

Curriculum Vitae

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

1967	B.A. in Sociology	University of California, Berkeley
1968	M.A. in Criminology	University of California, Berkeley
1971	Doctorate in Criminology	University of California, Berkeley

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2015 - present Cleofas and Victor Ramirez Professor of Practice, Policy, Research and Advocacy for the Latino Population, School of Social Work, University of Southern California

2010 - present Executive Director, Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging, University of Southern California

2010 - present Provost Professor of Social Work, Psychiatry, Preventive Medicine, Family Medicine, Psychology and Gerontology, University of Southern California

2010 - present Adjunct Professor, Department of Family Medicine, David Geffen School of Medicine at University of California, Los Angeles

2008 - 2010 Associate Vice Provost, U.C.L.A.

2008 - 2009 Director, Luskin Center for Innovation, University of California, Los Angeles

2007 - 2009 Professor, Department of Family Medicine, David Geffen School of Medicine at University of California, Los Angeles

2000 - 2007 Director of Research, Behavioral Research and Training Institute, University Behavioral Health Care – University of Medicine and Dentistry

2000 - 2007 Professor of Psychiatry, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School-University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey

1997- 1999 Director, Metropolitan Research and Policy Center, Professor of Sociology, University of Texas (on leave from U.C. Berkeley)

1990 - 1999 Professor, Behavioral Science and Health Services Administration, School of Public Health, University of California, Berkeley

1987 - 1990 Professor of Sociology and Psychiatry, University of Miami, Florida

1982 - 1987 Adjunct Professor of Public Health and Professor and Chair of Mexican American Studies, San Diego State University, San Diego, California

1974 - 1978 Lecturer (Sociology), University of Maryland

1972 - 1974 Associate Professor of Mexican American Studies, CSU, Hayward

1971 - 1972 Lecturer (Sociology), California State University, Sacramento

1969 - 1970 Lecturer, College of Ethnic Studies, University of California, Berkeley

1968 - 1969 Assistant Professor of Sociology, California State University, Sacramento

PROFESSIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

(Other than Research Grant Administration)

2015 - present Member, Alzheimer’s Association California Southland Chapter, Medical & Scientific Advisory Council

2014-2015 Reviewer, National Research Council

2013-2014 Co-Investigator for USC Immigration Health Initiative (IHI)

2013 - present Board Member, Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), Institute of Social Research, University of Michigan

- 2010 - present Council Member, Strategic Leadership Team, Los Angeles County Mental Health Department
- 2010 Chair, New Connections Program, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Princeton, NJ
- 2009 - 2011 Chair, Institute of Medicine, Health Equity Roundtable
- 2008 - present Elected Member, Institute of Medicine, National Academies of Science
- 2007 - 2008 Member, Institute of Medicine, Health Disparities Roundtable
- 2007 Member, Institute of Medicine, Committee on Treatments of PTSD, and contributor to *Treatment of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: An assessment of the evidence*. Washington, D.C.: The National Academies Press, 2008.
- 2006 - present Editorial Board, Health Services Research
- 2006 - present Editorial Board, J Community Psychology
- 2005 - 2009 American Psychiatric Association Work Group Consultant for DSM-V (substance abuse and schizophrenia modules)
- 2005 - 2009 Council Member, Fogarty International Center for Research, National Institutes of Health
- 2004 - 2005 Member, Behavioral Genetics and Epidemiology IRG, National Institutes of Health
- 2004 - present Member, Advisory Board, New Jersey Mental Health Institute
- 2003 - 2005 Chair, Appointments and Promotions Committee, Department of Psychiatry, RWJMS
- 2002 - 2007 Member, Institute of Medicine, Board of Health Promotion and Public Health Practice and contributor to "Who Will Keep the Public Healthy?"
- 2002 - 2012 Co-Chair and Steering Committee Member, National Hispanic Science Network (NIDA)
- 2002 - 2004 President of Board, National Latino Council on Alcohol and Tobacco Prevention, Washington, D.C.
- 2001 - 2002 Member, Institute of Medicine, Committee on Educating the Public Health Workforce
- 2000 - present Executive Committee Member, Institute for Health, Health Care Policy, and Aging Research, Rutgers University (David Mechanic, Director)
- 2000 - 2004 Director of Research, Behavioral Research and Training Institute, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School-University Behavioral Health Care, New Brunswick/Piscataway, NJ

- 2000 - present Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health Policy Scholars Research Program Advisory Committee
- 1998 - 2000 U.S. Attorney General, National Methamphetamine Task Force Member
- 1998 - 1999 Director, Metropolitan Research and Policy Institute, University of Texas, San Antonio
(on leave from U.C. Berkeley)
- 1996 - 1999 Secretary, National Latino Council on Alcohol and Tobacco Prevention, Washington, D.C.
- 1988 - 1991 American Public Health Association, Mental Health Section Councilor; 1988-91
- 1983 - 1987 Member, Epidemiology and Mental Health Services Scientific Review Panel, NIMH
- 1996 - 2002 Contributing Editor, International Journal of the Addictions
- 1995 - present Founding member of the International Consortium of Psychiatric Epidemiology
World Health Organization
- 1995 - present Editorial Board, American Journal of Community Psychology
- 1993 - 1995 Program Head, Behavioral Science, School of Public Health, U.C. Berkeley
- 1992 - 1994 Director, Center for Community Health, School of Public Health, U.C. Berkeley
- 1991 - 1995 Associate Editor, U.C. Berkeley, School of Public Health Wellness Newsletter
- 1988 - present IRG Reviewer Reserve, National Institute of Mental Health, and National Institute of Drug Abuse, and National Institute of Mental Health
- 1984 - 1987 Member, Epidemiology and Quantitative Research Review Committee, National Institute of Mental Health
- 1982 - 1984 Ad Hoc Reviewer, State Mental Health Services Research Review Committee, National Institute of Mental Health
- 1982 - 1984 Chair, Department of Mexican American Studies, San Diego State University
- 1981 - 1982 Assistant Director, Center for Mental Health Training, California Department of Mental Health, Los Angeles
- 1978 - 1981 Senior Research Scientist, California Department of Mental Health, Sacramento

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES: TEACHING AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Graduate Courses:

Culture Theory in Public Health
Public Mental Health
Substance Abuse Epidemiology and Prevention
Community Based Public Health
Social Epidemiology
Social Psychiatry
Culture and Illness
Health Services Research
Medical Sociology
Community Determinants of Health
Methods in Social Science Research
Methods in Psychiatric Epidemiology
Gender Orientation and Health

Undergraduate Courses:

Field Research Methods
Medical Sociology
Social Deviance
Delinquency
Criminology
Social Change
Culture and Social Institutions
Introduction to Sociology
Collective Behavior
Ethnic and Minority Relations

College-Level Committee Assignments:

MHIRT – Epidemiology & Services Research
State of the Neighborhood Report – Senior Advisor
Healthy Aging Think Tank (University of California, San Diego)
Faculty Council (University of Southern California, Social Work)
Research Council (University of Southern California, Social Work)
University Committee on Appointments, Promotions and Tenures (UCAPT, USC)
Appointment and Tenure Committees (University of California Berkeley, and, Robert Wood Johnson Medical University, University of Southern California)
University Research Council (University of Texas)
Curriculum Committee (School of Public Health, University of California, Berkeley)
Chair of Admissions (U.C. Berkeley, School of Public Health)
Affirmative Action Committee (Robert Wood Johnson Medical School)
Faculty Executive Council – Department of Psychiatry (Robert Wood Johnson Medical School)
Task Force for development of a Department of Community Health Policy (Robert Wood Johnson Medical School)

Journal Reviewer:

Journal of the American Medical Association
American Journal of Public Health
Journal of Health and Social Behavior
Journal of Social Psychiatry and Social Epidemiology
American Journal of Epidemiology,
Journal of Drug and Alcohol Dependence
Swiss Medical Journal
Journal of Health and Social Behavior
Journal of Marriage and the Family
Social Science and Medicine
Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease

American Journal of Community Psychology (Associate Editor)

Medical Care

Journal of Community Psychology (Editorial Board)

Psychiatric Services/Hospital and Community Psychiatry

Western Journal of Medicine

Journal of Interpersonal Relations

Family Process

Psychiatry

British Journal of Psychiatry

International Journal of the Addictions

Archives of General Psychiatry

Health Services Research (Editorial Board)

Addiction

Addictive Behaviors

Transcultural Psychiatry

Biological Psychiatry

Community Mental Health Journal

Ethnicity and Disease

Guest Editor:

Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology, Vol 28, No.3, Sept. 2013

Journal of General Internal Medicine, Special Issue on Health Disparities in Care, 2009

MAJOR RESEARCH AWARDS

2014 - 2017 Programa Esperanza (Project Hope). Co-Investigator, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), \$1,460,000.

2014 - 2015 The Los Angeles Healthy Aging Indicator Project. Principal Investigator, Southern California Clinical and Translational Science Institute (SC CTSI), \$50,000.

- 2014 - 2015 Bringing Evidence-Based Programs to Historically Underrepresented Older Minorities. Co-Investigator, Southern California Clinical and Translational Science Institute (SC CTSI), \$50,000.
- 2014 - 2019 Reducing the Duration of Untreated Psychosis through Community Education. Co-Investigator, National Institute of Mental Health, \$2,480,000.
- 2012 - 2016 USC Resource Center for Minority Aging Research (RCMAR). Co-Investigator, National Institute on Aging, \$3,400,000.
- 2012 - 2015 Conference Series on Aging in the Americas: United States and Mexico. Principal Investigator, National Institute on Aging, \$40,000.
- 2011 – 2012 Uncovering Opportunities for Prevention and Early Intervention among Older Minority Groups in Disadvantaged L.A. Neighborhoods. Co-Principal Investigator, Southern California Clinical and Translational Science Institute (SC CTSI), USC School of Social Work, Larson Endowment for Innovative Research and Teaching, \$30,000.
- 2012 - 2013 An Examination of Treatment-Relevant Patient Characteristics in the USC ADRC Data Set. Principal Investigator, National Institute on Aging, \$48,000.
- 2010 - 2013 Culture, Neuroscience, and the Course of Psychosis. Co-Investigator, Foundation for Psychocultural Research, \$273,000.
- 2007 - 2011 National Network on Multicultural Research on Health and Health Care to Eliminate Health and Healthcare Disparities. Principal Investigator, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, \$2,000,000.
- 2007 - 2008 Stigma of Depression among Hispanic Primary Care Patients. Principal Investigator, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, \$84,000.
- 2006 - 2008 Director-Coordinator Scientific Advisory Group, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation – Pew Hispanic Health Behavior National Survey Initiative, \$148,000.
- 2005 - 2007 Medically Unexplained Physical Symptoms (MUPS) in Primary Care Research Center, Co-Investigator, National Institute of Mental Health, \$2,500,000.
- 2005 - 2009 Patient Characteristics and Diagnosis of Affective Illness, Principal Investigator, National Institute of Mental Health, \$1,200,000.
- 2005 - 2010 Mexican American Families & Substance Use Risk & Resilience, Co-Investigator, NIDA, \$4,000,000.
- 2002 - 2005 Evaluation of a Model to Reduce Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Mental Health Services: Workforce Development, SAMHSA, Principal Investigator, \$1,200,000.

- 2002 - 2005 Organization of American States: Cost and Social Impact of Illicit drug trafficking and abuse in OAS nations. Co-Investigator, CICAD, Washington, D.C., 1,000,000.
- 2000 - 2005 National Latino and Asian Services Survey Reappraisal Survey, Principal Investigator, NIMH \$500,000.
- 2000 - 2004 An Empirical Test of a Culture Based Model (SANKOFA) for Youth Violence Risk-Reduction in African Americans, Co-Principal Investigator, NICHD NIDA, \$1,000,000.
- 1999 - 2001 Drug abuse patterns and their correlates among Mexican American urban and rural adults. Principal Investigator, NIDA, \$360,000.
- 1998 - 2000 Evaluating State Trends in Hispanic Drug Abuse, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Principal Investigator, \$167,000.
- 1993 - 1997 Principal Investigator: "Epidemiology and Utilization of Urban and Rural Psychiatric and Health Services Among Mexican Americans." \$2,500,000. (NIMH), University of California, Berkeley.
- 1994 - 1995 Principal Investigator: Adequacy of Latino/a Adolescent Health Promotion Programs in California. \$35,000. California Policy Seminar; UCB.
- 1992 - 1995 Principal Investigator, Center for Community Health: Kellogg Foundation and University of California Berkeley, \$250,000.
- 1991 - 1994 Principal Investigator: "Perinatal Substance Abuse in California: A Statewide Epidemiologic Survey". \$2,000,000. (Dept. of Alcohol and Drug Programs, CA) UCB.
- 1991 - 1999 Center for Research on the Organization and Financing of Care for the Severely Mentally Ill. \$6,000,000., Co-Investigator, (NIMH, UCB.
- 1989 - 1996 "Patterns of Drug Use: Miami Hispanic and Non-Hispanic Adolescent Males". Principal Investigator, \$4,900,000. (NIDA).
- 1987 - 1989 "Hispanic Social Network Prevention Intervention." Principal Investigator: \$112,229. (NIMH) (*competing continuation*).
- 1986 - 1987 "Por La Vida: A Social Network CVD Intervention in the Mexican American Community". \$100,000. University of California, San Diego, School of Medicine, Philip Nader, M.D., Co-Principal Investigator (Kaiser Foundation)
- 1986 - 1987 Senior Research Scientist: "Social Learning of Diet and Physical Activity in Children." \$1,824,000. Co-Principal Investigator, University of California, San Diego, School of Medicine (Kaiser Foundation), Co-Investigator.

- 1985 - 1987 Principal Investigator: "Maternal Health Longitudinal Intervention on the U.S.-Mexico Border." \$80,000. San Diego State University (Cowell Foundation).
- 1984 - 1987 Principal Investigator: "Hispanic Social Network Prevention Intervention Study." \$1,140,000. San Diego State University (National Institute of Mental Health).
- 1984 - 1987 Principal Investigator: "Effects of Mass Violence in a Hispanic Community." \$210,000. San Diego State University (National Institute of Mental Health).
- 1984 - 1987 Faculty Research Associate: "Family Health Project: The Prevention of Cardiovascular Risk in the Community." \$1,700,000. (Philip Nader, M.D.-Principal Investigator), University of California, San Diego School of Medicine (National Institutes of Health).
- 1983 - 1987 Principal Investigator: "Border Health Research Program." \$120,000. San Diego State University (Cowell Foundation).
- 1982 - 1984 Principal Investigator: "Mental Health Needs in Rural Primary Health Care." \$82,000. San Diego State University (NIMH and California Department of Mental Health).
- 1970 - 1971 Faculty Professional Development Award, University of California, Berkeley, post-doctoral fellowship for study in Paris, France (Ford Foundation), \$14,000.

SPECIAL AWARDS

- 2008 Elected to the Institute of Medicine National Academy of Sciences
- 2006 Listed in Thompson Science (highly.cited@thomson.com) for inclusion in the top .05% of the most highly cited authors world-wide in category of General Social Science
- 2002 Community, Culture, and Prevention Science Award, Society for Prevention Research
- 2002 National Hispanic Science Network on Drug Abuse (NIDA), National Award of Excellence in Research by a Senior Scholar
- 2000 John C. Ribble Visiting Professorship, University of Texas – Houston Medical School
- 1991 Ralph R. Sachs Visiting Scholar in Public Health, UCLA

PROFESSIONAL PAPERS DELIVERED AT CONFERENCES

Available Upon Request.

PUBLICATIONS

Cited in Thomson Science web of science (highly.cited@thomson.com) in 2006 for inclusion in the top 0.5 of the most highly cited authors world-wide in category of General Social Sciences.

Research Papers (Peer Reviewed)

1. DeRisi, W., Vega, W. (1982). The Impact of deinstitutionalization on California's State Hospital population. *Journal of Hospital and Community Psychiatry*, 34, 140-145. PubMed ID: 6826161
2. Warheit, G., Vega, W., Shimizu, D., Meinhardt, K. (1982). Interpersonal coping networks and mental health among four race-ethnic groups. *Journal of Community Psychology*, 10, 312-324.
3. Warheit, G., Vega, W., Buhl, J. (1983). Mental health needs assessment approaches: Case for applied epidemiology. *Prevention in Human Services*, 2, 9-34. PubMed ID: 10262481
4. Vega, W., Warheit, G., Buhl-Auth, J., Meinhardt, K. (1984). The Prevalence of depressive symptoms among Mexican Americans and Anglos. *American Journal of Epidemiology*, 120, 592-607. PubMed ID: 6475928
5. Vega, W., Warheit, G. (1984). Marital disruption and the prevalence of depressive symptomatology among Mexican Americans. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 46, 817-824.
6. Warheit, G., Auth, J. Vega, W. (1985). Psychiatric epidemiologic field surveys: A case for using them in planning assessment and prevention strategies. In R. Hough, Et al. (Eds.) *Psychiatric epidemiology and prevention: The possibilities*. Los Angeles, CA.: University of California Press.
7. Vega, W., Warheit, G., Palacios, R. (1985). Psychiatric symptomatology among Mexican American farmworkers. *Social Science and Medicine*, 20, 39-45. PubMed ID: 3871969
8. Vega, W., Scutchfield, D., Karno, M., Meinhardt, K. (1985). The Mental health care of rural Mexican Americans: Assessment results. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 1, 47-55.
9. Warheit, G., Vega, W., Auth, J., Meinhardt, K. (1985). Psychiatric symptoms and dysfunctions among Anglos and Mexican Americans: An epidemiologic study. *Research in Community and Mental Health*, 5, 32.
10. Vega, W., Kolody, B., Warheit, G. (1985). Psychoneuroses among Mexican American and non-Hispanic Whites: Prevalence and caseness levels. *American Journal of Public Health*, 75, 523-527. PubMed ID: 3872606
11. Kolody, B., Vega, W., Meinhardt, K., Bensussen, G. (1987). The correspondence of health complaints and depressive symptoms among Mexican Americans and Anglos. *Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease*, 174, 221-228. PubMed ID: 3958703
12. Vega, W., Kolody, B., Valle, R., Hough, R. (1986). Depressive symptoms and their correlates among Mexican immigrant women in the United States. *Social Science and Medicine*, 22, 645- 652. PubMed ID: 3715504

13. Vega, W., Kolody, B., Valle, R. (1986). Marital status, confidant support, and depression among Mexican immigrant women. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 48, 3.
14. Vega, W., Sallis, J., Nadar, P., Patterson, T. et al., (1986). Cohesion and adaptability in Mexican American and Anglo families. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 48, 857-867.
15. Vega, W., Valle, R., Kolody, B., Hough, R. (1987). The Social Network Intervention Study: Prevention of Depression Among Mexican American Women. In Munoz, R. (Ed.), *Preventing Depression: Research Foundations*. New York, NY: Hemisphere Publishing Co.
16. Vega, W., Kolody, B., Hough, R. (1987). Depressive symptomatology in Northern Mexico adults. *American Journal of Public Health*, 77, 1215-1218. PubMed ID: 3618858
17. Figueroa, G., Vega, W., Kolody, B., Hough, R. (1987). The prevalence of health complaints and disorders in Tijuana, Baja California Norte. *Journal of Border Health*, 3, 27-35.
18. Vega, W., Sallis, J., Patterson, T., et al. (1987). Assessing knowledge of cardiovascular health related diet and exercise behaviors in Anglos and Mexican Americans. *Preventive Medicine*, 16, 696-709. PubMed ID: 3684979
19. Meinhardt, K., Vega, W. (1987). A Method for estimating underutilization of mental health services by ethnic groups. *Hospital and Community Psychiatry*, 38, 1186-1190. PubMed ID: 3666714
20. Vega, W., Kolody, B., Valle, R. (1987). Migration and mental health: An empirical test of depression risk factors among Mexican women. *International Migration Review*, 21, 512-530. PubMed ID: 12314896
21. Vega, W., Sallis, J., Patterson, T., Rupp, J., Morris, J., Nader, P., Atkins, C. (1988). Predictors of dietary change in Mexican American families participating in a health behavior change program. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 4, 194-199. PubMed ID: 3166824
22. Vega, W., Kolody, B., Valle, R. (1988). Marital strain, coping and depression among Mexican American Women. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 50, 391- 403.
23. Nader, P., Sallis, J., Patterson, T., Senn, K., Atkins, C., Roppe, B., Morris, J., Janet, W., Vega, W. (1989). A family approach to cardiovascular risk reduction: Results from the San Diego family health project. *Health Education Quarterly*, 16, 229-244. PubMed ID: 2732065

24. Vega, W. (1990) Hispanics and Mental Health: A framework for research. (Book Review). *Contemporary Sociology*, 19, 744.
25. Hough, R., Vega, W., Valle, R. (1990). The mental health consequences of the San Ysidro McDonald's massacre: A community study. *Journal of Traumatic Stress*, 3, 71-91.
26. Murphy, J., Vega, W. (1990). Provocation on the politics of government funded research. *Social Epidemiology*, 4, 125-126.
27. Vega, W. (1990). Trends in Hispanic family research: A decade review. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 52, 1015-1024.
28. Vega, W., Rumbaut, R. (1991). Ethnic minorities and mental health. *Annual Review of Sociology*, 17, 351-83.
29. Vega, W., Kolody, B., Valle, R., Weir, J. (1991). Social networks, social support, and their relationship to depression among immigrant Mexican women. *Human Organization*, 50, 154-162.
30. Vega, W. (1992). Theoretical and pragmatic implications of cultural diversity for community research. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 20, 375-391.
31. Vega, W.A., Gil, A.G., Zimmerman, R. (1993). Patterns of drug use among Cuban-American, African-American, and White non-Hispanic boys. *American Journal of Public Health*, 83, 257-259. PubMed ID: 8427335
32. Vega, W., Gil, A.G., Warheit, W., Zimmerman, R.S., Apospori, E. (1993). Acculturation and delinquent behavior among Cuban American adolescents: Toward an empirical model. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 21, 113-125. PubMed ID: 8213645
33. Vega, W., Gil, A., Zimmerman, R.S., Warheit, G.J. (1993). Risk factors for suicidal behavior among Hispanic, African-American, and non-Hispanic White boys in early adolescence. *Ethnicity and Disease*, 3, 229-241. PubMed ID: 8167539
34. Vega, W., Zimmerman, R.S., Warheit, G.J., Apospori, E., Gil, A. (1993). Risk factors for early adolescent drug use in four ethnic and racial groups. *American Journal of Public Health*, 83, 185-189. PubMed ID: 8427320
35. Vega, W., Gil, A.G., Warheit, G.J., Apospori, E., Zimmerman, R. (1993). The relationship of drug use to suicide ideation and attempts among African American, Hispanic, and White non-Hispanic male adolescents. *Suicide and Life Threatening Behavior*, 23, 110-120. PubMed ID: 8342210

36. Biafora, F., Warheit, G.J., Zimmerman, R., Gil, A., Apospori, E., Taylor, D., Vega, W. (1993). Racial mistrust and deviant behaviors among ethnically diverse Black adolescent boys. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology, 23*, 891-910.
37. Biafora, F., Taylor, D.L., Warheit, G.J., Zimmerman, R., Vega, W.A. (1993). Cultural mistrust and racial awareness among ethnically diverse Black adolescent boys. *Journal of Black Psychology, 19*, 266-281.
38. Vega, W., Kolody, B., Hwang, J., Noble, A. (1993). Prevalence and magnitude of perinatal substance exposure in California. *New England Journal of Medicine, 329*, 850-854. PubMed ID: 8355744
39. Gil, A., Vega, W., Dimas, J. (1994). Acculturative stress and personal adjustment among Hispanic adolescent boys. *Journal of Community Psychology, 22*, 43-54.
40. Vega, W., Zimmerman, R., Warheit, G., Jackson, D., Gil, A., Sokol-Katz, J. (1995). The role of cultural factors in mental health problems of Hispanic adolescents. In C. Telles and M. Karno (Eds.), *Latino mental health: Current research and policy perspectives*. Neuropsychiatric Institute, University of California, Los Angeles.
41. Vega, W.A., Amaro, H. (1994). Latino outlook: good Health, uncertain prognosis. *Annual Review of Public Health, 15*, 39-67. PubMed ID: 8054092
42. Zimmerman, R.S., Vega, W.A., Gil, A., Apospori, E., Warheit, G.J. (1994). Who is Hispanic? Definitions and consequences. *American Journal of Public Health, 84*, 1985-1987. PubMed ID: 7998642
43. Warheit, G.J., Biafora, F.A., Zimmerman, R., Gil, A.G. Vega, W.A., Apospori, E. (1995). Self-Rejection/derogation, peer factors, and alcohol, drug, and cigarette use among a sample of Hispanic, African American, and White Non-Hispanic adolescents. *International Journal of Addictions, 30*, 97-116. PubMed ID: 7759176
44. Biafora, F.A., Warheit, G.J., Gil, A., Vega, W. (1995). Stressful life events and changes in substance use among a multiracial-ethnic sample of adolescent boys. *Journal of Community Psychology, 22*, 296-311.
45. Vega, W.A., Koury, E.L., Zimmerman, R.S., Gil, A.G, Warheit, G.J. (1995). Culture conflict and problem behaviors of Latino adolescents in home and school settings. *Journal of Community Psychology, 23*, 167-179.

46. Zimmerman, R.S., Vega, W.A., Koury, E.L., Warheit, G.J. (1995). Teacher and parent perceptions of behavior problems among a sample of African American, Hispanic, and Non-Hispanic White students. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 23, 181-197. PubMed ID: 7572829
47. Warheit, G.J., Zimmerman, R.S., Koury, E.L., R.S., Vega, W.A., Gil, A.G. (1996). Disaster related stresses, depressive signs and symptoms, and suicidal ideation among a multi-racial/ethnic sample of adolescents: a longitudinal analysis. *Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry*, 36, 435-444. PubMed ID: 8735443
48. Vega, W. A., Apospori, E., Gil, A.G., Zimmerman, R.S., Warheit, G.J. (1996). A replication and elaboration of the self-esteem enhancement model. *Psychiatry*, 59, 128-136. PubMed ID: 8837174
49. Gil, A.G., Vega, W.A. (1996). Two different worlds: Acculturation stress and adaptation among Cuban and Nicaraguan families in Miami. *Journal of Social and Personal Relations*, 13, 437-458.
50. Koury, E.L., Warheit, G.J., Vega, W.A., Zimmerman, R.S., Gil, A. (1996). Gender and ethnic difference in prevalence of alcohol, cigarette, and illicit drug use among an ethnically diverse sample of Hispanic, African American, and non-Hispanic White adolescents. *Women and Health*, 24, 21-40.
51. Warheit, G.J., Vega, W.A., Koury, E.L., Gil, A.G., Elfenbein, P.R. (1996). A comparative analysis of cigarette, alcohol, and illicit drug use among an ethnically diverse sample of young adolescents. *Journal of Drug Issues*, 26, 875-894.
52. Vega, W.A., Kolody, B., Porter, P., Noble, A. (1997). Perinatal drug use among immigrant and native-born Latinas. *International Journal of the Addictions*, 32, 43-60. PubMed ID: 9044536
53. Koury, E.L., Warheit, G.J., Hargove, M.C., Zimmerman, R.S., Vega, W.A., & Gil, A.G. (1997). The impact of Hurricane Andrew on deviant behavior among a multi-racial sample of adolescents in Dade County, Florida: a longitudinal analysis. *Journal of Traumatic Stress*, 10, 71-91. PubMed ID: 9018678
54. Vega, W.A., Zimmerman, R.S., Warheit, G.J., Gil, A.G. (1997). Acculturation Stress and Latino Adolescent Drug Use. In A. Maney (ed.), Rockville, MD: NIMH (published on NIH WEB).
55. Vega, W.A., Kolody, B., Porter, P., Noble, A. (1997). Effects of age on perinatal substance abuse among African American and White women. *American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse*, 23, 431-451. PubMed ID: 9261491

56. Vega, W.A., VanOss Marin, B. (1997). Risk taking and abusive behavior. *Journal of Gender, Culture, and Health*, 2, 135-141.
57. Vega, W.A., Gil, A.G. (1998). Acculturative stress and drug use behavior among immigrant and U.S. born Latino adolescents: toward an integrated model. *Drugs and Society*, 14, 55-71.
58. Noble, A., Vega, W.A., Kolody, B., Porter, P., Hang, J., Merk, G.A., Bole, A. (1997). Prenatal substance abuse in California: Findings from the perinatal substance exposure study. *Journal of Psychoactive Drugs*, 29, 43-53. PubMed ID: 9110265
59. Gil, A.G., Vega, W.A., Biafora, F. (1997). Temporal influences of family structure, and family risk factors on drug use initiation in a multiethnic sample of adolescent boys. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 23, 373-393.
60. Vega, W.A., Gil, A.G. (1998). Acculturative stress and drug use behavior among immigrant and U.S. born Latino adolescents: toward an integrated model. Reprinted in M.R. De La Rosa, B. Segal, & R. Lopez (eds.), *Conducting Drug Abuse Research with Minority Populations*. The Haworth Press, Inc.
61. Vega, W.A., Kolody, B., Aguilar-Gaxiola, S., Alderete, W., Catalano, R., Caraveo-Anduaga, J. (1998). Lifetime prevalence of DSM-III-R psychiatric disorders among urban and rural Mexican Americans in California. *Archives of General Psychiatry*, 55, 771-778. PubMed ID: 9736002
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