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Centre for Applications of Health Psychology

NEW STAFF, STUDENTS AND TRAINEES

A very warm welcome to our new colleagues, Laura McGinn, Claire Miles, and Alison Rowsell!

RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Grant funding awarded

- Geraghty A, Little P, Yardley L, Roberts L, Hay E, Foster N, Hill J, Leigh L. Internet Intervention Supporting Management of Low Back Pain in Primary Care: A Feasibility Study (SUPPORT BACK) NIHR RfPB: £ 249,962.
- Lewith, G., Leydon, G., Birch, B., Arden-Close, E., & Watts, S. (2012).
 Managing Distress in Prostate Cancer: a feasibility study into the design and evaluation of a novel psychological support intervention for managing distress in prostate cancer. NIHR National School for Primary Care Research: £12, 150
- Amlôt R., Rubin G.J., White P., Yardley L., Michie S., Briggs P. & Harris P. Improving communication with the public about antivirals and vaccination during the next pandemic.
 Department of Health Policy Research Programme: £506,878
- **Kirby S,** Thomas M, Bruton A, Hankins M, **Yardley L**. Barriers to effective self-management of asthma: A systematic review. Asthma UK: £30,000

OTHER NEWS

- Sarah Tonkin-Crine (14th January & 21st March), Ingrid Muller (7th March), Lisa McDermott (30th April), Katherine Bradbury (29th July), Jenny Mcsharry (20th February & 11th March) have all successfully defended their Stage 2 PhD thesis and portfolio of competence.
- Katherine Bradbury was a prize winner for her poster presented at the Faculty Early Career Researcher and Postgraduate Research Showcase.

Congratulations everyone!

Publications

- Paul Little, Beth Stuart, Nick Francis, Elaine Douglas, Sarah Tonkin-Crine,... and Lucy Yardley, on behalf of the GRACE consortium (2013) Effects of internet-based training on antibiotic prescribing rates for acute respiratory tract infections: a multinational, cluster, randomised, factorial, controlled trial. THE LANCET http://www.southampton.ac.uk/mediacentre/news/2013/jul/13 143.shtml
- **Bishop FL**, **Bradbury K**, Hj Jeludin NN, Massey Y, Lewith GT (2013). How patients choose osteopaths: a mixed methods study. Complementary Therapies in Medicine, 21(1):50-7
- Eardley, S., **Bishop**, F.L., Prescott, P., Cardini, F., Brinkhaus, B., Santos-Rey, K., et al. (2012). A Systematic Literature Review of Complementary and Alternative Medicine Prevalence in EU. Forsch Komplementmed, 19(Suppl.2):18-28.
- Eardley S, **Bishop FL**, Cardini F, Santos-Rey K, Jong MC, Ursoniu S, et al. (2012). A Pilot Feasibility Study of a Questionnaire to Determine European Union-Wide CAM Use. Forsch Komplementmed 19:302-310
- Schoth, D.E., Yu, K., and Liossi, C. (in press). The role of threat expectancy in attentional bias and thermal pain perception in healthy individuals. Journal of Health Psychology.

• Graham, C. A., Panicker, S., Shawe, J. & Stephenson, J. M. (2013). Women's experiences with tailored use of a combined oral contraceptive: A qualitative study. Human Reproduction, 28 (6), 1620-1625.

Publications (continued)

- **Dennison**, L., Moss-Morris, R., **Yardley**, L., **Kirby**, **S**., Chalder, T. (in press) Change and processes of change within interventions to promote adjustment to multiple sclerosis: Learning from patient experiences. Psychology and Health.
- Muise, A., Cole, S. L., Milhausen, R. R., & **Graham**, **C. A**. (in press). Sexual compulsivity in older, married adults: The role of sexual excitation and sexual inhibition in individuals not considered "high-risk." Sexual Addiction and Compulsivity.
- Pacey, A., Merrick, H., Arden-Close, E., Morris, K., Rowe, R., Stark, D., & Eiser, C. (2013) Implications of sperm banking for health-related quality of life up to one year after diagnosis. British Journal of Cancer. 108(5):1004-11
- **Dennison, Morrison**, Conway and **Yardley** (2013). A qualitative study on smartphone 'apps' to support health behaviour change: opportunities and challenges. Journal of Medical Internet Research. 15(4):e86
- Prause, N., Barela, J. Roberts, V., & **Graham**, C. A. (2013). Instructions to rate genital vasocongestion increases sexual arousal, but not coherence between genital and self-reported sexual arousal. Journal of Sexual Medicine doi 10.1111/jsm.12228
- Graham, C. A., & Bancroft, J. (2013). Oral contraceptives and women's sexuality: Reply to Roberts, Cobey, Klapilová, and Havlíček (2013). [Letter to the Editor] Archives of Sexual Behavior doi10.1007/s10508-013-0157-2
- Crosby, R. A., Milhausen, R. R., Mark, K. P., Yarber, W. L., Sanders, S. A., & **Graham**, C. A. (2013). Understanding problems with condom fit and feel: An important opportunity for improving clinic-based safer sex programs. Journal of Primary Prevention, 34, (1-2), 109-115.
- Wood, J. R., Robin R. Milhausen, R. R., Sales, J. M., Sanders, S. A., Graham, C. A., DiClemente, R. J., & Wingood, G. M. (2013). Arousability as a predictor of sexual risk behaviors in African American adolescent women. Sexual Health, 10, 160-165. doi:10.1071/SH12055
- Crosby, R. A., Shrier, L., Charnigo, R., Sanders, S. A., Graham, C. A., Milhausen, R. A., & Yarber, W. L. (2013). Negative perceptions about condom use among a clinic population: Comparisons by gender, race, and age. International Journal of STD & AIDS, 24, 200-105. doi:10.1177/0956462412472295
- Graham, C. A., & Bancroft, J. (2013). Hormonal contraceptives and women's sexuality: A comment on Burrows et al. [Letter to the Editor], Journal of Sexual Medicine, 10 (2), 611-612.
- Cieza A, Bostan C, Ayuso-Mateos JL, Oberhauser C, Bickenbach J, Raggi A, Leonardi M, Vieta E, Chatterji S. The psychosocial difficulties in brain disorders that explain short term changes in health outcomes. BMC Psychiatry (in press)
- Peter, C., Cieza, A., Geyh, S. Rasch analysis of the General Self-Efficacy Scale in spinal cord injury.
 Journal of Health Psychology (in press)
- Müller R, Rauch A, Cieza A, Geyh S. Social support and functioning in a patient with spinal cord injury: the role of social skills. Int J Rehabil Res. 2013 Jan 18. [Epub ahead of print] PubMed PMID: 23337323.
- Sabariego C, Barrera AE, Neubert S, Stier-Jarmer M, Bostan C, Cieza A. Evaluation of an ICF-based patient education programme for stroke patients: A randomized, single-blinded, controlled, multicentre trial of the effects on self-efficacy, life satisfaction and functioning. Br J Health Psychol. 2012 Dec 17. doi: 10.1111/bjhp.12013. [Epub ahead of print] PubMed PMID: 23252844.
- Tschiesner U, Stier-Jarmer M, Strieth S, Singer S, Dietz A, Fietkau R, Wollenberg B, Mast G, Cieza A, Harréus UA. [Development of an ICF-based Clinical Practice Guideline for the Assessment of

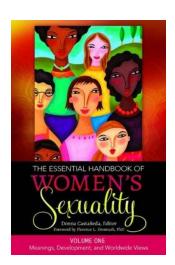
Function in Head and Neck Cancer.]. Laryngorhinootologie. 2013 Jan 30. [Epub ahead of print] German. PubMed PMID: 23364863.

Invited Presentations

- Graham, C. A. (2012). *Publishing in the Journal of Sex Research: Guidance for authors and reviewers.* 3 hour CE Workshop at the 55nd. Annual Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality, Tampa, November, 2012.
- Graham, C. A. (2013). Reconceptualizing female sexual dysfunctions: New directions for clinicians and researchers. (Invited speaker) American Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, May, 2013.
- Graham, C. A. (2013). Changing conceptualisations of female desire in DSM-5. (Invited speaker). Classifying Sex: Debating DSM-5 conference. University of Cambridge, July, 2013.
- Whale, J., Clarke, E. Patel, N., **Graham, C., Ingham, R.,** & Patel, R. (2013). A psychological experiment to examine the global impact of stigma on individuals diagnosed with type 1 herpes simplex virus (HSV-1). Paper presentation at the STI & AIDS World Congress, Vienna, July, 2013
- Whale, J., Clarke, E., **Graham, C.**, **Ingham, R.**, & Patel, R. (2013). The relationship between disclosure of female herpes simplex virus type 1 infection and sexual attractiveness. Paper presentation at the British Society for Sexual Health and HIV conference (abstract in *International Journal of STD & AIDS*, May 2013, vol. 24 no. 5 suppl 1-60, P55.)
- Alarcos Cieza was an invited keynote speaker on 'the first draft of the model disability survey and recommendations on the next steps' at a high level conference meeting organized by the WHO to plan future steps in the Model Disability Survey project. Dec 4th 5th 2012, Geneva.
- Alarcos Cieza was an invited academic at the WHO department of health statistics and information systems meeting on the measurement of healthy life expectancy and wellbeing. Dec 11th 12th 2012.
- Alarcos Cieza coordinated the last yearly meeting of the EC-FP7 project PARADISE (Psychosocial Difficulties Relevant to Brain Disorders in Europe). November 14th to 16th 2012, Warsaw.

Books and book chapters

 Graham, C. A. & Bancroft, J. (2013). Defining and diagnosing women's sexual problems. In D. Castañeda, (Ed.) The essential handbook of women's sexuality (Volume 2; pp. 235-251). Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger.



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