# **CURRICULUM VITAE**



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# **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

Undergraduate		
1976-1980	BA Washington University, St Louis, Missouri Majors: Psychology, Education Graduated with High Honors	
Doctoral/Graduate		
1986-1988 1988-1992	MS Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale FL; Clinical Psychology Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale FL; Clinical Psychology Specializations in Child Psychology, Neuropsychology, Pediatric Psychology, Developmental Disabilities	
Residency/Fellowship		
1991-1992	American Psychological Association approved Internship & Residency; Kennedy Krieger Institute, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	
1992-1993	Postdoctoral Fellowship; Kennedy Krieger Institute, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE		
1993-1998	Faculty Department of Behavioral Psychology; Kennedy Krieger Institute, Baltimore, MD	
1993-1998	Coordinator Pediatric Psychology Outpatient Clinic, Kennedy Krieger Institute, Baltimore, MD	
1993-1998	Instructor, Department of Psychiatry, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	
1999-2003	Director Adherence Clinic, Pediatric and Adolescent HIV Program; Johns Hopkins Children's Center	
1999-2008	Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	
1999-2011	Co-Director, Pediatric Voiding Dysfunction Program; Brady Urological Institute, Johns Hopkins Hospital	
2003-2015	Director, Camp All Stars; Division of Pediatric Nephrology, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	
2004-2012	Director Kidney Advocacy Programs in Pediatrics (KAPP); Division of Pediatric Nephrology, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	
2009-2015	Associate Professor, Department of Pediatrics, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	
2009-2015	Associate Professor, Department of Epidemiology, Bloomberg School of Public Health	

## **RESEARCH ACTIVITIES**

#### **Peer Reviewed Publications**

- 1. Slifer KJ, Cataldo MF, Cataldo MD, Llorente AM, <u>Gerson AC</u>. Behavior analysis of motion control for pediatric neuroimaging. *Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis*, 26:469-470, 1993.
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- 3. Slifer K, Manikam R, Cataldo MD, <u>Gerson A</u>, Pace G & Tucker C. Managing the interface between treatment technology and children with disabilities. In E. Makas & L Schlesinger (Eds.), *End results and starting points: Expanding the field of disability studies*. ME: The Society for Disability Studies & The Edmund S. Muskie Institute of Public Affairs, 1996.
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- 7. Amari A, Slifer KJ, <u>Gerson AC</u>, Schenck E, Kane A. Treating selective mutism in a paediatric rehabilitation patient by altering environmental reinforcement. *Pediatric Rehabilitation*, Apr-Jun(3):59-64, 1999.
- 8. <u>Gerson AC</u>, Joyner M, Fosarelli P, Butz A, Wissow L, Lee S, Marks P, Hutton N. Disclosure of HIV diagnosis to children: When, Where, Why & How. *Pediatric Health Care*, 15, 161-7, 2001.
- 9. Furth SL, <u>Gerson AC</u>, Neu AM, Fivush BA. The impact of dialysis and transplantation on children. *Advances in Renal Replacement Therapy*, 8(3), 206-13, 2001.
- 10. <u>Gerson AC</u>, Furth S, Neu A, Fivush B. Assessing associations between medication adherence and potentially modifiable psychosocial variables in pediatric kidney transplant recipients. *Journal of Pediatric Transplantation*, 8(6), 543-550, 2004.
- 11. **Gerson A,** Hwang W, Fiorenza J, Barth K, Kaskel F, Weiss L, Zelikovsky N, Fivush B, Furth S. Anemia and health-related quality of life in adolescents with chronic kidney disease. *American Journal of Kidney Disease*, 44(6), 1017-1023, 2004.
- 12. **Gerson AC**, Riley A, Fivush BA, Pham N, Fiorenza J, Robertson J, Chandra M, Trachtman H, Weiss R, Furth SL. Assessing health status and health care utilization in adolescents with chronic kidney disease. *Journal of American Society of Nephrology*, 16(5), 1427-1432, 2005.
- 13. Warlick CA, Mathews R, <u>Gerson AC.</u> Keeping child sexual abuse on the urologic radar screen. *Urology*, 66 (6), 1143-1378, 2006.

- 14. Fadrowski J, Cole SR, Hwang W, Fiorenza J, Weiss RA, <u>Gerson A</u>, Furth SL. Changes in physical and psychosocial functioning among adolescents with chronic kidney disease. *Pediatric Nephrology*, 21(3), 394-9, 2006.
- 15. Goldstein, S, <u>Gerson AC</u>, Goldman CW, Furth, S. Quality of life of children with chronic kidney disease. *Seminars in Nephrology*, 26(2), 114-117, 2006.
- 16. <u>Gerson AC</u>, Butler R, Moxy-Mims M, Wentz A, Shinnar S, Lande M, Mendley SR, Warady BA, Furth SL, Hooper SR. Neurocognitive outcomes in children with chronic kidney disease: Current findings and contemporary endeavors. *Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities Research Reviews (MRDDRR)*, 12(3), 208-215, 2006.
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- 23. Dodson JL, <u>Gerson AC</u>, Kaskel FJ, Weiss RA, Furth SL. Parent perspectives of health related quality of life of adolescents with chronic kidney disease due to underlying urological disorders: An assessment using the Child Health Questionnaire-Parent Form 50. *Journal of Urology*, 180(4 Suppl), 1700-1704, 2008.
- 24. <u>Gerson AC</u>, Wentz A, Abraham A, Mendley SR, Hooper SR, Butler RW, Gipson DS, Lande MB, Shinnar S, Moxey-Mims M, Warady BA, Furth SL. Health Related Quality of Life of children with mild to moderate chronic kidney disease. *Pediatrics*, 125(2): e349-e357, 2010.
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- 26. Hooper SL, <u>Gerson AC</u>, Butler RW, Gipson DS, Mendley SR, Lande MB, Shinnar S, Wentz A, Matheson M, Cox C, Furth SL, Warady BA. Neurocognitive functioning of children and adolescents with mild to moderate chronic kidney disease. *Clinical Journal of the American Society of Nephrology*, 6(8):1824-1830, 2011. PMCID: PMC3156421

- 27. Lande MB, <u>Gerson AC</u>, Hooper SR, Cox C, Matheson M, Mendley SR, Gipson DS, Wong C, Warady BA, Furth SL, Flynn JT. Casual blood pressure and neurocognitive function in children with chronic kidney disease: a report of the children with chronic kidney disease cohort study. *Clinical Journal of the American Society of Nephrology*, 6(8):1831-1837, 2011.
- 28. Al-Uzri A, Matheson M, Gipson DS, Yadin O, Furth SL, Warady BA, <u>Gerson AC</u>. The impact of short stature on HRQOL in children with CKD. *J Pediatr*. Sep;163(3):736-41, 2013.
- 29. RIVUR Trial Investigators, Hoberman A, Greenfield SP, Mattoo TK, Keren R, Mathews R, Pohl HG, Kropp BP, Skoog SJ, Nelson CP, Moxey-Mims M, Chesney RW, Carpenter MA. *N Engl J Med*, 370(25): 2367-2376, 2014.
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- 33. Lande MB, Mendley SR, Matheson MB, Shinnar S, <u>Gerson AC</u>, Samuels JA, Warady BA, Furth SL, Hooper SR. Association of blood pressure variability and neurocognition in children with chronic kidney disease. Pediatr Nephrol, Nov;31(11):2137-44, 2016.
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## Editorials, Reviews, & Letters to the Editor

- 1. <u>Gerson AC</u>. Review of B Melamed, K Matthews, D Routh, B Staubler, & N Schneiderman. Child Health Psychology. Hillside, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates. *Journal of Clinical Child Psychology*, 18(1): 90-91, 1989.
- 2. <u>Gerson AC.</u> Editorial Comment on Kawauchi et al. Follow-up study on bedwetting from 3-5 years of age. *Urology*, 58(5), 776, 2001.
- 3. **Gerson AC.** Editorial Comment on Weide et al. Dysfunction of the lower urinary tract in renal transplant children with nephrological disease. *Urology*, 63, 844, 2006.
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## **Book Chapters**

- 1. **Gerson AC**, Furth SL. Quality of life of children on dialysis. In *Pediatric Dialysis*. (Edited by: BA Warady, RN Fine, SR Alexander, F Schaefer), Chapter 28, 471-484, Klewer Biomedical Unit, 2004.
- 2. Wise B, <u>Gerson AC</u>, Kinsman K, Docimo SG. Voiding dysfunction. In *Pediatric Urology* (Edited by J. Gearhart), Chapter 9, 211-230, Humana Press NJ, 2004.
- 3. <u>Gerson AC</u>, Harrison C, Furth SL. Psychosocial and ethical issues in chronic kidney disease. In *Comprehensive Pediatric Nephrology* (Edited by: F Schafer & J Geary), Chapter 52, 811-816, Mosby-Elsevier Philadelphia PA, 2008.
- 4. **Gerson AC**, Furth SL. Health-related quality of life in children on dialysis. In *Pediatric Dialysis*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition. (Edited by: BA Warady, RN Fine, SR Alexander, F Schaefer), Chapter 34, 661-771, Springer Press, 2012.
- 5. Hooper SR, <u>Gerson AC</u>. Neuropsychological functioning in chronic kidney disease across the lifespan. In Lifespan Neuropsychology. (Edited by: IS Baron & C Rey-Casserly) Oxford University Press New York, 2013.
- **6.** <u>Gerson AC</u>. Psychosocial and ethical issues in children with chronic kidney disease. In *Pediatric Nephrology*, (Edited by F Schafer & J Geary), Chapter 60, 1603-24, Springer-Verlay Berlin Heidelberg, 2016.

## **Community Outreach Publications**

- 1. Finney K, <u>Gerson AC</u>. Voiding Dysfunction-Is my child lazy or is there a real problem? *Family Urology*, V(2), 11-13, 1999.
- 2. <u>Gerson AC</u>, Marks P. Disclosure: A discussion with children infected with HIV. Video produced in cooperation with the Johns Hopkins Hospital Pediatric HIV Support Group and the Johns Hopkins Hospital Child Life Department, 1999.
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- 4. **Gerson AC**, Neu A. Making a successful transition from supervised living to independent living. *Family Focus*, 10(4), 13, 2002.
- 5. Gerson AC, Fivush B. Communicating with your doctor. Family Focus, 12(4), 12, 2003.

- 6. Bounds B, Gerson AC. Time well spent on hemodialysis: Enriching your run. Family Focus, 13(1), 2004.
- 7. **Gerson AC.** Bounds B. Enriching your child's life outside of the hemodialysis unit. *Family Focus*, 13(2), 12, 2004.
- 8. Eldridge M, <u>Gerson AC</u>. Pediatric Voiding Dysfunction: Real kids with a real problem. *Family Urology*, 9(1), 22-25, 2004.
- 9. Gerson AC. Preparing to care for a very special gift. Family Focus, 13(4), 10, 2004.
- 10. <u>Gerson AC</u>. Fivush BA. Achieving good mental health: The importance of managing parent stress. *Family Focus*, 14 (3), 12, 2005.
- 11. **Gerson AC**, Neu AM, Fivush BA. The quality of life of children with chronic kidney disease: The importance of balancing life and planning for the future. *Family Focus*, 15(2), 7, 2006.
- 12. Eldridge M, Spriggs K, <u>Gerson AC</u>. Preparing for bladder neck reconstruction. *Association for Bladder Exstrophy Newsletter*, 2, 5, 2008.
- 13. <u>Gerson AC</u>, Moss AH, Foreman JW, Glover JL, Fadrowski J, Moudgil A, Goldstein SL, Fivush BA Guideline recommendations and their rationales for the treatment of neonates, infants, children, and adolescents. In: Renal Physicians Association (RPA) Monograph, Shared decision-making in the appropriate initiation of withdrawal from dialysis. 2nd ed. Rockville (MD): Renal Physicians Association (RPA); 2010.

## **EXTRAMURAL FUNDING**

I have received over \$200,000 in grants from private organizations to support research and clinical work. Details of this funding is available upon request.

#### PARTICIPATION IN NIH TRIALS

1992-1997 NIMH Grant 1K20MH00997

Title: "Pathology of Frontal Lobe Injury in Childhood" Role: Consultant, Research Associate, Co-Investigator

1994-1998 NICHD 1P30HD24061

Title: Mental Retardation Research Center Role: Behavior Science Core Consultant

1999-2004 NIH K08DK02586

Title: "Assessing Patient Outcomes in Children with End Stage Renal Disease"

Role: Research Associate

2001-2004 NIH, NIDDK RO3 DK59830-Supplemental Funding for K08DK02586

Title: "Assessing Functional Outcomes in Adolescents with ESRD"

Role: Co-Investigator

2005-2015 NIH U01 DK074082

Title: "Clinical Study of Vesicoureteral Reflux in Children"

Principal Investigator: Ran Mathews, MD

Role: Co-Investigator, Steering Committee Member

Gerson CV Page 6 of 7 2003-present NIH U01 DK66174

Title: "Chronic Kidney Disease in Children" Principal Investigator: Susan Furth, MD

Roles: Co-Investigator, Steering Committee Member, Co-Chair Neurocognitive Workgroup

## PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES (PAST OR CURRENT)

American Psychological Association, Anxiety and Depression Association of America, Society of Pediatric Psychology, Association of Applied Behavior Analysis, Maryland Psychological Association, Society for Behavioral Medicine, Kidney and Urology Foundation of America, National Kidney Foundation of Maryland, American Society of Pediatric Nephrology

AWARDS AND HONORS	
1977	Kentucky Colonel
	Awarded by Governor Jullian Carroll
1980	High Honors
	Washington University, St. Louis MO
1983	NIMH Traineeship
	University of Dayton, Dayton OH
1988	Graduate Student Research Scholar Grant
	Society of Pediatric Psychology
1988	Center for Psychological Studies Student Research Award
	Nova Southeastern University
1989	American Psychological Association
1707	Dissertation Award
1999	Hopkins Comprehensive Transplant Center
1777	Clinical Research Award
2002	National Kidney Foundation of Maryland Professional Development Award
2002	National Reality I oundation of Maryland Professional Development / Ward
2006	Maryland National Guard Certificate of Appreciation Awarded by Brigadier General Edward A. Leacock, MDARNG
2007	Maryland National Guard Certificate of Appreciation Awarded by Brigadier General Peter C. Hinz, MDARNG
2008	Maryland Air National Guard Certificate of Appreciation Awarded by Brigadier General Guy M. Walsh, MDANG 175 Wing Commander
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2009	United States Army Freedom Team Salute Certificate of Appreciation Awarded by US Army Chief of Staff General George W. Casey
2000	
2009	Department of the United States Army, Achievement Medal for Civilian Service Awarded by Brigadier General Alberto J. Jimenez
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