A Letter from our Leadership

Thank you for viewing the April 2022 edition of our newsletter. You’ll find 28 recent articles published by our faculty in this issue. This month, we are excited to share two new visual abstracts: the first, based on findings from an IPC core project led by Dr. Allison Lin and team that focuses on alcohol-involved overdose deaths among U.S. veterans; and the second, based on the research of Drs. Laura Seewald/Vijay Singh and team that focuses on technology-facilitated violence. Also, watch Dr. Erin Bonar speak as part of a PBS Featured Interview, "Cannabis and Driving Under the Influence." Read commentary by Drs. Jason Goldstick, Patrick Carter, and Rebecca Cunningham for NBC Breaking News and Michigan Health Lab based on our research letter published by NEJM this month, focusing on firearm fatalities among children and teens in 2020. Please consider joining us for the 2022 National Research Conference on Firearm Injury Prevention scheduled for November 29-December 1, 2022, in Washington, DC, and see the call for symposia and abstracts. Finally, we have shared new funding opportunities, jobs, and fellowships below, including opportunities with the U-M Institute for Firearm Injury Prevention.

We encourage you to visit our U-M Injury Center website and follow us on Twitter and Facebook.

Thank you for the continued partnership.

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Director

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Latest NEWS

Core Faculty Dr. Erin Bonar in PBS Featured Interview

We're excited to share that IPC core faculty Dr. Erin Bonar, PhD, spoke during a PBS Featured Interview, "Cannabis and Driving Under the Influence".

More

Firearm Fatalities as Top Cause of Death in Children and Teens in 2020: Read Commentary From Study Co-Authors Drs. Goldstick, Carter, and Cunningham
This month, the New England Journal of Medicine published a Research Letter from U-M IPC Core Faculty Dr. Jason Goldstick, Senior Advisor Dr. Rebecca Cunningham, and IPC Director Dr. Patrick Carter that analyzed recent updates for the causes of death among children and teens. Findings revealed that in 2020, firearm-related fatalities surpassed motor vehicle crash deaths among children and teens, a rate 29% higher than in 2019. An NBC Breaking News article quoted Dr. Goldstick on this work, and read more from Michigan Health Lab.

Call for Abstracts and Symposia for the 2022 National Research Conference on Firearms Injury Prevention

The 2022 National Research Conference on Firearm Injury Prevention (to be held in Washington, DC, November 29-December 1, 2022), aims to bring attention and focus to the current state of the science and research on firearm injury prevention across the lifespan. The Scientific Committee of the Conference is seeking symposia and abstract submissions on research encompassing all aspects of firearm injury prevention, and from a wide array of disciplines.

Learn More

U-M IPC VISUAL ABSTRACTS

This month, the University of Michigan Injury Prevention Center is excited to offer two new visual abstracts.

Alcohol-Involved Overdose Deaths in US Veterans

This new visual abstract highlights findings from an IPC Core Project conducted by core faculty Dr. Lewei (Allison) Lin and team:

The abstract focuses on a study, “Alcohol-involved Overdose Deaths in U.S. Veterans.” The researchers found that alcohol-involved overdose is increasing and primarily related to overdoses involving opioids and other substances. Read More

Technology-Facilitated Violence Prevalence and Associations among a Nationally Representative Sample of Young Men

This new visual abstract focuses on a study conducted by Dr. Laura Seewald and team including IPC core faculty Drs. Richard Tolman, Shawna Lee, Quyen Ngo, and Vijay Singh, as well as Drs. Tova Walsh and Lauren Reed:

The abstract is based on the team's findings published in the Annals of Family Medicine, that are drawn from a survey of 1,079 men to determine technology-facilitated violence prevalence and associations. Researchers found that nearly one in three men in the U.S. had received or sent technology-facilitated threats. Read More
U-M IPC
MEMBERSHIP

The University of Michigan Injury Prevention Center benefits from the active participation of faculty, researchers, students, trainees, practitioners, and others interested in supporting injury prevention.

Click here to see our Core Faculty and Practitioners, our full membership list and access our membership application.

We appreciate the efforts of current members, faculty, and practitioners in referring colleagues, students, and co-workers to apply to join our diverse injury prevention community.

Become a Member

Upcoming EVENTS

2022 Michigan Harm Reduction Summit
Date: May 17-19, 2022
Location: Virtual

SAVE the DATE: 33rd Annual Moses Gunn Research Conference 2022
Date: May 26, 2022
Location: Palmer Commons, Ann Arbor, MI

Great Lakes Encounter Symposium 2022
Date: June 1-4, 2022
Safety Track: Boldly Battling Drowning, June 4th
Location: Michigan Tech University, Houghton, MI

2022 National Research Conference on Firearm Injury Prevention
Date: November 29 - December 1, 2022
Location: Washington, DC

MORE EVENTS

Helpful RESOURCES

NOW AVAILABLE:
MICHIGAN OPIOID LEGISLATION TRACKING TOOL
2019-2020 & 2021-2022 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS

Michigan Opioid Legislation Tracking Tool
The University of Michigan Injury Prevention Center is excited to share a new tool that tracks opioid-related bills and amendments as they are introduced to the Michigan legislature. This tool was set up so that information can be sorted and filtered, allowing users to focus on the legislation most pertinent to their work.

U-M IPC Faculty
PUBLICATIONS

Our Injury Prevention Center funded faculty members are advancing the science of injury prevention every day. Check out some recently published work below by injury topic. To see the full searchable list or review our Publication Summaries and Visual Abstracts, click HERE.

Publications 3/1/22 through 4/11/22 (Online and Journal)

Opioid and Overdose
Suicide


Violence


Concussion/TBI


ACES and Other Emerging Areas


FUNDING Opportunities

Click below for links to external funding opportunities that are relevant to injury prevention research. We regularly scan and update this list, which is located in the Resources for Researchers area of our site.

New Injury Prevention Research Funding Opportunities

Opioid and Overtose

The Role of Dentistry in the Prevention of Opioid Drug Misuse and Abuse (UG3/UH3 Clinical Trial Optional) (NIH RFA-DE-23-010; Closing Date for Applications: May 10, 2022)

Suicide

Expansion of Comprehensive Suicide Prevention Across the U.S. (NOFO) (CDC RFA-CE22-2204; Closing date for applications: June 6, 2022)

Concussion

Traumatic Brain Injury State Partnership Program (Administration for Community Living CHHS-2022-ACL-AOD-TRSG-0047; Closing Date for Applications: May 01, 2022)

ACES & Other Emerging Areas

Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC)– Improvement and Advancement Grants (SAMHSA SM-22-012; Application Due Date: May 17, 2022)

MORE Funding Opportunities

FELLOWSHIP & JOB Opportunities

See Who's Hiring in the Field of Injury Prevention

We've noted below some recent job/fellowship announcements. Click below to visit our IPC web page that contains listings of additional external jobs, post-doctoral
CDC ORAU/ORISE Fellowship Opportunity (Violence Prevention/ACES)

An ORAU/ORISE Fellowship opportunity (Reference Code: CDC-NCIPC-2022-0119) is currently available with the Research and Evaluation Branch (REB), Division of Violence Prevention (DVP), within the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control (NCIPC) at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) in Atlanta, Georgia. Applications must apply by May 9, 2022 at 3 pm ET. (Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.)

Post Doctoral Fellowship in Firearm Injury Prevention Research

The University of Michigan Institute for Firearm Injury Prevention is recruiting for up to six outstanding early-career research investigators to undertake an intensive two-year post-doctoral program of mentored, applied research focusing on the nature and prevention of firearm injuries. Positions will be awarded on a competitive basis to individuals who have completed a doctoral degree program (M.D., Ph.D., D.Ph., or equivalent) and have demonstrated commitment and interest in firearm injury prevention research as a primary career focus. Posting End Date July 1, 2022 (Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.)

MORE Job and Fellowship Opportunities

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