The Twelfth Annual McGinley-Rice Symposium on Social Justice for Vulnerable Populations

The FACE of the Person Who is POOR

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The McGinley-Rice Symposium

Established as a national forum on social justice for vulnerable populations, the McGinley-Rice Symposium is an integral part of Fall on the Bluff. The School of Nursing presents this symposium on health care issues, using the tradition of Catholic social thought as a unifying principle. Duquesne University is an ideal place for studying the intersection of social justice and health care. Founded in 1878 by the Congregation of the Holy Spirit, Duquesne's legacy comes from the Spiritans, a Catholic missionary order that assists needy and marginalized persons throughout the world. The McGinley-Rice Symposia on Justice for Vulnerable Populations are endowed by the generous support of the Rita M. McGinley Foundation, John R. McGinley and the John R. McGinley, Jr., Esq. family. For more information about this and previous McGinley-Rice Symposia, visit duq.edu/social-justice.

McGinley-Rice 12: The Face of the Person Who is Poor

Poverty and its correlates, unemployment, hunger, eviction and homelessness, disproportionately affect poor children, their families, the elderly, minorities and persons with disabilities. COVID-19 has devastated the international economy and has disproportionately affected the poor. In its wake, 17 percent of American children are poor. Poverty in childhood can lead to developmental delays and learning difficulties. Poverty interferes with the mental and physical health of individuals and families, especially women and children. It limits disease management and increases morbidity and mortality. Poverty decreases academic performance, elevates dropout rates, and increases incarceration. Poverty is demoralizing and diminishes human dignity and self-respect. Even in good times, rising out of poverty takes effort, money, and social support. In the richest country in the world, prevention and elimination of poverty remain a complex challenge. International, national, and local speakers at McGinley-Rice 12 will address how poverty affects everyone, not just those who are poor, because the cries of the poor touch each of us. The Face of the Person Who is Poor will be held virtually on October 21-22, 2021.

Rita M. McGinley, Educator and Philanthropist (1918-2013)

Rita M. McGinley, a Pittsburgh native, was born and raised in the Mon Valley. A graduate of Carlow and Duquesne Universities, she spent her life as a teacher and guidance counselor in her hometown.

During her tenure, her alma mater, Braddock High School, became General Braddock High School and then Woodland Hills High School. These name changes were metaphors for what happened in Braddock during Rita McGinley’s lifetime. What distinguished Rita McGinley from many of her neighbors was that she did not leave town. She stood with the young people of Braddock as powerful people ignored the region’s shuttered mills, boarded-up storefronts and emerging social problems. She provided leadership, inspiration and funding for numerous charities, organizations and projects in her beloved community and in Southwestern Pennsylvania.

Her gentle influence is profound and long-lasting. The endowment of the McGinley-Rice Symposia on Social Justice for Vulnerable Populations at the Duquesne School of Nursing is a living testament to her encouragement of nurses, teachers, social workers, physicians and advocates in their work with underserved and forgotten people.
Msgr. Charles Owen Rice, Friend of the Poor

If you lived in Pittsburgh from the 1930s through the 1980s, you know the name Charles Owen Rice. Msgr. Charles Owen Rice is remembered as a union advocate, the chairman of Pittsburgh’s Rent Control Board, a popular columnist for the Pittsburgh Catholic, and a familiar voice on radio stations KQV and WWSW.

He fought for justice in the Mon Valley, the Hill District and Natrona Heights. However, his passion transcended geography. He was as concerned about the spread of Communism in Europe as he was when Communist-affiliated labor leaders tried to take over the electricians’ union in the Mon Valley.

As pastor of Holy Rosary Church in Homewood, he witnessed the rioting, looting and burning that followed the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Confronted by outraged whites and black militants, he could do little to bring the opposing sides together. There was no middle ground.

A 1930 graduate of Duquesne University, Charles Owen Rice was compassionate, combative, intelligent, loyal and witty. His biographers struggle to describe his ability to walk on the edge of religious and secular canons. He was not a simple Catholic pastor. Engaged for more than half a century in a spectrum of work on behalf of justice, he was a tactician whose words inspired others. Even those who disagreed with his positions or actions acknowledged the sincerity of his beliefs and the depth of his effort.

The Jacques Laval Endowed Chair for Justice for Vulnerable Populations

Rosemary Donley, S.C., PhD, APRN-BC, FAAN

Addressing social injustice is a key aspect of Duquesne University’s heritage and character. The commitment to helping those most in need is being advanced through the efforts of Sr. Rosemary Donley, holder of the Jacques Laval Endowed Chair for Justice for Vulnerable Populations.

In addition to teaching and conducting research related to health care access and quality for underserved persons and communities, Sr. Donley is the principal organizer of the McGinley-Rice Symposium.

The Laval Chair is endowed through a bequest from the estate of the late Thomas F. Bogovich, a 1953 Duquesne University School of Business graduate.


The Laval Chair is named for Jacques Laval, a 17th century missionary, physician and member of the Congregation of the Holy Spirit. He worked among freed slaves on the Indian Ocean island of Mauritius, where he was able to restore a sense of dignity to people who had been freed but not liberated.

This first endowed chair in the School of Nursing calls attention to the faculty’s identification with Duquesne’s Spiritan mission and the social justice tradition of the Catholic Church.

The Thirteenth Annual McGinley-Rice Symposium: The Face of the Person Who Is Socially Isolated

October 20-21, 2022
REV. DAVID BECKMANN

President Emeritus | Bread for the World and Alliance to End Hunger, Washington, DC

Rev. David Beckmann is president emeritus at Bread for the World and the Bread for the World Institute. Prior to his leadership at Bread for the World, Rev. Beckmann was an economist at the World Bank where he worked on urban poverty projects and led the Bank’s initial engagement with civil society around the world from 1991 to 2020. He has authored numerous books on faith, economics, and politics.

Rev. Beckmann earned degrees from Yale, the Lutheran School of Theology in Chicago, and the London School of Economics, and he has received eight honorary doctorates. He was awarded the World Food Prize in 2010, and has recently been honored by the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Islamic Relief USA, Universities Fighting World Hunger and Egypt’s Library of Alexandria. A member of the Council on Foreign Relations, Rev. Beckmann has served on the President’s Advisory Council on Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships, USAID’s Advisory Committee on Voluntary Foreign Aid, the U.S. Trade Representative’s Trade Advisory Committee on Africa and the U.S. Department of State’s Religion and Foreign Policy Working Group.

JOAN ROSEN BLOCH, PHD, CRNP, FAAN

Associate Professor Emeritus Graduate Nursing | College of Nursing and Health Professions, Drexel University, Philadelphia, Pa.

Joan Rosen Bloch, PhD is a tenured associate professor and Director of Global Health Initiatives in the College of Nursing and Health Professions. She has secondary faculty appointments in the School of Public Health and Nutrition Sciences. She received her PhD at the University of Pennsylvania where she was also awarded pre-doctoral and post-doctoral research fellowships.

Dr. Bloch’s mission in nursing is to promote optimal health for women and their families through practice, teaching and research. She was one of the pioneer Women’s Health Nurse Practitioners in Philadelphia and has practiced in a variety of settings: city clinics, HMOs, and private practice. She joined the faculty of Drexel University in 2005.

Dr. Bloch is respected as a researcher, educator, clinician and mentor to students, faculty and community partners. She is highly engaged locally, nationally and globally to ensure safe motherhood to all women caring for themselves, their children and families.
SISTER DONNA J. MARKHAM OP, PHD, ABPP
President and CEO | Catholic Charities USA, Alexandria, Va.

Sister Donna Markham, OP is President and CEO of Catholic Charities USA (CCUSA), one of the largest nonprofit charitable organizations in the country, providing over $4.4B in services to over 13 million poor people each year. Prior to CCUSA (2015), Sister Donna served as President of the Behavioral Health Institute for Mercy Health System, Cincinnati. There she transformed access to behavioral health services across the system’s seven geographic regions. For 10 years she led the Southdown Institute in Ontario, Canada, treating clergy and religious persons suffering from serious emotional illness.

Sr. Donna, a former Prioress General of the Adrian Dominicans, has dedicated the majority of her life as a Dominican sister and a licensed, board certified clinical psychologist fostering personal and organizational change. She is actively engaged in global peace and reconciliation initiatives in the Middle East, Africa, Asia, and Latin America. She writes and speaks, nationally and internationally, on the interface between spirituality, group processes and strategies for organizational transformation and reconciliation for persons who are marginalized. Sr. Donna was named a Fellow of the American Board of Professional Psychology and of the Academy of Clinical Psychology. She is the recipient of ten honorary doctorates and was named one of the Top 50 nonprofit leaders in the US by the NonProfit Times.

KEN REGAL
Executive Director | Just Harvest, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Ken Regal organized the campaign in the 1980s which persuaded the Pittsburgh Public Schools to join the National School Breakfast Program. Ken was also part of the team that founded Just Harvest: A Center for Action Against Hunger in 1986; he became its Executive Director in 2012, leading Just Harvest's participation as a field site for national research on childhood hunger. He was the chief author of its 1994 report Hometown Hunger.

Ken worked as a community organizer to enhance city services, housing policies, political reform, and community-police relations, especially for isolated seniors in the poorest areas of the city. He has written and spoken on hunger and poverty issues for government hearings, garden clubs and students of all ages.

Ken has consulted with the Department of Agriculture, the national grant-making committee of MAZON: A Jewish Response to Hunger, and was a founding member of the Pittsburgh Food Policy Council. He currently serves on the Board of Directors of Pittsburgh UNITED, a coalition of community, labor, and environmental groups. This Brooklyn native was raised in the now-closed Beth Israel Center synagogue, where he spoke on Jewish scripture and theological issues; he now belongs to the Dor Hadash synagogue. Ken earned a B.A. cum laude in Economics from Brandeis University. He and his wife, a long-time activist, live in Highland Park.
SCOTT M. LAMMIE, CPA

Scott Lammie is a 1976 graduate of Duquesne University of the Holy Spirit; a Distinguished Alumni of the University’s Palumbo-Donahue Business School; a member of the University’s Century Club of Distinguished Duquesne Alumni; and a past member of the University’s Board of Directors (2011-2020). Mr. Lammie also currently serves on the Advisory Council for the University’s Nursing School and as Chair of the Advisory Council for the University’s new College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Throughout his professional career, Mr. Lammie has maintained his professional qualifications and license (since 1977) to practice as a Certified Public Accountant. Current professional affiliations include the American and Pennsylvania Institutes of Public Accountants, and the Healthcare Financial Management Association.

Following a 14-year public accounting career, Mr. Lammie spent 30 years with UPMC in key business, financial, and operational leadership positions supporting the Health System’s evolution, growth, and development into one of the nation’s top ten academic medical centers and a preeminent integrated delivery and financing health system.

Mr. Lammie remains active in volunteer leadership capacities with nonprofit education, economic development, and community service organizations, including The Altruism in Medicine Institute, The Forbes Funds, Fred Rogers Productions, Manchester Bidwell Corporation, The Sister Thea Bowman Foundation, The Citizens Science Lab, Propel Schools Foundation, Phipps Conservatory and Botanical Gardens, and United Way of Southwestern Pennsylvania.

Mr. Lammie’s professional and volunteer engagements have been significantly focused on serving the critical needs of disadvantaged populations within underserved communities, including supporting access to education and employment, while also addressing underlying social determinants of health.

Scott and his wife Susan have three sons: Michael and Alexandra of Chicago, with grandson Hudson and granddaughter Sorin; Ryan of Pittsburgh; and Cory and Elizabeth of Charlotte.
Symposium Agenda

Thursday, October 21, 2021

8 a.m.  Registration

8:30 - 9 a.m.  Welcome
Sr. Rosemary Donley, S.C., PhD, APRN-BC, FAAN  
Professor and Jacques Laval Chair for Justice for Vulnerable Populations  
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mary Ellen Glasgow, PhD, RN, ACNS-BC, ANEF, FAAN  
Professor and Dean  
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Ken Gormley, JD  
President, Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Vice President for Mission and Identity, Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.

9 - 10 a.m.  Keynote Address
Changing the Politics of Poverty for God’s Sake
Rev. David Beckmann  
President Emeritus  
Bread for the World and Alliance to End Hunger

Moderator: Khlood Salman, Dr.PH, RN, FAAN  
Associate Professor  
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

10 - 11:15 a.m.  Plenary Panel
Changing the Culture of Poverty
Fred Brown  
President and CEO  
The Forbes Funds, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Barry Kerzin, MD  
Physician, Teacher, Author, and Tibetan Buddhist Monk  
Founder & President, Altruism in Medicine Institute (AIMI), Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Founder & Chairman, Human Values Institute (HVI), Tokyo, Japan

John Lovelace  
President, Government Programs and Individual Advantage Products  
UPMC for Life, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Moderator: Scott Lammie  
Senior Vice President and Treasurer  
UPMC Insurance Services Division (Retired), Pittsburgh, Pa.

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  Keynote Address
Social Determinants of Health: A Path Out of Poverty
Sr. Donna Markham, OP, PhD, ABPP  
President and CEO  
Catholic Charities USA, Alexandria, Va.

Moderator: Susan Rauscher  
Executive Director  
Catholic Charities Diocese of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa.
12:30 - 1:30 p.m.  
Lunch and Presentation of the Eileen Zungolo Spirit of Service Award  
Posters will be available for review during the lunch break.

1:35 - 2:35 p.m.  
Plenary Panel  
Living at the Bottom  
Rosamaria Cristello  
Founder and Executive Director  
Latino Community Center, Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Esther Mellinger Stief  
Executive Director  
Crossroads Foundation, Pittsburgh Pa.  
Ann Quillen, LPN  
Executive Director  
Ohio Valley Health Center, Steubenville, Oh.  
Moderator: Mary Esther VanShura, EdD  
Associate Professor (Adjunct)  
University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa.

2:50 - 3:50 p.m.  
Breakout Session 1  
Please choose one of three sessions below.  

SESSION 1A: REACHING FOR A HELPING HAND  
Latinx Community Mobilization in the Face of COVID-19  
Verónica Lozada-Jenkins  
Deputy Director of Programs and Community Engagement  
Casa San Jose, Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Fayette County Response to Poverty: “A Hand-up Rather than a Handout”  
Jean Augustine, SC, MA, MSW, MBA  
Co-Director  
The Center of Life: Twenty Years of Serving the Poor in Hazelwood  
Erik Garrett, PhD  
Associate Professor, Department of Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Rev. Tim Smith  
Pastor and Founder  
Center of Life, Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Moderator: Rick Zoucha, PhD, PMHCNS-BC, CTN-A, FAAN  
Professor & Chair of Advanced Role and PhD Programs  
Joseph A. Lauritis, C.S.Sp. Chair for Teaching and Technology  
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

SESSION 1B: OUTCOMES OF POVERTY  
Healthy Eating Perspectives and Food Literacy Needs of Parents Living with Food Insecurity  
Lisa Diewald, MS, RD, LDN  
Program Manager, MacDonald Center for Obesity Prevention and Education  
M. Louise Fitzpatrick College of Nursing, Villanova University, Villanova, Pa.
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Caroline Hallen Moore, MSN, RN, FNP-C
Clinical Instructor
Georgia Baptist College of Nursing of Mercer University, Atlanta, Ga.

2:50 - 3:50 p.m. Falling in the Gap: Poverty and Food Insecurity in College Students
Angela Karakachian, PhD, RN
Assistant Professor
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Amber Kolesar MSN, RN, CNE, CCRN-K
Instructor and Director of the Second Degree BSN Program
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Jessica Devido PhD, CPNP
Associate Professor
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Impact of a Food Insecurity Project on Undergraduate Students’ Attitude Toward Poverty
Melissa Bartholomew, MSN, BSW, RN, AGPCNP-BC
Nursing Instructor
DeSales University, Center Valley, Pa.

Moderator: Torrie Snyder, PhD, RN
Assistant Professor and Undergraduate Programs Chair
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

SESSION 1C: RAISING AWARENESS OF POVERTY AMONG HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS

Teaching Students in Healthcare Professions about the Impact of Poverty on Health
Alison Colbert, PhD, PHCNS-BC, FAAN
Associate Professor
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Melanie Turk, PhD, RN
Associate Professor
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Life, God, and Help – Key Resources Identified in One Group of Poor Women
Denise Lucas, PhD, FNP-BC, CRNP, FAANP
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Janet Bischof, PhD, MS, BSN
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Evaluation and Use of a Poverty Simulation Experience in the Nursing Undergraduate Community Health Clinical Experience

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Moderator: Mary Kay Loughran, DNP, MHA, RN
Clinical Assistant Professor
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

4 - 5 p.m.

Breakout Session 2
Please choose one of three sessions below.

SESSION 2A: WRITING A PRESCRIPTION TO ADDRESS POVERTY

The Effect of the Pandemic on Poverty in Junior Military Families
Patricia Watts Kelley, PhD, FNP-BC, GNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN, CAPT (ret) United States Navy
Patricia Higgins Endowed Professor and Associate Dean for Research and Scholarship
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

Factors Associated with Poverty of Widows
Filomena Varvaro, PhD, RN, FAHA
Learning Profiles, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Oral Disease among Older Adults and Interdisciplinary Approaches for Oral Health Promotion
Eileen Caulfield, RN, PhD
Assistant Professor
Marymount University, Arlington, Va.

Moderator: Melanie Turk, PhD, RN
Associate Professor
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.
4 - 5 p.m.  

**SESSION 2B: A CALL TO ACTION**  

*Hospital Community Benefit Strategies: Programs and Anchor Strategies*

Julie Trocchio, BSN, MS  
*Senior Director, Community Benefit and Continuing Care*
*Catholic Health Association of the United States, St. Louis, Mo.*

**Using the Principles of the “Basic Income” to Reach the Person Who is Poor**

Mukul Bakhshi, JD  
*Director, Government Affairs*

*Impact of Poverty on the Immigrant Cancer Survivor Experience in the United States*

Joan Such Lockhart, PhD, RN, CNE, ANEF, FAAN  
*Professor and Director of MSN Nursing Education Program*
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Moderator:  
Melissa Kalarchian, PhD  
*Professor & Associate Dean for Research, School of Nursing*
*Associate Provost for Interdisciplinary Research and Strategic Initiatives*
*Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.*

4 - 5 p.m.  

**SESSION 2C: RESPONDING TO THE CRIES OF THE POOR**  

*Lessons from the Catholic Worker for Medical Care*

Monsignor Roger A. Statnick, STL, MA, PhD  
*University Chaplain*
*Seton Hill University, Greensburg, Pa.*

**Federal Health Advocacy on Behalf of the Poor**

Paulo G. Pontemayor, MPH  
*Director, Government Relations*
*Catholic Health Association of the United States, St. Louis, Mo.*

**Colorectal Cancer Screening: A Need in the Underserved**

Laura Crimm, DNP, FNP-BC  
*Clinical Assistant Professor and Director, Family (Individual Across the Lifespan) Nurse Practitioner Program*
*Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.*

Moderator:  
Ruth Irwin, PhD, RN  
*Clinical Assistant Professor*
*Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.*

5 - 5:30 p.m.  

**Poster Session Q&As**

Moderator:  
Mary Meyers, C.S.J., MSN, BA, MS, RN, AGNP-C  
*Remediation Coordinator*
*Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.*
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8 a.m.  Registration

8:30 - 8:45 a.m.  Welcome
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Professor and Dean
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

David J. Dausey, PhD
Executive Vice President & Provost
Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.

8:45 - 9:45 a.m.  Keynote Address
Poverty: A Moral and Practical Scandal
Ken Regal
Executive Director
Just Harvest, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Moderator: Erik Garrett, PhD
Associate Professor, Department of Communication and Rhetorical Studies
McAnulty College and Graduate School of Liberal Arts
Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.

9:45 - 10:45 a.m.  Plenary Panel
Beyond the Safety Net
Bill Strickland
Founder and Executive Chairman
Manchester Bidwell Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Leon Haynes
Executive Director
Hosanna House, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Pamela Maraldo
Executive Director
Girls Inc. of New York City, New York City, NY

Moderator: Kate DeLuca, EdD, MBA
Associate Dean for Student Affairs
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

10:45 - 11:15 a.m.  Poster Session Q&As
Moderator: Susan Williams, MSN, RN, CHSE
Instructor and Simulated Participant Coordinator
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.
11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  **Plenary Speakers**

**Beyond the Goal Post**

**Charlie Batch**
Founder
Best of the Batch Foundation, Munhall, Pa.

**Latasha Wilson-Batch**
Executive Director
Best of the Batch Foundation, Munhall, Pa.
Adjunct Professor, Palumbo-Donahue School of Business
Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.

**Christy H. Porter**
Co-Founder
Jasmine Nyree Campus, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Moderator: **Johnna Pro**
Regional Director of Community Affairs
Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development, Charleroi, Pa.

12:30 - 1:30 p.m.  **Lunch**

1:30 - 2:30 p.m.  **Keynote Address**

**Poverty is a Social Determinant of Health: A Slippery Slope for our Moral Imperatives**

**Joan Rosen Bloch, PhD, CRNP, FAAN**
Associate Professor Emeritus, College of Nursing and Health Professions
Drexel University, Philadelphia, Pa.

Moderator: **L. Kathleen Sekula, PhD, PMHCNS, FAAN**
Professor, Noble J. Dick Endowed Chair in Academic Leadership
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

2:40 - 2:50 p.m.  **Closing Remarks**

**Sr. Rosemary Donley, S.C., PhD, APRN-BC, FAAN**
Professor and Jacques Laval Chair for Justice for Vulnerable Populations
Duquesne University School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, Pa.

2:50 p.m.  **Benediction**

**Fr. William Christy, C.S.Sp.**
University Chaplain and Director of Spiritan Campus Ministry
Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.

3 p.m.  **Adjournment**
The Impact of a Food Insecurity Project on Undergraduate Students’ Attitude Toward Poverty
Melissa Bartholomew, MSN, BSW, RN, AGPCNP-BC
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Healthy Eating Perspectives And Food Literacy Needs Of Parents Living With Food Insecurity
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Clinical Coordinator in the Emergency Department at Frick and Current Chair of the Professional Development Committee
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Disaster Human Services Built on Social Justice and Preference for the Poor
Roberta Lavin, PhD, FNP-BC, FAAN
Professor and PhD Program Director
The University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

Exploring the Relationship of Gun Violence and the Poor
Carol Powell, BSN, RN, CEN, SANE-A, EMT-P
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Evaluation and Use of a Poverty Simulation Experience in the Nursing Undergraduate Community Health Clinical Experience
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Global Equity and Human Development: Through the Lens of Social Justice Theories
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**Exploring Local, National and Global Resources to Learn about Structural Poverty and Approaches to Helping Those Who are Poor**

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**BSN Nursing Student’s Confidence Levels with Medication Dosage Calculations**

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**Factors Associated with Poverty of Widows**

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# The Twelfth Annual McGinley-Rice Symposium

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