

**Miranda Sue Terry, PhD**  
Program Director, Assistant Professor

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## EDUCATION

- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC)
  - **Ph.D. in Community Health**, Specialization in Disability Studies, Minor in Gender and Women's Studies, May 2013
  - Dissertation: An Exploratory Study of the Effects of Abuse on the Health of College Women with Mobility Impairments  
Dissertation Chair: Dr. Reginald J. Alston
- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
  - **M.S. in Rehabilitation Counseling**, December 2008
- Eastern Illinois University, Charleston
  - **B.A. in Psychology**, August 2006

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

8/2015 – present      **Public and Community Health Program Director and Assistant Professor**, Murray State University, Department of Applied Health Sciences, Murray, KY.

Responsibilities include: student advising; recruitment and retention; work toward accreditation of degree tracks; complete program annual report; track, analyze, and report accountability and accreditation assignments based on SACS; conduct and report on program meetings; coordinate with chair and faculty to schedule teaching and research assignments; search for adjuncts, provide recommendations to the chair for hiring adjuncts, train adjuncts on University guidelines and policies, the University online learning platform, and classroom technology; conducting research, grant writing, curriculum development and instruction, new course development, supervision of undergraduate honors projects; serve as internship coordinator; service on university, college, and professional committees; and teaching the following undergraduate courses: Community and Consumer Health, Foundations of Community Health Education, Education for Drug Abuse Prevention, Health Behaviors, Health Promotion and Programming, and Human Sexuality. Member of the Murray State University Graduate Faculty.

6/2014 – 8/2015      **Health Science Program Coordinator**, Stephen F. Austin State University, Department of Kinesiology and Health Science, Nacogdoches, TX.

Responsibilities include: complete the program annual report; track, analyze, and report accountability and accreditation assignments based on AAHE, SACS, and CAEP standards; develop and create curriculum based on accreditation standards; meet with potential students; meet with students to discuss degree progress, minor degree options, and career/internship opportunities; meet with students and parents during freshmen and transfer orientations; conduct and report on program meetings; coordinate with chair and faculty to schedule teaching and research assignments; search for adjuncts, provide

recommendations to the chair for hiring adjuncts, train adjuncts in accountability and accreditation assignments and process, University guidelines and policies, the University online learning platform, and classroom technology.

8/2013 – 8/2015

**Assistant Professor**, Stephen F. Austin State University, Department of Kinesiology and Health Science, Nacogdoches, TX.

Responsibilities include: conducting research, grant writing, curriculum development and instruction, new course development, supervision of undergraduate honors projects, supervision of graduate theses, review of graduate student comp exam questions, service on university, college, and professional committees, and teaching the following undergraduate courses: Core Concepts in Health (on-campus, online); Introduction to Community Health (on-campus, online); Health Concepts for Children and Adolescents; Substance Prevention Education (on-campus, online); Environmental Health; Health and Disability; Multicultural Aspects (Study Abroad course); Social Interaction and Sexual Health (online); and teaching at the graduate-level: Introduction to Research. Associate Member of the Graduate Faculty.

1/2011 – 5/2013

**Teaching Assistant**, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Department of Kinesiology and Community Health

Taught the following undergraduate courses:

- CHLH/REHB 330 - Disability in American Society
- CHLH 243 - Drug Use & Abuse
- CHLH 210 - Community Health Organizations

The lead researcher and supervisor for the following undergraduate research projects:

- Firemen Protocol for Persons with Disabilities
- Disability Accessibility of Greek Chapter Houses
- Accessibility of Fire Escape Routes

Invited Lecturer:

- RST 457 – Tourism Development on October 23, 2012, Title: *Tourism Development & Accessibility*;
- RST 341 – Community Recreation Planning on April 9, 2012, Title: *Implementing ADA Regulations in Recreation Planning*;
- CHLH/REHB 330 – Disability in American Society on November 16, 2011, Title: *Disability-Related Abuse and Personal Assistant Abuse*;
- GWS 363 – Gender, Health, & Pop Culture on November 10, 2011; Title: *Violence Against Women with Disabilities*;
- GWS 409 – Women’s Health on April 22, 2011, Title: *Effects of Abuse on the Health of Women*

12/2009 – 5/2011

**Counselor**, Cunningham Children’s Home, Urbana, IL

Responsibilities include: counseled, supported, and supervised youth with severe emotional and behavioral disorders; case management; supervised DCFS family visits and made recommendations; provided personal adjustment, family, group, individual, and vocational counseling, developed individual treatment plans, and worked as a member of a treatment team.

Responsibilities included maintained graduate students records and registration; administered special programs, like CIC Traveling Scholar (graduate student exchange program with other Big 10 universities) and GC 599 (loan deferral program); made decisions on graduate student petitions for university policy exceptions, such as time extensions, curriculum changes, re-entry into the Graduate College; advised graduate students and provided referrals to resources, such as career counseling and counseling services; kept track of office statistics and created annual reports; and provided customer service to students and department contacts regarding information including but not limited to registration and policies as laid out in the Graduate College Handbook.

## PUBLICATIONS

### Book Chapters

Terry, M.S. & Notaro, S.J. (2015). Genomics. In J.B. Holbrook & C. Mitcham (Eds.), *Ethics, Science, Technology, and Engineering: A Global Resource* (2nd ed., pp. 367-372). Farmington Hills, MI: Macmillan Reference USA. *Gale Virtual Reference Library*. Web. 18 Sept 2014.

### Peer-Reviewed

Terry, M.S. (2014). Applying the Social Ecological Model to Violence Against Women with Disabilities. *Journal of Women's Health Care*, 3(6), 193-200. doi: 10.4172/2167-0420.1000193

Terry, M.S. (2014). Role of the Americans with Disabilities Act in Parental Rights Court Cases. *Journal of Cultural and Religious Studies*, 2, 1-10.

## GRANTS

### Research

Terry, M.S. Effectiveness of Peer Educator Program on Addressing Health Behaviors on a West Kentucky Regional College Campus. American Psychological Foundation Visionary Grant Proposal. Requested: \$17,235.81. (Unfunded).

Dodd, A., Dwelly, P., Jagers, J., & Terry, M.S. Active Steps for Healthy Living (ASHL). Murray State University, 2016-2017 CISR Competitive Research Grant, Total Amount Funded: (\$2935.00).

Terry, M.S. Effectiveness of Supplementing Online Alcohol Training with Peer Educators. Murray State University, Fall 2015 CISR Special Research Call. Requested \$5,000. (Unfunded)

Terry, M.S. Fire Fighter Protocols When Encountering Persons with Mobility Impairments. Craig H. Neilsen Foundation Grant, Psychosocial Research Grant. Letter of Intent Submitted. Requested \$78,713. (Unfunded)

Terry, M.S. (2014). *Firemen Protocol for Persons with Disabilities*. Stephen F. Austin State University, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, Research Pilot Study Grant, Total Amount Funded: (\$2571).

Terry, M.S. (2013). *Effects of Abuse on the Health of Women with Disabilities*. Stephen F. Austin State University, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, Minigrant Research Project Award, Total Amount Funded: (\$1,070).

### **Service-Learning**

Terry, M.S. (2015). HSC 216 – Introduction to Community Health Campus Food Pantry Class Project. Stephen F. Austin State University, Office of Student Engagement Programs, Service Learning Grant, Total Amount Funded: (\$500).

Terry, M.S. (2014). HSC 235 – Health Concepts for Children and Adolescents Health Fair Class Project. Stephen F. Austin State University, Office of Student Engagement Programs, Service Learning Grant, Total Amount Funded: (\$500).

### **Student Programming**

Terry, M.S. and French, A. (2016). Health & Wellness Peer Education Program. Murray State University, Office of Student Affairs, Train-the-Trainer Proposal Funded, Total Amount Funded: (\$720).

### **AWARDS/CERTIFICATIONS/SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS**

- Certified Peer Educator Trainer, NASPA, August 2016
- Certified Online Instructor, Stephen F. Austin State University
- Society for Disability Studies (SDS) 2014 Affiliated Scholar Award, University at Buffalo Center for Disability Studies
- Society for Disability Studies (SDS) 2013 Affiliated Scholar Award, University at Buffalo Center for Disability Studies
- Certificate in Teaching Responsible Conduct of Research
- 2013 William Creswell Award from the Department of Kinesiology and Community Health at University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- Made the Fall 2013 List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent by Their Students for CHLH 243
- Undergraduate Teaching Award from the College of Applied Health Sciences, Academic Year 2012-13
- 2012 William Creswell Award from the Department of Kinesiology and Community Health at University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- Teacher Scholar Certificate awarded Fall 2012
- Graduate Teacher Certificate awarded Fall 2012
- Made the Spring 2012 List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent by Their Students for CHLH 210

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

Names in *italics* indicate undergraduate students

#### **Research Presentations:**

- Larson, A. & Terry, M.S. Disability Pride Parades: A Qualitative Inquiry into a New Expression of Social Justice. Paper presented at Twelfth International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry (ICQI); 2016 May 18-21; Champaign, IL.
- Terry, M.S. & Allen, J. Mini-Lesson Plans to Increase Health Education Opportunities in Public Schools. Paper presented at Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (TAHPERD); 2015 December 2-5; Dallas, TX.
- Rust, D.M & Terry, M.S. Igniting the Spark of Passion for Environmental Health Issues. Paper presented at Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (TAHPERD); 2015 December 2-5; Dallas, TX.

- *Taylor, C., Siner, J., Ruemmler, S., Fountain, A., Domitz, D. & Terry, M.S.* Addressing Hunger in Calloway County through Experiential Learning. Poster presented at Kentucky Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (KAHPERD); 2015 November 15-17; Lexington, KY.
- *Shepherd, N. & Terry, M.S.* Addressing Campus Food Issues through Student Organization Collaborations. Paper presented at Fifth International Conference on Food Studies; 2015 September 18-19; Blacksburg, VA.
- *Harpur, P. & Terry, M.S.* The New Era of Segmenting Society on Ability Lines: Workplace Analytics & Disability Discrimination. Paper presented at getting it-right/s, 28th Annual Conference of the Society for Disability; 2015 June 10-13; Atlanta, GA.
- *Terry, M.S.* Sustaining abused women with disabilities: What can the "social ecological model" tell us? Paper presented at Disability (and) Sustainability, 27th Annual Conference of the Society for Disability Studies; 2014 June 11-14; Minneapolis, MN.
- *Terry, M.S.* Qualitative Inquiry into the Intersections Among Abuse, Disability, and Health. Paper presented at the 10th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry; 2014 May 21 – 24; Champaign, IL.
- *Terry, M.S.* Expanding Our Understanding of People with Disabilities in Research. Poster presented at the 23rd Annual Association for Practical and Professional Ethics Meeting; 2014 February 27 – March 2; Jacksonville, FL.
- *Hainline, G., Firkins, W.M., Firkins, C., Terry, M.S., & Notaro, S.J.* How Accessible are Fire Escape Routes in UIUC Buildings? Poster presented at the 6th Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium; 2013 April 18; Champaign, IL.
- *O'Connor, M., Terry, M.S., & Notaro, S.J.* Disability Accessibility to Fraternities and Sororities. Poster presented at the 6th Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium; 2013 April 18; Champaign, IL.
- *Landry, C., Cornell, E., Firkins, C., Terry, M.S., & Notaro, S.J.* Fire Escape Project. Poster presented at the 6th Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium; 2013 April 18; Champaign, IL.
- *Mahowald, M., Terry, M.S., & Notaro, S.J.* Firemen Protocol for Persons with Disabilities. Poster presented at the 6th Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium; 2013 April 18; Champaign, IL.
- *Paceley, M. & Terry, M.S.* Intersectionality as a Framework for Mixing Theories in Mixed Methods Research. Paper presented at the 8th Annual International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry; 2012 May 16-19; Champaign, IL.
- *Terry, M.S.* Parental Rights for Individuals Living with Mental Illness. Paper presented at the 42nd Annual Popular Culture Association/American Culture Association National Conference; 2012 April 11-14; Boston, MA.

- Terry, M.S. & Notaro, S.J. Emotional Abuse Among College-Aged Women with Physical Disabilities. Paper presented at: Inequity to Equity: Promoting Health and Wellness of Women with Disabilities. American Psychological Association; 2011 Oct 17-18; Washington, D.C.
- Terry, M.S. & Notaro, S.J. Emotional Abuse Among College-Aged Women with Physical Disabilities. Poster session presented at: Inequity to Equity: Promoting Health and Wellness of Women with Disabilities. American Psychological Association; 2011 Oct 17-18; Washington, D.C.
- Terry, M.S., Notaro, S.J., & Smith, D.L. Restaurant Accessibility. Poster session presented at: Beyond Access: From Disability Rights to Disability Justice. 24th Annual Conference of the Society for Disability Studies; 2011 Jun 15-18; San Jose, CA.
- Terry, M.S., Notaro, S.J., & Smith, D.L. Restaurant Inaccessibility: Present Day Discrimination. Paper presented at: Beyond Access: From Disability Rights to Disability Justice. 24th Annual Conference of the Society for Disability Studies; 2011 Jun 15-18; San Jose, CA.
- Terry, M.S., Notaro, S.J., & Smith, D.L. In collaboration with the Rantoul Exchange Club. Restaurant Wheelchair Accessibility. Poster session presented at: University of Illinois Public Engagement Symposium; 2011 Mar 9; Champaign, IL.
- Terry, M.S., Notaro, S.J., & Smith, D.L. Environmental Barriers of Restaurants Inhibit People with Disabilities. Poster session presented at: Center for Health, Aging, and Disability Symposium; 2010 Dec 9; Urbana, IL.

**Invited Presentations:**

- “Interprofessional Education for Students” presentation, Ternopil State Medical University, Ukraine, International Student Summer School, July 21, 2016. Presented with Priscilla Dwelly.
- “Health Professions: Discussions of Exercise Science, Athletic Training, and Public and Community Health” presentation, Ternopil State Medical University, Ukraine, International Student Summer School, July 21, 2016. Presented with Priscilla Dwelly.
- “Interprofessional Education for Faculty” presentation, Ternopil State Medical University, Ukraine, July 19, 2016. Presented with Priscilla Dwelly.
- “The Role of the Community Health Educator: Addressing the Health Needs of a Nation” presentation, Ternopil State Medical University, Ukraine, July 18, 2016.
- “An Introduction to the United State and Murray State University” presentation, Ternopil State Medical University, Ukraine, International Student Summer School, July 17, 2016. Presented with Priscilla Dwelly.
- “Preventative Medicine & Healthcare Costs” presentation, NETnet: Northeast Texas Consortium Distance Learning Conference: Get Fit to go the distance, Stephen F. Austin State University, August 7, 2014
- “Domestic Violence & Persons with Disabilities” presentation, TRCEA/SFARA (Texas Rehabilitation Association) 29th Annual LPC/CRC Workshop, Stephen F. Austin State University, April 4, 2014
- “I didn’t want to be like my mother...”: Narrating Wellness and Domestic Violence. Paper presented at:

Narrating Ethics, Narrating Wellness, 2nd Annual Sex, Gender, Health Conference; 2014 March 25; Buffalo, NY.

### **Community Presentations:**

- “College to Career – Interns: SFASU Health Science Program Preparing Future Professionals,” Texas Environmental Health Association, East Texas Region Quarterly Training, Nacogdoches Civic Center, September 12, 2014. Presented with Dr. DawnElla Rust and students, *Stephen Decker* and *Amber Call*.
- “Health Education Curriculum Analysis Tool (HECAT)” In-Service Training, Lufkin Independent School District, Lufkin, TX, August 13, 2014

### **DISSERTATION AND THESIS COMMITTEES**

James-Daniel, R. (May, 2017). The Relationship between College Students’ Knowledge, Attitudes, and Perceived Risks of Type II Diabetes Mellitus. Dissertation, Trident University International.

Roche, A. (August, 2014). Effects of Framed Messages and Graphs on Intent to Engage in Healthy Sexual Behaviors. Thesis, Department of Psychology, Stephen F. Austin State University.

### **SERVICE**

#### **University Service:**

- Student Life Alcohol Policy Work Group, Committee Member, Murray State University, Fall 2016 - present
- Health & Wellness Peer Education Program, Advisory Committee, Murray State University, Fall 2016-present
- Faculty Director, Health & Wellness Peer Education Program, Murray State University, Fall 2016-present
- Panelist, New Faculty Development Faculty Panel, New Faculty Orientation, Murray State University, Fall 2016
- Chair, Social Activities and Event Committee, Murray State University Women’s Faculty Caucus, Summer 2016 – present
- Director, Health Matters for Students, Murray State University, Spring 2016 – present
- Campus Liaison, Health Body Image (HBI) Program, Murray State University, research project conducted by Stanford University and Washington University in St. Louis, Spring 2016 - present
- CISR Committee Member, Murray State University, Fall 2015 - present
- Founder & Supervisor, Food for Thought campus food pantry, Stephen F. Austin State University, Spring 2015 – Summer 2015
- Chair, Core Curriculum Assessment Scoring Team for Written and Visual Communication, Stephen F. Austin State University, Spring 2015 – Summer 2015
- Formal Student Conduct Hearing Board, Committee Member, Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities, Stephen F. Austin State University, Spring 2015 – Summer 2015
- Student Conduct Informal Hearing Officer, Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities, Stephen F. Austin State University, Spring 2014-Summer 2015
- Committee Member, Core Curriculum Assessment Committee, Stephen F. Austin State University, Spring 2014 – Summer 2015
- Faculty Adviser, Hunger Jacks Chapter of the Food Recovery Network, Stephen F. Austin State University, Fall 2013 – Summer 2015
- Committee Member, Social Responsibility Rubric Committee, Stephen F. Austin State University, Fall 2013

- Love Your Genes Planning Committee, Theme: “Your Body Feels Everything Your Mind Says,” Stephen F. Austin State University, AY 2013-14

**College Service:**

- Faculty Co-Leader with Jessica Naber, Italian Study Abroad SONHP Interdisciplinary trip, Murray State University, Spring 2016 - present
- Perkins College of Education Recruitment and Retention Committee, Stephen F. Austin State University, AY2013-14

**Departmental Service:**

- Team Leader, Murray State University-Ternopil State Medical University Institutional Agreement, Planning, Organization, and Recruitment trip, Fall 2015 – Summer 2016
- Budget Steering Committee, Committee Member, Murray State University, Fall 2015 – present
- Student Health Educators Association (SHEA), faculty co-adviser, Murray State University, Fall 2015 - present
- Chair, Department of Kinesiology and Health Science, New Student Convocation Committee, Stephen F. Austin State University, Fall 2014

**Professional Service:**

- National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA) Program Reviewer for 2017 Annual Conference
- Editorial Member, BLDE University Journal of Health Science, Spring 2016 - present
- Society for Disability Studies (SDS) Peer Review Committee for 2016 Conference
- Society for Disability Studies (SDS) Peer Review Committee for 2015 Conference
- TAHPERD Journal Reviewer
- Article Editor, SAGE Open
- Society for Disability Studies (SDS) Peer Review Committee for 2014 Conference
- Society for Disability Studies (SDS) Peer Review Committee for 2013 Conference

**Community Membership and Service:**

- Murray Rotary Club, Member, Fall 2016 - present
- Murray Woman’s Club Member, Sigma, Fall 2016 - present
- Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) by the Lakes, Inc., Policy and Planning Committee Co-chair, Murray, Kentucky, Fall 2016 – present
- Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) by the Lakes, Inc., Personnel and Board Recruitment Committee Member, Murray, Kentucky, Fall 2016 - present
- Purchase Area Health Connections, Board of Directors, Board Member, Paducah, Kentucky, Fall 2016 - present
- Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) by the Lakes, Inc., Board Member, Murray, Kentucky, Summer 2016 - present
- Calloway United Benevolent Services (CUBS), Committee Member, Murray, Kentucky, Fall 2015 – present
- Wellness Consortium, Obesity Workgroup, Worksite Wellness Subcommittee, Committee Member, Murray, Kentucky, Fall 2015 – present
- Healthy Paducah Coalition, Committee Member, Paducah, Kentucky, Fall 2015 - present
- Purchase Area Health Connections Advisory Board, Committee Member, Paducah, Kentucky, Fall 2015 – Summer 2016
- Young Professionals of Murray, Murray Calloway County Chamber of Commerce, Member, Fall 2015 – present



- Committee Member, School Health Advisory Council (SHAC), Nacogdoches Independent School District, Nacogdoches, Texas, Fall 2014 – Summer 2015
- Volunteer Coordinator, Nacogdoches Mayor's Committee on People with Disabilities Annual Sports Day Out Event, Nacogdoches, Texas, Summer 2014 – 2015
- Committee Member, Nacogdoches Mayor's Committee on People with Disabilities, Nacogdoches, Texas, Summer 15

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA)
- Society of Health and Physical Educators (SHAPE)
- Kentucky Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (KAHPERD)
- Society for Disability Studies (SDS)
- American Association on Health and Disability (AAHD)