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Experience

Research Project Director

Center for Public Partnerships and Research, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS (2018 – present)

Associate Researcher

Center for Public Partnerships and Research, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS (2015 – 2018)

Management Systems Analyst II

Child and Family Services, Department for Children and Families, Topeka, KS (2012-2015)

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Criminal Justice Department, Fairmount College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Wichita State University, Wichita, KS (2011-2012)

Senior Diversion Coordinator

Sedgwick County District Attorney's Office, Wichita, KS (2008-2011)

Clerk of the Juvenile Court

Douglas County District Court, Lawrence, KS (2006-2008)

Hearing Facilitator

Douglas County Citizen Review Board, Lawrence, KS (2006-2008)

Education

2012 M.A. Criminal Justice, Wichita State University

2006 B.G.S. Political Science, University of Kansas





Grants / Contracts Awarded

Principle Investigator or Co-Principle Investigator

- Wisconsin Department for Children and Families (DCF) Family Foundation Home Visiting Statewide Shared Measurement Database (DAISEY) 2016 – Present \$1,333,778
- Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Bureau of Family Health Statewide Shared Measurement Database (DAISEY) 2016 – Present \$1,661,546
- Wisconsin Child Abuse & Neglect Prevention Board Statewide Shared Measurement Database (DAISEY) 2018 - Present \$567,695
- Illinois All Our Kids Network Community Referral Network Development, Evaluation, and Application (IRIS) 2018 – Present \$134,159
- Illinois Preschool Development Grant B-5 CI Pilot and Community Referral Network Implementation (IRIS) 2020 – Present \$131,690
- Early Impact Virginia Enhancements to The Institute Learning Management System for Family Support Professionals 2021 \$26,606
- Technical Assistance for communities implementing, maintaining, and expanding IRIS. (35 contracts) 2017 – Present \$202,207
- Project management and technical assistance related to The Institute for Family Support Professionals. (6 contracts) 2019 – Present \$173,577

Expertise

- Practical, community-based innovation
- Shared Measurement and Collective Impact
- Community implementation efforts grounded in implementation science principles and focused on impact, efficiency, and sustainability
- Change management and mindset shift from compliance driven data collection to collecting data for outcomes analysis, quality assurance, performance improvement, and data driven decision making in areas impacting children, youth and families.
- Project coordination for large-scale data system implementation initiatives involving state agency partners, community partners, and coordinating teams of support staff

Publications & Presentations

h-index = 1; i10-index = 0; citations = 5

Harms, R. (April 2019). Moving Beyond Stigma – Alcoholism and Suicide, a Survivor’s Perspective

Harms, R. (April 2018). Measuring What Matters – Using Data Beyond Compliance, Conference Presentation at *Governor’s Public Health Conference*, Wichita, KS.



Harms, R. (December 2017). Data Core Component Breakout Session, *Help Me Grow Summit*, Wichita, KS

Garstka, T.A., Barton, J., & Harms, R. (2017, May). Building a shared measurement system in early childhood. Conference presentation at *The 2017 National Smart Start Conference*, Greensboro, NC.

Harms, R. (April 2017). Using DAISEY Data, Café Session at *Governor's Public Health Conference*, Wichita, KS

Harms, R. (2011). Detention for Probation Violators: Characteristics of Youth Locked up for Violating Probation. (Master's Thesis). Wichita State University, Wichita, KS.

Craig-Moreland, D., Beeson, J. & Harms, R. (2011). Benchmark 5 Report Update: An Assessment of Risk Factors and Juvenile Justice Authority Outcomes for the 18th Judicial District Comprehensive Plan for Juvenile Delinquency Prevention.

Beeson, J., Craig-Moreland, D., & Harms, R. (2011). Juvenile Justice Authority & Crime Prevention Funded

Programs in Sedgwick County: Program Evaluation for State Fiscal Year 2011.

Harms, R. (May, 2011). Benchmark 5 Report Update, *Juvenile Corrections Advisory Board*, Wichita, KS

Harms, R. (May, 2011). Benchmark 5 Report Update, *Detention Utilization Committee*, Wichita, KS

Harms, R. (August, 2011). Detention for Probation Violators: Characteristics of Youth Locked Up for Violating Probation, *Detention Utilization Committee*, Wichita, KS

Harms, R. (December, 2011). Detention for Probation Violators: Characteristics of Youth Locked Up for Violating Probation, *Juvenile Corrections Advisory Board*, Wichita, KS

