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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- Ph.D. / 2021 Johns Hopkins University, Bloomberg School of Public Health
Bioethics and Health Policy
Dissertation: Measuring Disability-Related Health Disparities:
Normative and Empirical Challenges
- M.A. / 2011 New York University, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences
Bioethics
Thesis: The Patient-Centered Medical Home: Ethical Issues
Underlying State Incentivized Quality Improvement Initiatives in
Primary Care
- B.A. / 2010 New York University, College of Arts and Sciences
Philosophy

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- August 2021-
Present Freelance Researcher, New York, NY
- January 2015-
June 2021 Research Assistant, Department of Health Policy and Management
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Baltimore, MD
- August 2014-
June 2015 Medical Coding Specialist, Department of Health Information
Management, NYU Langone Medical Center, New York, NY.
- January 2012-
July 2014 Quality Improvement Coordinator, Queens Medical Office P.C., New
York, NY.
- November 2010-
December 2011 Administrative Assistant, Queens Medical Office P.C., New York, NY.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2018-2019 Mathematica Policy Research/Social Security Administration
Disability Research Consortium Dissertation Fellowship

2015-2017 Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality/National Research
Service Award Predoctoral Fellowship

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

January 2016- Managing Editor, Challenging Cases in Research Ethics
October 2018 Column—*American Journal of Bioethics*

June 2017- Editorial Assistant, *The Oxford Handbook of Public Health Ethics*
December 2018

Peer Reviewer *American Journal of Public Health*
Ongoing *Social Science & Medicine - Population Health*

PUBLICATIONS

1) Distefano, M.J., S.-Y. Kang, F. Yehia, **C. Morales**, G. Anderson. 2021 "Do Ultra-Expensive Drugs Offer Therapeutic Benefit?" *Value in Health* 24(3): 397-403

Challenging Cases in Research Ethics, American Journal of Bioethics, Holly A. Taylor and Benjamin S. Wilfond Associate Editors, Christian Morales Managing Editor (Journal Column)

- 1) Wilfond, B.S., **C. Morales**, L.M. Johnson, and H. A. Taylor. 2018. "Ethical Considerations for Unblinding a Participant's Assignment to Interpret a Resolved Adverse Event." *American Journal of Bioethics* 18(10): 66-7.
- 2) Taylor, H.A., **C. Morales**, L.M. Johnson, and B.S. Wilfond. 2018. "A Randomized Trial of Rapamycin to Increase Longevity and Healthspan in Companion Animals: Navigating the Boundary Between Protections for Animal Research and Human Subjects Research." *American Journal of Bioethics* 18(10): 58-9.
- 3) Taylor, H.A. and **C. Morales**. 2018. "Involving Pregnant Women in Research: What Should We Recommend When the Regulations Seem Ethically Problematic?" *American Journal of Bioethics* 18(4): 91-2.
- 4) Taylor, H.A. and **C. Morales**. 2018. "Is It Ethically Appropriate to Refuse to Compensate Participants Who Are Believed to Have Intentionally Concealed Medical Conditions?" *American Journal of Bioethics* 18(4): 83-4.
- 5) Taylor, H.A., **C. Morales**, and B.S. Wilfond. 2017. "A Trial to Test a Novel Approach to Diabetes Prevention." *American Journal of Bioethics* 17(10): 74-5.
- 6) Wilfond, B.S., **C. Morales**, and H. A. Taylor. 2017. "Expanded Access for Nusinersen in Patients with Spinal Muscular Atrophy: Negotiating Limited Data, Limited Alternative Treatments, and Limited Hospital Resources." *American Journal of Bioethics* 17(10): 66-7.

- 7) Wilfond, B.S., **C. Morales**, and H. A. Taylor. 2017. "Should Patients Be Required to Undergo Standard Chemotherapy Before Being Eligible for Novel Phase I Immunotherapy Clinical Trials?" *American Journal of Bioethics* 17(4): 66-67.
- 8) Taylor, H.A., **C. Morales**, and B.S. Wilfond. 2017. "Genotype-Driven Recruitment in Population-Based Biomedical Research." *American Journal of Bioethics* 17(4): 58-59.
- 9) Wilfond, B.S., **C. Morales**, and H. A. Taylor. 2016. "Studying the Role of Financial Incentives to Promote Hepatitis B Vaccination in a Community Clinic." *American Journal of Bioethics* 16(10): 75-6.
- 10) Taylor, H.A., **C. Morales**, and B.S. Wilfond. 2016. "When a Clinical Trial Is the Only Option." *American Journal of Bioethics* 16(10): 67-8.

PART II

TEACHING

2019, Summer Term	Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Bioethics in Public Health
2018, Summer Term	Practice and Research
2017, Summer Term	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health,
2016, Summer Term	Enrollment: ~250
2019, Term 3	Teaching Assistant, Public Health and the Law
	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health,
	Enrollment: ~100
2018, Term 3	Teaching Assistant, Research Ethics and Integrity: U.S. and
	International Issues
	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
	Enrollment: ~60
2018, Term 2	Teaching Assistant, Ethical Issues in Health Policy: Public Health
2016, Term 2	and Health Care
	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
	Enrollment: ~50
2017, Summer Term	Teaching Assistant, Introduction to the Ethics of Human Subject
	Research
	Johns Hopkins Berman Institute Bioethics Intensive
	Enrollment: ~5
2017, Spring Semester	Teaching Assistant, Fundamentals of Health Policy & Management
	Johns Hopkins Krieger School of Arts and Science
	Enrollment: ~150
2016, Term 4	Teaching Assistant, Ethics of Public Health Practice in Developing
	Countries
	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
	Enrollment: ~30

ACADEMIC SERVICE

January 2017-August 2018	Student Representative, PhD Program in Bioethics and Health Policy Program Committee
July 2016-April 2017	Student Representative, PhD Program in Bioethics and Health Policy Curriculum Committee

PRESENTATIONS

- June 2020 **Morales, C.** Identifying Working-Age Populations with Disabilities: Implications for Health Disparities Research. Poster Accepted at the 2020 Annual Research Meeting, Academy Health, Boston, MA (In-person meeting cancelled due to COVID-19).
- October 2019 **Morales, C.** Measuring Disability-Related Health Disparities: Ethical Issues. Presented at the 21st Annual Conference of the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, Pittsburgh, PA.
- August 2019 **Morales, C.** Identifying Working-Age Populations with Disabilities: Implications for Health Disparities Research. Poster Presented at the 21st Annual Social Security Research Consortium Meeting, Washington D.C.
- May 2019 **Morales, C.** Identifying Disability-Related Disparities in Health Care: Challenges and Opportunities. Presented at the 5th Annual Mid-Atlantic Fellows in Bioethics Symposium, Philadelphia, PA.
- October 2018 **Morales, C.** Medicaid Work Requirements: Challenges for Disability Law. Presented at the 20th Annual Conference of the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, Anaheim, CA.

REFERENCES

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