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### EDUCATION

PhD in Social Welfare  
University of Wisconsin-Madison, WI  
Focus of study: Developmental Disabilities: Friendships

PhD August 2007

Masters of Social Work  
University of Wisconsin-Madison, WI  
Focus of study: Developmental Disabilities: Futures Planning

MSSW

Bachelor of Science in Sociology / Social Work  
Montana State University, Bozeman, MT  
Focus of study: Developmental Disabilities Services

BS/BSW

### Institutes

Fellow, The Institute for Life-Span Development & Gerontology (2017- present)  
Faculty Senate / University Council ad hoc Human Development Committee (2018)

### CREDENTIALS

Licensed Clinical Social Worker in the State of Wisconsin,  
License: #3804-123 (Active since 1995)  
Certificate in Synchronous Distance Learning, University of Akron, May 2012

### PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

- 1976-1980      **Live-in staff person-** Reach Inc., Bozeman, Montana. Residential support to seven individuals with developmental disabilities,
- 1980-1988      **Live-in unit manager-** Hope Community Resources, Anchorage, Alaska. Residential support to four individuals with Developmental Disabilities, **Resource Specialist (Case Manager/Service coordinator), and Intake Coordinator (Administration),**
- 1989 & 1990      **Resource Specialist-** Hope Community Resources, Anchorage, Alaska (Summer position). Person Centered Planning with Native Alaskans with developmental disabilities in their home communities.
- 1990-2007      **Teaching Assistant/Research Assistant-** University of Wisconsin-Madison. Teaching Assistant for the Introductory Social Work Class for two semesters, Research Assistant for the Developmental Disabilities and Aging Consortium: Life Long Planning Initiative for two semesters. Since 1992, I have worked part-time, year-round, to assist in the design and implementation of a distance education course on developmental

disabilities. Each semester, I worked individually with approximately 65 undergraduate and graduate students, graded exams, and assisted in discussion groups with students in person, and online.

2010-2014 **Ad Hoc Senior Lecturer.** School of Social Work, University of Akron, Akron, Ohio.

2014-Present **Visiting Assistant Professor,** School of Social Work, University of Akron, Akron, Ohio.

### **CONSULTATION**

1988-1990 University of Wisconsin- Madison, School of Social Work contract with the Illinois Department of Development Disability Services to monitor approximately 100 Illinois state residents who were placed in residential facilities in Wisconsin. I traveled to seven facilities quarterly to review progress records, meet individually with residents, and staff in order to submit status reports.

1996-1997 Program development and training in Person Centered Planning with individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities working with state and local agencies in Anchorage and rural areas in Alaska. Grant funded through the Alaska Department of Health and Social Services; Hope Community Resources.

2002-2003 Facilitated a series of focus groups with parents of children with disabilities and performed qualitative analysis for grant-funded project. (Grant from the American Academy of Pediatrics, Community Access to Child Health Program)

2002-2004 Qualitative research and research design consultation regarding Early Childhood Mental Health Initiative Evaluation Project at Akron Children's Hospital (Grant from the Ohio Department of Mental Health)

2005-2006 Consultation to develop training materials for a grant-funded project about "Improving adherence with appointment keeping in pediatric primary care" (Grant funded by Akron Children's Hospital Research Foundation)

2008 Qualitative research analysis and consultation on grant-funded project, "Barriers to Immunization among the Amish in Ohio". Grant funded by the Akron Children's Hospital Research Foundation)

2009-2010 Development, implementation, and analysis of a needs assessment with Karen refugees from Myanmar for grant funded project titled: "Medical Home Enhancement for Refugee Children". (CATCH Grant from the American Academy of Pediatrics).

- 2009-2012 Research Coordinator for the Tele-Health Kids Project. Grant funded through the Health Resources and Services Administration: Office for the Advancement of Telehealth and the Akron Children's Hospital Research Foundation.
- 2017- present Program consultant for Ardmore Inc. to develop community building opportunities for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

- Song Award (1985) Hope Community Resources, Anchorage, Alaska.
- Student of the Year (1994) Friends of the Waisman Center, Madison, Wisconsin.
- Arc Volunteer Award (1995) Dane County Arc, Madison, Wisconsin.
- PTA Helping Hands Award (2015) Copley High School
- PTA Helping Hands Award (2015) Copley-Fairlawn School District
- PTA Helping Hands Award (2015) District 13, nine counties in Northeast Ohio.
- Ohio PTA Achievement Award (2016) Ohio PTA

### **MAJOR RESEARCH INTERESTS**

- Aging and Developmental Disabilities
- Telemedicine Applications for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities
- Friendships of Adults with Intellectual Disabilities
- Person Centered Planning
- Community Building
- Qualitative Research
- Social Inclusion

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (AAIDD); Social Work Division Special Interest Group Chair– 2016- Present

Manuscript reviewer of conference proposals (2017, 2018)

Moderator of annual conference platform presentation (2017, 2018)

American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (AAIDD); Social Work Division Vice Chair – 2015- 2016

Manuscript reviewer for Journal of Child Health Care (2017- present)

Manuscript reviewer for Intellectual Disabilities (2018)

The Autism Society of Greater Akron; Autism Summit Steering Committee (Member 2016-2017)

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Refereed**

Owings, N.O. & McManus, M.D. (1980). An analysis of communication functions in the speech of a deinstitutionalized adult mentally retarded client. *Mental Retardation*. 18, (6), 309-14.

Owings, N.O., McManus, M.D, & Scherer, N. (1981). A deinstitutionalized retarded adult's use of communication functions in a natural setting. *The British Journal of Disorders of Communication*. 16, (2), 119-28.

Wenger OK, McManus MD, Bower JR, & Langkamp DL. (2011). Barriers to immunization in the Amish of northeast Ohio: A separatist community shares concern of broader American society. *Pediatrics* 128:79-85, 2011.

Langkamp, D. L., McManus, M. D., & Blakemore, S. D. (2015). Telemedicine for children with developmental disabilities: A more effective clinical process than office-based care. *Telemedicine and e-Health*; 21(2), Manuscript ID TMJ-2013-0379.

Bogenschutz, M., Amado, A., Smith, C. Carter, E., Copeland, M, Dattillo, J., Gaventa, B., Hall, S., McManus, M., Quraishi, S., Romer, L., & Walker, P. (2015). National research goals for social inclusion of people with IDD. *Inclusion*. 3(4), 211-218. doi: 10.1352/2326-6988-3.4.211.

### **Nonrefereed**

Breedlove, L., Wilson, M., McManus, M., & et al., (1992). "I want to visit the Grand Ole Opry": Learning from listening to elders with developmental disabilities. Wisconsin Life Long Planning Initiative, Wisconsin Council and Developmental Disabilities.

Wilson, M., McManus, M.D., & Breedlove, L. (1992). When I am no longer here: What parents want for their adult children with developmental disabilities. Wisconsin Life Long Planning Initiative, Wisconsin Council and Developmental Disabilities.

Kidd-Webster, S., Ulmer, D., & McManus, M. (1993). National models of supported parenting programs. Wisconsin Council on Developmental Disabilities.

### **Publications in Progress**

(Proposed Journals)

McManus, M.D. Quality of life, Social Support, and friendships of Adults with Intellectual Disabilities. (Summer of 2019); *American Journal on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (AJIDD)*.

### **Research in Progress**

McManus, M.D. Mindfulness research in outpatient trauma therapy groups.

McManus, M.D. Immunizations with children with Down syndrome: A qualitative study of parental beliefs.

### **PRESENTATIONS**

Owings, N.O., & McManus, M.D. Communication functions analysis of a deinstitutionalized adult mentally retarded client. Concurrent presentation at the 105<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the American Association on Mental Retardation Boston, MA. May 1981.

McManus, M.D. (1982). A continuum of service for persons with mental retardation. Poster presentation at the 1982 Annual TASH Conference, San Francisco, CA. December 1982.

McManus, M.D. PASS Training Workshop Team Leader, Milwaukee, WI. March 1990.

Wilson, M., & McManus, M.D. (1992, March). Person Centered Planning with Children with Developmental Disabilities, Platform presentation at the Wisconsin Department of Developmental Disabilities Annual Family Support Conference, Appleton, WI. March 1992.

White, P., Heimerl, C., & McManus, M.D. No Time For the Pain: A Discussion group for Dads

with Children with Developmental Disabilities, Concurrent session at the Challenging Behavioral Issues Workshop, Wisconsin Dells, WI. June 1992.

McManus, M.D. Homeownership and Community Living Options for Persons with Developmental Disabilities. Platform presentation for the Wisconsin Council on Developmental Disabilities in Madison, La Crosse, Appleton, and Milwaukee, WI. April 1993.

McManus, M.D. Friendships of People with Developmental Disabilities. Concurrent presentation at The First Annual Health Promotion Conference, Madison, WI. May 1994.

McManus, M.D. Friendships and Social Networks of People with Developmental Disabilities. Keynote presentation at the Wisconsin Council on Developmental Disabilities semi-annual Statewide Developmental Disabilities Network Meeting, Appleton, WI. April 1995.

McManus, M.D., & Anderson, D.J. Issues in developmental disabilities: Distance education. Exhibit presentation at 123<sup>rd</sup> annual meeting of the American Association on Mental Retardation, New Orleans, LA. May 1999.

McManus, M.D., & Anderson, D.J. Issues in developmental disabilities: Distance education. Exhibit presentation at 124<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the American Association on Mental Retardation, Washington, D.C. May 2000.

Degeneffe, C. E., Anderson, D., & McManus, M. *Internet-based distance education on developmental disabilities*. Concurrent presentation for the annual meeting of the National Rehabilitation Association. Cleveland, OH. September 2000.

McManus, M.D., & Anderson, D.J. Issues in developmental disabilities: Continuing education in mental retardation credits via distance education. (Exhibit presentation at 125<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the American Association on Mental Retardation, Denver, CO. May 2001.

McManus, M.D., & Anderson, D.J. Issues in developmental disabilities: continuing education in mental retardation credits via distance education. (Exhibit presentation at 126<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the American Association on Mental Retardation, Orlando, FL. May, 2002.

McManus, M.D. Tele-Health-Kids: Telemedicine and children with special health care needs. Platform presentation at the Ohio Council on Developmental Disabilities, Policy Committee Meeting. Columbus, OH. March 2010.

Langkamp, D.L., Blakemore, S.D, & McManus, M.D. Who uses school –based telemedicine for children with special health care needs (CSHCN) and why? Concurrent presentation at the Pediatric Academic Societies Meeting, Vancouver, BC .May 2010.

Blakemore SD, Durant-Jones L, Langkamp DL, McConnochie K, McManus MD, Orlando M,

Sulkes S, Wood N, Engel S, Hesselbarth R, & Young-Miller G. Reactions of Families of Children with Special Health Care Needs to School-based Telehealth. Poster presentation at the Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Boston MA. June 2010.

McManus, M.D. Qualitative research methods. Invited guest lecturer, 7750:441:401 Social Work Research II, University of Akron-School of Social Work, Akron, OH. July 2010.

McManus, M.D. Telemedicine Services with Individuals with developmental disabilities. Invited guest lecturer. Hope Resources Inc., Anchorage, AK. August 2010.

Langkamp DL, McManus MD, & Blakemore SD. Parents' perceptions of school-based telemedicine for rural children with special health care needs. Poster presentation at the Society for Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Annual Meeting, Boston – September 12, 2010.

Langkamp DL, Blakemore SD, & McManus MD. Which children with special health care needs use school –based telemedicine? Poster presentation at the American Telemedicine Association Mid-Year Meeting, Baltimore – September 27, 2010.

McConnochie KM, Langkamp DL, McManus MD, Sulkes S, Wood NE, & Blakemore SD. Acceptance of telemedicine by parents of developmentally disabled children in urban and rural communities. Poster Presentation, AHRQ Annual Meeting - Washington, DC. Sept. 2010.

McManus, M.D. Guardianship and estate planning for individuals with developmental disabilities. Invited Guest Lecturer, Fellowship Training Seminar, Akron Children's Hospital, Akron, OH. February 2011.

McManus, M.D. Special education laws for individuals with developmental disabilities. Invited Guest Lecturer, Fellowship Training Seminar, Akron Children's Hospital, Akron, OH. March 2011.

Langkamp DL, McConnochie KM, McManus MD, & Blakemore SD. Can school-based telemedicine reduce healthcare costs by reducing emergency department visits for minor acute illnesses? Poster presentation at the Pediatric Academic Societies Meeting, Denver, CO. April 30, 2011.

Langkamp DL, McConnochie KM, McManus MD, & Blakemore SD. Rural children with developmental disabilities: Health care costs & parental employment. Poster for the Pediatric Academic Societies Annual Meeting, Boston, MA. April 30, 2012.

McManus, M.D. Ethical, legal, and advocacy issues related to developmental behavioral disorders. Invited Guest Lecturer, Resident and Fellowship Training Seminar, Akron Children's Hospital, Akron, OH, .July, 2012, and 2013.

McManus, M.D. Qualitative research methods in medical education. Invited Guest Lecturer,

Fellowship Training Seminar, Akron Children's Hospital, Akron, OH. July 2012, and 2013.

Langkamp DL, Blakemore SD, & McManus MD. Which children with special health care needs use school –based telemedicine? Poster presentation at the Ohio National Association of Social Workers, Columbus, OH, November 20, 2014.

McManus, M.D. Social relationships of individuals with intellectual disabilities. Panel presentation at the 139<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the American Association on Intellectual Developmental Disabilities, Louisville, KY, June 2, 2015.

McManus, M.D. Innovative approaches to postsecondary education for students with an intellectual disability. Discussion group at the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual Council on Social Work Education, Denver, CO. October 18, 2015.

McManus, M.D. The next frontier in social inclusion goals: Supporting people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Poster presentation at the Ohio National Association of Social Workers, Columbus, OH, November 12, 2015.

McManus, M.D. Self- advocates link with social workers to build social inclusion. Poster presentation at the 140<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the American Association on Intellectual Developmental Disabilities, Atlanta, GA, June 7, 2015.

McManus, M.D. Talk less and listen more: Increase friendships and social inclusion. Platform presentation at the Autism Summit of the Autism Society of Greater Akron, Fairlawn, OH, November 4, 2016.

McManus, M.D. Realistic friendships of individuals with intellectual disabilities. Poster presentation at the Ohio National Association of Social Workers, Columbus, OH, November 17, 2016.

McManus, M.D. Issues in developmental disabilities. Continuing education seminar. School of Social Work, Akron, OH. March 3, 2017.

McManus, M.D. Community building with individuals with intellectual and development disabilities. Ardmore Inc. staff retreat, Peninsula, OH. March 8, 2017.

McManus, M.D. Social work education at the University of Akron. US-China Social Work Education Workshop, Zhejiang University of Financial & Economic Social Work Department, Hangzhou, China. October 13, 2017.

McManus, M.D. Community integration- The next step- social inclusion. US-China Social Work Education Workshop, Zhejiang University of Financial & Economic Social Work Department, Hangzhou, China. October 13, 2017.

McManus, M.D. Community building with people with developmental disabilities in the United States, Henan University, School of Education, Kaifeng, China. October 23, 2017.

McManus, M.D. Social inclusion: Where are all the people with developmental disabilities?  
Poster presentation at the Ohio National Association of Social Workers, Columbus, OH,  
November 16, 2017.

McManus, M.D., Zhao, B., & Schulze, P. Presenting travel experiences to four universities in  
China. Brown bag seminar, School of Social Work and Center for Family Studies,  
University of Akron, Akron, OH, December 1, 2017.

McManus, M.D. Community Building CEU seminar. School of Social Work, Akron, OH. March  
2, 2018.

### **DISSERTATION**

McManus, M.D. (2007). Quality of life and social relationships of individuals with intellectual  
disabilities. University of Wisconsin-Madison, p.175 (UMI No. 3278996).

### **INVITATIONS**

The Social Inclusion strand of the *National Goals in Research, Practice and Policy* working  
meeting held August 6-7, 2015, in Washington, DC. This was an invitation only, working  
meeting jointly organized by the Community Living/Institute on Community Integration (MN  
UCEDD), The Arc of the US, the American Association on Intellectual and Developmental  
Disabilities (AAIDD), the Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD), the  
Developmental Disabilities and Health/Institute on Disability and Human Development (IL  
UCEDD), and the Employment at the University of Massachusetts Boston, with the support of  
NIDDR and AIDD.

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Ardmore Inc. **Building community and empowering people with disabilities.**  
Human Rights Committee (Member 2018)

Autism Society of Greater Akron  
Autism Summit Steering Committee (Member 2016-2017)

Copley Fairlawn School District,  
Copley Music Boosters- President 2013-2016  
PTSA Council Delegate for the Copley Fairlawn School District (2010- 2014)  
PTSA Council Treasurer for the Copley Fairlawn School District (2014- 2016)  
PTSA First Vice President Middle School, (2009-2010)  
PTSA Executive Board member at Herberich Elementary School 2004-2007)

Rosemont Ridge Homeowners Association,  
President, (Elected 2011-2016)  
Vice President, (Elected 2009-2010) (2017-2018)  
Executive Board Trustee. (Elected 2008)

Bath United Church of Christ  
Youth Mission Trip, Brandon, MN. (June 11-20, 2012)  
Miller Avenue UCC, Youth Center Volunteer, (2014-2015)