

Curriculum Vita

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EDUCATION

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Degree and Date</u>	<u>Major</u>
University of Iowa Iowa City, IA	Ph.D. 1992	Nursing - Focal Area: Aging Cognate Minor: Anthropology
University of Iowa Iowa City, IA	M.A. 1988	Adult Health Nursing/Education
University of Edinburgh Edinburgh, Scotland	M. Phil. 1982	Nursing
University of Dubuque Dubuque, IA	B.S.N. 1980	Nursing
Rock Valley College Rockford, IL	A.A.S. 1978 A.A. 1976	Nursing Liberal Arts

PRESENT AND PREVIOUS POSITIONS

Clinical Positions:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Staff Nurse/ Medical-Surgical Staff Pool	Mercy Health Center Dubuque, IA	1987-1991
Nursing Home Supervisor Nursing Home Staff RN	Southwest Health Center Cuba City, Wisconsin	1983 1982-1983
Hospital Staff RN Staff RN	Highland Hospital Belvidere, IL	1982 1978-1980

Academic Positions:

Professor	University of Missouri-Columbia MU Sinclair School of Nursing MU College of Veterinary Medicine	2012-present
Research Scientist Without compensation (WOC)	Harry S. Truman Memorial Veterans Hospital, Columbia, MO	2012-present
Founder & Director Research Center for Human Animal Interaction (ReCHAI)	University of Missouri-Columbia College of Veterinary Medicine	2005-present
Associate Professor Dept. of Veterinary Medicine & Surgery	University of Missouri-Columbia College of Veterinary Medicine	2005-2012

Associate Director for Research MU Center of Excellence on Aging	University of Missouri-Columbia	2003-2004
Director, Center on Aging	University of Missouri-Columbia Sinclair School of Nursing	2000-2003
Associate Director for Research Center for the Study of Animal Wellness	University of Missouri-Columbia College of Veterinary Medicine	2000-2005
Adjunct Associate Professor Dept. of Veterinary Medicine & Surgery	University of Missouri-Columbia College of Veterinary Medicine	2000-2005
Millsap Professor of Gerontological Nursing & Public Policy w/ Tenure	University of Missouri-Columbia Sinclair School of Nursing	1999-present
Associate Professor w/ Tenure	Northern Illinois University School of Nursing DeKalb, IL	1998-1999
Assistant Professor	Northern Illinois University School of Nursing DeKalb, IL	1992-1997
Faculty Affiliate	Northern Illinois University Gerontology Program DeKalb, IL	1992-1999
Research Assistant Health Heritage Study	University of Iowa College of Nursing Iowa City, IA	1987-1989
Research Assistant Geriatric Health Risk Appraisal Study	University of Iowa College of Nursing Iowa City, IA	1987-1992
Lecturer	University of Iowa College of Nursing Iowa City, IA	1986-1988
Adjunct Faculty	University of Dubuque Dubuque, IA	1987
Instructor	Finley Hospital School of Nursing Dubuque, IA	1984-1987
Instructor/ Research Coordinator	Finley Hospital School of Nursing Dubuque, IA	1983-1984

A. PUBLICATIONS AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

+ Data Based

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Published Journal Articles:

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- +*Smarr, K.L., Musser, D.R., Shigaki, C.L., Johnson, R. A., Hanson, K.D., & Chokkalingam, S. (2011). Online self-management in rheumatoid arthritis: a patient-centered model application. *Telemedicine & e-Health*, 17(2), 104-110.
- +* Johnson, R. A., Radina, M., & Popejoy, L. (2010). Older adults' participation in nursing home placement decisions. *Clinical Nursing Research*, 19(4), 358-375. doi: 10.1177/1054773810372990.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. L. (2010). Dog-Walking: Motivation for adherence to a walking program. *Clinical Nursing Research*. 19(4), 387-402. doi: 10.1177/1054773810373122Johnson, R. A.
- *Johnson, R. A., Rantz, M. J., McKenney, C. A., & Cline, K. M. (2008). TigerPlace: Training veterinarians about animal companionship for the elderly. *Journal of Veterinary Medical Education*. 35(4), 511-513.
- *McKenney, C. A., & Johnson, R. A. (2008). Unleash the healing power of pet therapy. *American Nurse Today*, 3(5), 29-31.
- +*Shigaki C. L., Smarr K. L., Gong Y., Donovan Hanson K., Siva C., Johnson R. A., Ge B., Musser D. R. (2008) Social Interactions in an Online Self-management Program for Rheumatoid Arthritis. *Chronic Illness*, 4, 239–246.
- * Rantz, M., Porter, R., Chesier, D., Otto, D., Servey, C., Johnson, R. A., Aud, M., Skubic, M. Tyrer, H., He, Z., Demiris, G., Alexander, G., & Taylor, G. (2008). TigerPlace, a state-academic-private project to revolutionize traditional long-term care. *Journal of Housing for the Elderly*, 22(1/2), 66-85.
- *Johnson, R. A & Gayer, A. (2008). Puppy love for older adults. *Journal of Gerontological Nursing*. 34(1), 52-53.
- +* Johnson, R. A., Meadows, R., Haubner, J., & Sevedge, K. (2008). Animal assisted activity with cancer patients: Effects on mood, fatigue, self-perceived health and sense of coherence. *Oncology Nursing Forum*, 35(2), 225-232.
- +*Smarr, K. L., Siva, C., Johnson, R.A., Donovan Hanson, K., Musser, D. R., Hewett, J. E., Ge, B., Parker, J. C. (2007). Online self-management program in rheumatoid arthritis: RAHelp.org 3-month analysis. *Arthritis and Rheumatism*, 56(9 Supplement), S308.
- +* Harnirattisai, T., Johnson, R. A., & Kawinwonggowit, V. (2006). Evaluating functional activity in older Thai adults. *Rehabilitation Nursing*, 32(3), 126-130.
- * Rantz, M. J., Marek, K. D., Aud, M.A., Johnson, R. A. , Otto, D., & Porter, R. (2005). TigerPlace: A new future for older adults. *Journal of Nursing Care Quality*, 20(1), 1-4.
- +* Harnirattisai, T. & Johnson, R. A. (2005). Effectiveness of a behavioral change intervention in Thai elders after knee replacement. *Nursing Research*, 54(2), 2-12.
- *Johnson, R. A. (Guest Ed.). (2003). Human-animal interaction and wellness. *American Behavioral Scientist*.47(1), 5-102.
- +*Johnson, R. A., Meadows, R. L., Haubner, J. S., & Sevedge, K. (2003). Human-animal interaction: A complementary/alternative medical intervention (CAM) for cancer patients. *American Behavioral Scientist*, 47(1), 55-69.
- *Johnson, R. A. (Guest Ed.). (2002). Human-animal interaction research, *Western Journal of Nursing*

Research, 24(6), 606-715.

- +*Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2002). Older Latinos, pets and health. *Western Journal of Nursing Research*, 24(6), 609-620.
- +*Johnson, R. A., Odendaal, J., & Meadows, R. (2002). Animal assisted interventions research: Issues and answers. *Western Journal of Nursing Research*, 24(4), 422-440.
- *Johnson, R. A., & Tripp-Reimer, T. (2001). Aging, ethnicity and social support: A review. *Journal of Gerontological Nursing*, 27(6), 15-21.
- *Johnson, R. A., & Tripp-Reimer, T. (2001). Relocation among ethnic elders: A review. *Journal of Gerontological Nursing*, 27(6), 22-27.
- +*Johnson, R. A., Tripp-Reimer, T., & Schwiebert, V. (2000). Residential preferences and eldercare: Some African-American elders' views. *Journal of Multicultural Nursing and Health*, 6(1), 14-20.
- +*Johnson, R.A., Schwiebert, V., Alvarado-Rosenmann, P., Pecka, G., & Shirk, N. (1997). Residential preferences and elder care views of Hispanic elders. *Journal of Cross Cultural Gerontology*, 12, 91-107.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (1996). The meaning of relocation for elderly religious sisters. *Western Journal of Nursing Research*, 18(2), 172-185.
- +*Schwiebert, V., Johnson, R. A., & Rosenmann, P. (1996). Factors affecting translocation of older persons. *Journal of Nursing Science*, 1(5-6), 183-187.
- +*Johnson, R. A., Schwiebert, V., & Rosenmann, P. (1994). Factors influencing nursing home placement decisions: The older adult's perspective. *Clinical Nursing Research*, 3(3), 269-281.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Hlava, C. (1994). Translocation of elders: Maintaining the spirit. *Geriatric Nursing*, 15(4), 209-212.
- *Johnson, R. A., Moorhead, S. A., & Daly, J.M. (1992). Scholarship and socialization: Reflections on the first year of doctoral study. *Journal of Nursing Education*, 31(6), 1-3.
- *Johnson, R. A., & Weiler, K. (1990). Aid-in-dying: Issues and implications for nursing. *Journal of Professional Nursing*, 6(5), 1-6.
- *Brandt, C., Cone, P. J., Fontana, A. L., Hayes, R. M., Hehr, J. M., Hoffman, J., Johnson, R. A., Lyness, J. M., Messer, L. J., Robinnette, J. E., Shireman, J., Shubatt, M., Smith, C. K., Steines, S. B., Spencer, N., & Wilbert, L. (1989). Model Aid-in-Dying Act. *Iowa Law Review*, 75(1), 1-125.
- *Hockey, L., & Johnson, R. A. (1983). Look, listen and learn. *Nursing Mirror*, 157(2), 21-22.

Journal Articles Under Review and in Progress:

- +*Johnson, R. A., Park, H., Mazurek, M., Osterlind, S., Cameron, G., Carlisle, G. & McKenney, C. (2013 In progress). Social media messages about dog ownership among families of children with Autism Spectrum Disorders. Targeted Journal: *Public Relations Review*.
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C. A., McCune, S., Chih, A., & Pak, Y. (2012. Under review). Dog walking, physical activity and walking speed among older adults. *The Gerontologist*.
- +Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A., & Davis, J. (2012 In progress). *Pet owner intensive care unit visitation policies in N. American Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospitals*. Targeted Journal: *Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Society*.
- +Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A. & Davis, J. (2012 In progress). *Owner perceptions of visits with their hospitalized dogs*. Targeted Journal: *Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Society*.
- +Johnson, R. A., Meadows, R. L., Cline, K., McKenney, C., & Haubner, J. S. (2012 In progress). *Neurochemical effects of human-companion interaction*. Targeted Journal: *Journal of Psychosomatic Research*.

Non-Refereed Editorials & Commentaries:

- Johnson, R. A. (2012). (Guest Editor). American Association of Human-Animal Bond Veterinarians Newsletter (31):
AAH-ABV's many collaborative ventures. P.3.
Operationalizing One Health through Human Animal Interaction at University of Missouri: Research Center for Human Animal Interaction (ReCHAI). P. 5.
- Johnson, R. A. (2003). Editorial: Human-animal interaction, illness prevention and wellness promotion. *American Behavioral Scientist*, 47(1), 5-6.
- Johnson, R. A. (2002). Commentary: Human-animal interaction research as an area of inquiry in nursing. *Western Journal of Nursing Research*, 24(6), 713-715.
- Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2000). The nursing-veterinary bond: Promoting wellness through collaboration. *Western Journal of Nursing Research*, 22(7), 773-775.

Books:

- Zeltzman, P. & Johnson, R. A. (2011). Walk a hound, lose a pound: How you and your dog can lose weight, stay fit and have fun together. West Lafayette, IN: Purdue University Press.
- Johnson, R. A., Beck, A. M., & McCune, S. (2011). The health benefits of dog-walking. West Lafayette, IN: Purdue University Press.

Book Chapters:

- Johnson, R. A. (2013) Relocation stress syndrome. In B. Ackley, G. Ladwig (Eds.), *Nursing Diagnosis Handbook: An Evidence-Based Guide to Planning Care*, 10th edition. (pp.647-651). St. Louis, Mosby Elsevier.
- Johnson, R. A., & McCulloch, W. F. (2013). Human animal bond. In G. Dvorak, & J. Roth (Eds.) *Zoonoses: Protecting People and Their Pets*. Ames, IA: Iowa State University Press.
- Johnson, R. A. (2012 In press). Relocation stress. In M. D. Mezey, M. M. Bottrell, B. J. Berkman, C. M. Callahan, T. T. Fulmer, E. L. Mitty, g. J. Paveza, E. L. Siegler, & N. E. Strumpf (Eds.), *The Encyclopedia of Elder Care: The Comprehensive Resource on Geriatric and Social Care*. New York: Springer Publishing Company. Chapter revision for new edition.
- Johnson, R. A. (2012 In press). Pet ownership among older adults. In M. D. Mezey, M. M. Bottrell, B. J. Berkman, C. M. Callahan, T. T. Fulmer, E. L. Mitty, g. J. Paveza, E. L. Siegler, & N. E. Strumpf (Eds.), *The Encyclopedia of Elder Care: The Comprehensive Resource on Geriatric and Social Care*. New York: Springer Publishing Company. New chapter for new edition.
- Johnson, R. A. & McKenney, C. (2011). Walk a hound, lose a pound: A community dog walking program for families. In R. A. Johnson, A. M. Beck & S. McCune (Eds.) *The health benefits of dog-walking for people and pets*. (pp. 89-104). West Lafayette, IN: Purdue University Press.
- Johnson, R. A. (2011). Human animal interaction and animal assisted therapy. In R. Davis (Ed.), *Caring for family pets: Choosing and keeping our companion animals healthy*. Ch 3, New York: Praeger Publishers, an imprint of ABC-CLIO.
- Johnson, R. A. (2010). Animal assisted interventions in human healthcare. In P. McCardle, S. McCune, J. Griffin & L. Esposito (Eds.), *How Animals Affect Us: Examining the Influence of Human-Animal Interaction on Child Development and Human Health*. Ch 9, Washington, D.C.: American Psychological Association.
- Baun, M. M., & Johnson, R. A. (2010). Human animal interaction and successful aging. In A. Fine (Ed.), *Handbook on Animal Assisted Therapy: Theoretical Foundations and Guidelines for Practice*. Ch 15 (pp. 283-299), New York: Elsevier.

- Johnson, R. A. (2010). Psychosocial & therapeutic aspects human-animal interaction. In P. Rabinowitz, & L. Conti (Eds.), *Human-animal medicine; Clinical approaches to zoonoses, toxicants, and other shared health risks*. Ch. 5: 24-36, Maryland Heights, Missouri: Saunders, an imprint of Elsevier, Inc.
- Johnson, R. A. (2010) Relocation stress syndrome. In B. Ackley, G. Ladwig (Eds.), *Nursing Diagnosis Handbook: An Evidence-Based Guide to Planning Care*, 9th edition. (pp.690-695). St. Louis, Mosby.
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- Johnson, R. A. (2008). Relocation Stress Reduction. In B. Ackley, G. Ladwig, B. A. Swan, & S. Tucker (Eds.), *Evidence-Based Nursing Care Guidelines: Medical-Surgical Interventions*. Philadelphia, Mosby.
- Baun, M. M., Johnson, R. A., & McCabe, B.W. (2007). Human animal interaction and successful aging. In A. Fine (Ed.), *Handbook on Animal Assisted Therapy: Theoretical Foundations and Guidelines for Practice*. Ch 14:285-300, New York: Academic Press.
- Johnson, R. A. (2007). Relocation stress syndrome. In B. Ackley (Ed.). *Nursing Diagnosis Handbook: A Guide to Planning Care, 8th Edition*, New York: Mosby.
- Johnson, R. A. (2007). Relocation stress reduction. In B. Ackley G. Ladwig, S. Tucker, B. Swann (Eds.), *The Clinical Guide to Evidence Based Practice*. New York: Mosby.
- Johnson, R. A. (2006). Relocation stress. In M. D. Mezey, M. M. Bottrell, B. J. Berkman, C. M. Callahan, T. T. Fulmer, E. L. Mitty, g. J. Paveza, E. L. Siegler, & N. E. Strumpf (Eds.), *The Encyclopedia of Elder Care: The Comprehensive Resource on Geriatric and Social Care*. New York: Springer Publishing Company. Chapter revision for new edition.
- Johnson, R. A. (2001). The symbiosis of technology and nursing in care of older adults. In R. Loscin (Ed.), *Concerning Technology, Caring and Nursing*. New York: Greenwood Publishers.
- Johnson, R.A. (2001). Relocation stress syndrome. In M. Maas, K.C. Buckwalter, M. Hardy, T. Tripp-Reimer, M. Titler, & J. Specht (Eds.). *Nursing care of older adults: Nursing diagnosis and interventions*. St. Louis, MO: Mosby.
- Johnson, R. A. (2001). The stress of relocation. In M. Mezey (Ed.), *The Encyclopedia of Care of the Elderly*. New York: Springer Publications.
- Johnson, R. A. (2000). Relocation stress. In M. D. Mezey, M. M. Bottrell, B. J. Berkman, C. M. Callahan, T. T. Fulmer, E. L. Mitty, g. J. Paveza, E. L. Siegler, & N. E. Strumpf (Eds.), *The Encyclopedia of Elder Care: The Comprehensive Resource on Geriatric and Social Care*. New York: Springer Publishing Company.
- Johnson, R. A. (1999). Nursing interventions to assist older adults experiencing relocation transitions. In T. Tripp-Reimer & L. Swanson (Eds.). *Series on Advances in Gerontological Nursing. Vol. 3. Chronic Illness and the Older Adult*. New York: Springer Publishing Co.
- +Johnson, R. A. (1999). Reminiscence therapy. In J. McCloskey & G. Bulechek (Eds.). *Nursing Interventions: Effective Nursing Treatments* (3rd ed.). St. Louis: W. B. Saunders.
- Tripp-Reimer, T., Johnson, R. A., & Sorofman, B. (1999). Cultural dimensions in gerontological nursing. In M. Stanley (Ed.). *Gerontological Nursing* (2nd ed.). Philadelphia: Lippincott.

Monograph:

- *Johnson, R. A. (Ed.) (1988). *Excellence in nursing. Recent advances in Nursing*. Edinburgh: Churchill Livingstone. 21.

Publications in Conference Proceedings:

- +*Johnson, R. A. (1998). *Account-Making and the Meaning of Translocation for Elders*. In proceedings of "Connecting Conversations: Nursing Scholarship & Practice Inaugural Conference", University of Iceland, Reykjavik, Iceland.
- +*Johnson, R. A. & Schwiebert, V. (1998). *African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian Elder and their Caregivers: Factors Influencing Nursing Home Placement Decisions*. In proceedings of "Connecting Conversations: Nursing Scholarship & Practice" Inaugural Conference, University of Iceland, Reykjavik, Iceland.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Laing, E. (1982). *The nursing contribution to the aftercare of mastectomy patients*. In Proceedings of the Royal College of Nursing Research Society Annual Conference, (pp. 305-319). Royal College of Nursing, London, England.
- +*Laing, E., & Johnson, R. A. (1982). *Survey of nurses associated with research in the United Kingdom in 1980*. In Proceedings of the Royal College of Nursing research Society Annual Conference, (pp. 321-337). Royal College of Nursing, London, England.

Doctoral Dissertation and Masters Thesis:

- Johnson, R. A. (1992). *Account-making and the meaning of translocation for elders*. Unpublished doctoral dissertation, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA.
- Johnson, R. A. (1982). *The experience of mastectomy: The patient's perspective & implications for nurses*. Unpublished masters thesis, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Refereed Papers Presented at Professional Meetings:

- +*Johnson, R.A. (2012, Oct). *Meeting physical activity recommendations: Generalizability of dog walking programs for communities*. Paper presentation at 140th Annual Meeting & Expo, American Public Health Association. San Francisco, CA.
- +*Johnson, R.A. (2011, Nov). *Theoretical and practical factors associated with dog walking for older adults*. Paper presentation at 64th Annual Gerontological Society of America Conference, Boston, MA.
- +*Johnson, R. A., Carlisle, G. K., Mazurek, M. O., Love, J. R., & McKenney, C. A. (2012, Apr). The effects of the interaction of animals with children diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder and their families. Paper presentation at Midwest Nursing Research Society 2012 Annual Research Conference, Dearborn, MI.
- +*Shea, S., Baun, M., & Johnson, R.A., (2011, Nov). *Effects of a dog-walking program with older adults in long-term care*. Paper presentation (Shea) at 64th Annual Gerontological Society of America Conference, Boston, MA.
- +*Johnson, R.A., Mann, F. A., & McCune, S. (2011, Aug). *Owner visitation: Clinical effects on dogs hospitalized in an intensive care unit*. Paper presentation at 45th Annual International Society for Applied Ethology Conference. Indianapolis, IN.
- +**Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A., & McCune, S. (2010, July). *Owner visitation: Clinical effects on dogs hospitalized in an intensive care unit*. Paper presentation at 12th Annual International Association of Human-Animal Interaction Organizations Conference, Stockholm, Sweden.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & McKenney, C. (2010, July). *Implementing a community fitness program involving shelter dogs: Issues & outcomes*. Paper presentation at 12th Annual International Association of Human-Animal Interaction Organizations Conference, Stockholm, Sweden.
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., & McCune, S. (2010, June). *Shelter dog behavior improvement: Dog walking as enrichment*. Paper presentation at 19th Annual conference of International Society for Anthrozoology, Stockholm, Sweden.

- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C. A. (2010, April) *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound: A community dog-walking program for families*. Paper presentation at Midwest Nursing Research Society 2010 Annual Research Conference, Kansas City, MO.
- +* Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., & McCune, S. (2009, Nov.). Exercise motivation and fitness through dog walking among older adults. Paper presentation (Johnson) at 62nd Annual conference of Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (2009, Oct.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound community dog walking program*. Paper presentation at 18th Annual conference of International Society for Anthrozoology, Kansas City, MO.
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., & McCune, S. (2009, Oct.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound and stay fit for seniors*. Paper presentation at 18th Annual conference of International Society for Anthrozoology, Kansas City, MO.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (2008, Nov.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound community dog walking program*. Paper presentation and organized symposium at 135th Annual meeting & Exposition, American Public Health Association, Veterinary Public Health Special Interest Group, San Diego, CA.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (2007, Nov.). *Benefits of human-companion animal interaction across care settings*. Paper presentation at 135th Annual meeting & Exposition, American Public Health Association, Veterinary Public Health Special Interest Group, Washington, D.C.
- +*Smarr, K. L., Siva, C., Johnson, R., Donovan Hanson, K., Musser, D. R., Hewett, J., Ge, B., & Parker, J. C. (2007, November). *Online self-management program in Rheumatoid Arthritis: RAHelp.org 3-month analysis*. Paper presentation (Smarr) at the Forty-second Annual Meeting of the Association of the Rheumatology Health Professionals, Boston, MA.
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., & Meadows, R. (2007, Oct.). *The human-animal bond as a motivator for physical activity via dog walking*. Paper presentation (Johnson) at 11th International Conference on Human-Animal Interactions, International Association of Human Animal Interaction Organizations, Tokyo, Japan.
- +*Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A, Davis, J. (2007, Oct.). *Dog owners' perceptions of visiting their dog in an Intensive Care Unit*. Paper presentation (Johnson) at 11th International Conference on Human-Animal Interactions, International Association of Human Animal Interaction Organizations, Tokyo, Japan.
- + *Johnson, R. A. (2007, Apr.). *"Dog Walk:" An exercise intervention study with public housing residents*. Paper presentation (Johnson) at 1st Joint conference of American Association of Colleges of Veterinary Medicine, CDC and USDHSS, Atlanta, GA.
- +*Smarr, K. L., Siva, C., Johnson R. A., Donovan Hanson K., Musser, D. R., Laffey, J. M., Parker, J. C. (2006, November). *Collaborative care health management system: The RAHelp.org online patient-centered approach*. Paper presentation (Smarr) at the Forty-first Annual Meeting of the Association of Rheumatology Health Professionals, Washington, D.C
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., & Meadows, R. (2006, Apr.). *Walking for healthy hearts dog walking program*. Paper presentation (McKenney) at 30th Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Conference, Milwaukee, WI.
- +*Smarr, K. L., Johnson, R. A., Laffey, J. M., Musser, D. R., Siva, C., Donovan Hanson, K., Parker, J. C. (2006, April) *Chronic disease management: An online patient-centered collaborative care approach*. Paper presentation (Smarr) at the Bridging the Quality Gap in Mid-America: Promoting Excellence Across the Continuum of Care Conference, Columbia, Missouri.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (2005, Nov.). *Companion animals as motivators for exercise compliance*. Paper presentation at 57th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C. & Meadows, R. (2005, Jun.). *Walking for healthy hearts dog walking program*. Paper presentation (Johnson) at International Society for Anthrozoology, Research Conference, Niagara Falls, NY.

- +*Donovan Hanson, K., Smarr, K. L., Musser, D. R., Laffey, J. M., Johnson, R., Burks, K., Hong, R-Y., Kidd, J. L., Yang, C-C. (2005, April). *RAHelp.org: Development of an innovative self-management program*. Paper presentation (Smarr) at the Bridging the Quality Gap in Mid-America: Innovation and Improvement in Health Care Delivery conference, Columbia, MO.
- +*Laffey, J. M., Smarr, K. L., Donovan Hanson K., Musser, D. R., Johnson, R. A., Burks, K., Hong, R-Y., Kidd, J. K., Yang, C-C. (2005, June). *RAHelp.Org: An online self-management program for adults with rheumatoid arthritis*. Paper presentation (Laffey) at the Critical Issues in eHealth Research Conference, Bethesda, MD.
- +*Smarr, K. L., Musser, D. R., Donovan Hanson, K., Laffey, J. M., Johnson, R. A., Siva, C., Parker, J. C. (2005, November). *Development of an online self-management intervention for persons with rheumatoid arthritis: The RAHelp.org project*. Paper presentation (Smarr) at the Fortieth Annual Meeting of the Association of Rheumatology Health Professionals, San Diego, CA.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2004, Oct.). *Neurohormonal responses to human-robotic dog interaction*. Paper presentation (Johnson) at 10th International Conference on Human-Animal Interactions, International Association of Human Animal Interaction Organizations, Glasgow, Scotland.
- +* Johnson, R. A., Radina, M. E., & Popejoy, L. (2003 Nov.). *Relocation decision-making among older African Americans and Caucasians*. Paper presented (Johnson) at 55th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.
- +* Johnson, R. A. (2003, October). *Neuroendocrine effects of human-companion animal interaction*. Paper presented at the 3rd Annual Human Animal Bond Initiative Conference, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.
- +* Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2003, April). *Ethnic elders, pet attachment, health, and well-being*. Paper presented (Johnson) at 27th Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Conference, Grand Rapids, MI.
- +* Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2003, April). *Animal assisted activity and anxiety among radiation therapy patients: The "Hand and Paw study."* Paper presented (Johnson) at 27th Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Conference, Grand Rapids, MI.
- +* Johnson, R. A. (2001, March). *The Mini Mental State Exam: Use with African-American elders*. Paper presented at 25th Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Research Conference, Cleveland, OH.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (2000, April). *Residential preferences and eldercare: Some African-American elders' views*. Paper presented at 24th Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Research Conference, "Millennium Milestones: Looking Back, Moving Forward," Dearborn, MI.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (1996, August). *Three studies on elderly relocation to more supportive housing: Implications for nursing practice*. Paper presented at Gerontological Nursing Interventions Research conference. University of Iowa Gerontological Nursing Interventions Research Center and University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (1996, April). *Service use of community dwelling elders prior to relocation*. Paper presented at "Prism of Possibilities", Life Services Network Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.
- +*Johnson, R. A. & Schwiebert, V. *African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian Elders and their caregivers: Factors influencing nursing home placement decisions*. Paper presented at the following conferences:
- November, 1995. Annual Gerontological Society of America Conference. "Gerontologic challenges: Biological through societal perspectives." Los Angeles, CA. Presented by R. Johnson.
- June, 1995. "Connecting conversations: Nursing scholarship and practice." University of Iceland, Reykjavik, Iceland. Presented by R. Johnson.
- April, 1995. Life Services Network Annual Conference "Current research in aging: Shaping service delivery for the future." Lincolnshire, IL. Presented by R. Johnson.
- May, 1994. 4th Annual National Research Conference on Aging and Health. "Innovations in research and practice: Along the continuum of elder care." University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA. Presented by

R. Johnson.

- May, 1994. First International Symposium on Aging. "There's no place like home: Making it work." Deer Lodge Center on Aging, Winnipeg, Canada. Presented by V. Schwiebert.
- April, 1994. 18th Annual Research Conference, Midwest Nursing Research Society, "Partnerships in nursing research: Impact on practice, service, and policy." Milwaukee, WI. Presented by P. Rosenmann, graduate assistant.
- March, 1994. 12th Annual Nursing Research Day, Northern Illinois University, School of Nursing and Sigma Theta Tau, Beta Omega Chapter, "Nursing scholars in action." DeKalb, IL. Presented by P. Rosenmann, graduate assistant.
- February, 1994. 13th Annual National Nursing Symposium & 11th Annual Nursing Research Conference, "Patient care in the 21st century: Challenges & Opportunities in an integrated health care environment." Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA. Presented by R. Johnson.
- February, 1994. 11th Annual Nursing Research Conference, Marquette University College of Nursing & Sigma Theta Tau, Delta Gamma Chapter, "Moving a nation toward wellness." Milwaukee, WI. Presented by R. Johnson.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (1995, June). *Account-Making and the Meaning of Translocation for Elders*. Paper presented at "Connecting Conversations: Nursing Scholarship & Practice Conference." University of Iceland, Reykjavik, Iceland.
- +*Johnson, R. A & Schwiebert, V. (1995, April). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Factors affecting nursing home placement*. Paper presented (Johnson) at "Current Research in Aging: Shaping Service Delivery for the Future: Life Services Network Annual Conference, Lincolnshire, IL.
- +*Johnson, R. A. & Schwiebert, V. (1995, March). *African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Nursing home placement decision making*. Paper presented (Johnson) at 41st Annual American Society on Aging Conference, "The age games: Who plays? Who wins?" Atlanta, GA.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (1994, February). *Account-Making & the meaning of translocation for elders*. Paper presented (Johnson) at 11th Annual Nursing Research Conference, "Moving a Nation Toward Wellness." Marquette University College of Nursing & Sigma Theta Tau Delta Gamma Chapter, Milwaukee, WI.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (1993, November). *The meaning of translocation for elders*. Paper presented (Johnson) at 1993 Scientific Sessions, American Nurses Association Council of Nurse Researchers, Washington, D.C.
- +*Stewart, V., & Johnson, R. A. (1993, November). *Black, Hispanic & Caucasian elderly & caregivers: Factors affecting translocation decisions*. Paper presented (Stewart) at "Awareness: The Key to Accepting Differences in Adult Development," Association for Adult Development & Aging First National Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (1993, June). *Translocation survival for elders and their families*. Paper presented at "Aging in the Heartland: It's a Family Affair" 20th Annual Meeting Mid-America Congress on Aging, Des Moines, IA.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (1985, September). *The experience of mastectomy: The patient's perspective and implications for nurses*. Paper presented at 5th Annual Tri-VA Nursing Research Conference, "Research: Future of Nursing Practice," Coralville, IA.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Laing, E. (1982, March). *The nursing contribution to the aftercare of mastectomy patients*. Paper co-presented at the Royal College of Nursing Research Society Annual Conference. Royal College of Nursing, Canterbury, England.
- +*Laing, E., & Johnson, R. A. (1982, March). *Survey of nurses associated with research in the United Kingdom in 1980*. Paper co-presented at the Royal College of Nursing research Society Annual

Conference. Royal College of Nursing, Canterbury, England.

Refereed Posters Presented at Professional Meetings:

- +*Carlisle, G.K. & Johnson, R.A. (2013, July). *Social skills of children with autism who live in families that own dogs*. Poster presentation (Carlisle) at International Association of Human-Animal Interaction Organizations Conference. Chicago, IL.
 - +*Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A., McKenney, C., Davis, J., & McCune, S. (2013, Jul.). *Outcomes of owner visits to hospitalized dogs*. Poster presented (Johnson) at the Triennial International Conference of the International Association of Human-Animal Interaction Organizations, Chicago, IL.
 - +*Carlisle, G.K. & Johnson, R.A. (2013, Mar). *Social skills of children with autism who live with family dogs*. Poster presentation (Carlisle) at Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Conference. Chicago, IL.
 - +*Carlisle, G.K. & Johnson, R.A. (2012, Nov). *Social skills of children with autism who live with pet dogs*. Poster presentation (Carlisle) at University of Missouri Health Science Research Day. Columbia, MO.
 - +*Johnson, R.A., McKenney, C. A., & Lombardi, G. (2012, July). *Prison inmates' locus of control and self-esteem after training shelter dogs*. Poster presented at the 22nd Annual Conference International Society for Anthrozoology. Cambridge, England.
 - +*Johnson, R.A., Mazurek, M., Cameron, G.T., Thornberg, K., Osterlind, S.J., Hyojung, P., Carlisle, G.K. & McKenney, C. (2012, April). *One health-One medicine and media of the future: Exploring human companion animal interaction for families of children with autism*. Poster presented (Carlisle) at annual MIZZOU Advantage Research Day. Columbia, MO.
 - +*Shigaki, C.L., Smarr, K., Siva, C. Ge, B., Musser, D., Johnson, R. (2012, Feb) *RAHelp.org: An online intervention for rheumatoid arthritis*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association, Division of Rehabilitation Psychology midyear meeting, Fort Worth, TX.
 - +*Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A., McKenney, C., McCune, S. (2011, April). Poster presentations by:
 - Anderson, S. *Caring for both ends of the leash through recognition and evaluation of pain assessed on hospitalized dogs*.
 - Menezes, A. *The effects of owner visitation on heart rate and blood pressure in dogs hospitalized in an intensive care unit*.
 - Stephens, R., *Characteristics of owner visits to hospitalized dogs*.
- Phi Zeta (Pi Chapter) Veterinary Medical Honor Society Annual Research Day. University of Missouri, College of Veterinary Medicine.
- +*Carlisle, G., Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., Mazurek, M., Love, J. R. (2010, Nov) *The effects of the interaction of animals on children diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder and their families*. MU Health Sciences Research Day.
 - +*Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A., McKenney, C., McCune, S. (2010, August). Poster presentations by:
 - Anderson, S. *Caring for both ends of the leash through recognition and evaluation of pain assessed on hospitalized dogs*.
 - Menezes, A. *The effects of owner visitation on heart rate and blood pressure in dogs hospitalized in an intensive care unit*.
 - Stephens, R., *Characteristics of owner visits to hospitalized dogs*.
- 10th Annual Meriel-NIH National Veterinary Scholars Symposium. University of Georgia College of Veterinary Medicine.
- +*Dears, K., Johnson, R. A., & McKenney, C. A. (2010, April). *Owner visitation: Clinical effects on dogs hospitalized in an intensive care unit*. Phi Zeta (Pi Chapter) Veterinary Medical Honor Society Annual Research Day. University of Missouri, Columbia, MO.

- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., McCune, S. (2010, March) *Shelter dog behavior improvement: Dog walking as enrichment*. Life Sciences Summit in Kansas City, Missouri.
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., McCune, S. *Walk A Hound, Lose A Pound, & Stay Fit for Seniors*.
- MU 17th Annual Cardiovascular Day, University of Missouri, 2/16/2010
 - Life Sciences Summit in Kansas City, Missouri, 3/9/10
 - MU Nutrition & Exercise Research Week, Physiology Poster Session, 4/7/10
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., McCune, S. (2009, Nov.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound, & stay fit for seniors*. 36th Annual American Academy of Nursing Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- +*Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., McCune, S. (2009, Mar.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound, & stay fit for seniors*. 33rd Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (2008, Nov.). *Ask the community: Barriers & facilitators of physical activity and exercise*. 35th Annual Convention, American Academy of Nursing, Phoenix, AZ.
- +*Johnson, R. A. (2008, Aug.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound*. 17th Annual Conference of the International Society for Anthrozoology, Toronto, Canada.
- +* Johnson, J., Johnson, R. A. , & McKenney, C. (2008, Mar.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound: A community dog walking program for families*.
- University of MO Cardiovascular Research Day, Columbia, MO.
 - Phi Zeta Veterinary Honor Society Research Day, Columbia MO
- +*Davis, J., Johnson, R. A. , Mann, F. A., & McKenney, C. (2008, Mar.) *Dog owner's perceptions of visiting their dog in an intensive care unit*. Phi Zeta Veterinary Honor Society Research Day, Columbia, MO.
- +*Johnson, J., Johnson, R. A., & McKenney, C. (2007, Nov.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound: A community dog walking program for families*. University of MO Health Sciences Center Research Day, Columbia, MO.
- +*Schulz, S., Johnson, R. A., & McKenney, C. (2007, Nov.). *Pawsitive Visits: Students, older adults, & animals*. University of MO Health Sciences Center Research Day, Columbia, MO.
- +*Davis, J., Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A., & McKenney, C. (2007, Nov.) *Dog owner's perceptions of visiting their dog in an intensive care unit*. University of MO Health Sciences Center Research Day, Columbia, MO.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & McKenney, C. (2007, Sept.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound*. University of Kansas. 9th Annual Obesity Conference. Kansas City, MO.
- +* Johnson, R. A., Burks, K. (2006, Mar). *Developing a web-based chronic illness management program*. Poster presented by K. Burks at 30th Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Conference, Milwaukee, WI.
- +* Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., & Meadows, R. (2005, Oct). *Walking for healthy hearts: Dog walk program*. Poster presented by C. McKenney at Walking for health: Measurement and research issues and challenges, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- +*Harnirattisai, T., & Johnson, R. A. (2004, Feb). *Exercise, physical activity & physical performance in Thai elders after knee replacement surgery: A behavioral change intervention*. Poster presented by R. Johnson at 28th Annual Research Conference of the Midwest Nursing Research Society, St. Louis, MO.
- +*Johnson, R. A., Radina, M. E., & Popejoy, L. (2003, Nov). *Relocation decision-making among older African Americans and Caucasians*. Poster presented by L. Popejoy at 4th Annual Hartford Building Geriatric Nursing Capacity meeting, San Diego, CA.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Meadows R. (2002, September). *Animal assisted activity and anxiety among radiation therapy patients*. Poster presented by R. Johnson at Human Animal Bond Initiative Conference, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Meadows R. (2001, September). *Animal assisted activity and anxiety among radiation*

- therapy patients*. Poster presented by J. Haubner at Sigma Theta Tau Research Day, Quincy, IL.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Meadows R. (2001, September). *Animal assisted activity and anxiety among radiation therapy patients*. Poster presented (Johnson) at Cuddle a Critter, Call Me in the Morning...the Science Behind our Relationship with Animals. Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.
- +*Johnson, R. A., & Meadows R. (2000, February). *Animal assisted activity and anxiety among radiation therapy patients*. Poster presented (Johnson) at Cooperative Doctoral Program Research Day, Columbia, MO.
- +*Johnson, R.A. (1998, March). *Impaired African-American Hispanic & Caucasian Elders in transition: Service use prior to nursing home placement*. Poster presented at 22nd Annual Research Conference "Advancing the Research Enterprise in Nursing", Midwest Nursing Research Society, Columbus, OH.
- +*Johnson, R.A. & Schwiebert, V. (1995, November). *African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Factors influencing nursing home placement decisions*. Poster presented (Johnson) at "33rd Biennial Convention" Sigma Theta Tau International, Detroit, MI.
- +*Johnson, R.A., Schwiebert, V., & Rosenmann, P. (1994, May). *African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Factors influencing nursing home placement decisions*. Poster presented at "National nursing symposium on home health care." The University of Michigan, School of Nursing, Ann Arbor, MI. Joint presentation.
- +*Johnson, R.A. (1994, April). *The meaning and effects of translocation for elders*. Poster presented (Johnson) at 18th annual Nursing Research Conference, "Partnerships in Nursing Research: Impact on Practice, Service, and Policy." Midwest Nursing Research Society, Milwaukee, WI.
- +*Glick, O, Wu, W., & Johnson, R. A. (1993, October). *Motor performance correlates of functional status in elderly adults*. Poster presented (Glick) at Stairmaster Conference on Aging & Physical Activity, Journal of Aging & Physical Activity. Virginia Beach, VA.
- +*Johnson, R.A. (1993, May). *Account-making and the meaning of translocation for elders*. Poster presented at the Annual Research Day. University of West Ontario & Sigma Theta Tau Iota Omicron Chapter, London, Ontario, Canada.
- +*Johnson, R.A. (1993, April). *Account-making and the meaning of translocation for elders*. Poster presented at the Nursing Scholars in Action Eleventh Annual Nursing Research Day, Northern Illinois University School of Nursing and the Beta Omega Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau, DeKalb, IL.
- +*Johnson, R.A. (1993, March). *Account-making and the meaning of translocation for elders*. Poster presented at the Illinois Nurses Association, District #3 Nursing Expo, Rockford, IL.

Invited Oral Presentations at Professional Meetings:

- +Johnson, R. A. (2013, Nov.). *Animals' role in addressing human disease and promoting health*. SINTAA, Second Annual International Symposium on Animal Assisted Therapy, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2013, Nov.). *Older adults, companion animals, & successful aging*. Fluminense Federal University, School of Nursing, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2013, Nov.). *Parents' and health care providers' perceptions of dog ownership in families of children with ASD*. Invited presentation at One Health: One Medicine breakfast, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2013, Oct.). *Health Promotion in One Health: The Interrelationship between Human & Animal Health*. Invited presentation at Kansas City Area Life Sciences Institute Annual Symposium. Kansas City, MO.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2012, Oct.). *Meeting PA recommendations: Generalizability of dog walking programs for communities*. Invited presentation at Missouri Academy of Sports Medicine Conference,

Columbia, MO.

- +Johnson, R. A. (2012, Jan.). *TigerPlace: A unique setting for aging in place with companion animals*. Invited presentation at Japan Human Animal Nature Bond Society (J-HANBS) annual conference, Kobe, Japan.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2012, Jan.). *TigerPlace: A unique setting for aging in place with companion animals*. Teikyu University College of Veterinary Medicine, Tokyo, Japan.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2012, Jan.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound: Developing healthy pet and people communities*. Invited presentation at North American Veterinary Convention, Orlando, FL.
- + Johnson, R. A., Mann, F. A., McKenney, C., McCune, S. (2012, Jan.). *Help or hindrance: Should owners be in the ICU?* Invited presentation (Johnson) at North American Veterinary Convention, Orlando, FL.
- + Johnson, R. A., McKenney, C., & McCune, S. (2012, Jan.). *Mutual enrichment: Helping to heal war veterans and find homes for shelter dogs*. Invited presentation (Johnson) at North American Veterinary Convention, Orlando, FL.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2011, April). *Promoting physical activity health outcomes through human-companion animal interaction*. Invited presentation at Kansas City Area Life Sciences Institute Annual Symposium. Kansas City, MO.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2007, Aug.). *Human-animal interaction for chronically ill persons*. Invited plenary session at Annual Frail Elders Conference, University of Missouri, School of Medicine. Columbia, MO.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2006, May). *Robotic pets and the human-animal industry*. Waltham Pet Nutrition Research Centre symposium. Waltham-on-the-Walds, England.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2006, May). *MU Research Center on Human-Animal Interaction*. Purdue University, Human-Animal Interaction Center Directors Conference. West Lafayette, IN.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2006, April). *Dog walking and dog gym support: Conducted & future research*. Invited presentation at 1st Annual International Congress on Physical Activity & Public Health, Atlanta, GA.
- + Johnson, R. A. (2005, June). *Animals in everyday life and beyond*. Invited keynote at 2nd Annual Pets are Wonderful Support (PAWS) Research Conference, Hollywood, CA.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2004, Sept.). *The benefits of human-animal interaction: Research and practice*. Keynote presentation for 4th Annual Human-Animal Bond Initiative Conference, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2004, Apr.). *"Pets and the elderly: Scientific evidence and TigerPlace residential facility."* 6th International Conference, Companion Animals, a source of health, Fundacion Affinity and Autonomous University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2004, Feb.). "A guide to introducing Animal Assisted Therapy (AAT): Close encounters of the canine kind change lives, even save lives." 76th Annual Western Veterinary Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2004, Feb.). *"The science behind the human animal bond."* 76th Annual Western Veterinary Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2003, April). *"Rosie" the Whippet and her cancer patients: Benefits of the human-companion animal bond*. 5th Annual Research Day, Winona State University, Rochester, MN.
- +Johnson, R. A. (2003, April). *Benefits of human-animal interaction: Seeking the evidence*. 2nd Annual PAWSitive Interaction Congress, Atlanta, GA.
- +Johnson, R. A., Meadows, R., & Fleming, K. (2002, October). *Ethnic elders, pets and health*. Presented (Johnson) at the 2nd Annual Human Animal Bond Initiative Conference, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.
- +Johnson, R. A. & Meadows, R. (2002, August). *The MU College of Veterinary Medicine Center for the*

Study of Animal Wellness: An Update. Co-presented at the Vet One Meeting held at the Central Veterinary Convention, Kansas City, MO.

- +Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2002, February). *Latino elders, pets and health.* Presented (Johnson) at the Pets as Prescription Symposium, Western Veterinary States Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- +Johnson, R. A. & Meadows, R. (2002, February). *The MU College of Veterinary Medicine Center for the Study of Animal Wellness: An Update.* Co-presented at the Vet One Meeting held at the Western Veterinary States Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- +Johnson, R. A. & Meadows, R. (2001, August). *The MU College of Veterinary Medicine Center for the Study of Animal Wellness: An Update.* Co-presented at the Vet One Meeting held at the Central Veterinary Convention, Kansas City, MO.
- +Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2001, March). *Animal assisted activity and anxiety among cancer patients undergoing radiation therapy.* Presented (Johnson) at Mid-Missouri Nursing Outreach & Distance Education Advisory Council annual meeting.
- +Johnson, R. A. & Meadows, R. (2001, February). *The MU College of Veterinary Medicine Center for the Study of Animal Wellness: An Update.* Co-presented at the Vet One Meeting held at the Western Veterinary States Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- +Johnson, R. A. & Meadows, R. (2000, August). *The MU College of Veterinary Medicine Center for the Study of Animal Wellness: An Update.* Co-presented at the Vet One Meeting held at the Central Veterinary Convention, Kansas City, MO.

Research:

- Johnson, R. A. (2011-Pres.). *Dog presence and children's stress during forensic interviews for child abuse.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2011-Pres.). *Puppies for parole: Shelter dog training and inmate behavior outcomes.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2011-Pres.). *Exploring human-companion animal interaction for families of children with autism.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2010-Pres.). *Mutual enrichment: Veterans training shelter dogs*
- Johnson, R. A. (2009-Pres.). *Seniors fostering shelter dogs: Improving health and well-being together.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2009-2011.). *Caring for both ends of the leash: Effects of owners visiting their dogs hospitalized in an Intensive Care Unit.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2007-2009.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound, and Stay Fit for Older Adults.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2007-2009). *Ask the community: Barriers & facilitators of physical activity and exercise.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2007-Pres.). *Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound community program.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2007-Pres.). *PALS for seniors: Developing & testing an online certification program.*
- Johnson, R. A., & Mann, F. A. (2006-2007). *Pet owner intensive care unit visitation policies in veterinary medical teaching hospitals.*
- Johnson, R. A., & Mann, F. A. (2006-2007). *Owner perceptions of visits with hospitalized pets.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2005-2007). *Testing a dog visit protocol with newly admitted nursing home residents.*
- Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2002-2005). *Walking for healthy hearts.*
- Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2001-2004). *Neurochemical indicators of the human animal bond.*
- Johnson, R. A. & Meadows, R. (2004). *Non-invasive assessment of stress in dogs involved in animal assisted activity.*
- Johnson, R. A. (2001-2003). *Demographic profile of centers on aging in the US.*

- Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2000-2003). *Ethnic elders, pet attachment, health and well-being*.
- Johnson, R. A., Sevedge, K., & Meadows, R. (2000-2002). *Animal assisted activity and anxiety among radiation therapy patients: An MU interdisciplinary randomized clinical trial*.
- Johnson, R. A. (1999-2005). *Relocation of ethnic elders: Decisions and sequelae*.
- Johnson, R. A. (1995-98). *Resource use of community-dwelling elders prior to relocation*.
- Johnson, R. A. (1995). *Depression, social support, self-perceived health and sense of coherence in relocation: A two year follow-up study*.
- Johnson, R. A. & Schwiebert, V. (1994-95). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Preventing premature nursing home placement*.
- Johnson, R. A., & Schwiebert, V. (1993-1994). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic, & Caucasian elders & their caregivers: Testing the Factors Affecting Placement Inventory (FAPI)*.
- Johnson, R. A., & Schwiebert, V. (1992-93). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic, and Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Factors influencing nursing home placement decisions*.
- Johnson, R. A. (1992). *Account-making and the meaning of translocation for elders*. Doctoral dissertation, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA.
- Johnson, R. A. (1982). *The experience of Mastectomy: The patient's perspective and the implications for nurses*. Masters thesis, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland.

GRANTS:

Funded:

- Deem, S., & Johnson, R. A. (2013). *Experiencing animals in a zoo: Heart rate variability and perceptions of adults*. Association of Zoos and Aquariums Conservation Endowment Fund. \$21K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2013). *Effects of equine assisted activities on PTSD symptoms, coping self-efficacy, emotion regulation, and social engagement in military veterans*. Horses and Humans Foundation. \$50K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2013). *Puppies for parole: Shelter dog training and inmate behavior outcomes*. Mizzou Advantage Grant. \$24K. Second year funding proposal.
- Johnson, R. A. (2012). *International Association of Human Animal Interaction Organizations (IAHAIO) International Conference Corporate Sponsorships*. (\$209,611)
- Mars, Inc. & Waltham Pet Nutrition Research Centre. \$80K.
 - Nestlè Purina. \$65K.
 - Ceva. \$25K.
 - Boehringer Ingelheim. \$10K.
 - Chang-Pa AAT Centre. \$10K.
 - Pfizer Animal Health/Zoetis. \$5K.
 - World Society for Protection of Animals. \$5K.
 - Adrienne & Pierre Somer Foundation. \$2,611.
 - Lil' Red Foundation. \$2,500.
 - Elanco Lilly \$2,500.
 - Butler Schein Animal Health. \$1K.
 - HABRI Foundation. \$1K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2011). *Dog presence and children's stress during forensic interviews for child abuse*. NIH/NICHD RO3. \$100K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2011). *Puppies for parole: Shelter dog training and inmate behavior outcomes*. Mizzou

Advantage Grant. \$24K.

Johnson, R. A. (2011). *Exploring human-companion animal interaction for families of children with autism*. Mizzou Advantage Grant. \$50K.

The following 4 grants were awarded to support one component of a four-part project with the same title.

Johnson, R. A. (2010). *Mutual enrichment: Veterans training shelter dogs*. MU Research Board Grant. \$48K.

Johnson, R. A. (2010). *Mutual enrichment: Veterans training shelter dogs*. Waltham Foundation. \$30K.

Johnson, R. A. (2010). *Mutual enrichment: Veterans training shelter dogs*. Banfield Charitable Trust. \$30K.

Johnson, R. A. (2010). *Mutual enrichment: Veterans training shelter dogs*. Pedigree Foundation. \$25K.

Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Research meets practice: Human-animal interaction in obesity across the lifespan*. National Institutes of Health. National Institute for Child Health and Development (NICHD 1R13HD062078-01). \$10K.

Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Caring for both ends of the leash: Effects of owners visiting their dogs hospitalized in an intensive care unit*. Waltham Pet Nutrition Research Centre. \$18,687.

Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Seniors fostering shelter dogs: Improving health and well-being together* International Society for Anthrozoology & Waltham Pet Nutrition Research Centre. \$29,900.

Johnson, R. A. (2009). *International Society for Anthrozoology/Human Animal Interaction International Conference Corporate Sponsorship*. (\$124K)

- Kenneth Scott Charitable Trust. \$2,500.
- Mars, Inc. & Waltham Pet Nutrition Research Centre. \$75K.
- Morris Animal Foundation. \$2,500.
- Nestlé Purina. \$16,500.
- Bayer HealthCare Animal Health. \$5K.
- HILLS Pet Nutrition. \$5K.
- Lil' Red Foundation. \$15K.
- PetCare Trust. \$2,500.

Johnson, R. A. (2007). *Walk a hound, lose a pound, and stay fit for older adults*. The WALTHAM/American Association of Human-Animal Bond Veterinarians, Human-Animal Bond Research Collaboration. Funded \$19,993.

Johnson, R. A. (2007). *Ask the Community: Barriers & facilitators of physical activity and exercise*. Missouri Foundation For Health. Funded \$36,400.

Johnson, R. A. (2007). *PALS for seniors animal assisted activity training & certification*. Li'l Red Foundation. Funded \$400K.

Johnson, R. A. (2005). *Testing a dog visit protocol with newly admitted nursing home residents*. MU-Columbia Research Board Council Grant. Funded \$7,500.

Johnson, R. A. & Meadows, R. (2004). *Non-invasive assessment of stress in dogs involved in animal assisted activity*. IAMS Corporation. \$25K. Funded in-kind support.

Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2003). *Neuro-chemical indicators of the human animal bond*. V.P.I. Skeeter Foundation. Funded \$25K.

Parker, J. C. (PI), Smarr, K. L. (PI), Walker S. (Co-I), Johnson R. A. (Co-I), Childers M. (Co-I) (2003-2008). *An online self-management program for older adults with rheumatoid arthritis*. Component of a center grant from National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research. Funded \$647,975.

Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2002). *Walking for healthy hearts*. Missouri Foundation for Health. Funded \$134K.

Rossen, E., & Johnson, R. A. (2002). *Relocation to congregate living: Older men's outcomes*. University of Iowa Gerontological Nursing Interventions Research Center. Funded \$10,442.

- Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2001). *Neuro-chemical indicators of the human animal bond*. V.P.I. Skeeter Foundation. Funded \$100K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2000). *Ethnic elders, pet attachment, health, and well-being*. Gerontological Nursing Interventions Research Center, University of Iowa. Funded \$7,933.
- Johnson, R. A. (2000). *Animal assisted therapy and anxiety among radiation therapy patients: An MU interdisciplinary randomized clinical trial*. University of Missouri Columbia Comprehensive Cancer Center Key Group Seed Funds. Funded \$50K.
- Johnson, R. A. (1999). *Relocation of ethnic elders: Decisions and sequelae*. NINR F.I.R.S.T. (R29) Award. Funded \$504,125.
- Johnson, R. A. (1996). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders: Service use prior to nursing home placement*. Sigma theta Tau, Beta Omega Chapter. Funded \$1,345.
- Johnson, R. A. & Schwiebert, V. (1995). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic and Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Preventing premature nursing placement*. NIU Graduate School Research and Artistry Grant. Funded \$5,050.
- Johnson, R. A. (1995). *Depression, social support, self-perceived health and sense of coherence in relocation: A two-year follow-up study*. Sigma Theta Tau, Beta Omega Chapter. Funded \$250.
- Schwiebert, V., & Johnson, R. A. (1994). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic and Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Preventing premature nursing placement*. NIU College of Education Dean's Grant. Funded \$1K.
- Johnson, R. A. (1994). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic, & Caucasian elders & their caregivers: "A translocation-placement decision-making model"*. Northern Illinois University Graduate School Research and Artistry Grant. Funded. \$4850. (Collaboration with V. Schwiebert)
- Johnson, R. A. (1993). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders & their caregivers: Factors influencing nursing home placement decisions*. Northern Illinois University Graduate School Research and Artistry Grant. Funded \$4350. (Collaboration with V. Schwiebert)
- Stewart, V., & Johnson, R. A. (1992). *Impaired African-American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders & their caregivers: Factors influencing nursing home placement decisions*. Northern Illinois University College of Education Dean's Grant. Funded \$1K.
- Johnson, R. A. (1989-1992). *Reminiscence therapy: A nursing intervention for elders*. National Institutes of Health, National Center for Nursing Research. Individual National Research Service Award. Predoctoral fellowship.

Pending:

- Johnson, R. A. *Veterans' PTSD symptom relief through shelter dog walking*. VA RR&D. LOI submitted 1/28/13. Grant to be submitted 3/15/13. \$100K.
- Johnson, R. A. *Veterans' TBI and PTSD symptom relief through therapeutic horseback riding*. VA RR&D. LOI submitted 1/28/13. Grant to be submitted 3/15/13. \$100K.
- Johnson, R. A. *Veterans training shelter dogs: PTSD symptom relief with canine battle buddies*. VA RR&D. Submitted 12/10/12. \$1.1M.

Submitted Not Funded:

- Johnson, R. A. *Veterans' PTSD and TBI symptom relief through shelter dog walking*. VA RRDS SPIRE grant. 11/12. \$200K. Impact Score 300.
- Johnson, R. A. *Veterans training shelter dogs: PTSD symptom relief with canine battle buddies*. Submitted VA RR&D Merit Review Award (Parent I01). 5/1/12. \$11 million. Priority Score=324. Resubmitted

12/1/13. Priority Score 234.

- Johnson, R. A. *OEF/OIF veterans' PTSD symptom relief through shelter dog walking*. Submitted VA R&D 5/1/12. \$1 million. Priority Score=335. Under revision for resubmission Mar., 2013.
- Deem, S., & Johnson, R. A. *Experiencing animals in a zoo: Heart rate variability and perceptions of adults*. Submitted 3/15/12. Under revision for resubmission Mar., 2013.
- Johnson, R. A. (2011). *Dog walking, physical activity and family functioning in military families*. RO1 NICHD. \$2.7 mil.
- Johnson, R. A. (2010). *Dog walking for independence among older adult short-stay nursing home residents*. International Society for Anthrozoology/Waltham Foundation. \$22K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2010). *Demonstrating Henry Schein's commitment to helping health happen through the science and compassion of the human-animal bond*. Submitted Henry Schein, Inc.11/10. \$200K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Facilitating a worldwide collaborative network on human-animal physical activity*. Mizzou Advantage Initiative. \$22K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Human-animal interaction certificate program*. Mizzou Advantage Initiative. \$20K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Exploring Potential Benefits of Animal Interaction for Families of Children with Autism*. Mizzou Advantage Initiative. \$49K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Dog walking, physical activity and family functioning in military families*. NIH-NICHD. RO1. \$1.4 mil.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Dog presence and children's stress during forensic interviews for child abuse*. NIH-NICHD. RO3. \$151K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Assessment of a community-based dog walking intervention to increase physical activity among dog owners*. Centers for Disease Control & Prevention, Dog walking RFA. SIP 09-007. \$150K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Testing efficacy of a PTSD service dog training program*. Department of Defense, Defense Medical Research and Development Program, "Psychological Health and Well-Being for Military Personnel and Families." \$1.9 mil.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *Improving military family functioning through PTSD service dog training*. National Institutes of Health Challenge Grant. \$960K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2009). *PTSD service dog training program: Shared teamwork of purpose (PTSD STOP)*. Leonard Wood Institute. \$990K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2007). *Walk a hound, lose a pound*. MO Department of Health and Senior Services. \$146K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2007). *Research Center for Human Animal Interaction Programs*. Kenneth Scott Charitable Trust. \$80K.
- Forister, P. & Johnson, R. A. (2007). *Senior partners for shelter pets*. Sugar Lakes Foundation. \$63K.
- Johnson, R. A. (2007). *Research Center for Human Animal Interaction Programs*. Scaife Family Foundation. \$250K. Not funded.
- Johnson, R. A. (2007). *Walk a hound, lose a pound*. MO Department of Health and Senior Services. \$5,410.
- Johnson, R. A. (2006). F.I.D.O.E.: Fighting inactivity disease and obesity with exercise. NIH RO1. \$1.4mil. Not funded.
- Meadows, R. & Johnson, R. A. (2001). *Non-invasive assessment of stress in dogs involved in animal assisted activity*. American Veterinary Medical Foundation. \$25K. Not funded.
- Johnson, R. A., & Meadows, R. (2000). *Pet relinquishment in elders' relocation: Policy and practice*. Submitted as part of the SSON P20 Center Grant application to NINR. Not funded \$10K.
- Johnson, R. A. (1995). *Impaired African American, Hispanic & Caucasian elders: Service use prior to*

nursing home placement. NIU Graduate School Research & Artistry fund. \$5645. Not funded.

Johnson, R. A. (1995). *Impaired African American, Hispanic, & Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Testing the Factors Affecting Placement Inventory (FAPI).* NIU Graduate School Research and Artistry fund. Submitted with Valerie Schwiebert, PhD, NIU Department of E.P.C.S.E. as Co-Investigator. \$8699. Not funded.

Johnson, R. A. (1995). *Impaired Black, Hispanic, and Caucasian elders: Testing a community-based intervention to minimize the negative effects of relocation.* Retirement Research Foundation. submitted with Valerie Schwiebert, PhD, NIU Department of E.P.C.S.E. as Co-Investigator. \$76K. Not funded.

Johnson, R. A. (1994). *Sense of coherence and physiologic/health indicators of successful translocation of the elderly.* NIU Graduate School Research & Artistry fund. Submitted with Diane Cearlock, PhD, NIU Department of Allied Health as Co-Investigator. \$8595. Not funded.

Johnson, R. A. (1994). *Impaired Black, Hispanic, and Caucasian elders: Testing a community-based intervention to minimize the negative effects of relocation.* AARP Andrus Foundation. Submitted with Valerie Schwiebert, PhD, NIU Department of E.P.C.S.E. as Co-Investigator. \$75K. Revised and re-submitted 1994. Not funded.

Johnson, R. A. (1993). *Neuroendocrine-immune function and sense of coherence in translocation of the elderly.* American Federation for Aging Research. Submitted with Diane Cearlock, PhD, NIU Department of allied Health as Co-Investigator. \$25K. Not funded.

Johnson, R. A. (1993). *Nursing assessment: Ethnic elders' decision to move.* National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Nursing Research. Submitted with Valerie Schwiebert, PhD, NIU Department of E.P.C.S.E. as Co-Investigator. \$75K. Revised and re-submitted 1994. Not funded.

Johnson, R. A. (1993). *Impaired Black, Hispanic, and Caucasian elders and their caregivers: Factors affecting translocation decisions.* AARP Andrus foundation. submitted with Valerie Schwiebert, PhD, NIU Department of E.P.C.S.E. as Co-Investigator. \$75K. Revised and resubmitted 1993. Not funded.

B. PROFESSIONALLY ORIENTED PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Chair. Human Animal Bond Research Institute (HABRI) Central Management Advisory Board. Purdue University. 2012-present.

Member. HABRI Central Editorial Board. Purdue University. 2012-present.

Chair Mission Committee. Delta Society/Pet Partners Board of Directors, Bellevue, WA. 2013.

Chair, Mission Task force. Delta Society/Pet Partners Board of Directors, Bellevue, WA. 2012.

Co-Chair of President/CEO Search Committee, Board of Directors, Delta Society/Pet Partners, Bellevue, WA, 2011– 2012.

Member, Board of Directors, Delta Society/Pet Partners, Bellevue, WA, 2009 – present.

Member, Board of Directors, The Bluffs Nursing Home, Columbia, MO, 2002 – 2006.

Member, Board of Directors, Senior Services of Boone County, Columbia, MO, 2001-2003.

Member, Advisory Board, The Health Connection, University of Missouri-Columbia, Columbia, MO, 2004-2008.

Member, Aging in Place Advisory Board, University of Missouri-Columbia, Columbia, MO, 2010-present.

Member, TigerPlace Operations Committee, University of Missouri-Columbia, Columbia, MO, 2001-2010.

Member, Faculty Advisory Board, TigerPlace, University of Missouri-Columbia, Columbia, MO, 2001- 2003.

President, MU Fortnightly Club, Columbia, MO, 2004-2005.

Member, Faculty Board, Eldercare, University of Missouri-Columbia, Columbia, MO, 2001- 2004.

Co-Facilitator, Long Range Planning Committee, Senior Services of Boone County, Columbia, MO, 2001.

Member, Faculty Advisory Board, University Nurses Senior Care, University of Missouri-Columbia, Columbia, MO, 2001- 2003.

Member and Chair of Board of Zoning Appeals, City of Galena, IL, 1987-1989.

Member of the Board of Directors for the Jo Daviess County Workshop for the Handicapped, Galena, IL, 1983-1987. Offices held: Secretary of Board, 1984-1986, Chair, Nominating Committee, 1986-1987;

Other committees served: Residential Committee, 1986-1987; Personnel Committee, 1983-1986.
Member of the Jo Daviess County League of Women Voters, Galena, IL, 1983-1987.

C. OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Professional Organizations:

National Academies of Practice—Veterinary Medicine	2013-present
International Association of Human Animal Interaction Organizations, President	2010-present
Phi Zeta, Veterinary Medicine Honor Society, Member Pi Chapter	2008-present
International Society for Anthrozoology, Member	2004-present
Secretary of External Relations, Executive Board	2009-2011
Executive Board Member	2007-present
American Association of Human Animal Bond Veterinarians, Member	2000-present
Newsletter Guest Editor	2012-present
American Public Health Association, Member	2007-present
Gerontological Society of America, Member	1990-present
American Academy of Nursing, Fellow	2007-present
American Nurses Association, Member	1987-1998
	2007-present
Missouri Nurses Association, Member	2007-present
Illinois Nurses Associations, District #3	
Member	1992-1998
First Vice President	1994-1996
Board Member	1996-1997
Iowa Nurses Association, District #3, Member	1987-1992
American Nurses Association Council of Nurse Researchers, Member	1993-1998
Sigma Theta Tau, International Nursing Honor Society	
Member, Alpha Iota	1999-present
Member, Gamma	1987-present
Member, Beta Omega	1992-1999
Counselor, Beta Omega	1996-1998
Research Committee, Beta Omega	1998-1999
Midwest Nursing Research Society, Member	1987-present
Phi Zeta, Veterinary Medicine Honor Society	2008-present
Mid-America Congress on Aging, Member	1993-1995
National League for Nursing/Iowa League for Nursing, Member	1983-1986

Honors and Awards:

2013	Inducted, Fellow & Distinguished Scholar, National Academies of Practice—Veterinary Medicine. April, 2013.
2010	University of Missouri-MU Sinclair School of Nursing Faculty Award for Excellence in Service.
2009	Humane Society of the US, 11 th Annual “Animals and Society” Distinguished Established Course Award for undergraduate course developed and taught by R. Johnson: Psych 2830: Human-Companion Animal Interaction.
2009	Center for Entrepreneurship Award, University of Missouri Extension, Missouri Small Business & Technological Development Centers, for ReCHAI’s contribution to the economic development of the state of Missouri. Presented at the Rising Stars of Innovation and Entrepreneurship Awards Banquet, Jefferson City, MO.
2008	Inducted, Phi Zeta, Veterinary Medicine Honor Society.
2007	Inducted, Fellow of the American Academy of Nursing.
2005	University of Missouri-Columbia, William H. Byler Distinguished Professor Award.
2003	University of Missouri – MU Sinclair School of Nursing Faculty Award for Excellence in

- Research.
- 2003 University of Iowa, College of Nursing, Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award.
- 2002 University of Missouri-MU Sinclair School of Nursing Faculty Award for Excellence in Research.
- 2001 Midwest Nursing Research Society Gerontological Nurse Researcher Award.
- 2001 University of Missouri-MU Sinclair School of Nursing Faculty Award for Excellence in Teaching.
- 2001 Inducted, Alumni Hall of Fame, Rock Valley College, Rockford, Illinois.
- 1997 NIU College of Health and Human Science Lankford Award for dedication to and excellence in teaching.
- 1997 Northern Illinois University School of Nursing Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching Award.
- 1996 Northern Illinois University School of Nursing Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching Award.
- 1992 Candidate for Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society, Regional Dissertation Award (not awarded).
- 1992 Candidate for American Nurses Association Council of Nurse Researchers, Outstanding New Investigator Award (not awarded).
- 1989 Awarded "Starshine Award" for "Vision, innovation and enthusiasm," Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society, Gamma Chapter, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA.
- 1989 Awarded National Research Service Award, Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, National Institutes of Health, Center for Nursing Research.
- 1988 Awarded Finkbine Distinguished Student Leader Certificate, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA.
- 1988 Graduate Nominee for Hancher-Finkbine Medallion from the College of Nursing, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA (not awarded).
- 1987 Inducted into Sigma Theta Tau, National Honor Society for Nursing, Gamma Chapter, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA.
- 1983 Inducted into University of Dubuque Nursing Honor Society.
- 1980 Awarded Rotary Foundation Fellowship for graduate study abroad, Rotary International, sponsored by Rotary District #6420.
- 1977 Awarded Sandman Memorial Scholarship, Northern Illinois Lung Association, Rockford, IL.

Professional Consultation/Presentations (abbreviated):

- Invited Speaker Central Veterinary Conference. Developing healthy pet and people communities (Part 1): One Health in daily veterinary practice, (Part 2): The shared problems of people and animals, (Part 3): Promoting healthy interactions on both ends of the leash. This conference occurs in three locations: Washington, DC (May, 2013), Kansas City, MO (August, 2013), and San Diego, CA (October, 2013).
- Invited Speaker Teikyu University College of Veterinary Medicine, Tokyo, Japan. *TigerPlace: A unique setting for aging in place with companion animals.* January, 2012.
- Special Adviser Japan Human Animal Nature Bond Society (J-HANBS). 2010-present.
- Invited Speaker Tokyo University College of Veterinary Medicine, Tokyo, Japan. *Walk a hound, lose a pound research program.* December, 2011.
- Invited Speaker Azabu University College of Veterinary Medicine, Tokyo, Japan. *Health benefits of dog walking.* December, 2011.
- Invited Speaker Agder University, Faculty of Health and Sport Sciences, *Challenges of conducting intervention research.* Grimstad, Norway. September, 2011.
- Invited Speaker Norway Animal Assisted Therapy Association, *Human animal interaction research and the International Association of Human Animal Interaction Organizations.* Grimstad, Norway. September, 2011.
- Invited Speaker West Central Missouri Veterinary Medical Association. *The client animal-veterinarian bond: Imperative for health.* Concordia, MO. July, 2011.
- Invited Speaker Columbia Veterans Center. *Mutual enrichment: Veterans training shelter dogs."*

- Columbia, MO. June, 2011.
- Invited Speaker MU College of Veterinary Medicine Open House. *Veterans and shelter dogs: Helping each other, healing together*. Columbia, MO. April, 2011.
- Invited Speaker MO Adult Day Services Association Annual Meeting. *Human animal interaction: Health for both ends of the leash*. Lake Ozark, MO. April, 2011.
- Invited Speaker Senior Teacher Educator Partnerships (STEP) Program. *How animals can help people: The case for dog walking*. University of MO, Columbia, MO. April, 2011.
- Invited Speaker Missouri National Guard. *Human-animal interaction, health and mutual enrichment: Veterans training shelter dogs*. Jefferson City, MO. March, 2011.
- Invited Speaker Pet Food Institute Annual Symposium. *Human-animal interaction and wellness*. Azabu University, Tokyo, Japan. November, 2010.
- Invited Speaker Pet Food Institute Annual Symposium. *Health benefits of dog walking*. Tokyo University, Tokyo, Japan. November, 2010.
- Invited Speaker Rotary International, Annual MO District Conference. *My Rotary ambassadorial scholarship: Changing lives, forging directions*. Columbia, MO. October, 2010.
- Invited Speaker Kansas State University Public Health Program. *One health: Human companion animal interaction*. Wichita, KS. August, 2010.
- Invited Speaker Sigma Theta Tau Alpha Iota Chapter annual meeting lecture. *Human-companion animal interaction: Health for both ends of the leash*. University of Missouri, Sinclair School of Nursing, Columbia, MO. April, 2010.
- Invited Speaker MU College of Veterinary Medicine Open House. *Research Center for Human Animal Interaction: Benefitting Both Ends of the Leash*. Columbia, MO April, 2010.
- Invited Speaker Sigma Theta Tau induction ceremony lecture. *Human-companion animal interaction: Health for both ends of the leash*. Truman State University School of Nursing, Kirksville, MO. October, 2009.
- Invited Speaker Senior Teacher Educator Partnerships (STEP) Program. *Human animal interaction and successful aging*. University of MO, Columbia, MO. March, 2008.
- Invited speaker Learning in Retirement. *Companion animal interaction and successful aging*. Jefferson City, MO. March, 2008.
- Guest Lecture University of Missouri, School of Nursing, *Human companion animal research*. Columbia, MO. January, 2008.
- Invited speaker Missouri Veterinary Medical Association, *Online training & certification for pet visitation: How MO veterinarians can help*. Branson, MO. January, 2008.
- Invited Keynote Speaker Pets for Life, Annual Awards Banquet, *Pets and people: Research on how furry friends help our health*. Kansas City, KS. March, 2006.
- Invited Speaker Columbia Kiwanis Club, *Health Benefits of Human-Animal Interaction*. April, 2006.
- Guest Lecture University of Missouri, School of Nursing, N390 *Neuroendocrine effects of human-companion animal interaction*,. February, 2006.
- Invited Speaker Rotary Club, *Pets and people: Research on how furry friends help our health*. Columbia, MO. December, 2005.
- Guest Lecture University of Missouri, School of Nursing, N390 *Neuroendocrine effects of human-companion animal interaction*. October, 2005.
- Invited Speaker University of Missouri-Columbia, Libraries Faculty Lecture Series. Columbia, MO. October, 2005.
- Abstract Reviewer International Association of Anthrozoologists, April, 2005.
- Guest Lecture University of Missouri, School of Medicine, STEP program *The therapeutic value of pet ownership*. January, 2005
- Guest Lecture University of Missouri, School of Nursing, N390 *Biophysiological indicators in nursing research*. March, 2004.

Guest Lecture	University of Missouri, School of Nursing, N96 <i>Neuroendocrine effects of human-companion animal interaction</i> . February 2004.
Invited Speaker	University of Missouri Sinclair School of Nursing Annual Gerontological Nursing Conference, <i>Walking for healthy hearts, the Dog Walk Program</i> . December, 2003.
Invited Speaker	University of Missouri Alumni Association, <i>Walking for healthy hearts, the Dog Walk Program</i> . October, 2003.
Guest Lecture	University of Missouri, School of Nursing, N390 <i>Neuroendocrine effects of human-companion animal interaction</i> . October, 2003.
Invited Speaker	University of Missouri – Columbia, Department of Community & Family Medicine Seminar, <i>Human-animal interaction, health, & wellness</i> . September, 2003.
Invited Speaker	Cosmopolitan Club, Columbia, MO, <i>Pets, health, & the elderly</i> . Sept. 2003.
Guest Lecture	University of Missouri, Fast Track minority students group, <i>Health benefits of human-companion animal interaction</i> . July, 2003.
Guest Lecture	Undergraduate Research Class. Winona State University, Rochester, MN, <i>Research on human-companion animal interaction</i> . April, 2003.
Guest Lecture	Graduate Research Class. Winona State University, Rochester, MN, <i>Critical issues in conducting biophysiological research</i> . April, 2003.
Guest Lecture	University of Missouri, School of Nursing, N496 “ <i>Critical issues in conducting biophysiological research</i> ”. March, 2003.
Invited Speaker	Pet Assisted Love & Support (PALS) group, Columbia, MO, <i>Latino elders, pets, and health</i> . March, 2003.
Guest Lecture	University of Missouri, School of Nursing, N96 <i>Neuroendocrine effects of human-companion animal interaction</i> . February, 2003.
Invited Speaker	Kings Daughters Organization, Columbia, MO. <i>Pets, health and the elderly</i> . December, 2002.
Invited Task Force Member	Delta Society, Seattle, WA, Development of symposium on the health benefits of the Human Animal Bond for the Western States Veterinary Convention, May, 2001.
Invited Speaker	Senior Services of Boone County, Columbia, MO, <i>Pets, health, and the elderly</i> . October, 2000.
Invited Speaker	University of Missouri, Jefferson Club Back to Classes, <i>Pets, health, and the elderly</i> . October, 2000 & 2001.
Invited Speaker	Rock Valley College Alumni Hall of Fame Induction Speech, <i>Animal assisted activity and anxiety among radiation therapy patients</i> . February, 2001
Invited Speaker	University of Missouri Hospitals and Clinics, Nurses Day Celebration, <i>Animal assisted activity and anxiety among radiation therapy patients</i> . May, 2000.
Poster Reviewer	Midwest Nursing Research Society, Graduate Student Poster Award Reviewer, 1997-2000.
Collateral Reviewer	Sigma Theta Tau International, biennial meeting abstract and research grant reviewer, 1996-present.
Grant Reviewer	MUC. School of Health Professions, Thompson Center for Autism Research, 2005-present.
Editorial Review Board	<i>Anthrozoös</i> , 2008-present.
Editorial Review Board	<i>The Gerontologist</i> , 1999-2009.
Editorial Review Board	<i>Journal of Gerontological Nursing</i> , 1999-2009.
Editorial Review Board	<i>Journal of Nursing Scholarship</i> , 1996-present.
Editorial Review Board	<i>Journal of Nursing Science</i> , 1995-1998.

D. UNIVERSITY SERVICE (Abbreviated to include MU only):

University of Missouri

University of Missouri Press Advisory Board

2012-present

Campus Faculty Committee on Tenure (Alternate member)	2011- present
MU Chancellor's Commission on Veterans Affairs	2011- present
Mizzou Advantage One Health Advisory Board	2010- present
Faculty Council Representative for Sinclair School of Nursing	2009- present
Diversity Affairs Committee	2009- present
Faculty Development Advisory Committee (Chair)	2006-2009
William H. Byler Award Selection Committee	2006, 2012
MU Center of Excellence on Aging Director Search Committee (Chair)	2004- 2005
MU Chancellor Brady Deaton's Special Advisory Group	2005- present
MU Campus Development Campaign Leadership Team	2005- 2009
Faculty Development Advisory Committee	2003- 2009
Ad Hoc Organizing Committee for Life Sciences Week	2003
Health Science Center Institutional Review Board	2000-2001
Comprehensive Cancer Center, Complementary Therapies Group	1999-2000
Life Sciences Mission Enhancement Committee	1999-2001

University of Missouri Sinclair School of Nursing

Executive Committee, Member	2008-present
Policy Committee, Faculty Council Representative	2009-present
Policy Committee, Chair	2006- 2009
Faculty Assembly, Chair	2006- 2009
Faculty Search Committees	2004-2007
Policy Committee (Member as MS Curriculum Chair)	2002-2006
Development Steering Committee	2003-2005
Masters Curriculum Committee (Chair 2003-2006)	2002-2006
Appointment, Retention, Promotion & Tenure Committee	2002-2004
Promotion and Tenure Policy Ad Hoc Task Force	2001-2002
Doctoral Program Committee	2000-2001
Student Admission & Progression Committee	1999-2000

University of Missouri College of Veterinary Medicine

Strategic Planning Veterinary Medical Education Committee	2011-2012
Doctoral Faculty Review Committee	2009-2011

E. TEACHING ACTIVITIES (Abbreviated to include MU only)

Courses Taught:

University of Missouri Research Center for Human Animal Interaction

Fall 2013	Psych 2830: Human-Companion Animal Interaction	3 credits	82 students
Fall 2012	Psych 2830: Human-Companion Animal Interaction	3 credits	88 students
Fall, 2011	Psych 2830: Human-Companion Animal Interaction	3 credits	97 students
Fall, 2010	Psych 2830: Human-Companion Animal Interaction	3 credits	95 students
Fall, 2009	Psych 2830: Human-Companion Animal Interaction	3 credits	42 students
Spring, 2009	Psych 2830: Human-Companion Animal Interaction	3 credits	67 students
Fall, 2008	Psych 2003: Human-Companion Animal Interaction	3 credits	68 students
Spring, 2008	Psych 4001: Human-Companion Animal Interaction	3 credits	16 students

University of Missouri Sinclair School of Nursing

Fall, 2012	N9090: Research in Nursing--dissertation	3 credits	2 students
	N8085: Problems Course: Human An. Interaction	3 credits	3 students
Summer, 2012	N9090: Research in Nursing--dissertation	3 credits	2 students
	N8085: Problems Course: Human An. Interaction	3 credits	3 students

Spring, 2012	N9090: Research in Nursing--dissertation	3 credits	2 students
	N8085: Problems Course: Human An. Interaction	3 credits	3 students
Fall, 2011	N9410: Advanced Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	13 students
Summer, 2011	N8910: Translational Evidence Based Practice in Nursing	3 credits	21 students
	N8085: Problems Course: Nursing Theories	3 credits	1 student
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Spring, 2011	N7150: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	28 students
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Fall, 2010	N7100: Theoretical Basis for Advanced Nursing	3 credits	25 students
	N8085: Problems Course	3 credits	1 student
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Summer, 2010	N8910: Evidence Based Practice in Nursing	3 credits	13 students
	N8085: Problems Course	3 credits	2 students
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Spring, 2010	N3820: Gerontological Nursing	3 credits	17 students
Fall, 2009	N7150: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	24 students
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Summer, 2009	N8910: Evidence Based Practice in Nursing	3 credits	18 students
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Spring, 2009	N8085: Problems Course	3 credits	1 student
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Fall, 2008	N3350: Problems Course	2 credits	1 student
	N8085: Problems Course	3 credits	1 student
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Spring, 2008	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Fall, 2007	N3350: Problems Course	2 credits	1 student
	N9090: Research in Nursing	3 credits	1 student
Winter, 2007	N7150: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	24 students
Fall, 2006	N9410: Advanced Quantitative Research Methods	3 credits	6 students
Summer, 2006	N7150: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	20 students
Summer, 2006	N9410: Advanced Quantitative Research Methods	3 credits	1 student
Summer, 2006	N9000: Problems Course	3 credits	1 student
Summer, 2006	N9900: Doctoral Dissertation Research	3 credits	1 student
Winter, 2006	N9520: Health Restorations	3 credits	6 students
Winter, 2006	N9900: Doctoral Dissertation Research	3 credits	1 student
Fall, 2006	N9900: Doctoral Dissertation Research	3 credits	1 student
Fall, 2006	N9000: Problems Course	3 credits	1 student
Fall, 2006	N9410: Advanced Quantitative Research Methods	3 credits	5 students
Summer, 2006	N9710: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	22 students
Fall, 2005	N9710: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	26 students
Winter, 2005	N 9410: Advanced Quantitative Research Methods	3 credits	4 students
Winter, 2005	N 400: Problems Course	3 credits	2 students
Winter, 2005	N 400: Problems Course	1 credit	1 student
Fall, 2004	N485: Health Restoration	3 credits	1 student
Winter, 2004	N491: Advanced Quantitative Research Methods	3 credits	10 students
Winter, 2004	N470: Masters Research Practicum	3 credits	1 student
Winter, 2004	N300: Problems Course	3 credits	1 student
Fall, 2003	N300: Problems Course	3 credits	1 student
Summer, 2003	N300: Problems Course	3 credits	1 student
2003-present	N486: Doctoral Research Practicum	3 credits	2 students
2003-present	N490: Doctoral Dissertation Research	3 credits	1 student
Summer, 2003	N486: Doctoral Research Practicum	3 credits	2 students

2002-2003	N490: Doctoral Dissertation Research	3 credits	1 student
2002-2004	N490: Doctoral Dissertation Research	3 credits	1 student
Fall, 2000	N390: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	8 students
Winter, 2000	N390: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	15 students
Fall, 1999	N390: Research Methods in Nursing	3 credits	15 students

Dissertation & Thesis Committees (Abbreviated to include since 1999 only):

- Mariya Couch. Doctoral advisor. University of Missouri-Columbia. Sinclair School of Nursing. Committee Chair, 2013-present.
- Rebecca Goeking. Third reader. DNP capstone project. University of Missouri. Sinclair School of Nursing. 2012-present.
- Gretchen Carlisle. *Pet dog ownership in families of children with Autism: Children's social skills and attachment to their dogs.* Doctoral advisor. University of Missouri. Sinclair School of Nursing. Committee Chair, 2010-2012.
- Debbie Manne. Doctoral advisor. University of Missouri. Sinclair School of Nursing. Committee Chair, 2011-present.
- Lynne Stark. Doctoral advisor. University of Missouri. Sinclair School of Nursing. Committee Chair, 2012-present.
- Francesca Tocco. Doctoral advisor. University of Missouri. Sinclair School of Nursing. Committee Co-Chair, 2013-present.
- Francesca Tocco. Doctoral co-advisor. University of Missouri. School of Social Work. Committee Co-Chair, 2010-2013.
- Jessica Bibbo. Doctoral committee member. Department of Human Development and Family Science. University of Missouri. Committee member, 2010-present.
- Pamela Evans-Smith. Doctoral advisor. University of Missouri. Sinclair School of Nursing. Committee Chair, 2004-present.
- Elsebeth Kroger. Doctoral dissertation committee member. University of Agder, Faculty of Health and Sport Sciences. Grimstad, Norway, 2010-present.
- Linda Handlin. *Human-human and human-animal interaction: Some common physiological and psychological effects.* Opponent (external examiner of PhD). Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Science Department of Animal Environment and Health. Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Skara, Sweden. January, 2011.
- Susan Shea. *Effects of a dog-walking program with older adults in long-term care.* Doctoral dissertation committee member. University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Nursing. 2009-2011.
- Jessica Bibbo. *The effects of an animal-assisted intervention on the perception of health care received of cancer patients and their caregivers.* Master's thesis committee member. Department of Psychology, California State University, Chico, CA, 2009-2011.
- Lauren Prosser. *Companion animal visitation and its effectiveness with stroke patients.* External examiner-PhD. Deakin University, Research Services Division, Waurin Ponds, Victoria, Australia. 2008-2009.
- Keri Black. *Exploring adolescent loneliness and companion animal attachment.* Doctoral dissertation committee member. University of New Mexico. 2006-2010.
- Tina Bloom. Doctoral committee member. Walden University. 2006-present.
- Shari Kist. *Correlates of pet-keeping in residence halls on college student adjustment at a small, private, Midwestern college.* Doctoral advisor. University of Missouri. Committee Chair, 2004-2009.
- Shari Kist. Doctoral research practicum. University of Missouri. 2005.
- Pamela Evans-Smith. Doctoral research practicum. University of Missouri. 2005.
- Lori Popejoy. *Hospital discharge destination decisions: How frail elders, their family members and health care teams make decisions.* Doctoral advisor. University of Missouri. Committee Chair, 2002-2007.
- Lori Popejoy. Doctoral research practicum. University of Missouri. 2003.
- Sue Lasiter. Doctoral committee member. University of Missouri. 2003-2008.
- Wanda Horn. *The human animal bond.* Second reader. Masters paper. University of Missouri. 2004.

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