University of Manitoba Department of Psychiatry Research Report

It is our pleasure to write this Sixteenth Annual Department of Psychiatry Research Report. The report highlights a wide range of research and scholarly activities by our department members. The collaborative culture within the department has led to a high number of publications (over 40 peer reviewed publications) and peer-reviewed grants from national bodies. The Annual Faculty Research Forum and Resident Research Days provide an excellent opportunity for department members to share ideas and showcase their scholarly activities. Finally, this year four Faculty members were recognized for teaching and research awards (Tracie Afifi, Harvey Chochinov, Wil Fleisher, and Jitender Sareen).

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**Books**


**Chapters in Books**


**Papers Published in Peer-Reviewed Journals**


Invited Publications, Letters to Editor, Book Reviews, Abstracts, Newspaper Articles


Papers, Symposia, or Posters Presented at Scientific Conferences


Bolton, J.M. (2013, June 11). Suicide Risk Assessment Tools in the Emergency Department: Do They Have a Role? 1st World Congress on Suicide, International Academy for Suicide Research, Montreal, QC.


DeBoer, T., Medved, M., Sareen, J., & Distasio, J. (2013, May). Recovering health and home: Narratives by professionals on their collaborations with homeless adults who use volatile solvents. 9th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.


**Raposo, S. M., El-Gabalawy, R., Erickson, J., Mackenzie, C. S., & Sareen, J.** (2013, September). *Anxiety disorders and major depression are correlates of suicide ideation and attempts in younger and older Canadian and American adults.* Poster presented at the Canadian Academy of Psychiatric Epidemiology Symposium, Ottawa, ON.

**Raposo, S. M., El-Gabalawy, R., Erickson, J., Mackenzie, C. S., & Sareen, J.** (2013, March). *Anxiety disorders and suicidality are strongly correlated among older Canadian adults.* Poster presented at the University of Manitoba Department of Psychology’s 8th Annual Researchpalooza, Winnipeg, MB.


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### Invited Addresses

**Afifi, T.O.**  
February 2013  
*The relationship of gambling to intimate partner violence and child maltreatment*. Manitoba Addictions Knowledge Exchange Symposium, Winnipeg, MB.

**Altman, G.**  
February 2013  
*Anxiety Disorders in Youth, Relationship to Substance Use Disorders*. Addictions Foundation of Manitoba Knowledge Exchange Symposium.
Bolton, J.M.

November 8, 2013  
Understanding Suicide and it’s Aftermath: New Advances in Assessment and Management of a Major Public Health Problem.  
Community Health Sciences Colloquium, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, MB.

October 22, 2013  
The WRHA Crisis Response Centre: First Months of Operation.  
Department of Psychiatry, Grand Rounds, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, MB.

October 28, 2013  
The WRHA Crisis Response Centre: First Months of Operation. The Need to Know Team, Manitoba Centre for Health Policy, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, MB.

Chochinov, H.M.

January 8, 2013  
Spiritual Care Grand Rounds, Dignity Therapy and Opportunities in Palliative End of Life Care. Telephone rounds, United States Department of Veterans Affairs, Hampton, VA, USA

March 22, 2013  
Dignity Workshop, The North Simcoe Muskoka Palliative Care Network, Casino Rama, Orillia, Ontario

April 17, 2013  
Understanding Dignity: Insights on Vulnerability and Communication Skills. Law Society of Manitoba, Winnipeg, MB.

April 25, 2013  

April 29, 2013  
Dignity Research: Recent findings and clinical applications. Research Meet and Greet, Riverview Health Centre, Winnipeg, MB.

May 6, 2013  
Dignity Research Česká lékařská společnost (Czech Medical Association), Prague, Czech Republic

May 10, 2013  
Hungarian Hospice Foundation, Budapest Affective Psychology Department, Eötvös Lorand University, Budapest

May 22-24, 2013  
International Dignity Therapy Workshop, Winnipeg, MB

June 7, 2013  

June 10, 2013  
The end-of-life experience for people living with schizophrenia: where do people die, and of what cause? A population-based comparative study in Manitoba, Canada. Canadian Public Health Association National Conference, Ottawa, ON

August 22, 2013  
Dignity research and the frail elderly. University of Dundee, Scotland Dalhousie Lecture theatre, Dundee, Scotland

September 19, 2013  

November 4, 2013  
The Patient Dignity Question: A practical means of placing personhood on the clinical radar. Canadian Cancer Research Conference, Toronto, ON

November 5, 2013  
Dignity and Insights into the Culture of Caring. National Hospice and
November 8, 2013  
*Dignity and Distress in End-of-Life ESRD Populations.* American Society for Nephrology, Atlanta, Georgia

November 18, 2013  
*Dignity, Caring and the Culture of Medicine.* Keynote speaker at the Health Innovation Conference hosted by the Manitoba Patient Access Network and the George and Fay Yee Centre for Healthcare Innovation, Winnipeg, MB

December 19, 2013  
*Dying with Dignity: New Opportunities in Palliative Care,* The Joint Distribution Committee Building, Jivat Ram, Jerusalem, Video Lecture

**Fleisher, W.P.**

November 13, 2013  
Skakum K, Cooke C, Adeponle A & Fleisher W. *The Psychiatry Toolkit- an Update.* Department of Psychiatry Research Forum, Department of Psychiatry, Winnipeg, MB

November 26, 2013  
Mock Surveyor (with Dr. L. Anang) for the faculty-wide Mock Accreditation Workshop, Division of Postgraduate Medical Education (PGME), Faculty of Medicine, University of Manitoba, Frederic Gaspard Theatre, Basic Medical Sciences Building, Winnipeg, MB

**Katz, L.Y.**

January 2013  
*Dialectical Behavior Therapy for Suicidal Adolescents.* McGill University, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Research Rounds, Montreal, QC.

February 2013  
*Teaching Psychotherapy Case Formulation in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.* University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds, Winnipeg, MB

May 2013  
*Dialectical Behaviour Therapy for Suicidal Adolescents.* Markham Stouffville Hospital, Markham, ON.

September 2013  
*Introduction to Dialectical Behavior Therapy.* University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB.

October 2013  
*Introduction to Dialectical Behavior Therapy,* London, ON.  
*Dialectical Behavior Therapy for Suicidal Adolescents,* Saskatoon, SK.

**Modirrousta, M.**

June 2013  
*The Efficacy of rTMS in Treatment of Obsessive Compulsive Disorder.* McLean Hospital, Harvard Medical School, Belmont, MA, United States.
Afifi, T.O. An examination of child maltreatment in Canada: Insight into child and household characteristics and child functional impairments.


Katz, L. Administrative data analysis of health and health service utilization outcomes in the Winnipeg sample of the At Home/ Chez-Soi randomized controlled trial.

Modirrousta, M. Compulsive symptoms in frontotemporal lobar degeneration.

Moussavi, Z. Detecting pre-clinical symptoms of Alzheimer’s using virtual reality tools.

Sareen, J. Risk for dose escalation with chronic use of benzodiazepines in Manitoba.

Skakum, K. The University of Manitoba Psychiatry Toolkit (PTP): Development and evaluation of use to date.

Wang, J-F. The oxidative stress process, a target for mood stabilizing treatment.

Distinguished Faculty Address
Parikh, S. Psychiatry and warp nine: Integrating multiple interventions in mood disorders.

Adeponle, A., Fleisher, W., Skakum, K. & Cooke C. The University of Manitoba Psychiatry Toolkit project: Development and evaluation. University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry.
Avadhanula, P., Sareen, J., & Katz, L. *The medium and the message: Suicide in the age of social media*. University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry.


Kaushik, V., Fleisher, W., & Fotti, S. *Educational strategies to improve youth suicide detection and interventions in rural/remote primary care physicians: A literature review*. University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry.

Lander, M., Sareen J., & Bastiampillai, T. *Clozapine withdrawal syndromes: A literature review and recommendations for clinical practice*. University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry.


Oswald, T., Sareen, J., Enns, M., Bolton J., Patten, S., & Wang, Y. *Correlates of depressive episode duration in a nationally representative sample*. University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry.

Ronald, S., Sareen, J., & Sigurdson, E. *The triangle of childhood trauma: Cannabis and psychosis*. University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry.

Rousseau, S., & Sareen J. *PTSD and comorbidity: Towards empirical treatment decisions*. University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry.

Staniforth, C., & Sareen J. *A review of the literature on urbanicity and psychosis*. University of Manitoba, Department of Psychiatry.

**Distinguished Faculty**

Schaffer, A. *The Ups and Downs of a Bipolar Disorders Researcher*. University of Toronto, Department of Psychiatry.

**Other Presentations**


Chochinov, H.M. (2004-ongoing). *Manitoba Palliative Care Research Unit Funding*. Winnipeg Regional Health Authority ($50,000/per annum).


Chochinov, H.M. (2010-2017). Canada Research Chair in Palliative Care, Tier I. Canadian Institute of Health Research ($1,400,000).


Chochinov, H.M. (2013-2014). Infrastructure Funding Request, CancerCare Manitoba Foundation ($100,000).
Chochinov, H.M. (2013-2015). Canadian Virtual Hospital, Winnipeg Regional Health Authority ($600,000 per annum).


Health Treatment: Mobilizing Knowledge to Inform Consumer Decision Making, Advocacy and Access. Canadian Institutes of Health Research. ($1,500,000).


Afifi, T.O.
International Journal of Child and Adolescent Resilience

Bolton, J.M.
Canadian Journal of Psychiatry
Chochinov, H.M.
Cancer
Palliative and Supportive Care
Quality of Life Research
Social Science and Medicine
Psychosomatics
Journal of Palliative Care
Journal of Palliative Medicine
Supportive Cancer Therapy
Supportive Oncology

Enns, M.W.
Canadian Journal of Psychiatry

Fleisher, W.
Editor, Departmental Research Annual Report, Department of Medical Education
Editor, Department of Medical Education Newsletter (quarterly)

Katz, L.Y.
Journal of the Canadian Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
Canadian Journal of Psychiatry

Kong, J.
International Journal of Burns and Trauma
CNS Neuroscience and Therapeutics

Sareen, J.
Canadian Journal of Psychiatry
Depression and Anxiety

Ad Hoc Reviewing Activities for
Journals, Granting Councils, Conferences or Universities

Afifi, T.O.
Addiction
Aggressive Behaviour
Child Abuse & Neglect
Depression & Anxiety
Journal of Adolescent Health
Journal of the American Medical Association - Pediatrics
Journal of the American Medical Association – Psychiatry
Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health
Lancet
Pediatrics & Child Health
Pediatrics
Psychology Clinical Reviews
Journal of Psychiatric Research
Substance Abuse, Treatment, Prevention and Policy

Altman, G.
Canadian Family Physician

Bolton, J.M.
Canadian Journal of Psychiatry
Canadian Association for Suicide Prevention, Conference Scientific Advisory Panel, Director
Canadian Association for Suicide Prevention Research Committee, Head
Department of Psychiatry Research Committee, University of Manitoba
Depression and Anxiety
Manitoba Health Research Council Peer Review Committee
Manitoba Provincial Suicide Prevention Leadership Committee – Manitoba Health and Health Living
Suicide Bereavement Support Task Team – Manitoba Health and Healthy Living

Casiano, H.
Advances in Medical Science Journal
Journal of the Canadian Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

Chochinov, H.M.
Annals of Behavioural Medicine
Archives of General Psychiatry
Australian and New Zealand Journal of Psychiatry
British Journal of Psychiatry
British Medical Journal
Canadian Psychiatric Association Journal
Cancer
Indian Journal of Cancer
International Journal of Nursing Studies
Journal of Clinical Oncology
Journal of Pain and Symptom Management
Journal of Palliative Medicine
Journal of Psycho-Oncology
Journal of Psychosomatic Research
Journal of the American Medical Association
The Lancet
Palliative Medicine
Quality of Life Research
Social Science and Medicine
Member of the College of Reviewers for the New Opportunities Fund, CFI
National Palliative Care Research Centre, Scientific Advisory Board
International Scientific Expert Panel of The Cicely Saunders Foundation
Chair, Canadian Virtual Hospice
National Cancer Institute of Canada, National Speakers’ List
Planning Committee Member of ASCO’s Palliative Care in Oncology Symposium
Advisory Committee, The George Washington Institute for Spirituality and Health

Enns, M.W.
Canadian Journal of Psychiatry
PLoS One
American Journal of Public Health

Fleisher, W.
American Journal of Bioethics
Transcultural Psychiatry
JAMA Psychiatry
Canadian Conference for Medical Education (CCME)

Katz, L.Y.
Canadian Association for Suicide Prevention Research Award Committee
Canadian Journal of Psychiatry
Canadian Medical Association Journal
Journal of the Canadian Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
Journal of Psychotherapy Research
Suicide and Life-Threatening Behavior

Kong, J.
CIHR: The China-Canada Joint Health Research Initiative Grants Program
Manitoba Health Research Council Operating and Establishment Grant Review Committee
The Ontario Ministry of Research and Innovation (MRI), Ontario-China Research and Innovation Fund Review Committee
CIHR: MOV Peer Review Committee
Muscular Dystrophy Association (USA)
Natural Science Foundation of China
Canada Foundation for Innovation
Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada
Manitoba Health Research Council.
The Journal of Cell Biology
The Journal of Neuroscience
Journal of Neurochemistry
Stem Cell
Biochemistry and Cell Biology.
Sareen, J.
Chair, Canadian Psychiatric Association Research Committee
Lancet
Journal of Psychiatric Research
Journal of Affective Disorders
Cognitive Behavior Therapy
University of Manitoba Canadian Foundation for Innovation Peer-Review Committee

Faculty Awards

Affifi, T.O.
2013 Canadian Coalition for the Rights of Children, Children’s Rights Support Award
2013 Merit Award in the Research, Scholarly Work, and Creative Activities Category from the University of Manitoba and University of Manitoba Faculty Association

Chochinov, H.M.
2013 Patient Dignity Question Study: One of Top Canadian Cancer Society funded research stories of 2013.
2013 Dignity Therapy: Final Words for Final Days received the 2012 Prose Award for Clinical Medicine (The Prose Awards are the American Publisher’s Awards for Professional and Scholarly Excellence).

Sareen, J.
2013 Beck Scholar Award, Academy of Cognitive Therapy
2013 Manitoba Medical Students’ Association Med I 2012/13 Academic Year Teaching Award, ‘Inspiration’ Nominee.

Fleisher, W.
2013 Manitoba Medical Students’ Association Med I 2011/12 Academic Year Teaching Award, Nominee.
2013 Psychiatric Residents Association of Manitoba, Educator of the Year, 2012/13, Department of Psychiatry
Graduate Student Awards

Chartrand, H.
University of Manitoba Graduate Fellowship (2011-2015).
Graduate Student Association Travel Grant
Canadian Psychological Association Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Travel Grant
Faculty of Arts Graduate Student Travel Award
Faculty of Graduate Studies Travel Award
Faculty of Arts Endowment Fund
Department of Psychology Travel Award

Campbell-Enns, H.
Tri-council Top-Up Award, Psychosocial Oncology Research Training (PORT) Fellowship
Frederick Banting and Charles Best Canada Graduate Scholarship Doctoral Award, CIHR (2013-2015)

De Boer, T.
Manitoba Health Research Council (MHRC) Graduate Fellowship (2011-2013).

El-Gabalawy, R.
Anxiety and Depression Association of America Career Development Travel Award
Canada Graduate Scholarship – Michael Smith Foreign Study Supplement (Yale University, School of Medicine)
Faculty of Graduate Studies Travel Award, University of Manitoba
Canadian Institutes of Health Research Vanier Canada Graduate Scholarship (2010-2013)
Manitoba Graduate Scholarship (2010-2014)
Psychology Graduate Student Travel Awards, University of Manitoba
Faculty of Arts Graduate Student Conference Travel Award, University of Manitoba

Erickson, J.
Manitoba Health Research Council Graduate Studentship (2011-2013)
Faculty of Arts Endowment Award
Bernice D. Lough Psychology Graduate Award

Henriksen, C.
University of Manitoba Graduate Fellowship (2011-2014; Declined)
Manitoba Graduate Scholarship (2010-2014).
Doctoral Graduate Studentship, Manitoba Health Research Council (2011-2015)  
Direct Aid to Achieve Award, Department of Psychology, University of Manitoba (2013-2014)  
University of Manitoba Graduate Fellowship, University of Manitoba (2011-2014); Declined  
Manitoba Graduate Scholarship, University of Manitoba (2011-2014).  

**Kinley, D.J.**  
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Doctoral Fellowship (2009-2013)  

**Kredentser, M.S.**  
Eli Ross Bursary, Jewish Foundation of Manitoba (2013-2014)  
Patty & Jack Sherman Memorial Scholarship, Jewish Foundation of Manitoba (2013-2014)  
Financial Support Award, Department of Psychology, University of Manitoba  
Graduate Students’ Association Travel Award, University of Manitoba  
Faculty of Arts Conference Travel Award, University of Manitoba  
Faculty of Arts Endowment Fund Conference Travel Award, University of Manitoba  
Department of Psychology Conference Travel Award, University of Manitoba  
University of Manitoba Graduate Fellowship (UMGF) (2013-2017)  
Sheu L. Lee Family Scholarship in Oncology Research (2013-2014)  
Esther and Samuel Milmot Scholarship, Centre on Aging, University of Manitoba (2013-2014)  

**Mota, N.**  
Women’s Health Research Foundation of Canada Scholarship  

**Robinson, J.**  
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Canada Graduate Scholarship PhD Award (2010-2014).