



## **Faculty Affiliations**

2007 - 2008 Healthy Heart Web Based Project,

2001

Worth the Wait Evaluation Project, Mothers and Babies Perinatal Network (Year 04, \$12,000). Spencer, G.,



### **Peer Reviewed Publications**

- Summers, M. & Atav, S. Community Characteristics and Readmission: Hospitals in Jeopardy. Forthcoming in Online Journal of Rural Nursing and Health Care Fall 2021.
- Rewakowski, C., MacPherson, M., Atav, S. & Clancy, H. Civic engagement in nursing: measuring participation, reflecting on influences, and harnessing momentum. Forthcoming in the Journal of Community Health Nursing, Volume 38 (3) Fall 2021.
- Sabounchi, S.S., Sabounchi, S., Cosler, L.E. & Atav, S. Opioid prescribing and misuse among dental patients in the US: a literature-based review, *Quintessence International* 51 (1), 2020.
- Summers, M. & Atav, S. (2020) Reducing Hospital Readmissions in Upstate New York, Teasing Out the Effective Programs, *Professional Case Management: January/February 2020 - Volume 25 - Issue 1 - p 26-36.*
- Darling, R. & Atav, S. (2019) "Attitudes toward obese people: A comparative study of nursing, education, and social work students", *Journal of Professional Nursing*. Volume 35, Issue 2.
- Sabounchi, N., Nasser, N., Irshaidat, F. & Atav, S. (2018) Spatial dynamics of access to primary care for the Medicaid population, *Health Systems*, DOI: [10.1080/20476965.2018.1561159](https://doi.org/10.1080/20476965.2018.1561159)
- Darling, R., & Atav, S. (2017). Measuring Birth Outcomes in New York State Using a Multidimensional Approach, *Nursing Forum*. 2017;00:1-7.
- Darling, R, Sendir, M, Atav, S. & Buyukyilmaz, F. (2017). "Undergraduate nursing students and the elderly: An assessment of attitudes in a Turkish university." *Gerontology & Geriatrics Education*: 1-12.
- Özakgöl, A., Sendir, M, Atav, S. & Kızıltan, B. (2014) Attitudes Towards HIV/AIDS Patients and Empathic Tendencies: A Study of Turkish Undergraduate Nursing Students. *Nurse Education Today*. Vol. 34 (6), June 2014.
- Atav, S., Sendir, M., Darling, R. & Acaroglu, R. (2014) Turkish and American Undergraduate Students' Attitudes Toward HIV/AIDS Patients: A Comparative Study. *Nursing Forum*. Vol. 50 (2), April-June 2015.
- Darling, R. & Atav, S. (2012) Risk Factors for Low Birth Weight in New York State Counties. *Policy, Politics & Nursing Practice*. Vol. 13 (1), July 2012.
- Atav, S. & Darling, R. (2012) Comparison of Coding Schemas for Rural-Urban Designations with New York State Counties and Birth Outcomes as Exemplars. *Online Journal of Rural Nursing and Health Care*. Vol. 12 (1), May 2012.
- Buettner, L., Fitzsimmons, S., Atav, S. & Sink, K. (2011) Cognitive Stimulation for Apathy in Probable Early Stage Alzheimer's.

Ronni, L., DellaValle, A., Atav, S., Rehman, A., Sklar, A. & Stamato, N. (2008) The relationship between glomerular filtration rate and survival in patients treated with an implantable cardioverter defibrillator. *Clinical Cardiology*. 31, 6: 265–269.

Buettner, L., Fitzsimmons, S. & Atav, S. (2006) Predicting outcomes of therapeutic recreation interventions for older adults with dementia and behavioral symptoms. *Therapeutic Recreation Journal*. XL (1): 33-47.

Ward, L. & Atav, S. (2004) Migrant farm worker health. In Glasgow, N., Moron, L. & Johnson, N. (Eds.), *Critical Issues in Rural Health* (pp. 169-182). Iowa Press.

Atav, S., Janes, S. & Farmer, J. (2003) Men's Heal

Atav, S. & Gunter, M. "The Canadian Healthcare System: Debunking the Alternative Facts".  
UUP Connection, 2017: 94.

Gunter, M. & Atav, S.



Atav, S. & Spencer, G. (2000) Teen attitudes, beliefs, and health risk behaviors: A longitudinal study. 28<sup>th</sup> American Public Health Association Meeting, 11/2000, Boston.

Atav, S. (1999) Teens who are concerned about being gay: An assessment of attitudes, beliefs, and health risk behaviors. 128<sup>th</sup> American Public Health Association Meeting, 11/1999, Chicago.

Atav, S. & Spencer, G. (1999) Teens at-risk: An assessment of rural and urban high risk teens. 127<sup>th</sup> American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, 11/1999, Chicago.

Spencer, G., Atav, S. & Johnston, Y. (1998) Sexual behaviors among teens: Urban, suburban, and rural comparisons. 126<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, 11/1998, Washington, D.C.

Johnston, Y., Spencer, G. & Atav, S. (1998) The severity of childhood asthma: The evaluation of a community-based asthma management program. 126<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, 11/1998, Washington, D.C.

Spencer, G., Atav, S. & Johnston, Y. (1998) Managing childhood asthma & the effectiveness of the open airways for schools programs. 126<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, 11/1998, Washington, D.C.

Spencer, G., Atav, S. & Collins, M. (1997) Teen health risk behaviors in rural, suburban, and urban areas. 125<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, 11/1997, Indianapolis.

Spencer G. & Atav, S. (1996) A profile of public/community health nurses in New York State. 124<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, 11/1996, New York.

Atav, S. (1995) AIDS in rural upstate New York: An assessment of needs and priorities. 123<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, 11/1995, San Diego.

Atav, S. Chaffee, B. & Thirer, H. (1994) HIV/AIDS Data base project. 122<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, 11/1994, Washington, DC.

Spencer, G. & Atav, S. (1993) Study of health risks in reproductive paper workers. 121<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, 11/1993, Washington, DC.

Parietti, E., Britten, M. & Atav, S. (1989) Evaluation of a family nurse practitioner program and its impact on the health care delivery system. Proceedings of the Academic Chairpersons' Conference. Kansas City: Kansas State University Press.

Atav, S. (1984) The distributive structure of health care services in Turkey. Proceedings of the Southern Political Association Annual Meeting.

2001 Florida Gulf Coast University - Southwest Florida Center for Positive Aging - Evaluation of Alzheimer's Interventions

2001 Wilson Hospital - Residual Renal Urea Clearance Study, Binghamton, NY

2000 United Health Services - URS-HIVQUAL HIV Data Base Project, Binghamton, NY

1999 - 2000 Arnot Ogden Hospital - Staff Training Needs Assessment, Elmira, NY

1999 - 2001 United Health Services - The Effect of Steroids on Immunodeficiency, Binghamton, NY

1999 Broome County School Districts - TeenNet - An Internet Based Support System for Rural Teens

1997 Arnot Ogden Hospital - Research Methods and Utilization, Elmira, NY

1996 - 2001 University of Scranton - Dr. Margarete Zalon, Correlates of Older Adults' Recovery After Major Surgery, NIH Area Grant

1993 - 1997





Atav, S. (2012) *Hemsirelik Arastirmalarinin Uluslararası Yayinlara Hazirlanmasi*. Invited talk at Second Basic Nursing Care Congress, Florence Nightingale School of Nursing, Istanbul, Turkey.

Darling, R. & Atav, S. (2012) *Coding Schemas for Rural-Urban Designations with New York State Counties and Birth Outcomes as Exemplars*. Paper presented at the 2012 American Public Health Association Meeting, San Francisco, CA.

Atav, S. (2012) *Transforming Health Care in Turkey: Achievements and Controversy*. Paper presented at the Binghamton University Health Care Symposium, Binghamton, NY.

Atav, S., Sendir, M., Buyukyilmaz, F. & Acaroglu, R. (2011) *Undergraduate nursing students and the elderly*:

Atav, S.,

Stroud, L., Farly, F., Williams, M. & Atav, S. (2004) *Improving Hand Hygiene Adherence: The Effect of a Hospital-Wide Educational Program*. Paper presented at the American Public Health Association Meeting, Washington, DC.

Atav, S. & March, A. (2004) *Rural Same Sex Households in New York State: An Analysis of Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics from Census 2000*. Paper presented at the American Public Health Association Meeting, Washington, DC.

Stucke, S. & Atav, S. (2004) *Body Weight Perceptions, Weight Control Behaviors, Exercise and BMI: A Comparative Study of Rural, Suburban and Urban Adolescents*. Paper presented at the American Public Health Association Meeting



Atav, S. & Spencer, G. (1999) *Teens At Risk: An Assessment of Rural and Urban High Risk Teens*. Paper presented at the American Public Health Association Meeting, Chicago. IL.

Atav, S. (1999) *Path Analysis: A Practical Approach*. Invited symposium presentation at the 1999 Association of Community Health Nursing Educators Meeting, Nashville, TN.

Atav, S. & Collins, M. (1999) *Improving Rural Health: A School Based Needs Assessment of High Risk Teens*. Paper presented at the National Rural Health Association Meeting, San Diego, CA.

Atav, S. & Smith, B. (1999) *Improving Rural Health: A School Based Needs Assessment of Tobacco, Alcohol, and Illegal Substance Use and Participation in Sexual Activity*. Paper presented at the National Rural Health Association Meeting, San Diego, CA.

Atav, S., Spencer, G. & Johnston, Y. (1998) *Sexual Behaviors Among Teens: Urban, Suburban, and Rural Comparisons*. Poster presented at the 1998 American Public Health Association Meeting,

Atav, S., Smith, B., Chaffee, B. & Zenilman J. (1996) *Evaluation*

Atav, S. & Parietti, E. (1992) *AIDSNET: A Computerized Health Care Support Network for AIDS Patients*. Paper presented at the American Public Health Association Meeting, San Francisco, CA.

Atav, S. & Spencer, G. (1992) *A Preliminary Study of Occupational Risk in Reprographic Workers*. Paper presented at the American Occupational Health Association Meeting, Washington, DC.

### **Graduate Student Supervision**

#### **Doctoral Dissertation Committee Membership:**

<b>Current</b>	Nicole Zulu (Chair - CCPA) Karen Degree (Chair) Carrie Rewakowski Denisa Talovic (Chair) Rini Chennatu (Chair) Stacey Marye (Chair)
2019	Shabnam S. Sabounchi (Chair- CCPA)
2018	Michelle Summers (Chair) Daniel Hampton (Co-chair -CCPA) Ohad Shem-Tov (CCPA)
2017	Linda Macauslan (Chair) Fatima Irshaidat (Watson)
2015	Tina Abbate Jamie Murphy
2014	Martha Williams (Chair) Steve Chapman (Political Science) Yvonne Johnston (SUNY Albany, School of Public Health)
2010	Rosa Darling (Chair) Laura MacDermott Dene McArthur (Political Science)
2009	Melissa Schmidt (Chair) Nadiye Erdil (Watson School of Engineering)
2008	Christeen Liang (Chair) Tuba Agartan (Sociology)

2006	Alice March (Chair) Cheri Sarton Tziu Chu Shawna Sweeney (Political Science) Lori Priangeli Joyce Hyatt
2005	Sheri Stucke (Chair) Nannette Van Dyke
2003	Fred Farley (Chair)
2002	Louise Ward (Co-Chair)

Masters Theses Committee Membership:

2021	Emily Szabo (Biomedical Engineering)
2005	Linda Peterson (Chair)

## Campus Service

### **Current:**

Member, University Strategic Planning Committee -

Executive Board Member, United University Professionals  
Member, Distance Learning Committee of Decker School of Nursing