

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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| Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio | B.A. | 1976 | Psychology |
| Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, VA | M.D. | 1980 | |
| Family Med Residency, SUNY Buffalo, Buffalo, NY | Residency | 1983 | Family Medicine |
| Fellowship, Dept of Family Medicine, University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry | | 1992-1995 | Health Services Research |
| University of Rochester Schl. of Med. & Dent. | M.P.H. | 1996 | Research |

Employment/Positions

1983 - 1992 Family Physician, Geneva B. Scruggs Community Health Center, Buffalo, NY
 1985 - 1992 Medical Director, Geneva B. Scruggs Community Health Center, Buffalo, NY.
 1992 - Present Staff family physician, Westside Community Health Center, Rochester, NY.
 1996 - 1999 Assistant Professor, Family Medicine and Community & Preventive Medicine, University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry, Rochester, NY.
 1999 - Present Tenured Associate Professor, Family Medicine and Community & Preventive Medicine and Oncology, University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry, Rochester, NY.
 2003 - Present Associate Director, Rochester Center to Improve Communication in Health Care: Building Relationships, Eliminating Disparities.
 2006 - Present Co-Director, Community Engagement, University of Rochester Center for Translational Science Institute

National Committees

2001 - 2003 Study Section, Agency for Healthcare Quality and Research, Health Care Quality and Effectiveness
 2002 - 2002 Member of Institute of Medicine Committee on Design of a National Healthcare Disparities Report
 2002 - 2003 American Medical Association Advisory Committee for "Physician Training to Reduce Racial/Ethnic Disparities"
 2002 - 2006 Aetna Advisory Committee for Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Health Care
 2003 - 2004 Expert Roundtable on Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's Future Work in Racial and Ethnic Disparities
 2004 - 2005 National Committee for Quality Assurance Expert Panel on Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services (CLAS) to Address Health Care Disparities in Managed Care
 2006 - 2006 Member Special Emphasis Panel for NIH/ National Center for Minority Health and Health Disparities for applications for "Establishing Comprehensive Research Centers of Excellence" (P60).
 2006 - 2007 Co-Chair, Ambulatory Care Project: Healthcare Disparities Technical Advisory Panel, National Quality Form
 2008 - Present Expert Committee for the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) and National Cancer Institute (NCI) project on patient-centered communication.

Selected Peer Review Publications (full list available upon request)

- Fiscella K, Franks P.** Does psychological distress contribute to racial and socioeconomic disparities in mortality? *Soc Sci Med* 1998;45:1805-1809.
- Fiscella K, Franks P, Clancy C.** Skepticism towards medical care and health care utilization. *Med Care* 1998;36:180-189.
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- Fiscella K, Franks P.** Impact of patient SES on physician profiles: a comparison of census derived and individual measures. *Med Care* 2001 2001;39:8-14.
- Doescher MP, Saver BG, Fiscella K, Franks P.** Racial/Ethnic Inequities in Continuity and Site of Care: Location, Location, Location. *Health Services Research.* 2001; 36: 78-89.
- Fiscella K, Franks P, Doescher M, Saver B.** Disparities in Healthcare by race, ethnicity, and language among the insured: findings from a national sample. *Med Care* 2002;40:52-59.
- Fiscella K, Goodwin MA, Stange KC.** Does patient educational level affect office visits to family physicians. *J Nat Med Assoc* 2002 ;94:157-165.
- Franks P, Fiscella K, Beckett L, Zwanziger J, Mooney K.** The effects of patient and physician practice socioeconomic status on the health care of privately insured managed care patients. *Med Care* 2002;40:417-424.
- Franks P, Fiscella K.** Effect of socioeconomic status on physician profiles for prevention, disease management, and diagnostic testing costs. *Med Care* 2002;40:717-724.
- Franks P, Gold M, Fiscella K.** Sociodemographics, self-rated health, and mortality in the U.S. *Soc Sci Med* 2003;56:2505-2514.
- Fiscella K, Franks P, Doescher M, Saver B.** Do HMOs affect educational disparities in health care? *Ann Fam Med* 2003;1:90-96.
- Doescher, MP, Saver Bg, Fiscella K, Franks.** Preventive care: does continuity count? *JGIM* 2004;19:632-7.
- Fiscella K, Franks P, Meldrum S.** Estimating disparity in mammography rates: it all depends on how you ask the question. *Prev Med* 2004;39:399-403.
- Fiscella K, Franks.** Should years of schooling be used to guide treatment of coronary risk factors? *Ann Fam Med* 2004;2:469-473.
- Fiscella, K, Meldrum S, Franks P, Shields CG, Duberstein P, McDaniel SH, Epstein RM.** Patient Trust: is it related to patient-centered behavior of primary care physicians? *Med Care* 2004;42;1049-55.
- Franks P, Fiscella K, Shields CG, Meldrum SC, Duberstein P, Jerant AF, Tancredi DJ, Epstein RM.** Are patients' ratings of their physicians related to health outcomes? *Ann Fam Med* 2005;3:229-234.
- Fiscella K, Franks.** Are patient HMO insurance or physician HMO participation related to racial disparities in primary care? *Am J Managed Care.* 2005;11:397-402.
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- Fiscella K, Franks P.** Does the content of primary care visits differ by the racial composition of physicians' practices? *Am J Med* 2006;119:348-353.
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- Fiscella K**, Franks P, Srinivasan, M, Kravitz, RL, Epstein, RM. Who Should Assess Physician Communication Skills? A Comparison Of Patient And Unannounced, Standardized Patient Ratings. *Ann Fam Med* 2007;5:151-8.
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- Carroll J, **Fiscella K**, Meldrum S, Williams GC, Sciamanna CN, Jean-Pierre, P, Morrow GR, Epstein RM. Clinician-Patient Communication About Physical Activity in an Underserved Population. *J Am Board Fam Med* 2008;21:18-127.
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- Fiscella K**, Kitzman H. Disparities in academic achievement and health: the intersection of child health education and health policy. *Peds* 2009;123(3):1073-80.
- Eisinger SH, Fiscella J, Bonfiglio T, Meldrum S, **Fiscella K**. Open-label study of ultra low-dose mifepristone for the treatment of uterine leiomyomata. *European Journal of Obstetrics Gynecology and Reproductive Biology* 2009; ahead of print

ONGOING

Principal Investigator: Kevin Fiscella, MD, MPH Sponsor: American Cancer Society
Project Dates: 01/01/08 – 12/31/11

Title: Primary Care-based Randomized Trial to Reduce Cancer Screening Disparities
Major goal of project: To reduce racial and socioeconomic disparities in cancer screening.

Principal Investigator: Kevin Fiscella, MD, MPH Sponsor: NHLBI/NIH
Project Number: 1R01HL081066-01A2 Project Dates: 9/01/07 – 6/30/10

Title: Using Social Risk to Guide CHD Preventive Treatment
Major goal of project: To demonstrate that incorporation of social risk into global risk assessment and preventive treatment guidelines offers potential for reducing disparities in CHD.

Principal Investigator: Kevin Fiscella, MD, MPH Sponsor: NCI/NIH
Project Number NCI/NIH U01 CA116924-01 Project Dates: 09/30/2005 - 08/30/2010

Title: RCT of Primary Care-based Patient Navigation-Activation (and admin. suppl. 5 U01 CA116924—04)
Major goal of project: To evaluate the impact of patient navigation on cancer related quality of care and racial and socioeconomic disparities in cancer-related care.

Site Investigator: Kevin Fiscella, MD, MPH (PI Jerant) Sponsor: NCI/NIH
Project Number 1R01 CA131386-01A1 Project Dates 09/01/08 – 8/31/2012

Title: Tailored Interactive Multimedia to Reduce Colorectal CA Screening Disparities
Major goal of project: To refine, implement and evaluate interactive multimedia available in English and Spanish designed to promote informed patient decision-making in colorectal cancer screening and reduce screening disparities

Principal Investigator: Kevin Fiscella, MD, MPH Sponsor: NIH/NCI
Project Number: 3U01CA116924-03S1 Project Dates: 09/01/07 – 08/31/09
Title: Minority Supplement to RCT of Primary Care-based Patient Navigation-Activation (1U01CA116924-01)
Major goal of project: The goal of this project is to provide a minority investigator with research experiences that will contribute to his development as a leading and independently funded behavioral scientist; specifically, to enhance his skills and knowledge in the design and implementation of patient navigation research and multi-institutional studies.

Principal Investigator: David Guzick, MD, PhD
Project Numbers: 1 UL1 RR024160-1/1 KL2 RR024136-1/1 TL1 RR024135-1
Sponsor: NIH/NCRR Project Dates: 09/30/06 - 9/30/11
Title: The University of Rochester's Clinical and Translational Science Institute
Role: Co-PI, CTSA/Co-Director, Community Engagement/Steering Committee member
Major goal of project: To create the University of Rochester Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute as the academic home for clinical and translational sciences, providing a centralized, integrated infrastructure.

Principal Investigator: David Guzick, MD Sponsor: NIH/NCRA
Project Dates: 07/01/07-06/30/09
Title: University of Rochester's Research Associate Organization (RRAO)
Major Goal of Project: The goal of this project is to develop the infrastructure for Rochester's Clinical and Translational Science Institute to undertake innovative research within primary care practices by establishing the RRAO to improve health outcomes of diverse populations through collaborative practice-based research.
Role: Project Co-Leader

Site Principal Investigator: Kevin Fiscella, MD, MPH Sponsor: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
Project Dates: 12/01/06 - 11/31/09
Title: RCT of Concurrent Peer Review
Major Goal of Project: The primary goal of this subcontract is to assess the impact of concurrent peer review (CPR) visits on the quality of cardiovascular and diabetic care for underserved, minority patients. The secondary aim is to assess the success of the CPR implementation process.
Role: Investigator

Principal Investigator: Peter Veazie, PhD Sponsor: NIH/NIMH
Project Dates: 9/17/07-7/31/10
Project Number: 1R21 MH075907-01-A2
Title: Web-based Lab to Study the Decision to Use Antidepressants for the Elderly
Major Goal of Project: The goal of this project is to develop a web-based software application and survey containing both patient-case descriptions and a questionnaire to facilitate research of patient race and the decision to use antidepressant treatment among the elderly.
Role: Investigator

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Principal Investigator: Kevin Fiscella, MD, MPH Sponsor: AHRQ
Project Number: R01 HS10910-01A2 Project Dates: 09/30/2002-09/29/2006
Title: The impact of HMOs on disparities
Major goal of project: The goal was to assess the scope and magnitude of racial/ethnic and socioeconomic disparities in HMOs using national surveys.

Principal Investigator: Kevin Fiscella, MD, MPH Sponsor: AHRQ/NCI
Project Number: R01 HS0 13173-01A1 Project Dates: 09/01/2003-8/31/2006
Title: Do reporting biases mitigate cost estimates?
Major goals of project: The goal of this project was :1) to determine whether there are discrepancies between racial/ethnic disparities in preventive care derived from self-report measures and those derived from Medicare claims. 2) to examine potential explanations for possible over-reporting of preventive care by racial and ethnic minorities. 3) to examine potential explanations for possible under-representation of preventive care to minorities in Medicare claims.