

# Brief Curriculum Vitae

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## EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

### Education

2000 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Iowa.  
1982 M.S.W., Social Work, University of Iowa  
1976 B.A., Sociology, University of Delaware

### Professional and Academic Positions

2021-present Associate Professor of Social Work, Executive Director, National Resource Center for Family Centered Practice, Co-Director, Iowa Consortium for Substance Abuse Research and Evaluation, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

Aug-Dec 2020 PhD Program Director, School of Social Work, Associate Professor of Social Work, Executive Director, National Resource Center for Family Centered Practice, Co-Director, Iowa Consortium for Substance Abuse Research and Evaluation, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

Jan-June 2020 Interim DEO, School of Social Work, Associate Professor of Social Work, Executive Director, National Resource Center for Family Centered Practice, Co-Director, Iowa Consortium for Substance Abuse Research and Evaluation, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

2018-2020 Associate Professor of Social Work, Executive Director, National Resource Center for Family Centered Practice, Co-Director, Iowa Consortium for Substance Abuse Research and Evaluation, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

2007-2018 Associate Professor of Social Work, Executive Director, National Resource Center for Family Centered Practice, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

2000-2007 Assistant Professor of Social Work and Executive Director, National Resource Center for Family Centered Practice, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

1998-2000 Associate Research Scientist, National Resource Center for Family-Centered Practice, University of Iowa School of Social Work, Iowa City

## SCHOLARSHIP

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### Publications

#### *Refereed Articles*

Landsman, M.J. (2020). In-home child welfare services. In *Oxford Bibliographies in Social Work* Ed. Edward J. Mullen. New York: Oxford University Press.

Coohey, C. & Landsman, M.J. (2019). The field instructor supervision scale. *Journal of Social Work Education*, 1-13.

Stensland, M., & Landsman, M.J. (2017). Burnout among Iowa hospice workers: A test of the job demands-resources model. *Journal of Social Work in End-of-Life & Palliative Care*, 13(4), 219-238.

Landsman, M.J. & Rosenwald, M. (2017). Strategies for strengthening the utility of research in supportive housing – child welfare partnerships. *Child Welfare*, 94 (2), 135-150.

Boel-Studt, S. M., & Landsman, M. J. (2016). Mixed Methods Study of the Effectiveness of Intensive Family Finding Services with Youth in Congregate Care. *Journal of Public Child Welfare*, 1-21.

Landsman, M.J. (2015). The changing landscape of in-home child welfare services. *Journal of Public Child Welfare*, 9:5, 417-422, DOI: 10.1080/15548732.2015.1116337.

D'Aunno, L., Boel-Studt, S., & Landsman, M.J. (2014). Evidence based elements of in-home child welfare services. *Journal of Family Strengths*, 14 (1), Article 3.

Landsman, M.J., Boel-Studt, S., and Malone, K. (2014). Results from a family-finding experiment. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 36. 62-69.

Landsman, M.J., & D'Aunno, L. (2012). Developing a framework for child welfare supervision. *Journal of Family Strengths*, 12 (1), article 10, <http://digitalcommons.library.tmc.edu/jfs/vol12/iss1/10>.

Landsman, M.J. & Kennedy, J. (2012). Bridging aging and child welfare: The case of grandparents raising grandchildren. *The International Journal of Aging in Society*, 1 (3), 13-24.

Landsman, M.J., & Boel-Studt, S. (2011). Fostering Families' and Children's Rights to Family Connections. *Child Welfare*, 90 (4), 19-40.

Landsman, M.J., & D'Aunno, L. (2010). Improving Outcomes for Youth in Transition. Special Issue on Independent Living. A. Barbee & B. Antle (Eds). *Training and Development in Human Services*, 5 (1), 80-93.

Barbee, A. P., Taylor, J., Antle, B. F., Sullivan, D. J., Landsman, M.J., & Gilbaugh, P. C. (2010). Matrix of the Key Components in Each of the Original Independent Living Grantee Curricula. Special Issue on Independent Living. A. Barbee & B. Antle (Eds). *Training and Development in Human Services*, 5 (1), 8-20.

- Landsman, M.J. (2008). Pathways to organizational commitment. *Administration in Social Work, 32*(2), 105-132. Received Slavin-Patti Award for Scholarly Excellence in April 2009.
- Landsman, M.J. (2007). Supporting supervisors to improve retention. *Child Welfare, 86* (2), 105-124.
- Landsman, M.J. & Hartley, C. (2007). Attributing responsibility for child maltreatment when domestic violence is present. *Child Abuse and Neglect: The International Journal, 31* (4), 445-461.
- Mueller, C.W. & Landsman, M. (2004). Legitimacy and justice perceptions. *Social Psychology Quarterly, 67* (2), 189-202.
- Landsman, M.J., Thompson, K., & Barber, G. (2003). Using mediation to achieve permanency for children and families. *Families in Society, 84* (2), 229-239.
- Landsman, M.J., Barber, G., & Thompson, K. (2002). Expediting permanency through community decision making. *Juvenile and Family Court Journal, 53* (4), 79-90.
- Landsman, M.J. (2002). Rural child welfare from an 'organization-in-environment' perspective. *Child Welfare, special issue on child welfare in rural communities, 81* (5), 791-819.
- Landsman, M.J. (2001). Commitment in public child welfare. *Social Service Review, 75* (3), 386-419.
- Landsman, M.J., Groza, V., Tyler, M., & Malone, K. (2001). Outcomes of family-centered residential treatment. *Child Welfare, 80* (3), 351-379.
- Nelson, K.E., Cross, T., Landsman, M.J. and Tyler, M. (1996). Native American families and child neglect. *Children and Youth Services Review, 18* (6), 505-521.
- Nelson, K.E., Saunders, E.J. and Landsman, M.J. (1993). Chronic child neglect in perspective. *Social Work, 38* (6), 661-671.
- Saunders, E.J., Nelson, K.E. and Landsman, M.J. (1993). Racial inequality and child neglect: Findings in a metropolitan area. *Child Welfare, 72* (4), 341-354.
- Nelson, K.E., Landsman, M.J. and Deutelbaum, W. (1990). Three models of family-centered placement prevention services. *Child Welfare, 69* (1), 3-21.

### *Books*

- Nelson, K.E. & Landsman, M.J. (1992). *Alternative Models of Family Preservation: Family Based Services in Context*. Springfield, IL: Charles Thomas, Inc, 245 pp.

### *Refereed Book chapters*

- Landsman, M.J. (2013). Family Centered Practice. In K. Briar-Lawson, M. McCarthy, & N. Dickinson (Eds.), *The Children's Bureau: Shaping a century of child welfare practices, programs and policies*. Washington, D.C.: NASW Press, pp. 59-78.

Landsman, M.J. (2013). Re-professionalizing the child welfare workforce. In A. Lieberman and K. Nelson (Eds.) *Women and Children First: The Contributions of the Children's Bureau to Social Work Education*. Washington, D.C.: Council on Social Work Education, pp. 155-78.

### **Selected Grants and Contracts**

- Jun 2021-Jun 2027 *Iowa Peer Workforce Collaborative*  
Funded by SAMSHA and IDHS, Division of Mental Health and Disability Services. Award amount: (\$3,000,000). Co-Principal Investigator.
- Oct 2018-Sep 2023 *Iowa Children and Family Collaborative*  
Funded by USDHHS, ACF, Children's Bureau. Award amount: (\$750,000.00). Principal Investigator.
- Oct 2018-Sep 2023 *Stabilizing Homeless to Achieve Recovery Project*  
Funded by SAMHSA. Award amount: (\$355,000). Principal Investigator.
- May 2018-Jul 2019 *Iowa NASW Workforce Study*  
Funded by National Association of Social Workers and Telligent Community Initiatives. Award amount: (\$27,059.00). Principal Investigator.
- Oct 2012-Sep 2018 *Evaluation of PUSH-CR (Supportive Housing and Child Welfare)*  
Funded by U.S. Department of Health & Human Service Administration for Children and Families Children's Bureau and Four Oaks. Award amount: (\$550,000.00). Principal Investigator.
- Oct 2013-Mar 2017 *Family Support Workforce Study*  
Funded by Iowa Department of Public Health. Award amount: (\$300,000.00). Principal Investigator.
- Oct 2009-Sep 2014 *National Resource Center for In-Home Services*  
Funded by U.S. Department of Health & Human Service Administration for Children and Families Children's Bureau. Award amount: (\$4,750,000.00). Principal Investigator.
- Oct 2009-Sep 2012 *Experimental study of Family Connections Project*  
Funded by U.S. Department of Health & Human Service Administration for Children and Families Children's Bureau and Four Oaks. Award amount: (\$150,000.00). Principal Investigator.
- Oct 2005-Sep 2008 *Improving Outcomes for Youth in Transition*  
Funded by U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Children's Bureau. Award amount: (\$735,000.00). Principal Investigator.

Oct 2003–Sep 2008 *Improving Recruitment and Retention in Public Child Welfare*  
Funded by U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Administration  
for Children and Families, Children’s Bureau. Award amount:  
(\$1,000,000.00). Principal Investigator.

Oct 2000-Sep 2004 *Evaluation of Community Decision-Making for Permanency*  
Funded by U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Administration  
for Children and Families, Children’s Bureau, Iowa Court Improvement  
Project. Award amount: (\$75,000.00). Principal Investigator.

### **Selected Conference Presentations**

Landsman, M.J. (2022). Examining impacts of a supportive housing and child welfare experiment. Society for Social Work and Research, Annual Meeting, Washington, DC (January).

Landsman, M.J. (2020). Results from a statewide workforce assessment. Society for Social Work and Research, Annual Meeting, Washington, DC (January).

Britner, P., Cunningham, M., Haight, J., Landsman, M.J., Nouer, S., & Shine, A. (2019). *Implementation and Sustainability Lessons from a 5-site Demonstration on Supportive Housing for Families in the Child Welfare System*. U.S. Children’s Bureau Child Welfare Evaluation Summit, Washington, D.C. (August).

Landsman, M.J. (2019). *Organizations and Social Problem Solving in a Supportive Housing and Child Welfare Program*, Society for the Study of Social Problems, New York, New York (August).

Landsman, M.J. (2019). *Innovating online social work education using multiple technologies*, European Association of Schools of Social Work, Madrid, Spain (June).

Landsman, M.J. (2019). *Results from a Demonstration of Community Collaboration for Supportive Housing and Child Welfare*, National Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect, Washington, DC (April).

Landsman, M.J. (2018). A mixed methods analysis of supportive housing child welfare. Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, Philadelphia, PA (August).

Landsman, M.J. (2018). Strengthening the rights of families and children through supportive housing. Social Work, Education, and Social Development 2018, Dublin, Ireland (July).

Landsman, M.J. & D’Aunno, L. (2017) *Child Welfare Supervision as a Key Strategy for Providing Effective Involuntary Services*. Effective Strategies for Working with Involuntary Clients: International Perspectives, Prato Centre of Monash University, Prato, Italy (May).

Coohy, C. & Landsman, M.J. (2017). Development and Validation of the Field Instructor Supervision Scale 2.0. Society of Social Work and Research, Washington, DC (January).

Landsman, M.J. (2017). Challenging Boundaries Through Online Social Work Education. EASSW-UNAFORIS 2017 European Conference, Paris, France (June).

- Landsman, M.J. (2017). Results of a Longitudinal Statewide Study of the Family Support Workforce. Annual Meeting of the Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA (January).
- Stensland, M., & Landsman, M.J. (2016). Burnout Among Midwestern Hospice Workers: A Test of the Job Demands-Resources Model. Council on Social Work Education Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA (November).
- Farrell, A.F., Lery, B., & Landsman, M.J. (2016). Target, Triage, & Timing: Lessons in Promoting Well Being in a Housing and Child Welfare Demonstration. National Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect, Washington, D.C. (September).
- Rosenwald, M., & Landsman, M.J. (2016). The Use of Evaluation to Strengthen the “System of Care” for Youth: The Example of Supportive Housing Models in Child Welfare. 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Research and Policy Conference on Child, Adolescent, and Young Adult Behavioral Health, Tampa, FL (March).
- Landsman, M.J. (2015). Practice and Evidence in Afterschool Programs in the United States. International conference of the National Youth Policy Institute, Seoul, South Korea (May). Invited.
- Boel-Studt, S., & Landsman, M.J. (2015). Comparing Differences in the Effect of Family Finding for Youth with and without Previous Group Care. Annual meeting of the Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA (January).
- Boel-Studt, S., & Landsman, M.J. (2014) Is Intensive Family Finding Effective for Youth with a History of Group Care Placements? Council on Social Work Education Conference, Tampa, FL (October).
- Malone, K., Landsman, M.J., & Neuhoff, A. (2014). Turning Yourself Inside Out: Putting Clients at the Center to Achieve Impact – and Demonstrating It. Alliance for Children and Families National Conference, Pittsburgh, PA (October).
- Tseng, V., Neuhoff, A., Landsman, M., & Gruenewald, A. (2013). Program Design and Implementation: The Right Idea – Making It Work – Part 1. Child Welfare League of America National Conference, Washington, D.C., (April).
- Landsman, M.J., & Boel-Studt, S. (2013). Experimental Study of Family Finding and Family Engagement. Annual meeting of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Diego, CA (January).
- Landsman, M.J. (2008). A Strengths Perspective on Working with Youth in Transition from Foster Care. 2<sup>nd</sup> Biennial World Conference, Society for Korean Children and Youth Studies, Lawrence, KS (July).
- Landsman, M.J., & D’Aunno, L. (2008). Supervising for Recruitment and Retention. Scaling the Summit Institute, University of Denver, Denver, CO (August).
- Landsman, M.J., & D’Aunno, L. (2007). Building a Model of Child Welfare Supervision. Children’s Bureau’s Conference for Agencies and Courts, Crystal City, VA (December).
- Landsman, M.J., & D’Aunno, L. (2007). Infusing Positive Youth Development into Child Welfare Supervision. Pathways to Adulthood National Independent Living/Transitional Living Conference, Minneapolis, MN (May).