and Reviews**

Sharon Walsh reviewed a manuscript for the journal, Behavioral Pharmacology.

## **Presentations**

Cole, J., Logan, T., & Clark, J. (2008). Interprofessional collaboration on sexual assault response teams: The role of victim alcohol use. Oral presentation accepted to the Twentieth National Symposium on Doctoral Research in Social Work (April 26, 2008, Columbus, OH).

Hannah Knudsen. Lost in Translation: The Case of Medications in Substance Abuse Treatment. Presented at Center on Drug Abuse Research Translation's Research Forum.

Shannon, L.M., Walker, J.R., & Mateyoke-Scriver, A. (2008). *Associations between perinatal intimate partner violence, negative health behaviors, and adverse maternal conditions among pregnant women*. Submitted to the International Family Violence and Child Victimization Research Conference (July 27-29, Portsmouth, New Hampshire).

Walker, R. Clinical interventions for individuals with co-occurring TBI and substance abuse. Invited presentation to the Alabama Head Injury Association at its annual meeting titled "Presented to Alabama's State of the State in Traumatic Brain Injury Conference, (February 26, 2008). Birmingham, AL.

## **Training**

Dave Clark, Steve Cook, and Jolanta Jaromczyk conducted DUI Assessor training at Eastern Kentucky University on February 18 and 20.

## **Kentucky Policy Making Bodies and Advisory Boards**

Robert Walker was invited to become part of a local planning group for the second round of applicants for a Robert Wood Johnson project on crisis resolution for PCH residents with behavioral problems and emotional distress using a mobile crisis team to teach immediate interventions as well as preventive approaches for crisis situations in the nursing homes.

## **Information, Education and Consultation**

Matt Webster, Dave Clark, Tom Garrity, and Carl Leukefeld submitted report the 2007 Adult Household Survey final report to the Division of Mental Health and Substance Abuse.

Robert Walker provided inservice to members of the IRB and professional staff from ORI on "Impaired Decisional Capacity: The Ethics of Assessing Capacity." The result was to form a work group to examine the need for providing more guidance to PIs on studies that involve subjects with likely impaired decisional capacity.

Robert Walker provided technical assistance to the Kentucky Division of Mental Health and Substance Abuse on steps to improve performance of providers to the KIDS NOW Plus program.

## **Other**

Michelle Johnson went to Bryan Station High School and judged the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Kentucky American Water – Fayette County Public Schools District Science Fair on February 9, 2008.

Sharon Walsh was appointed to serve as an art juror for the Innovators in Addiction Art Advisory Board sponsored through the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.

Sharon Walsh was deposed as an expert witness in a civil legal case on methadone overdose in the State of North Carolina.