

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education:

08/2010 - 05/2014 BA, Albion College, Psychology/Neuroscience, Albion, MI
08/2014 - 08/2016 MS, University of Michigan - Dearborn, Health Psychology, Dearborn, MI
08/2016 - 08/2021 PhD, University of Florida, Clinical Psychology, Gainesville, FL

Career/Academic Appointments:

07/2020 - 06/2021 Clinical Health Psychology Intern, Mental Health, VA Connecticut Healthcare System, West Haven, CT
08/2021 - 12/2022 Advanced Fellowship in Health Services Research & Development, Pain Research, Informatics, Multi-morbidities, and Education (PRIME) Center, VA Connecticut Healthcare System, West Haven, CT
10/2021 - 06/2023 Postdoctoral Fellow, Psychiatry, Yale School of Medicine, New Haven, CT
07/2023 - 06/2026 Associate Research Scientist, Psychiatry, Yale School of Medicine, New Haven, CT

Professional Honors & Recognition:

International/National/Regional

2020 Pain Special Interest Group Student Award Finalist, Society of Behavioral Medicine

Other

2013 Albion College Foundation for Undergraduate Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity (FURSCA) Summer Research Grant, Albion College
2014 David K. & Patricia B. Hogberg Award for Research Excellence in Psychology, Albion College
2015 University of Michigan – Dearborn Graduate Student Grant, University of Michigan- Dearborn

2019 Health Psychology Research Award for Excellence in Health Psychology Research,
University of Florida- Department of Clinical & Health Psychology
2021 Bell-Kerns Award, VA Connecticut Healthcare System

Grants/Clinical Trials History:

Past Grants

Agency: Department of Veterans Affairs
I.D.#: V1CDA2022-69
Title: Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN 1 Career Development Award
P.I.: Danielle Wesolowicz
Role: Investigator
Percent effort: 75%
Total costs: \$196,887.00
Project period: 10/01/2022 - 10/01/2024

Agency: Department of Veterans Affairs
I.D.#: N/A
Title: Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Health Administration, Health Services Research & Development, Pain/Opioid CORE, Rapid Start Funding Award
P.I.: Danielle Wesolowicz, Sara Edmond
Role: Co-Principal Investigator
Percent effort: 25%
Total costs: \$18,375.37
Project period: 10/01/2022 - 10/01/2023

Agency: Department of Veterans Affairs
I.D.#: TBD
Title: Barriers and facilitators to providers' use of the Personal Health Inventory (PHI) with Veterans on long-term opioid therapy
P.I.: Anne C. Black
Role: Co-Investigator
Percent effort: 10%
Total costs: \$28,484.00
Project period: 03/25/2024 - 03/25/2025

Invited Speaking Engagements, Presentations & Workshops Not Affiliated With Yale:

International/National

1. "Institute for Learning, Education and Development (ILEAD)". Stepped Care for Opioid Use Disorder, Train-the Trainer - Institute for Learning, Education and Development, Oral presentation to a national virtual audience for the Stepped Care for Opioid Use Train the Trainer (SCOUTT) Initiative. Salt Lake City, Utah. October 2023., October 2023. (Oral Presentation)

2. "HOW do providers use the Personal Health Inventory and Whole Health with chronic pain patients? Results from a VHA survey and future directions". Pain/Opioid Consortium of Research Career Development Workgroup, Presented to the VA Pain/Opioid Consortium of Research's Career Development Workgroup, October 2024. (Oral Presentation)

Peer-Reviewed Presentations Given at Meetings Not Affiliated With Yale:

International/National

1. Self-perceptions and gender-role stereotypes of pain in physicians and dentists. Society of Behavioral Medicine 2018 Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 2018. (Poster Presentation)
2. Acute analgesic effects of alcohol in healthy social drinkers with and without a family history of alcoholism.. International Association for the Study of Pain 2018 World Congress on Pain, Boston, MA, October 2018. (Poster Presentation)
3. Effect of pain variability on day-to-day changes in fibromyalgia symptoms. Society of Behavioral Medicine 2020 Annual Meeting, Conference held virtually due to COVID-19, June 2020. (Poster Presentation)
4. **Wesolowicz DM** . PAIN SELF-EFFICACY PREDICTS DAILY PHYSICAL ACTIVITY LEVELS IN LOW BACK PAIN. Society of Behavioral Medicine, Baltimore, MD, April 2022. (Oral Presentation)
5. **Wesolowicz DM** . Promoting Pain Self-Management Through Adaptive Interventions: Results From A Needs Assessment And Protocol For Intervention Development. United States Association for the Study of Pain, Durham, NC, April 2023. (Poster Presentation)
6. **Wesolowicz DM** . Increasing buprenorphine access for patients with chronic pain: A multi-phase quality improvement initiative. Society of General Internal Medicine, Aurora, CO, May 2023. (Poster Presentation)
7. **Wesolowicz DM** . Readiness to taper: Psychosocial factors associated with motivation to taper opioids among individuals with chronic pain. Society of General Internal Medicine, Aurora, CO, May 2023. (Poster Presentation)
8. **Wesolowicz DM** . Use of Intervention Mapping to Develop a Group-Based Psychotherapy Intervention for Co-Occurring Chronic Pain and Substance Use. United States Association for the Study of Pain 2024 Annual Scientific Meeting, Seattle, WA, April 2024. (Poster Presentation)
9. **Wesolowicz DM** . Psychiatrists can and should treat chronic pain: a skill-based workshop.. American Psychiatric Association, New York, NY, May 2024. (Oral Presentation)
10. **Wesolowicz DM** . Barriers and facilitators to implementation of a pharmacist-led telehealth intervention to optimize pain management for patients prescribed long-term opioid therapy. Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, May 2024. (Poster Presentation)

Professional Service:

Peer Review Groups/Grant Study Sections

2025 - Present Reviewer, Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute

Journal Services

Reviewer

2021 - Present	Reviewer, Pain Medicine
2022 - Present	Reviewer, The Journal of Pain
2024 - Present	Reviewer, BMC Health Services Research
2025 - Present	Reviewer, Substance Abuse and Addiction Journal

Professional Organizations

Society for Health Psychology (Division 38 of the American Psychological Association)

2021 - Present	Member, Society for Health Psychology (Division 38 of the American Psychological Association)
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Society of Behavioral Medicine

2018 - 2023	Committee Member, Society of Behavioral Medicine, Communications chair for the Pain Special Interest Group
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United States Association for the Study of Pain

2023 - Present	Co-Chair, United States Association for the Study of Pain
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Bibliography:

Peer-Reviewed Original Research

1. **Wesolowicz D**, Clark J, Boissoneault J, Robinson M. The roles of gender and profession on gender role expectations of pain in health care professionals. *Journal Of Pain Research* 2018, 11: 1121-1128. [PMID: 29942147](#), [PMCID: PMC6007196](#), [DOI: 10.2147/jpr.s162123](#).
2. Leonard M, Krajewski-Kidd K, Shuler R, **Wesolowicz D**, Miller C, Chatkoff D. The Impact of Emotional Regulation Strategies on Pain Catastrophizing in the Context of Interpersonal Relationships. *The Clinical Journal Of Pain* 2019, 35: 925-932. [PMID: 31513053](#), [DOI: 10.1097/ajp.0000000000000764](#).
3. Ferguson E, Zale E, Ditre J, **Wesolowicz D**, Stennett B, Robinson M, Boissoneault J. CANUE: A Theoretical Model of Pain as an Antecedent for Substance Use. *Annals Of Behavioral Medicine* 2020, 55: 489-502. [PMID: 32914834](#), [PMCID: PMC8122475](#), [DOI: 10.1093/abm/kaa072](#).
4. **Wesolowicz D**, Bishop M, Robinson M. An Examination of Day-to-Day and Intraindividual Pain Variability in Low Back Pain. *Pain Medicine* 2021, 22: 2263-2275. [PMID: 33822203](#), [DOI: 10.1093/pm/pnab119](#).
5. Edmond SN, **Wesolowicz DM**, Moore BA, Ibarra J, Chhabra M, Fraenkel L, Becker WC. Opioid tapering support using a web-based app: Development and protocol for a pilot randomized controlled trial. *Contemporary Clinical Trials* 2022, 119: 106857. [PMID: 35863697](#), [DOI: 10.1016/j.cct.2022.106857](#).
6. **Wesolowicz D**, O'Connor R, Edmond S, Black A, Becker W. Promoting Pain Self-Management Through Adaptive Interventions: Results From A Needs Assessment And Protocol For Intervention Development. *Journal Of Pain* 2023, 24: 93. [DOI: 10.1016/j.jpain.2023.02.266](#).

7. Rogers D, Frank J, **Wesolowicz D**, Nolan C, Schroeder A, Falker C, Abelleira A, Moore B, Becker W, Edmond S. Video-telecare collaborative pain management during COVID-19: a single-arm feasibility study. *BMC Primary Care* 2023, 24: 134. [PMID: 37386370](#), [PMCID: PMC10308713](#), [DOI: 10.1186/s12875-023-02052-2](#).
8. Edmond S, **Wesolowicz D**, Snow J, Currie S, Jankelovits A, Chhabra M, Becker W. Qualitative Analysis of Patient Perspectives of Buprenorphine After Transitioning From Long-Term, Full-Agonist Opioid Therapy Among Veterans With Chronic Pain. *Journal Of Pain* 2023, 25: 132-141. [PMID: 37549775](#), [DOI: 10.1016/j.jpain.2023.07.027](#).
9. **Wesolowicz D**, Spelman J, Edmond S, Schwartz A, Kravetz J, Edens E, Becker W. Increasing buprenorphine access for patients with chronic pain: a quality improvement initiative. *Pain Medicine* 2023, 25: 226-230. [PMID: 37847654](#), [DOI: 10.1093/pm/pnad140](#).
10. Black A, Edmond S, Frank J, Abelleira A, Snow J, **Wesolowicz D**, Becker W. Pain Care at Home to Amplify Function: Protocol Article. *Substance Use & Addiction Journal* 2024, 46: 155-159. [PMID: 38469833](#), [PMCID: PMC11636963](#), [DOI: 10.1177/29767342241236032](#).
11. **Wesolowicz D**, Kazemitabar M, Black A. 250 Barriers and Facilitators to Providers' Use of a Patient Value Identification and Goal-Setting Tool for Chronic Pain Care. *Journal Of Pain* 2025, 29: 105048. [DOI: 10.1016/j.jpain.2025.105048](#).
12. **Wesolowicz D**, Becker W, Alegria M, Chin-Purcell L, Glass J, Knudsen H, Dow P, Seal K, McGinty E. Integrating Implementation Outcomes into Effectiveness Studies: A Practical Guide for Clinical Interventionists. *Journal Of General Internal Medicine* 2025, 40: 2376-2382. [PMID: 40301219](#), [PMCID: PMC12344027](#), [DOI: 10.1007/s11606-025-09551-1](#).
13. Wolkowicz N, Pittman B, Schrader S, **Wesolowicz D**, Sofuoglu M, Heapy A, MacLean R. Cognitive bias modification for individuals with opioid use disorder and chronic pain did not predict changes in clinical outcomes. *Journal Of Studies On Alcohol And Drugs* 2025 [PMID: 40536409](#), [PMCID: PMC12569794](#), [DOI: 10.15288/jsad.25-00057](#).
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