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EDUCATION

- 2016 **Ph.D in Social Work**
George Warren Brown School of Social Work
Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri
Dissertation Title: *Exploring the Relationships between Social Skills, Mental Health and Behavior in a Child Welfare-Involved Population*. Chair: Patricia L. Kohl,
Committee: Derek Brown, Ph.D., F. Brett Drake, Ph.D.,
Shenyang Guo Ph.D., Ramesh Raghavan, M.D, Ph.D.
- 2016 **Master of Science in Clinical Investigation**, School of Medicine
Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri
Thesis: *Well-Being Deficits in the Child Welfare Population: Estimates and Recommendations*
- 2007 **Master of Social Work**
George Warren Brown School of Social Work
Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri
Research Specialization thesis: *Permanency for Children in Foster Care Represented by a CASA program: Factors Related to the Final Placement of Children from Foster Care*
- 2002 **Bachelor of Arts**
University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana
Senior Thesis: *Persons with Developmental Disabilities in the Criminal Justice System: Legal, Religious and Pragmatic Responses.*

FACULTY APPOINTMENT

- 2023-Present **Associate Professor**,
School of Social Work University of Connecticut
- 2016 - 2023 **Assistant Professor**,
School of Social Work University of Connecticut
Concentration, Community Organizing

AWARDS & HONORS

- 2021 Nominated for Faculty Career Mentor of the Year
- 2019 Best Research Paper for Disruption Call by National Foundation to End Child Abuse Now (EndCAN)
- 2019 Selected as one of Connecticut Women's Educational and Legal Fund (CWEALF) Women of Achievement
- 2015 The 3rd Haruv Institute International PhD Workshop on Child Maltreatment, Jerusalem, Israel, October 11-14, 2015 (stipend and accommodations)
- 2015 TL1 Predoctoral Outstanding Citizenship Award, Institute for Clinical and Translational Science, Washington University School of Medicine
- 2015 Summer Research Institute, National Data Archive on Child Abuse and Neglect, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, June 8-11th (all expenses except travel)
- 2006 AmerenUE Community Service Intern stipend

2005-2007 Walter Kohen Scholarship, George Warren Brown School of Social Work

FUNDED RESEARCH

- 2020-2023 Center for Disease Control, Preventing Adverse Childhood Experiences: Data to Action, Awarded to Connecticut Office of Early Childhood, 1.5 million, CO-PI of evaluation
- 2020-2023 Center for Disease Control, Impact of public policies on child maltreatment and Intimate Partner Violence, awarded to Prevent Child Abuse America, 1.05 million, Consultant
- 2019-2020 Connecticut Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Statewide Needs Assessment
Connecticut Office of Early Childhood, Co-PI
- 2018-2020 Exploring Mechanisms of Women's SUD Treatment Utilization in Connecticut: A Research Feasibility Study.
University of Connecticut, School of Social Work & DMHAS Seed Grants
2018, \$4,000; 2019, \$6,000
Co-Principal Investigator
- 2018 Dean's Incentive Award. *Mapping Critical Services for Connecticut Differential Response Cases*. Funded, \$4,000
Co-Principal Investigator
- 2017-present Performance Improvement Center (PIC), *Differential Response System's Community Support for Families Program*
Connecticut Department of Children and Families
Co-Investigator
- 2018-2019 *Quality Parenting Initiative, Implementation Evaluation Study*. Annie E. Casey, PI-Ericka Lewis, University of Maryland, Baltimore. Role: Developed the measures protocol and contributed to conceptualization of study methodology.
- 2017 Dean's Incentive Award. Supporting young adult parents with significant mental health needs: Child and parent outcomes from an innovative perinatal support program. Funded, \$4,000
Principal Investigator.
- Scholarship Facilitation Fund. Understanding the Relationship between the activities of Court Appointed Special Advocates and the Well-Being of Children in Foster Care. Funded, \$2,000
- 2013-Present *Developing a Well-being Measure for Children in Foster Care*.
Collaborative project with Voices for Children, a St. Louis child advocacy agency
Principal Investigator
- 2012-2016 *The complexities of well-being for child welfare involved children: Comorbidity of health, cognitive, emotional and social deficits*
Thesis project for Master of Science in Clinical Investigation

Graduate Research Assistant

- 2015-2016 *Intervening in child neglect: A microsimulation evaluation model of usual care*
Administration for Children and Families
(90 CA1832). P.I. Dr. Melissa Jonson-Reid (\$736,919)
- 2010-2016 *Preventing Conduct Disorder Among Children in the Child Welfare System*
National Institute for Child Health and Human Development
(1R01HD061454-01A1). P.I. Dr. Patricia Kohl (\$2,050,300)
- 2012-2013 Research Assistant
The Institute of Clinical and Translational Sciences (ICTS)
Dissemination and Implementation Research Core (DIRC)
NCRR/NIH UL1 RR02499

Competitive Fellowships

- 2013-2015 **Doris Duke Charitable Foundation and Chapin Hall at the University of Chicago**
Fellowship for the Promotion of Child Well-being,
Award \$50,000
- 2012-2015 **Institute of Clinical and Translational Sciences (ICTS)**
Washington University in St. Louis
Clinical Research Training Program Pre-doctoral Fellowship
NIH National Center for Advancing Translational Science
(UL1 TR000448, sub-award TL1 TR000449)
Three years of full-funding for doctoral stipend and travel
- 2011-2012 **Center for Mental Health Services Research**
Washington University in St. Louis
NIMH Mental Health Services Research Training Program Fellowship
(T32 MH19960); P.I. Dr. Enola Proctor
Full-funding for doctoral stipend and travel

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Published Articles

1. Schneider, W., Feely, M. & Kang, J. (forthcoming, 2024). Maternal Employment Patterns and the Risk for Child Maltreatment. *Social Service Review*.
2. Kohl, P. L., Dunnigan, A., Markovitz, L., Feely, M., Lewis, E. M., Seay, K. D., Lanier, P., Federoravicius, N, Auslander, W., Guo, S. & Jonson-Reid, M. (2023). Improving child behavior through parent training in child welfare services: A mixed-methods study of families receiving in-home services. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 155, 107269.
3. Maguire-Jack, K., Park, Y., Feely, M., Schneider, W., Pace, G. T., Klika, J. B., & Thibodeau, E. (2023). Childcare subsidy employment and copayment requirements and child maltreatment. *Child Maltreatment*, <https://doi.org/10.1177/10775595231218174>
4. Bullinger, L. R., Klika, B., Feely, M., Ford, D., Merrick, M., Raissian, K., Rostad, W. & Schneider, W. (2023). Paid Family Leave: An Upstream Intervention to Prevent Family Violence. *Journal of Family Violence*, 1-11.

5. Williams, K. A., Lewis, E. M., & **Feely, M.** (2023). Stay just a little bit longer: A scoping review of foster parent engagement in the US., *Children and Youth Services Review*, 106814.
6. Lewis, E. M., Murugan, V., **Feely, M.**, Williams, K. A., Sermon, M. C., & Farooq, S. (In Press). Quality Parenting Initiative: Engaging Diverse Stakeholders as Champions for Child Welfare Systems Reform. *Journal of the Society for Social Work & Research*.
7. Maguire Jack, K., Hardi, F., Stormer, B., Lee, J., **Feely, M.**, Rostad, W., Merrick, M, Murphy, C., Klicka, J.B. (2023). Early childhood education and care policies in the U.S. and their impact on family violence. *Children and Youth Services Review*.
8. Klika, J. B., Maguire-Jack, K., **Feely, M.**, Schneider, W., Pace, G. T., Rostad, W., Murphy, C. & Merrick, M. T. (2022). Childcare subsidy enrollment income generosity and child maltreatment. *Children*, 10(1), 64.
9. Maguire-Jack, K., Hardi, F., Stormer, B., Lee, J. Y., **Feely, M.**, Rostad, W., Ford, D., Merrick, M.T., Murphy, C. & Klika, J. B. (2022). Early childhood education and care policies in the US and their impact on family violence. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 142, 106653.
10. **Feely, M.**, Carlson, P., Kurz, B. & Pierce, J. (2022) The efficacy of a voluntary, community-based program in preventing recurrence of child maltreatment: Community Support for Families, *Journal of Public Child Welfare*, DOI: 10.1080/15548732.2022.2101173
11. **Feely, M.** (2022). Changed for the Better: The Modifiable Maltreatment Factors Framework. *Societies*, 12(1), 21.
[Article link](#)
12. Bullinger, L.R., Raissian, K.M., **Feely, M.** and Schneider, W.J., 2021. The neglected ones: Time at home during COVID-19 and child maltreatment. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 131, 106287.
[Article Link](#)
13. Bullinger, L.R., Boy, A., **Feely, M.**, Messner, S., Raissian, K., Schneider, W. and Self-Brown, S., (2021). "Home, but Left Alone: Time at Home and Child Abuse and Neglect During COVID-19" *Journal of Family Issues*.
<https://doi.org/10.1177%2F0192513X211048474>
[Article Link](#)
14. **Feely, M.**, Bosk, E.A. That Which is Essential has been Made Invisible: The Need to Bring a Structural Risk Perspective to Reduce Racial Disproportionality in Child Welfare. *Race and Social Problems* 13, 49–62 (2021). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12552-021-09313-8> *Equal contributions by both authors.*
*****In the press UConn Today**
15. **Feely, M.**, Raissian, K., Schneider, W. & Bullinger, L. (2020). The social welfare policy landscape and child protective services: Opportunities for and barriers to creating systems synergy. In “Toward a Better Approach to Preventing, Identifying, and Addressing Child Maltreatment.” *The ANNALS of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 692 (November): 140–161. *Equal contributions by all authors.*

16. Bosk, E.A., & **Feely, M.** (2020). The Goldilocks Problem: Tensions between Actuarially Based and Clinical Judgment in Child Welfare Decision Making. *Social Service Review*, 94(4), 659-692. <https://doi.org/10.1086/712060>
17. Loomis, A.*, **Feely, M.**, Kennedy, S. (2020). Measuring polyvictimization in foster youth research: A systematic review. *Child Abuse & Neglect*. 107, 104588. DOI: [10.1016/j.chiabu.2020.104588](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chiabu.2020.104588)
18. Elsaesser, C., Katz, C., **Feely, M.**, Mordecai, L. (2020). Early child abuse and the effects of subsequent witnessed violence: Results from a national high risk sample. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal*, 38(1), 91-99. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10560-020-00667-3>
19. Carlson, P.M., **Feely, M.**, Kurz, B., Lin, H., Ives, M., Rogers, E., Pierce, J., Nilson, N.* (2020). Connecticut's Family Assessment Response system. *Journal of Public Child Welfare*, 1-24. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15548732.2020.1746479>
20. Lewis, E., Hooley, **Feely, M.**, C., Lanier, P.J., & Kohl, P.L. (2020). Engaging child welfare involved families in evidence-based interventions to address child disruptive behavior disorders. *Journal of Emotional and Behavioral Disorders*, 28(1), 43-51. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1063426618806253>
21. Seay, K.D., and **Feely, M.**, (2020). "Assessment of the validity of the AUDIT factor structure in parents involved with child protective services." *The American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse*. 46(5), 546-552. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00952990.2020.1722685>
22. Bullinger, L., **Feely, M.**, Schneider, W. Raissian, K., (2020) Heed neglect: Disrupt child maltreatment: A call to action for researchers. Special Issue of *The International Journal of Child Maltreatment*. 3, 93-104. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s42448-019-00026-5> *Equal contributions by all authors.*
 - a. ***Awarded Best Research Paper for Disruption Call by National Foundation to End Child Abuse Now (EndCAN) : ***In the press [UConn Today](#)
23. **Feely, M.**, Seay, K.D., Loomis, A.M. (2019). Harsh physical punishment as a mediator between income, re-reports and out-of-home placement in a child protective services-involved population. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 103, 70-78. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2019.05.032>
24. Werkmeister-Rozas, L., Ostrander, J. **Feely, M.**, (2018). Inequalities in US child protection: The case of sex trafficked youth. *Social Sciences*. 7(8) 135. doi:10.3390/socsci7080135
25. Kennedy, S. C., Mennicke, A. M., **Feely, M.** & Tripodi, S. J. (2018). The relationship between interpersonal victimization and women's criminal sentencing: A latent class analysis. *Women & Criminal Justice*. 28(3), 212-232. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08974454.2018.1441774>
26. **Feely, M.**, Seay, K. D., Lanier, P., Auslander, W., & Kohl, P. L. (2018). Measuring fidelity in research studies: A field guide to developing a comprehensive fidelity measurement system. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal*, 35(2), 139-152 DOI 10.1007/s10560-017-0512-6

27. Lewis, E. M., **Feely, M.**, Seay, K. D., Fedoravichs, N., & Kohl, P. L. (2016). Child welfare involved parents and Pathways Triple P: Perceptions of program acceptability and appropriateness. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 25(12), 3760-3770. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10826-016-0526-2>

Book Chapters

1. Lanier, P., **Feely, M.**, & Fraser, M. E. (2021). Child mental health policy. In W. J. Hall, P. Lanier, J. M. Jenson, & M. W. Fraser (Eds.), *Social policy for children and families: A risk and resilience perspective* (4th ed., pp. 139-186). Sage.
2. Okpych, N.J., & **Feely, M.**, (2021). "Evidence-based Practice in Child Welfare". In *Introduction to Child Welfare: Building a Culturally Responsive, Multisystemic, Evidence-Based Approach*, edited by Michele Hanna, Rowena Fong, Nancy Rolock, and Ruth McRoy. San Diego, CA: Cognella Press.
3. Werkmeister-Rozas, L., **Feely, M.**, Ostrander, J. (2019). How social workers influence policy in the United States: A case study. In Ute Klammer, Simone Leiber, Sigrid Leitner Editors. *Social Work and the Making of Social Policy* (37-51). Bristol, UK. Policy Press.
4. Seay, K.D., Byers, K., **Feely, M.**, Lanier, P. Maguire-Jack, K., & McGill, T. (2015). Scaling up: Replicating promising interventions with fidelity. In D. Daro, A. Cohn Donnelly, L. Huang, and B. Powell (Eds.), *Advances in Child Abuse Prevention Knowledge: The Perspective of New Leadership*. New York: Springer.
5. Proctor, E. K., Powell, B. J., & **Feely, M.** (2014). Measurement issues in dissemination and implementation science. In R. S. Beidas & P. C. Kendall (Eds.), *Dissemination and Implementation of Evidence-Based Practices in Child and Adolescent Mental Health*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Reports and other publications

Okpych, N. J., **Feely, M.**, Lester-Harriat, R., Berthold, S. M., & Urcinas, N. (2021). Triumphs and travails of building a fully online social work field evaluation system. *Field Educator*. 11(2).

Article Link

Obstacles and Opportunities for Effective Community Involvement in Healthcare Governance in Central Asia (Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan) Ellen Frank-Miller, **Megan Feely**, Kyle Pitzer, Ivy Blackmore, Katoyon Faromuzova, Marifat Abdullaeva, Saltanat Childress, and Gautam N. Yadama Washington University and ACTED (Tajikistan and Kyrgyzstan) June 15, 2016

Measurement Toolkit for implementation and process evaluation of the Quality Parenting Initiative, used nationally, primary developer and author

Connecticut Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Statewide Needs Assessment. Connecticut Office of Early Childhood, University of Connecticut – Office of Early Childhood Research Partnership, October 1, 2020, primary author

PUBLIC SCHOLARSHIP

Feely, Megan, Kerri M. Raissian, William Schneider, and Lindsey Rose Bullinger. 2021. "Creating systems synergy across the social welfare policy landscape." *Focus on Poverty* 37(2):21-28

Article Link and Classroom Supplement

Home Visiting in Connecticut: Current Status, Future Directions. Report prepared by the University of Connecticut School of Social Research Unit for use by community agencies applying to the Office of Early Childhood Request for Proposals for the Home Visiting System. September 1, 2020

Raissian, K., **Feely, M.**, Fong, K. (2019, November). *A paradigm shift: Using micro and macro data to disrupt norms. Connecticut Data Collaborative Conference*. Presentation. New Haven, Connecticut.

Feely, M., Raissian, K., Schneider, W., Bullinger, L. (2020). Practical steps to prevent child neglect in the COVID-19 pandemic. *APSAC Alert*. 11(3). *Equal contributions by all authors*.

Feely, M. & Raissian, K. (2019, October). *Poverty and child maltreatment*. Connecticut Department of Children and Families, Family Assessment Response and Community Support for Families Annual Meeting. Presentation. Middletown, Connecticut.

PRESENTATIONS

Invited National Presentations

Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science and Institute of Research on Poverty, Panel Webinar, We Can Do Better: Cross-System Approaches for Addressing Child Maltreatment. March 23, 2021

Fedele F. and Iris M. Fauri Memorial Lecture, School of Social Work, University of Michigan, Economic Policy and Child Welfare invited, October 7, 2021

Peer-reviewed presentations

Bosk, E. & **Feely, M.**, (2022, May) *Constructing Risk: Actuarial-Based Risk Assessment and the Creation of the Risky Parent*. SRCD 2022 Special Topics, Construction of the Other: Development, Consequences, and Applied Implications of Racism, Prejudice, and Discrimination.

Feely & Bosk. (2021, January) Seeing Poverty: The Consequences of Economic Disadvantage for Increasing Risk on a Child Welfare Decision-Making Tool. Society of Social Work and Research. Virtual – COVID-19

Feely, M., Carlson, P., Pierce, J., Ives, M., Kurz, B. (2021, January) The Impact of Structural Disadvantage on Child Protective Service Involvement and Recurrence. Society of Social Work and Research. Virtual – COVID-19

Carlson, P., **Feely, M.**, Pierce, J., Ives, M., Kurz, B. (2020, January). *Roundtable on methodological issues and lessons learned with administrative data: A state child welfare example*. Society of Social Work and Research. Washington, D.C.

Pierce, J. & **Feely, M.** (2020, January). *Five years and counting...Implications of a child maltreatment data expungement policy*. Society of Social Work and Research. Washington, D.C.

- Feely, M.,** Lewis, E., Endy, K., Lee, B. (2020, January). *Barriers and facilitators to implementing a community-engaged organizational change intervention to improve the foster care system.* Society of Social Work and Research. Washington, D.C. Poster.
- Lewis, E. & **Feely, M.,** (2020, January). *Beyond inclusion. Addressing power and privilege in a community engaged intervention to improve foster care.* Society of Social Work and Research. Washington, D.C. Poster.
- Loomis, A.*, **Feely, S.** (2019, October). *Measuring self-reported polyvictimization in foster youth research: A systematic review.* Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting. Denver, Colorado.
- Feely, M.,** Okpych, N. J., & Urcinas, N. (2019, October). *Triumphs and travails of building a fully online field evaluation system.* Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting. Denver, Colorado.
- Bullinger, L., **Feely, M.,** Schneider, W. Raissian, K., (2019, March) *Disrupting Child Neglect through Research on Macro-Level Factors: A Call to Action for Researchers.* National Foundation to End Child Abuse and Neglect National Summit. Denver, Colorado.
- Feely, M.,** Ives, M., Lin, H., Kurz, B. (2019, January). *Subsequent maltreatment reports: Risk and safety assessments as predictors of subsequent reports.* Society of Social Work and Research. San Francisco, California. Poster
- Feely, M.,** Seay, K.D., Maguire Jack, K. (2018, June). *Exploring state-level variation and innovations in child maltreatment prevention policy and practice in three states.* American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children, New Orleans, LA, June 2018
- Raissian, K.M., Bullinger, L., Schneider, W., **Feely, M.** (2018, June). *Using the NDANDS: Child File data to understand effective interventions in child maltreatment.* (Four-paper seminar). American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children, New Orleans, LA, June 2018
- Feely, M.,** Kurz, B., Carlson, P., Ives, M., Pierce, J., Lin, H., Nilson, K. (January, 2018). *Risk, race/ethnicity and subsequent reports in a state's differential response system.* Poster presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 21th Annual Research Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- Feely, M.,** Moergen, S. (January, 2018). *What are we telling the judge?: The development and piloting of a foster-care specific well-being assessment with a CASA agency.* Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 21th Annual Research Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- Feely, M.,** Kennedy, S. C., Tripodi, S. J. (November, 2017). *The long reach of child abuse: Incarcerated women, histories of child abuse and child welfare involvement.* Roundtable presentation. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting & Expo. Atlanta, GA
- Kennedy, S. C. & **Feely, M.** (October, 2017). *The relationship between interpersonal victimization and criminal sentencing: A latent class analysis.* Paper presented at the Annual Program Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education, Dallas, Texas.

- Feely, M.** & Kennedy, S. C. (October, 2017). *Complex trauma among incarcerated women: A latent class analysis of previous victimization*. Paper presented at the Annual Program Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education, Dallas, Texas.
- Lewis, E. **Feely, M.**, Dunnigan, A., Huseynli, A., Seay, K., Lanier, P. & Kohl, P. (January, 2017). *18-Month maintenance effects of Triple P with child welfare-involved families: A randomized trial of a behavioral parent training program*. Poster presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 21th Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
- Lewis, E. Dunnigan, A., **Feely, M.**, Hooley, C., Lanier, P., Kohl, P. (January, 2017). *Child welfare involved families participation in Triple P: The role of the provider-client relationship on program engagement*. Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 21th Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
- Feely, M.**, Kohl, P.L. (June, 2016). *The need for positive discipline strategies among neglecting parents*. Oral presentation at the Society for Prevention Research 2016 Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA.
- Feely, M.**, Kohl, P.L., Drake, F.B., (January, 2016). *Child well-Being among child welfare involved children: Predictors of deficits across multiple domains*. Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 20th Annual Research Meeting., Washington, D.C.
- Feely, M.**, Seay, K.D., (January, 2016) *The relationship of household income to further system engagement and service receipt in a child protective services-involved population*. Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 20th Annual Research Meeting., Washington, D.C.
- Dunnigan, A. **Feely, M.**, Kohl, P.L., Auslander, W. (January, 2016). *Improving the Usability and Clinical Application of the Parent Anger Inventory: Implications for Research and Practice*. Poster presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 20th Annual Research Meeting., Washington, D.C.
- Feely, M.**, Kohl, P.L., Fedoravicius, N., Seay, K.D., Lewis, E.L. (2015, January). *Child welfare involved parents and pathways Triple P: Perceptions of effectiveness, acceptability and appropriateness*. Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 19th Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA
- Feely, M.** & Kohl, P.L., (2015, January). *Does rural and urban residence matter?: Mental health need among child welfare involved children*. Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 19th Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA
- Hayes, M., Mienko, J., **Feely, M.**, Panlilio, C., Miyamoto, S. (2015, January). *The diffusion of federal social policy mandates: The case of CAPTA, 1974*. Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 19th Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA
- Seay, K.D. & **Feely, M.** (2014, October). *Latent structure of the Alcohol Use Disorders Identification Test in female caregivers investigated for child abuse*. Poster presented at the Carolina Women's Health Research Forum, University of South Carolina School of Medicine, Columbia, SC.
- Seay, K.D. & **Feely, M.** (2014, January). *A confirmatory factor analysis of the Alcohol Use Disorders Identification Test in a national sample of caregivers involved with child protective services*. Poster presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 18th Annual Research Meeting, San Antonio, TX.

- Feely, M.** & Seay, K., Kohl, P. (2013, January). *The role of county poverty in mental health need for urban and rural children in a child welfare sample using multilevel modeling*. Poster presented at the Poster presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 17th Annual Research Meeting, San Diego, CA.
- Threlfall, J. & **Feely, M.*** (2012, October). *Using GIS to align crisis nursery services with areas of concentrated poverty in three urban counties*. 5th Annual Conference Institute of Public Health, St. Louis, MO.
- Feely, M.** (2012, January). *Systematic Review of Behavioral Interventions for Foster Youth*. Oral presentation presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 16th Annual Research Meeting, Washington, D.C.

Peer-reviewed workshops

- Feely, M.**, Beumer, A.R. (2015, June). *Developing and using well-being assessments to understand how our children are doing*. 2015 National CASA Conference, New Orleans, LA
- Seay, K., Lanier, P., **Feely, M.***, Kohl, P. (2013, January). *From conceptualization to evaluation: A practical field guide to fidelity*. Workshop at the 2013 Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Diego, CA.
- Feely, M.** (2009, October). *Interpreting agency data, implementing a basic program evaluation in a CASA program*. Oral presentation at the CASA and Child Advocacy Center (CAC) Conference. Lafayette, Louisiana.
- Feely, M.** (2008, June). *Getting the most out of COMET and then taking it to the next level*. Presentation of process and results of unique program evaluation of a child advocacy agency, implementing an evaluation in other programs, National CASA Conference Washington, D.C.
- Feely, M.** (2009, April). *Making COMET work for you*. Interpreting agency data, implementing a program evaluation and utilizing agency data to improve program quality and enhance fundraising capacity. Oral presentation at the National CASA Conference. Denver, Colorado.
- Aguilar, B., **Feely, M.** (2009, April) Co-instructor at National CASA database training, National CASA Conference. Denver, Colorado.
- Feely, M.** (2009, October) *COMET and Program Evaluation*. Training on CASA data management system. Lafayette, Louisiana.

***Presented or co-presented when not first author**

Other presentations

- Feely, M.** (2017, December). *Child welfare policies: How federal policies impact work in Connecticut*. Continuing Education through University of Connecticut School of Social Work.
- Feely, M.** & Seay, K.D. (2015, August). *Harsh physical discipline as a mediator between income, re-reports, out-of-home placement and service receipt*. Paper presented at the Economic Causes

and Consequences of Child Maltreatment Conference sponsored by the Institute for Research on Poverty and Chapin Hall. Madison, WI

- Feely, M.** (2015, March). *Developing a well-being assessment for child advocates*. Oral presentation at the Doris Duke Fellowship mid-year meeting. University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
- Feely, M., Kohl, P.L.** (2014, October). *Well-being for child welfare involved children: Social skills deficits*. Research Training Symposium and Poster Session. Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO
- Feely, M. & Kohl, P.L.** (2015, April). *Co-occurrence of well-being deficits with child welfare-involved children*. Poster presented at the National Institute of Health 7th annual National Clinical and Translation Sciences Predoctoral Programs Meeting. Washington D.C.
- Feely, M., & Kohl, P.L.** (2014, April). *Predictors of mental health need in a child welfare population: A rural and urban comparison*. Poster presented at the National Institute of Health 6th annual National Clinical and Translation Sciences Predoctoral Programs Meeting. Washington D.C.
- Feely, M., Seay, K., Kohl, P.** (2013, April). *Individual and county factors that relate to mental health need in a child welfare population*. Poster presented at the National Clinical and Translational Sciences Predoctoral Programs Meeting. Rochester, MN.

TEACHING

Summer 2017	Advanced Macro Practice
Spring 2018 2019	University of Connecticut, School of Social Work
Spring 2017	Women, children, and families: Policies and programs University of Connecticut, School of Social Work
Fall 2016-2019	Program planning, development and evaluation University of Connecticut, School of Social Work
Spring 2016	Instructor, MSW Program Brown School of Social Work Course: Evaluation of Programs and Services
	Instructor, MSW Program University of Missouri St. Louis Course: Practice and Program Evaluation
Spring 2013	Lab Section Instructor, Doctoral Program Brown School of Social Work Course: Advanced Multivariate Statistics/Structural Equation Modeling
Summer 2012	Instructor, Doctoral Program Brown School of Social Work Course: Statistics Workshop

Two week intensive preparatory course for incoming PhD students

Fall 2011	Teaching Assistant, Doctoral Program Brown School of Social Work Course: Social Work Theory and Knowledge
Summer 2011	Teaching Assistant, MSW Program Brown School of Social Work Course: Differential Diagnosis
Spring 2012	Teaching Assistant, MSW Program Brown School of Social Work Course: Social Economic and Political Environment

PRACTICE EXPERIENCE: WORK & INTERSHIPS

Individual and Agency Level Practice Experience

2005-2010	Voices for Children. St. Louis, Missouri
2008-2010	Program Evaluation Specialist
2006-2008	Development Associate
2005-2006	VISTA Volunteer, Volunteer Recruitment
2007	Social Work Internship. May-December Parents as Teachers National Center, St. Louis, Missouri Research and Evaluation Department
2006	Social Work Internship. June-September Voices for Children, St. Louis, Missouri

Community Level Practice Experience

2004	Political Organizer, 2004 Presidential Election , August – November, America Coming Together (ACT), St. Louis, Missouri.
2004	Union Organizer Trainee, January – June Organizing Institute, AFL-CIO, Alton, Illinois
2003	Director of Field Operations, New York City Metro Area Education and Campaign Associates

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2018-present Graduate Faculty Council, Social Work Representative
2011-2013 Washington University, Graduate Student Senate. Senator for Social Work.

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2021-present American Professional Society of the Abuse of Children, Publication Committee
2020 Office of Early Childhood, RFP Data Working Group
2019-present Data Oversight Committee, Hartford Data Collaborative
2014-present Ad hoc Reviewer for Child Welfare, Journal for the Society of Social Work Research, Child Maltreatment, Children and Youth Services Review
2014 St. Louis Area K-8 Science Fair judge
2009-2010 National CASA Technology Committee. Member.
2009-2010 22nd Judicial Circuit Juvenile Court Improvement Project (CIP).
Subcommittee member.
2006-2013 CASA volunteer for six teenagers in St. Louis City foster care.