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Dear Colleagues,

We hope this email finds you well! Please see below for the latest CMHSR news, including an upcoming CMHSR seminar, recent national and international recognition, publications, presentations (recent and upcoming), the CMHSR Psychedelic Assisted Therapies Learning Community, and what we are reading. Thank you for your collaboration and continued support of our work!

Best,

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CMHSR News

CMHSR Seminar

November 29, 2023, 4:00-5:00 PM

Morgan Shields and 988 panelists present *Implementing the Federal 988 Crisis Line in Missouri: Frontline Perspectives from State and Crisis-Line Workers*

Hillman Hall, Room 120

[Click here to register](#)

Find our YouTube channel [here](#) with recordings from our monthly CMHSR seminar series.

Grants, Awards, and Recognition

Leopoldo Cabassa has been appointed as a member of the [Mental Health First Aid \(MHFA\) Research Advisory Board](#). Read more in [the Record's feature](#).

Doug Luke and **Byron Powell** participated in the first meeting of the International Consortia on Sustainability hosted by the [National Centre of Implementation Science at the University of Newcastle](#) in Newcastle, Australia. Byron participated as a faculty member for the Training Institute for Dissemination and Implementation in Health – Australia (Newcastle, Australia).



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Byron Powell is serving as a Co-Leader for the “Building the Future of D&I Science” track for the AcademyHealth/National Institutes of Health [16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health](#).

Byron Powell has been invited to serve on an Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) Technical Expert Panel for a systematic review titled, “[Implementation of Preventive Mental Health Services for Children and Adolescents.](#)”

Recent Publications by CMHSR Faculty and Fellows

Fernandez, M. E., **Powell, B. J.**, & Ten Hoor, G. A. (2023). [Editorial: Implementation Mapping for selecting, adapting and developing implementation strategies.](#) *Frontiers in Public Health*, 11(1288726), 1-4.

Lengnick-Hall, R., Williams, N.J., Ehrhart, M.G., Willging, C. E., Bunger, A. C., Beidas, R. S., & Aarons, G. A.. (2023). [Eight characteristics of rigorous multilevel implementation research: a step-by-step guide.](#) *Implementation Science*, 18(52), 1-16.

Lovero, K. L., Kemp, C. G., Wagenaar, B. H., Giusto, A. C., Greene, M. C., **Powell, B. J.**, & **Proctor, E. K.** (2023). [Application of the Expert Recommendations for Implementing Change \(ERIC\) compilation of strategies to health intervention implementation in low- and middle-income countries: A systematic review.](#) *Implementation Science*, 18(56), 1-12.

Tuda, D., Bochicchio, L., Stefancic, A., **Hawes, M.**, **Powell, B. J.**, & **Cabassa, L. J.** (2023). [Using the matrixed multiple case study methodology to understand site differences in a hybrid type 1 trial of a peer-led healthy lifestyle intervention for people with serious mental illness.](#) *Translational Behavioral Medicine* (E-pub Ahead of Print).

Recent and Upcoming Presentations

Adams, D. R. Assessing real-world access to community-based mental health services for adolescents: A mixed-methods mystery shopper study. Oral presentation at the *Center for Mental Health Services*, SAMHSA, November 2023.

Cabassa, L. J. (Nov 8, 2023). Integrating Implementation Science and Health Equity Research to Improve the Health of People with Serious Mental Illness. *Dissemination and Implementation Research Symposium*. Latino Research Institute, University of Texas at Austin.

Chambers, D. (Chair), Beidas, R. S., Lane-Fall, M., Lewis, C. C., & **Powell, B. J.** (2023, December 11). Continue the conversation: Orientation to the science of dissemination and implementation. Panel presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation*, Arlington, Virginia.

Kolko, D., McGuier, E. A., Kilbourne, A., Thompson, E., Turchi, R., Smith, S., Bennett, I., **Powell, B. J.**, & Hoagwood, K. (2023, December 11). Studying team- and leadership-level implementation strategies for a pediatric chronic care model: Early practical and methodologic challenges. Oral presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.

Last, B., **Adams, D. R.** Strengthening the mental health workforce: An exploratory qualitative study of unionized mental health clinicians. *American Public Health Association Conference*, Atlanta, GA, November 2023.

Lovero, K., Wagenaar, B., Kemp, C., Giusto, A., Greene, C., **Powell, B. J.**, & **Proctor, E. K.** (2023, December 12). Application of the Expert Recommendations for Implementing Change (ERIC) compilation of implementation strategies in low- and middle-income countries: A systematic review. Poster presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.

Powell, B. J. (2023, December 1). Developing, tailoring, and evaluating implementation strategies in behavioral health and beyond. Oral presentation at *Rutgers University Department of Psychiatric Rehabilitation and Counseling Professions*.

Powell, B. J. (2023, October 16). Theories and frameworks in implementation science. Oral presentation at the *Training Institute for Dissemination and Implementation Research in Health – Australia*, Newcastle, Australia.

Powell, B. J., King, A., McKay, V., Sturm, A., Trolard, A., Macon, J., Schwartz, C., Underood, A., van Rheenen, J., & Geng, E. (2023, December 13). Building capacity for dissemination and implementation research and practice at Washington University in St. Louis and beyond. Oral presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.

Powell, B. J., Sales, A., & Aarons, G. (2023, December 12). Meet the Editors. Panel presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.

Sasaki, N., Shimazu, T., Ogawa, S., Sawada, U., Saito, J., Tsutsumi, A., Powell, B. J., & Imamura, K. (2023, December 11). Implementation of an internet-based stress management program in micro- and small-sized enterprises: Findings from a mixed methods study. Poster presentation at the *16th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health*, Arlington, Virginia.

New Initiative

CMHSR Psychedelic Assisted Therapies Learning Community (PAT-LC)

This summer Dr. Leopoldo J. Cabassa and Dr. Dani Adams established the new CMHSR Psychedelic-Assisted Therapies Learning Community (PAT-LC). The goals of these new learning community are to:

- Support and energize a community of scholars interested in advancing the science and practice of Psychedelic-Assisted Therapies (PAT).
- Generate rigorous and meaningful research projects to advance health equity by studying the access, quality, impact, and implementation of PAT in historically marginalized communities.
- Host dialogues and gatherings to discuss how PAT can help transform the behavioral health care system.
- Support the training of the next generation of social work students and scholars dedicated to advancing PAT for all.

- Understand and support efforts and policies to legalize PAT in Missouri and Nationwide.

To get involved, please contact: Dr. Leopoldo J Cabassa, ljabassa@wustl.edu or Dr. Dani Adams, a.danielle@wustl.edu

What we are reading

Penn, A., & Yehuda, R. (2023). Preventing the gaps in psychedelic research from becoming practice pitfalls: A translational research agenda. *Psychedelic Medicine* (E-pub Ahead of Print).
<https://www.liebertpub.com/doi/abs/10.1089/psymed.2023.0017>

Urrutia, J. et al (2023). Psychedelic science, contemplative practices, and indigenous and other traditional knowledge systems: Toward integrative community-based approaches in global health. *Journal of Psychoactive Drugs*, (E-pub Ahead of Print).
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/02791072.2023.2258367>