

## **Von Eugene Nebbitt, MSW, Ph.D.**

### **Curriculum Vitae**

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### **Research Interests**

Broadly speaking my research explores the various ways in which housing (i.e., the subjective appraisal of the lived environment) matters to the health and well-being of African American adolescents and emerging adults. This research agenda seeks to advance knowledge on the positive and negative effects of living in urban public housing developments on the psychological functioning, health-risk behaviors and physical health of African American adolescents and emerging adults who lives in these communities. This research also seeks to inform practice by assessing how, or whether, various protective factors such as self-efficacy, parental monitoring, civic participation and community cohesion are directly and indirectly related to adolescents' health and wellbeing.

In addition to my work in public housing, I am interested in the various paths that incarcerated parents with dependent children must take as they attempt to reenter society and resume their role as parents. Specifically, this research seeks to advance knowledge on how a state's policy position on whether to ban or not to ban individuals convicted of a felony drug charge from receiving public assistance (i.e., SNAP, TANF & Public Housing) is related to health-risk behaviors, sex-risk behaviors and food insecurity in the parent returning home and her dependent children.

### **Education**

August 2005: *Ph.D.*

Brown School of Social Work & Public Health, Washington University in St. Louis  
Campus Box 1196, One Brookings Drive, St. Louis, Missouri 63130-4899

August 1999: *MSW*

Brown School of Social Work & Public Health, Washington University in St. Louis  
Campus Box 1196, One Brookings Drive, St. Louis, Missouri 63130-4899

January 1997: *BA (Fine Art & Sociology)*

St. Louis University, 221 North Grand, St. Louis, Missouri 63103

### **Academic Appointments**

July 2022 – current, Full Professor & Director, (*promoted awarded tenure*), *University of*

*Nebraska – Omaha*, Grace Abbott School of Social Work, College of Public Affairs and Community Service, University of Nebraska - Omaha

July 2016 – June 2022, Associate Professor (*awarded tenure*) – *Washington University in St. Louis*, The Brown School of Social Work and Public Health, St. Louis, MO 63130,

August 2010 – May 2016, Associate Professor (*promoted awarded tenure*) – *University of Illinois at Chicago*, Jane Addams College of Social Work, Chicago, IL 60607-7134

August 2005 – May 2010, Assistant Professor – *Howard University* School of Social Work, Washington, DC 20002

### **Research Experience**

May 1999 – August 2004: **Research Associate** - Outcomes for Runaway/Homeless Youth. PI. David Pollio, PhD; George Warren Brown School of Social Work at Washington University in St. Louis.

September 2004 – August 2005: **Dissertation Study** – Overcoming the Odds: Resilient Functioning among African American Youth in St. Louis Public Housing, George Warren Brown School of Social Work at Washington University in St. Louis

August 2006 – May 2007: **Research Mentor** – Yale / Howard P20 Office of Nursing Research Howard University. PI - Coralease Ruff, RN, PhD, Howard University, Washington, DC

August 2006 – May 2007: **Principal Investigator** – Context Matters: Exposure to Community and Domestic Violence and Adolescents' Mental and Behavior Health in Washington, DC Pubic Housing, Howard University, Washington, DC

June 2007 – July 2009: **Principal Investigator** – Context Matters: Exposure to Community Hazards and Violence and Adolescents' Mental Health and Health-risk Behavior in Philadelphia and New York City Pubic Housing, Howard University, Washington, DC

August 2007 – 2009: **Program Evaluator** – Develop Instrument, protocol and conduct data analysis to evaluate the effectiveness of the African American Male Empowerment Network

June 2009 – July 2011: **Principal Investigator** – Adolescent Adjustment Within the Context of Urban Public Housing Developments: Implications to Social Work Knowledge and Practice, Howard University, Washington, DC

### **Internally Funded Research**

June 2007 – June 2008: **University Sponsored Faculty Research Program in the Social Sciences, Principal Investigator** – “Context Matters: Exposure to Community and Domestic Violence and Adolescents’ Mental and Behavior Health in Washington, DC Public Housing” The purpose of this study was to examine the effects of exposure to community and domestic violence on adolescents’ behavioral health (substance abuse, sex and delinquency). The study also assessed the protective effects of parents, family and community social cohesion.

June 2007 – June 2009: **Faculty Research Development Award, Principal Investigator** – “Context Matters: Exposure to Community Hazards and Violence and Adolescents’ Mental Health and Health-risk Behavior in Philadelphia and New York City Public Housing.” The purpose of this study is to assess how the subjective experience of living in urban public housing neighborhoods influences the expression of depression and anxiety in African American and Latino adolescents. The study also assessed the moderating effects of family functioning, social cohesion and social support networks within urban public housing neighborhoods.

### **Externally Funded Research**

August 2006 (**Discussed, Not Funded**) **National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparity (NCMHD)**, Health Disparity Research Loan Repayment Program. **Principal Investigator.**

February 2008 – February 2012: **National Institute of Drug Abuse (NIDA)(P20):** Minority Institution Drug Abuse Research Program. **Principal Investigator of Primary Pilot Study** – “Drug Use and HIV/AIDS risk behavior in the Surviving Siblings of Murdered Children.” The purpose of this study is to examine how the loss of a sibling to murder impacts the substance use and risk for STD’s including HIV/AIDS in surviving siblings.

August 2008 – July 2016: **National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparity (NCMHD)**, Health Disparity Research Loan Repayment Program. **Principal Investigator.** This is a mentored research training grant, which repays student loans for conducting research on health disparities in minority populations. The study focuses on how the perceived environment influences African American youths’ substance use and depressive symptoms within the context of public neighborhoods.

June 2009 – July 2011: **The Silberman Foundation’s** Faculty Research Grant. **Principal**

**Investigator.** This is a two-year award to expand to build upon an internally funded study – Context Matters – by including an additional research site and by including biomarkers in this study.

March 2011 – February 2014: **The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation's**, “How Housing Matters to Families & Communities.” **Principal Investigator.**

This proposed study assesses how the experience of losing one’s home to foreclosure and moving into the renter’s market impact adolescents’ adjustment (e.g., mental health and health-risk behavior in DC).

March 2016 - December 2016: RFI from **RISE for Boys and Men of Color**, Co-Principal Investigator. Criminal Justice and Mental Health Interventions and Promising Practices for Black Boys and Men: to conduct a Synthesis of the Literature and Exploration of Stakeholders Perspectives.

November 2016 - Not Funded: **Center for Disease Control and Prevention**, Chronic Disease Prevention, Center for the Study of Per-Diabetes and Diabetes Prevention. Nebbitt-PI and lead investigator for the Natural Experiment: Redevelopment, Public Housing and the Patterns & Prevalence of Prediabetes among Families in HOPE VI Developments: Assessing the Effects of Housing Configuration on

August 2018 - Not Funded: **National Institute of Justice**, State Bans of Public Assistance for Convicted Drug Felons: Assessing the Effects of Banning Drug Felons from Public Assistance on Household Food Insecurity, Health-risk Behaviors and Mental Health among parents and their adolescent children,

March 2019 - Full Proposal not invited for review: **Russell Sage Foundation**, Natural Experiment - To What Extent Does a State Ban of Public Assistance Influence Re-offending and Sex-risk Behaviors in Missouri.

November 2019 - Not Funded: **Robert WoodJohnson Foundation**: Culture of Health Leadership Program. Nebbitt-PI from Washington University. Intervention Strategies to Assess, Understand and Prevent Health-risk Behaviors, Mental Health and Food Insecurities among Families lead by Parents with Felony Drug Conviction

April 2021 - Full Proposal not invited for review: **William T. Grant Foundation**, Natural Experiment to Assess if, or to what extent, a State’s Policy of Public Assistance for a Felony Drug Conviction Influence Re-offending and Sex-risk Behaviors in Missouri vs. Massachusetts

### **Practice Experiences**

January 2000 – May 2005: Director – *Cochran Community Center*

St. Louis Housing Authority, 4100 Lindell, St. Louis, Missouri 63106  
I managed a community and childcare center located within a large public housing development. My role entailed: 1) fiscal management (e.g., annual budget of approximately \$500,000); 2) facility management (e.g., obtaining annual inspections); 3) supervise approximately 7 youth workers; and 4) oversee the contractor responsible for running the childcare center.

January 1998 – December 1999: *Youth Program Coordinator*

St. Louis Housing Authority, 4100 Lindell, St. Louis, Missouri 63106  
I was responsible for bringing children and youth programs into public housing developments city-wide.

October 1995 – December 1997: *Youth Specialist & Service Coordinator*

Missouri Division of Youth Service, 111 No. 7<sup>th</sup> St., St. Louis, Missouri 63101. As youth specialist, my role entailed conducting group therapy and group education with youth in residential state facilities. As service coordinator, I worked on a federally funded delinquency prevention intervention titled “Safe Futures.”

## **Publications**

### **Peer Reviewed Book(s)**

1. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, (2015). Adolescents in Public Housing: Addressing Psychological and Behavioral Health. Columbia University Press: New York, NY.
2. Lombe, M. & **Nebbitt, V. E.**, (forthcoming Summer, 2024). An Assessment of How State Bans on Public Assistance Violate the Human Rights of Children with Criminal Justice Involved Parents. Oxford University Press, New York, NY

### **Peer Reviewed Journal Articles**

1. Thompson, S.J., Pollio, D.E., Constantine, J., Reid, D., **Nebbitt, V. E.** (2002). Short-term outcomes for youths receiving runaway homeless shelter services. Research on Social Work Practice, *12*(5), 589-603
2. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, House, L., Thompson, S., & Pollio, D. (2006). Successful Transition of Runaway and Homeless Youth from Shelter Care. Journal of Child and Family Studies, *16*(4), 545-555
3. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, & Lombe, M. (2007). Environmental Correlates of Depressive Symptoms among African American Adolescents Living in Public Housing. Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment, Special Issue on African American Perspectives. *15*(2/3), 435 -454

4. Williams, J. H., Davis, L. E., Johnson, S., Williams, T., Saunders, J., & **Nebbitt, V. E.** (2007). The Relation of Substance Use Correlates to Academic Success among African American High School Students. *Social Work Research*, 31(3), 151-160
5. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M. & Lindsey, M. (2007). Perceived Parental Behavior and Peer Affiliations among Urban African American Adolescents, *Social Work Research*, 31(3) 161-169
6. Lombe, M. **Nebbitt, V.** and Burllein, J. (2007). Perceived effect of participation in an asset-building program on construction of future possibilities. *Families in Society: Journal of Contemporary Social Services*, 88(3), 463-471.
7. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M. L. & Williams, J. H. (2008). Assessing the Moderating Effects of Anxiety Sensitivity on Antisocial Behavior among Urban African American Youth. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, 19, 277-293
8. **Nebbitt, V. E.** & Lombe, M. (2008). Assessing the Moderating Effects of Depressive Symptoms among Urban Youth in Public Housing, *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal*, 2 (5), 409-424
9. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, (2009). Self-Efficacy in Urban African American Male Adolescents, *Journal of Black Psychology*, 35(3), 295-316
10. **Nebbitt, V. E.** & Lambart, S. F. (2009). Environmental Correlates of Anxiety Sensitivity among Urban African American Adolescents Living in Public Housing. *Journal of Community Psychology*, 37(2), 268-280
11. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M., LePoint, V., & Bryant, D. (2009). Individual and social correlates of academic performance among urban African American youth, *Journal of Negro Education*, Winter, 78(1), 29-41
12. Lombe, M., ManSoo, Y., & **Nebbitt, V.** (2009). Assessing Effects of Food Stamp Program Participation on Food Security in Female-headed Households: Do Informal Supports Matter? *Journal of Policy Practice*. 8(4), 301-316.
13. Lombe, M., **Nebbitt, V. E.**, & Mapson, A. (2009). Correlates of Self-efficacy in African American Adolescent Females Living in Public Housing, *Families in Society: The Journal of Contemporary Social Services, Special Issue on the Working Poor*. 90(4), 353-358

14. Lombe, M., ManSoo, Y., & **Nebbitt, V.** (2009). Assessing Effects of Food Stamp Program Participation on Child Food Sufficiency in Female-headed Households: Do Informal Supports Matter?, Families in Society: The Journal of Contemporary Social Services, 90(4), 447-453
16. Williams, J., H., Van Dorn, R., A., Bright, C., L., Jonson-Reid, M., & **Nebbitt, V. E.** (2010). Child Maltreatment and Delinquency onset among African American Adolescents Males, Research on Social Work Practice, 20(3), 253-259
17. ManSoo, Y., Lombe, M., & **Nebbitt, V.** (2010). Food Stamp Program Participation, Informal Supports, Household Food Security and Child Food Security: A Comparison of African American and Caucasian Households in Poverty, Children and Youth Services Review, 32, 767–773.
18. **Nebbitt, V. E.** & Lombe, M. (2010). Urban African American Adolescent and Adulthood, Families in Society: The Journal of Contemporary Social Services, 91(4), 234 - 240
19. Lindsey, M. A., Joe, S., & **Nebbitt, V. E.** (2010). Family Matters: The Role of Mental Health Stigma and Social Support on Depressive Symptoms and Subsequent Help-seeking among African American Boys, Journal of Black Psychology, 36(4), 458-482
20. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Tyuse, S. W., Vaughn, M. G., & Perron, B. E., (2010). Conceptual Tools for Research on Race and Social Problems: An Overview of Dynamic Theory and Model Development, Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment, 20(7), 909-923.
21. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M., Sanders-Phillips, K. & Stokes, C. (2010). Correlates of age at onset of sexual intercourse in African American adolescents living in urban public housing. Journal of Healthcare for the Poor and Underserved, 21(4), 1263-1277
22. \_\_\_\_\_ Lombe, M., ManSoo, Y., **Nebbitt, V.**, & Earls, T. (2011). Understanding Alcohol Consumption and Its Correlates among African American Youth in Public Housing Development: A Test of Problem Behavior Theory. Social Work Research, 35(3), 173-182
23. \_\_\_\_\_ **Nebbitt, V.E.**, Lombe, M., Yu, Mansoo, Vaughn, M. G., & Stokes, C. (2012) Ecological correlates of substance use in African American adolescents living in public housing communities: Assessing the

moderating effects of social cohesion. Children and Youth Services Review, 34(2), 338-347.

24. \_\_\_\_\_ Yu, M., **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M., Pitner, R.O., & Salas-Wright, C. (2012). Understanding tobacco use among urban African American youth living in public housing communities: A test of problem behavior theory, Addictive Behaviors, 37(8), 978-981
25. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M., Doyle, O, Vaughn, G. M. (2012) Modeling Variation in Paternal Encouragement and Monitoring Among African American Adolescents Living in Urban Public Housing: A Latent Profile Analytic Approach, Journal of African American Studies, 1-22, doi:10.1007/s12111-012-9214-5
26. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M. Yu, M., Tirmazi, T.M., & Allen, B. (2014). Individual and Peer Correlates of the Annual Frequency of Marijuana use among African American Adolescents living in U.S. Urban Public Housing Neighborhoods, Substance Use and Misuse, 49(1-2), 41-50.
27. **Nebbitt, V.**, Tirmazi, T.M., Lombe, M., Cryer-Coupet, Q., & French S. (2014). Correlates of the Sex Trade among African-American Youth Living in Urban Public Housing: Assessing the Role of Parental Incarceration and Parental Substance Use. Journal of Urban Health, 91(2):383-93.
28. Sanders-Phillips, K., Kliwer, W., Tirmazi, T., Saadatmand, F., **Nebbitt, V.**, Carter, T, Crouse, D., & Key, H. (2014). Perceived Racial Discrimination, Drug Use, and Psychological Distress in African American Youth: A Pathway to Child Health Disparities. Journal of Social Issues, 70(2), pp. 279 – 297.
29. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M., Salas-Wright, C. P., & Cryer-Couplet, Q. (2014). Individual And Ecological Correlates of Attitudes Toward Help Seeking Among African American Adolescents in Urban Public Housing. Families in Society: The Journal of Contemporary Human Services, 95(1), 67–75.
30. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Williams, J. H., Lombe, M., McCoy, H. & Stephen, J. (2014). Descriptive Analysis of Individual and Community Factors among African American Youth in Urban Public Housing, Social Work, 59(3), 231-241.
31. \_\_\_\_\_ **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe. M., McKay, S., Sinha, A. & Stephen, J. (2014) Correlates of academic performance among school-age African American males in public housing, Children and Youth Services Review, 44, 65 – 71
32. \_\_\_\_\_ Salas-Wright, C.P., Tirmazi, T.M., Lombe, M., & **Nebbitt, V.E.** (2015). Religiosity and antisocial behavior: Evidence from young African-American women in public housing communities. Social Work Research, 39(2), 82-93.



33. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M., Cryer-Couplet, Q. & Stephens, J. K. (2015). Peers' influence and African American youth in public housing. Journal of Children and Poverty. 21:1, 1-15, DOI: 10.1080/10796126.2015.1006591
34. Doyle, O., Clark, T. T., Cryer-Couplet, Q., **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Goldston, D. B., Estroff, S. E., & Magan, I. (2015). Unheard Voices: African American Fathers Speak About Their Parenting Practices. Psychology of Men & Masculinity. 1;16(3):274-283. DOI: 10.1037/a0038730.
35. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, & Voisin, D. (2015) Correlates of Cumulative Sex-risk Behaviors in African American Youth living in Public Housing. Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities. pp 1-9  
First online: 14 July 2015. DOI: 10.1007/s40615-015-0143-6
36. Lombe, M., **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Sinha, A., & Reynolds, A. (2016). Examining effects of food security and food choices on health outcomes in households in poverty. Social Work in Health Care, 55:6, 440-460, DOI: 10.1080/00981389.2015.1133469.
37. Salas-Wright, C. P., Tirmazi, T., **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M. & Saltzman, L. (2016). Self-Efficacy, Religiosity, and Crime: Profiles of African American Youth in Urban Housing Communities, Victims & Offenders, 13(1):84-101. DOI: 10.1080/15564886.2016.1268986.
38. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M., Chu, Y., Sinha, A., & Tirmazi, T. (2016). Correlates of Food Security among Low-resource Young People: An Assessment of Community Protective Factors within Public Housing Neighborhoods, Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved, 27(3), 1126-42.
39. Doyle, O., Clark, T.T., Cryer-Couplet, Q., Lombe, M., Stephens, J. & **Nebbitt, V. E.** (2016). Paternal Typologies and Internalizing Behaviors in African American youth living in Urban Public Housing: A Discriminate Analysis across Empirically Identified Classes of Father. Family Process, 56(3), &52-765
40. Lombe, M., **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Chu, Y., Saltzman, L., & Tirmazi, T. (2016). Household Adversity and Food Security: The Case of Youth in Public Housing Neighborhoods, Journal of Children & Poverty, re-submitted March, 2016
41. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Voisin, D. & Tirmazi, T. M. (2016). Parental Incarceration and Early Onset of Sexual Intercourse in African American Youth living in Urban Public Housing. Journal of Urban Health.

42. Lombe, M., Saltzman, L. Y., Chu, Y., Sinha, A., & **Nebbitt, V. E.** (2017). Cumulative risk and resilience: The roles of comorbid maternal mental health conditions and community cohesion in influencing food security in low-income households. *Social Work in Mental Health*, 16(1), 74-92.
43. Lu, W., Lindsey, M. & **Nebbitt, V.** (2017). Psychometric Properties of the Center for Epidemiological Studies-Depression Scale (CES-D) among Black Adolescents in Public Housing. *The Journal of the Society of Social Work and Research*, 8(4), 595-620.
44. Lombe, M., Wang, K., Chu, Y. & **Nebbitt, V. E.** (2018). The impact of the Recession on Food Insecurity among Low-income Households: Findings from the 2005-2014 National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey. *Journal of Poverty*, 22(5), 437-453
45. **Nebbitt, V.**, Von, Margaret Lombe, Kyle A. Pitzer, Andrew Foell, Ngozi Enelamah, Yoosun Chu, Mansoo Yu, Chrisann Newransky, & Noni Gaylord-Harden (2020). Exposure to violence and posttraumatic stress among youth in public housing: Do community, family, and peers matter? *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities* 8, 264–274
46. Lombe, M., **Nebbitt, V.**, Amano, T, Enelamah, N., & Newransky, C. (in print). Maternal Caregiver's Typologies and Internalized Behaviors in African American Adolescents Living in Urban Public Housing. *Journal of Community Psychology*. <https://doi.org/10.1002/jcop.22493>
47. **Nebbitt, V.**, Lombe, M., Enelamah, N., Chu, Y., Newransky, C., Amano, T. & Walden, N. (in print). Maternal Typologies and Community Exposures among African American Youth in Public Housing. *Family Relations*
48. Andrew Foell, Kyle A. Pitzer, **Nebbitt, V.**, Von, Margaret Lombe, Ngozi Enelamah, Yoosun Chu, Mansoo Yu, & Chrisann Newransky, (in print). Exposure to violence and depressive symptoms among youth in public housing. *Health & Place*
49. Quinn, C., Beer, O.W.J., Boyd, D.T., Tirmazi, T., **Nebbitt, V.**, & Joe. S. (in press). An Assessment of the Role of Parental Incarceration and Substance Misuse in Suicidal Planning of African American Youth and Young Adults. *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities*.
50. Villodas, M.L.\*, Nebbit, V., Yu, M., Lombe, M., Foell, A.\*, McCoy, H., & Enelamah, N.V.\* (in-press). Assessing the modified neighborhood cohesion index among African American adolescents living in public housing: An exploratory and confirmatory factor analysis. *Journal Society for Social Work Research*.  
<https://www.journals.uchicago.edu/doi/10.1086/716084>

## Book Chapters

1. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, & Lombe, M. (2007). Correlates of Depression among Urban African American Youth. In J. Hall & S. Bowie (Eds.), African American Behavior in the Social Environment: New Perspectives. Hawthorn Publishing Company: New York, NY
2. Lindsey, M.A. & **Nebbitt, V. E.** (2007). "African American Youth." In, C. Clauss-Ehlers (Ed.), Encyclopedia of Cross-Cultural Psychology. Springer Publishing Company: New York, NY.
3. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Mapson, A. & Robinson, A. (2011). Factor Structure and Expression of Depressive Symptoms in a Community Sample of African American Adolescents living in Urban Public Housing. In A. Lemelle, W. Reed, & S. Taylor (Eds.), Handbook of African American Health: Social and Behavioral Interventions. Springer Publishing Company: New York, NY.
4. Lombe, M., **Nebbitt, V. E.**, Yu, M., Reynolds, A. & Sinha, A. (2015). Examining food security among children in households participating in The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP): Implications for human rights. In S. N. Haymes, M. V. Naymes & R. J. Miller (Eds.) The Handbook on Poverty in the United States. Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group, New York, NY.
5. Wells-Wilburn, R., **Nebbitt, V. E.**, & Lombe, M. (2015). Youth Violence—An Overview: Prevalence and Intervention Strategies to Address Violence Among Urban African American Youth. In R. Wells-Wilbon, A. R. McPhatter, & H. F. O. Vakalahi (Eds.) Social Work Practice With African Americans in Urban Environments. Springer Publishing Company: New York, NY.

## Book Reviews

1. **Nebbitt, V. E.**, & Liu, M. (2012). Divergent Social Worlds Neighborhood Crime and the Racial–Spatial Divide, by Peterson, R. D. & Krivo, L. J., Journal of Community Practice, 20:4, 505-508

## Papers Under Review

1. Pitzer, K. A., Foell, A., **Nebbitt, V.**, Lombe M., Enelamah, N., Chu, Y., Mansoo Yu, & Newransky, C. (under review). Exposure to violence and

anxiety sensitivity among youth in public housing. Journal of Community Psychology.

2. Villodas, M., Nebbitt, V., Lombe, M., Yu, M., McCoy, H., Foell, A., Enelamah, N. (under review). Assessing the Neighborhood Cohesion Index Among African American Adolescents Living in Public Housing: A Confirmatory Factor Analysis, Journal of Society of Social Work & Research.

### Conference Presentations

- Thompson, S. J., Pollio, D. E., Constantine, J., Reid, D., **Nebbitt, V. E.** (1999). Short-term Outcomes For Youth Receiving Runaway and Homeless Shelter Services. National Institute of Mental Health, St. Louis, Missouri
- Nebbitt, V. E.** (2003). Beating the Odds: Does Total Weeks Worked, Frequency of Hard-Drug Use, and Years of Education Foster Resilience Against Living in High-Risk Neighborhoods in Young Adulthood. Annual Conference of The Society on Social Work and Research, Washington D.C.
- Nebbitt, V. E.**, House, L., Thompson, S., & Pollio, D. (2003), Successful Transition of Runaway/Homeless Youth from Shelter Care, Annual Conference of The American Public Health Association, 2003: San Francisco, California
- Nebbitt, V. E.**, House, L., Thompson, S., & Pollio, D. (2004). Successful Transition of Runaway/Homeless Youth from Shelter Care, Annual Conference of The Society on Social Work and Research, 2004: New Orleans, LA
- Nebbitt, V. E.** (2005), Environment Correlates of Delinquent Behavior among African American Adolescents living in public housing, Annual Conference of the American Society of Criminology, November, 2005, Toronto, Canada
- Nebbitt, V. E.** (2005), Environmental Correlates of Depressive Symptoms among African American Adolescents living in public housing. Annual Conference of The American Public Health Association, December, 2005: Philadelphia, PA
- Nebbitt, V. E.** (2006), Environmental Correlates of Internalized Symptoms among African American Adolescents Living in Urban Public Housing Developments Annual Conference of The Society on Social Work and Research, January, 2006, San Antonio, TX
- Nebbitt, V. E.** (2007). Exposure to violence and depressive symptoms in African American youth. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, November, 2007, Washington, DC
- Nebbitt, V. E.**, Lombe, M., & Williams, J. H. (2007). Assessing the moderating effect of anxiety on antisocial behavior. Annual Conference of the American Society of Criminology, November, 2007, Atlanta, GA

**Nebbitt, V. E., & Lambert, S. (2008).** Correlates of Anxiety Sensitivity among Urban African American Youth. The Society on Social Work and Research. 2008: Washington, DC

**Nebbitt, V. E. (2009).** Exposure to Violence and Symptoms of Depression in African American Youth living in Public housing. Annual Conference, The National Center for Health in Public housing. 2009, Washington, DC.

### **Professional Development / Continuing Methodological Training**

- 2005** SSWR Pre-conference Work
  - a. Hierarchical Linear Modeling
- 2006** ICPSR – Summer Institute, University of Michigan
  - a. Project of Human Development in Chicago Neighborhoods
- 2008** Bloomberg School of Public Health, The Johns Hopkins University
  - a. Epidemiological Applications of GIS
  - b. Spatial Data Collection and Analysis
- 2009** Bloomberg School of Public Health, The Johns Hopkins University
  - a. Survival Analysis
  - b. Longitudinal Data Analysis
  - c. Multi-level Modeling

### **Teaching Experience**

- Washington University in St. Louis**  
2002 – 2006 Human Behavior in the Social Environment I & II  
Social Work Practice with Organizations & Communities  
Social Problem of Youth  
Urban Youth Enrichment Strategies
- University of Missouri – St. Louis**  
2002 – 2004 Community Development and Social Movements  
Intervention Strategies in Communities and Organizations
- Howard University**  
2005 – 2010 Human Behavior in the Social Environment I  
Human Behavior in the Social Environment II  
Community Organizing  
Research Methods
- University of Illinois – Chicago**  
2010 – 2016 Community Health and Urban Development (Advanced Macro Practice)

Program Evaluation  
Research Methods  
Foundation to Social Work Practice II (Foundation to Macro Practice)

**Washington University in St. Louis**

2016 – 2017 Research Methods with Statistical Applications  
Social Work Practice with Organizations & Communities

2017 – 2018 Research Methods with Statistical Applications  
Evaluation of Programs and Services

2018 – 2019 TPS: Youth Violence  
Social Work Practice with Organizations & Communities  
Evaluation of Programs and Services

2019 – 2020 Research Methods with Statistical Applications  
Social Work Practice with Organizations & Communities  
Evaluation of Programs and Services

2020 – 2021 Evaluation of Programs and Services  
Evaluation of Programs and Services

**Editorial Boards/Reviewer**

*Member,* Consulting Editor - NASW, Social Work Research, 2009 – 2012  
Consulting Editor – NASW, Children and Schools, 2010 – 2015

*Reviewer,* Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal  
Children & Youth Service Review  
Journal of Adolescent Health  
Journal of Child and Family Studies  
Journal of Healthcare for the Poor and Underserved  
Oxford University Press (Book Proposals)

**Grant Review Boards**

*Ad hoc Reviewer,* 2006-2007: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
2010-2011: National Institutes of Health – Population Studies

*Review Panel Member,* 2011-2015: National Institutes of Health – National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, ***Standing Sub-committee on Health Behavior and Neighborhood Context***

**School & University Service**

**Committee Appointments**

2005 – 2010 *Chair,* Sub-committee on Recruitment and Retention

*Member*, Committee on Doctoral Education  
*Member*, Student Review Committee  
*Acting Chair*, Human Behavior in the Social Environment Sequence  
*Member*, Macro Social Work Practice Sequence  
*Research Supervisor*, MSW Cosby Fellowship  
*Member*, Dean's Executive Committee  
*Member*, Committee on Doctoral Education  
*Member*, Student Review Committee  
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*Member*, Macro Social Work Practice Sequence  
*Member*, Community Development Fund Committee

2010– 2016 *Chair*, Community Health and Urban Development  
*Member*, Human Behavior in the Social Environment Sequence  
*Member*, Research Sequence  
*Member*, Educational Policy Committee  
*Member*, Doctoral Program  
*Member*, University-wide Recreation Committee  
*Member*, Committee of the Obama Presidential Library  
*Member*, Dean's Executive Committee  
*Member*, Promotion & Tenure Committee

### **Dissertation Committee**

Spirituality and its Relationship to HIV/AIDS Risk Behavior of African American Young Adults – Dennis Corbin (committee member)

Displacement and Psychosocial Functioning of Survivors of Hurricane Katrina – Lisa Rawlings (committee member)

Acculturation and Psychosocial Adaptation of Immigrant Muslim Youth – Taqi Tumazi (committee member)

African American Male Batterers' Perception of Treatment Program's Effectiveness – Spencer Simmons (committee member)

Psychosocial Correlates of Depressive Symptoms among African American Children – Dawn Bryant (committee chair)

Quenette Walton-The Experiences of Depression Among Middle Class African American Women: A Mixed Model Study.

Ian Jantz- Multimorbidity at Midlife: An Analysis of Morbidity Patterns and Life Course Socioeconomic Cofactors.

Qiana Cryer Coupet- Father Involvement and Informal Kinship Care: Impacts on Child Well-being

Rita Barton - The Formation of Interpersonal Trust between International Volunteers and Host Community Members (Washington University)

Phylcia Allen, MSW - A Strengths-Based Assessment of Neighborhood Assets Impacting African American Adolescents (Washington University)

Kyle A. Pitzer - Neighborhood Mechanisms and Community Development: The Role of Community Development Organizations (Washington University)

Melissa Villodas – Exploring the Connection Between Neighborhood Environment Social Connectedness, and Depression Among Black Youth (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill)

William Byansi - Utilization of Mental Health Services Among School Going Adolescent Girls in South Western Uganda. (Washington University)

Dominique Horton – Reimagining Parent and Family Engagement for African American Families and their Children, (Washington University)

### **Professional Activities**

Board Member-at-large, Society of Social Work and Research, 2008 – 2011

PhD Sub-committee to Recruit and Retain African American Students in Doctoral Program, Washington University 2000-2003

Committee on Urban Renewal and Redevelopment, St. Louis Housing Authority 2001-2003

Board Member, RESTORATIVE JUSTICE MOVEMENT, St. Louis Missouri 2020 -

### **Professional Affiliations**

National Association of Social Work (NASW)

American Public Health Association (APHA)

Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)