

Curriculum Vitae: Janet Currie

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Education:

Ph.D. Economics, Princeton University, 1988
M.A. Economics, University of Toronto, 1983
B.A. Economics, Lorne T. Morgan Gold Medal in Economics, University of Toronto, 1982

Professional Employment:

David Swensen Professor of Economics, Yale University, July 2025-
Co-Director Tobin/Cowles Program on Health Economics and Policy, July 2025-
Cowles Foundation Research Staff, July 2025-
Director, National Bureau of Economic Research's Program on Children, July 2009-2014, Co-Director 2015-
Henry Putnam Professor Emeritus of Economics and Public Affairs and Senior Scholar, Princeton University, July 1, 2025-
Henry Putnam Professor of Economics and Public Affairs, Princeton University, June 2011-June 2025.
Director, Center for Health and Well Being, Princeton University, June 2011-June 2025.
Visiting Professor, Hass School of Business UC Berkeley, Jan. 2022-June 2022.
Visiting Professor, Norwegian School of Economics (NHH), FAIR Center, July 2019-2025.
Chair, Department of Economics, Princeton University, July 2014-June 2018.
Sami Mnaymneh Professor of Economics, Columbia University, Jan. 2009-May 2011.
Editor, Journal of Economic Literature, July 2010-July 2013.
Economics Department Chair, Columbia University, July 2006-June 2009.
Professor, Columbia University, July 2006-May 2011.
Charles E. Davidson Professor of Economics, UCLA, July 2005-6.
Visiting Professor, Center for Health and Well-Being, Princeton University, 2003-4, 2009-10.
Professor, University of California at Los Angeles, July 1996-2005.
Associate Professor, University of California at Los Angeles, July 1993.
Assistant Professor, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, July 1991.
Assistant Professor, University of California at Los Angeles, July 1988.

Professional Honors and Awards:

Victor R. Fuchs Award for lifetime contributions to Health Economics, American Society of Health Economics, 2026.
The Population Association of America Sara McLanahan Award for extraordinary contributions to the study of the wellbeing of children and families, 2026.
Research Fellow Rockwool Foundation Berlin – Institute for the Economy and the Future of Work, September 2025-
2024 Clarivate Citation Laureate of the Institute for Scientific Information.

International Fellow of the British Academy, elected July 2024.
 Doctor honoris causa Università della Svizzera Italiana, May 4, 2024.
 2024 Society of Labor Economists Jacob Mincer Award honoring lifetime contributions to the field of labor economics.
 American Economic Association President 2024.
 American Economic Association President Elect 2023.
 Rimini Centre for Economic Analysis Senior Fellow, 2024-2029.
 2023 Klaus J. Jacobs Research Prize for work aimed at improving learning, development, and living conditions of children and youth.
 Distinguished CES Fellow 2023
 Western Economics Association, Vice-President, July 2022-2023, President July 2023-2024
 National Academy of Sciences, Member, elected April 2019
 Nomis Foundation Distinguished Scientist Award, Fall 2018
 President, American Society of Health Economics, June 2019-2020
 Griswold Center for Economic Policy Studies Nicholas J. Nicholas Jr. Fellow, 2018
 Honorary Doctorate, University of Zurich, April 29, 2017
 Docteur Honoris Causa de l'Université Jean Moulin Lyon III, 2016
 Carolyn Shaw Bell Award for furthering the status of women in the economics profession, Jan. 2016
 Princeton University Graduate Mentor Award, 2015
 President of the Society of Labor Economists, May 2014-May 2015
 Named one of the top 10 women in economics by the World Economic Forum, July 2015, <https://www.weforum.org/agenda/2015/07/10-top-women-in-economics/>
 President Eastern Economic Association, 2015
 Best Advisor Award, Princeton Graduate Economics Association, 2014
 Elected Member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2014
 2014 Eleanor Roosevelt Fellow of the American Academy of Political and Social Science
 Elected Fellow of the Econometric Society, 2013
 Elected Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences, 2013
 Vice President of the Society of Labor Economists, May 2013-May 2014
 Recognized for outstanding refereeing, Journal of Health Economics, 2003-2013
 Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar, 2012-2013
 Named one of 100 "Alumni of Influence" by University College, University of Toronto, 2012 <http://www.uc.utoronto.ca/100-alumni-influence>
 AEA Distinguished Lecture (formerly the Ely Lecture), American Economic Association Meetings, January 2011
 Excellence in Refereeing Award, Quarterly Journal of Economics, 2011
 Excellence in Refereeing Award, American Economic Review, 2011, 2013
 Vice President of the American Economic Association, 2010
 2006-2007 Faculty Mentoring Award, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Columbia University. For excellence in the mentoring of Ph.D. students
 Best Advisor Award, Columbia University Association of Graduate Students in Economics, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2007-2008, 2008-2009
 Fellow of the Society of Labor Economics, elected May 2006
 IZA Research Fellow, 2003-2023
 Fellow of the Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Jan. 1997 to 1999

Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Research Fellowship Sept. 1993-Sept. 1995
 National Bureau of Economic Research, Research Associate, 1995-present
 National Bureau of Economic Research Olin Fellow, academic year 1992-1993
 Massachusetts Institute of Technology Pentti J.K. Kouri Career Development Chair in
 Economics, July 1991 to July 1993
 Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, Sept. 1987-June 1988
 Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship,
 Sept. 1984-June 1987

Selected Invited Lectures and Visitorships:

Sanjaya Lall Visiting Professorship, Oxford University, Trinity Term 2027.
 Fellows Lecture, Society of Labor Economics meetings, May 2, 2026.
 Keynote, Asian meetings of the Econometric Society, Abu Dhabi, Jan. 24, 2026.
 London School of Economics, LSE Health's 30th anniversary lecture, October 13, 2025.
 Public lecture at the Ramón Areces Foundation, Madrid, June 11, 2025.
 Keynote at Delaware Healthy Mother and Infant Consortium, April 2025.
 Keynote at Health Economics and Mental Health workshop, Medellín Colombia, Jan. 2025.
 Marquette University's Marburg Memorial Lecture, Nov. 14, 2025.
 Pong Lee Memorial Lecture, SUNY Albany, Sept. 6, 2024.
 Alan Krueger lecture at the Festival Internazionale dell'Economia, Turin, June 2, 2024.
 Agnar Sandmo Lecture on Public Policy, Norwegian School of Economics (NHH), May 28, 2024.
 Canadian Economics Association State of the Art Lecture, Winnipeg, June 2, 2023
 Yrjö Jahnsson Lectures, Helsinki, May 23, 2023
 Keynote, Economics of Child Health conference at the Institute for Advanced Studies, Vienna,
 May 8, 2023
 Zeuthen Lectures, Copenhagen University, May 2, 3, 4, 2023
 ME John Lecture, Pennsylvania State University, March 24, 2023
 J. W. Kierkefer Visiting Scholar Harvard School of Public Health, Dec. 12-16, 2022
 Swedish Institute for Social Research, Keynote for Workshop on Children and Health, Oct. 20,
 2022
 Malim Harding Visitor, University of Toronto, September 29-30, 2022
 Nobel Symposium on Inequality, Stockholm, August 27, 2022
 Deutsches Institut für Wirtschaftsforschung Berlin Keynote on Distributional Consequences of
 Environmental Policy, April 6, 2022
 West Indian Economic Association Keynote on Child Mental Health as Human Capital, March
 11, 2022
 Korus Lecture, University of North Dakota, Inequality in Environmental Exposures, November 4,
 2021
 XVth Rodolfo Debenedetti Lecture, Child Mental Health as Human Capital Bocconi, October 13,
 2021
 Keynote on Distributional Consequences of Environmental Policy, London School of Economics,
 June 21, 2021
 Keynote for IEB: Workshop on Public Policies: Gender and Health, June 1, 2021
 The Samuel Levin Memorial Lecture, Wayne State University, April 9, 2021
 The Bank of Montreal Lecture, Simon Fraser University, October 23, 2020

The Razin Policy Lecture, Georgetown University, Sept. 10, 2020
 Invited Lecture, European Econometric Society Meetings, August 18, 2020
 The Sir Richard Stone Annual Lecture, Cambridge University, February 27, 2020
 European Investment Bank, Dec. 18, 2019
 Northwestern University Institute for Research on Poverty Distinguished Policy Lecture, Nov. 21, 2019
 Waterloo Arts Distinguished Lecture 2019, Waterloo Canada October 28, 2019
 Keynote, International Health Economics Association, Basel, July 16, 2019
 Keynote, The Society for Research in Child Development, Baltimore, March 22, 2019
 The Levine lecture, University of California, Davis, February 19, 2019
 Invited lecture, Latin American Econometric Society Meetings, Nov. 9, 2018
 The IFS lecture, London Sept. 27, 2018, <https://www.ifs.org.uk/publications/13452>
 Keynote, International Applied Economics Association, Montreal Canada, June 26, 2018
 The Berglas lecture, Tel Aviv University, May 1, 2018
 The Koopmans lectures, Yale University, April 24-25, 2018
 The Lionel MacKenzie lecture, University of Rochester, April 9, 2018
 The Arrow lectures, Stanford University, March 22-23, 2018
 Fisher-Schultz lecture of the Econometric Society, Lisbon, August 23 2017
 Western Economics Association Keynote, San Diego, June 27, 2017
 European Population Association Keynote, Glasgow, June 16, 2017
 American Environmental and Resource Economics Association, Keynote, Pittsburgh, June 1, 2017
 Health, History, Demography, and Development Conference Keynote, Ann Arbor, March 10, 2017
 Guest lecturer Norwegian School of Economics, August, 2016
 The Lampman Lecture, University of Wisconsin Madison, Apr. 26, 2016
 Keynote, Canadian Health Economics Study Group Conference, Ottawa, June 2, 2016
 Keynote lecture to New Zealand Economics Association Meeting, Auckland, June 30, 2016
 Invited lecture, European Econometric Society, Geneva, August 25, 2016
 Presidential Lecture, Society of Labor Economists meeting, Montreal, June 27, 2015
 Keynote, Canadian Research Data Center Network, Winnipeg, Oct. 30, 2014
 Address Plenary Session of American Academy of Pediatrics, San Diego, Oct. 13, 2014
 Keynote, Nordic Summer Labor Economics Institute, June 11, 2014
 The Vatter Memorial lecture, Portland State University, April 25, 2014
 Harry Lyman Hooker Distinguished Visiting Professor, McMaster University, March 5-7, 2014
 Keynote speaker at conference to mark the opening of the Health Economics Forum at Uppsala University (HEFUU), October, 2013
 Carroll Lecture, Georgetown University, Carroll Lecture, April 2013
 Distinguished Lecturer, University of Calgary, March 2013
 Usury Lecture, Andrew Young School of Public Policy, Feb. 11, 2013
 Keynote Lecture, Australian Health Economics Society, Sept. 2011
 Keynote lecture, European Association for Labour Economics, Cyprus, Sept. 2011
 NBER-CCER Conference, Beijing China, July 2011
 Ely Lecture, American Economic Association Meetings, January 2011
 McKee Lecture, Vanderbilt University, March 2011
 Keynote Lecture, German Economic Association Meetings, Kiel, September, 2010

Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance, Rome, March 23-25, 2010
 W. Edmund Clark Distinguished Lecture, Queen's University, Nov. 26 2009
 National Center for Marriage Research & National Institutes of Health, June 2, 2009
 Baker Institute Health Policy Forum, Rice University, May 6, 2009
 Danish Graduate Program in Economics, University of Aarhus and University of Copenhagen, July 4-6, 2007
 Martin H. Crego Lecture, Vassar College, April 10, 2007
 Keynote speaker, Work, Pensions, and Labor Economics Conference, University of Kent, July 10, 2006
 First Albert Rees Lecture, Society of Labor Economist's/European Association of Labor Economists Joint Meeting, San Francisco, June 3, 2005
 Keynote lecture, Workshop on The Effects of Social Insurance on the Labour Market, Institute for Arbetsmarknadspolitisk Utvardering (IFAU), Uppsala Sweden, May 12, 2005
 Invited lecture, Canadian Economic Association meetings, Ottawa Canada, May 31-June 2, 2003
 Guest lecturer, Academia Sinica, Taiwan, August, 2001
 Keynote speaker, Canadian Employment Research Forum, June 2, 2000
 Benjamin Meeker Lecturer, University of Bristol, June 1998

Public Service:

Presented to President Biden, Vice-President Harris and cabinet members at the White House Weekly Economic Briefing, Tues. Feb. 8, 2022
 Testified before the House Select Committee on Economic Disparity and Fairness in Growth, July 29, 2021
 National Academy of Sciences Consensus panel Toward a Vision for a New Data Infrastructure for Federal Statistics and Social and Economic Research in the 21st Century, July 26, 2021-March 31, 2023
 National Academy of Sciences Societal Experts Action Network (SEAN) Executive Committee, May 2020 – Dec. 2022
 National Academy of Sciences Committee for the 7th Edition of Principles and Practices for a Federal Statistical Agency, 2019-2021
 National Academy of Sciences Committee on Reducing Child Poverty, member, Spring 2017-February, 2019
 National Academy of Sciences Committee on National Statistics (CNStat) July 2016-June 2022
 Canadian government Expert Roundtable on National Housing Strategy, June 2016-June 2017
 New Jersey Department of Health Improving Birth Outcomes Joint Work Group, Sept. 2014-Sept. 2015
 Institute of Medicine National Research Council's Committee on Standards for Benefit-Cost Analysis of Preventive Interventions for Children, Youth, and Families, July 2013-March 2014
 Board Member, Institute of Medicine, Board on Children, Youth and Families, Jan. 2012-Dec. 2014
 Advisory Committee on Labor and Income Statistics, Statistics Canada, Feb. 2011-2018
 Advisory Panel National Children's Study, March 2006-March 2010
 National Health Interview Survey review panel, April-Nov. 2008
 National Longitudinal Surveys Technical Review Committee, fall 2006-fall 2010
 National Academy of Sciences Committee on Population, Jan. 2001-Dec. 2004

National Research Council panel on Estimating Eligibility and Participation in the WIC program, Fall 2000-Spring 2002
National Institutes of Health Demographic and Behavioral Sciences, Long Range Planning Committee, Spring 2001
National Research Council panel on Health and Well-Being of Immigrant Children, Spring 1996-Fall 1998

Editorial Boards:

Editorial Board, Princeton University Press, Jan. 2020-June 2023
Editorial Board, American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, Jan. 2018-June 2025
Board of Reviewing Editors, Science, July 2013-June 2018
Advisory Board, Journal of Economic Perspectives, Jan. 2015-Dec. 2020
Associate Editor, IZA Journal of Labor Policy, 2012-2014
Editorial Board, Journal of Economic Literature, 2004 to 2009
Editorial Board, Quarterly Journal of Economics, August 1995 to Jan. 2015
Associate Editor, Journal of Population Economics, July 2010 to Dec. 2021, Advisory Board, Jan. 2022-present
Associate Editor, Journal of the European Economic Association, Jan. 2004-Dec. 2007
Associate Editor, Journal of Public Economics, January 2002-Dec. 2010
Associate Editor, Journal of Health Economics, January 2000 to July 2013
Co-editor, Journal of Labor Economics, May 1995 to Dec. 2001
Editorial Board, Economic Inquiry, Jan. 1997 to Dec. 2001, 2007-2008

Other Board Service:

Princeton University Press Board of Trustees, January 2021-June 2023
Board of Academic Advisors, Opportunity and Inclusive Growth Institute, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Jan. 2017-Jan. 2024
Governing Board New Jersey Integrated Population Health Data (*iPHD*) Project, Sept. 2020-
Scientific Committee of the Barcelona School of Economics, January 2020-present
Board Member, Behavior and Inequality Research Institute, Bonn, Sept. 2017-Aug. 2023
Advisory Board, Blue Health Intelligence, September 2018-Dec. 2022
Environmental Defense Fund Economics Advisory Board, June 2020-Dec. 2022
Coleridge Initiative Scientific and Technical Advisory Board, May 2021-Dec. 2022
Hackensack Meridian School of Medicine Board of Governors, Sept. 2020-May 2022
Board Member, American Society of Health Economics June 2018-June 2021
Board Member, American Academy of Political and Social Science, July 2018-June 2021

Additional Professional Service:

Chair of the Temporary Nominating Group (TNG) for Social Sciences of the National Academy of Sciences, 7/1/2022 - 4/30/2025
American Economics Association Executive Committee, 2023-2026
Nominations Committee, Econometric Society, 2022
Editor Search Committee, American Economic Review, Fall 2021
Mentor, Committee on the Status of Women Workshop for Faculty in Doctoral Programs, Jan. 5- 7, 2020
Editor Search Committee, American Economic Association Journals – Applied Economics, Fall

2019

Program Committee EALE/SOLE joint meeting, Berlin 2020
American Economic Association Nominating Committee, 2019
Program Committee, American Health Economics Association, Spring 2016
Steering Committee, Washington Center for Equitable Growth, Nov. 2013-July 2020
Chair, Honors and Awards Committee, American Economic Association, Sept. 2011-April 2013
Advisory Committee on Labor and Income Statistics, Statistics Canada, Feb. 2011-present
Honors and Awards Committee Member, American Economic Association, Sept. 2010-April 2013

Chair, NBER Committee on Disclosure for Working Papers, Spring 2011
Program Committee, American Economic Association Meetings, Jan. 2011
Program Committee, SOLE meetings, Vancouver May 2011
Canadian Institutes of Health Research Health Researcher of the Year Committee, 2011
Program Committee, joint SOLE/EALE meetings, London June 2010
External Review Committee, UBC Dept. of Economics, Jan. 2010
Program Committee, American Economic Association Meetings, Jan. 2009
American Economic Association Nominating Committee, 2007, 2008
Chair, Society of Labor Economists Jacob Viner prize committee, Fall 2004-Spring 2005
UCLA Committee on Academic Personnel (CAP), Fall 2004-Spring 2005
External reviewer, University of Washington Economics Department, May 2005
American Economic Association Executive Committee and Budget Committee, Jan. 2004-Dec. 2006

Chair, American Economic Association Search Committee for Journal of Economic Literature
Editor, 2003
Research Committee, Committee for the Status of Women in the Economics Profession
Mentoring Program (CeMENT), 2003-present
Board Member, Committee for the Status of Women in the Economics Profession, Jan. 2001-Dec. 31, 2003
Program Committee, Econometric Society meetings, January 2003
Program Committee, Society for Research in Labor Economics Meetings, May 2002
Selection Committee, Kenneth Arrow Award for best paper in Health Economics, 1997-2001
National Science Foundation Review Panel for Economics, spring 1999 to spring 2001
Director, NBER Program on Children and Families, 1997-1998
Princeton University Economics Department Advisory Council, Fall 1995-Spring 1999

Selected University Service:

Committee to consider retirement programs at Princeton University, spring 2021
Committee to redesign the undergraduate curriculum for The Princeton School of Public and International Affairs 2020-2021
Committee to draft a vision statement for The Princeton School of Public and International Affairs, 2019-2020
Chair, Department of Economics, Princeton University, July 2014-June 2018
Faculty Advisory Committee on Appointments and Advancements, Princeton, Sept. 2015-2016
Healthier Princeton Advisory Council, July 1, 2013-2019
Member Faculty Advisory Council, The Princeton School of Public and International Affairs, July 2012-June 2014, July 2020-June 2022

Director, Center for Health and Wellbeing, Princeton University, July 2011-
 Princeton University Search Committee for Dean of Research 2012-2013
 Chair, Department of Economics, Columbia, July 2006-June 2009
 Columbia School of Continuing Education Dean Search Committee, 2008-2009
 Member Columbia Provost's Salary Gender Equity Task Force, 2008-2009
 Member, The School at Columbia University Oversight Committee, 2008-2011
 Member, Columbia University Housing Committee, 2007-2008
 Member, Steering Committee of Columbia Arts and Science Chairs, 2007-2009, Chair of the
 Steering Committee 2007-2008, 2008-2009
 Member, Columbia Arts and Science Budget Committee, 2007-2008
 Graduate Vice-Chair for Economics, UCLA, July 1999-July 2003
 Chair of the Advisory Board, UCLA Child Care Services, 2002-2003
 Acting Chair for UCLA Economics Department, Winter 2001
 Co-Chair, UCLA Gender Equity Task Force, 2000

Research

1. Books

Policies to Promote Child Health, The Future of Children, Princeton-Brookings, Washington D.C. Spring 2015, edited with Nancy Reichman.

Children with Disabilities, The Future of Children, v 22 #1, Princeton-Brookings, Washington D.C. Spring 2012, edited with Robert Kahn.

The Invisible Safety Net: Protecting the Nation's Poor Children and Families, Princeton University Press, Spring 2006.

Welfare and the Well-Being of Children, Fundamentals of Pure and Applied Economics #59, Harwood Academic Publishers, Chur Switzerland, 1995.

2. Journal Articles

"School Milestones Impact Child Mental Health in Taiwan," Economic Journal, forthcoming, with Kuan-Ming Chen, Hui Ding, and Wei-Lun Lo.

"What can Trends in Emergency Department Visits tell us about Youth Mental Health?" Journal of Human Resources, forthcoming, with Han Choi, Adriana Corredor-Waldron, and Chris Felton.

"The Hidden Cost of Firearm Violence on Pregnant Women and Their Infants," the Review of Economics and Statistics, forthcoming, with Bahadır Dursun, Michael Hatch, and Erdal Tekin.

"Advancing environmental justice through community-based participatory research: A case study on addressing asthma disparities among urban children of color in subsidized housing," Journal of Community Practice, with Meirong Liu, Jae Eun Chung, Imani Cabassa, Kyaus Washington, Dharmil Bhavsar, and Irene Park, forthcoming.

“How Rising ICE Activity Influences the Childcare Workforce” PNAS, with Erkmen Aslim, Chris Herbst, and Erdal Tekin. May 18, 2026. 123 (21) e2602686123, <https://doi.org/10.1073/pnas.2602686123>

“Doctor Decision Making and Patient Outcomes,” Journal of Economic Literature, with Bentley MacLeod and Kate Musen, March 2026, 64(1): 141-94.

“Manufacturing Supply Chains and Imports in the ADHD Drug Shortage,” JAMA Health Forum, with Anna Malinovskaya. March 20, 2026; 7(3): e260041. doi:10.1001/jamahealthforum.2026.0041

“Rules vs. Discretion: Treatment of Mental Illness in U.S. Adolescents,” The Journal of Political Economy, January 2026, 134(1): 478-522, with Emily Cuddy, <https://www.journals.uchicago.edu/doi/10.1086/738249>

“Mitigating Home Environmental Asthma Triggers in Subsidized Housing: Experiences of Caregivers and Healthcare Workers,” Healthcare, v14 #2, Jan. 2, 2026, with Meirong Liu, Jae Eun Chung, Janet Currie, Irene Park, Dharmil Bhavsar, Sarah Ali Calis, Imani Cabassa-George, Kyaus Washington, and Minxuan Lan, doi: <https://doi.org/10.3390/healthcare14020150>.

“Medication of Postpartum Depression and Maternal Outcomes: Evidence from Geographic Variation in Dutch Prescribing,” The Journal of Human Resources, July 2025, 60(4): 1093-1125, with Esmée Zwiers, <https://doi.org/10.3368/jhr.1021-11986R1>.

“The Failure of Life Expectancy to Fully Rebound to Pre-pandemic Levels,” Journal of the American Medical Association. 2025, 334(10): 915-918. with Hannes Schwandt, Till von Wachter, Jonathan Kowarski, and Steven Woolf. <https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/40632549/>

“Screening for Postpartum Depression at Well Child Visits: Evaluating the Impact of Michigan’s Statewide Initiative,” Health Economics Review, 2025, 15(72) with Anna Malinovskaya, <https://doi.org/10.1186/s13561-025-00671-2>.

“Effects of school meals on nutrition: Evidence from the start of the school year,” Food Policy, 134, 2025, 10290. <https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S030691922500106X>.

“Child Mental Health, Homelessness, and the Shelter System: Evidence from Medicaid in New York City,” American Journal of Epidemiology, June 2025, 194(6): 1534–1543 with Michael Cassidy, Renata Howland, Sherry Glied, <https://doi.org/10.1093/aje/kwae345>.

“Investing in Children to Address the Youth Mental Health Crisis,” The American Economic Review, May 2025, 115(5): 1369–1399, <https://doi.org/10.1257/aer.115.5.1369>

“Universal Access to Counsel, Eviction Filings, and Child Mental Health: Evidence From New York City,” Papers and Proceedings of the American Economic Association, May 2025, with Michael Cassidy, Sherry Glied, and Renata Howland, <https://doi.org/10.1257/pandp.20251006>.

“Doing More with Less: Predicting Primary Care Provider Effectiveness,” The Review of Economics and Statistics, 2025, 107(2):289-305, with Jonathan Zhang, https://doi.org/10.1162/rest_a_01290

“To What Extent are Trends in Teen Mental Health Driven by Changes in Reporting? The Example of Suicide-Related Hospital Visits,” Journal of Human Resources, April 2024, 59(S) 14-40, with Adriana Corredor-Waldron, <https://doi.org/10.3368/jhr.0423-12854R1>.

“The Economics of Child Mental Health: Introducing the Volume,” Journal of Human Resources, April 2024, 59(S) 1-13, <https://doi.org/10.3368/jhr.2023SI-intro-child-mental-health>.

“Spillovers and Training Effects on Mental Health Prescribing for Children,” Papers and Proceedings of the American Economic Association, with W. Bentley MacLeod, and Mengsong Ouyang, May 2024. <https://www.aeaweb.org/articles?id=10.1257/pandp.20241086>

“Socioeconomic Status and Access to Mental Health Care: The Case of Psychiatric Medications for Children in Ontario Canada,” Journal of Health Economics, 93, 2024, 102841, with Paul Kurdyak and Jonathan Zhang, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jhealeco.2023.102841>

“Administrative Burdens and Child Medicaid and CHIP Enrollments,” American Journal of Health Economics, with Iris Arbogast and Anna Chorniy, May 2024, 10(2): 237–271, <https://doi.org/10.1086/728170>

“Mothers as Insurance: Family Spillovers in WIC,” Journal of Health Economics, with Marianne Bitler, Hilary Hoynes, Krista Ruffini, Lisa Schulkind, and Barton Willage, 91, September 2023, 102784, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jhealeco.2023.102784>.

“The COVID-19 baby bump in the United States,” Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, August 15, 2023, 120:34, e2222075120, with Martha Bailey and Hannes Schwandt <https://doi.org/10.1073/pnas.2222075120>

“The Effects of Legal Representation on Tenant Outcomes in Housing Court: Evidence from New York City's Universal Access Program,” Journal of Public Economics, 222, 104844, June 2023, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpubeco.2023.104844>, with Michael Cassidy.

“Do Urgent Care Centers Reduce Medicare Spending?” Journal of Health Economics, 2023 May; 89:102753, with Anastasia Karpova and Dan Zeltzer. Finalist NIHCM Foundation Health Care Research Award 2024. <https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0167629623000309>

“The Relationship Between a Caregiver’s New Diagnosis of Severe Depression and Children’s Asthma Controller Medication Compliance,” International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, May 2023, 29:20(11):5986, with Michele Mercer, Russ Michael, and Daniel Pichardo, <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph20115986>

“What Caused Racial Disparities in Particulate Exposure to Fall? New Evidence from the Clean Air Act and Satellite-Based Measures of Air Quality,” American Economic Review, January

2023, 113(1): 71–97, with Reed Walker and John Voorheis.
<https://www.aeaweb.org/articles?id=10.1257/aer.20191957>

“Changes in the Relationship Between Income and Life Expectancy Before and During the COVID-19 Pandemic, California, 2015-2021,” JAMA, 328(4):360–366, July 7, 2022, with Hannes Schwandt, Till von Wachter, Jonathan Kowarski, Derek Chapman, and Steven H. Woolf.
<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/35797033/>

“Violence while in Utero: The Impact of Assaults During Pregnancy on Birth Outcomes,” Review of Economics and Statistics, May 2022, with Maya Rossin-Slater and Michael Mueller-Smith.
https://direct.mit.edu/rest/article/doi/10.1162/rest_a_00965/97691/Violence-While-in-Utero-The-Impact-of-Assaults.

“Tackling the Substance Abuse Crisis: The Role of Access to Treatment Facilities,” Journal of Health Economics, January 2022;81:102579, with Adriana Corredor-Waldron,
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jhealeco.2021.102579>.

“Leveraging the Urgency of Economic Disparities Driven by the COVID-19 Pandemic to Strengthen the U.S. Safety Net,” NAM Perspectives, Feb. 7, 2022, with Marianne Bitler, Rita Hamad, and Krista Ruffini.

“Medicaid and CHIP Improve Child Health and Reduce Poverty but Face Threats,” Academic Pediatrics, Nov.-Dec. 2021; 21:S146–S153, with Anna Chorniy,
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.acap.2021.01.009>.

“Inequality in Mortality between Black and White Americans by Age, Place, and Cause, and in Comparison to Europe, 1990-2018,” Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, October 5, 2021 118 (40) e2104684118, with Hannes Schwandt, Marlies Bär, James Banks, Paola Bertoli, Aline Bütikofer, Sarah Cattán, Beatrice Zong-Ying Chao, Claudia Costa, Libertad González, Veronica Grembi, Kristiina Huttunen, René Karadakic, Lucy Kraftman, Sonya Krutikova, Stefano Lombardi, Peter Redler, Carlos Riumallo-Herl, Ana Rodríguez-González, Kjell Salvanes, Paula Santana, Josselin Thuilliez, Eddy van Doorslaer, Tom Van Ourti, Joachim Winter, Bram Wouterse, Amelie Wuppermann.
<https://www.pnas.org/content/118/40/e2104684118>

“Congestion Pricing, Air Pollution, and Children's Health,” Journal of Human Resources, with Peter Nilsson, Emilia Simeonova, and Reed Walker, Fall 2021, 56(4) 971-996;
<https://doi.org/10.3368/jhr.56.4.0218-9363R2>

“The Opioid Epidemic Was Not Primarily Caused by Economic Distress But by Other Factors that Can be More Readily Addressed,” Annals of Political and Social Science, May 2021, 695 #1: 276–291, with Hannes Schwandt. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00027162211033833>

“Trends in Drug Overdose Mortality in Ohio During the First Seven Months of the COVID-19 Pandemic,” JAMA Network Open, April 14, 2021 4 #4: e217112, with Molly Schnell, Hannes

Schwandt, and Jonathan Zhang.

<https://jamanetwork.com/journals/jamanetworkopen/fullarticle/2778560>

“Prescribing of Opioid Analgesics and Buprenorphine for Opioid-Use Disorder During the Pandemic,” JAMA Network Open, April 15, 2021, 4 #4: e216147, with Molly Schnell, Hannes Schwandt, and Jonathan Zhang.

<https://jamanetwork.com/journals/jamanetworkopen/fullarticle/2778564>

“The Evolution of Mortality Inequality in 11 OECD Countries: Introduction,” Fiscal Studies, 42 #1, March 2021, 9-23, with James Banks, Sonya Krutikova, Kjell Salvanes, and Hannes Schwandt, <https://ifs.org.uk/publications/15463>

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