

Request #: 506 - HDFS - Publication/Article

Examining the Relationship between Acculturative Stress and Depression, While Assessing the Impacts on Immigrant Latino Parental Behaviors.

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Background

This is data that was collected as part of an intervention project (Parent Management Training Oregon) in Detroit, Michigan. We coded parent-child interactions using a measure (FBIRS) developed by Melanie Domenech Rodriguez.

Sample

The data is all collected. There are 83 parent-child dyads (actually both parents), and we have three waves of data (pre-intervention, post-intervention, follow-up).

Hypothesis

We are examining the effects of acculturative stress and depression on observed parenting behaviors.

Progress

The data has already been collected. The parent-child interactions are coded. We have also been working on the literature review and methods sections of the paper. We are basically to the analyses.

Request

We want to talk through what the best approach to answering our research question is. Specifically, we may need to do some psychometric analysis on our observational coding system. Then, we want to consult about just using one time point to examine our question, or whether we use the longitudinal data (even though an intervention occurred during that time).

Timeline

We are really hoping to make solid progress and get the paper ready to submit by the end of Spring semester. No other hard deadlines exist.

Also, we are looking to meet after the first of the year (the first week of school). I didn't see any signups for that time. Sarah Schwartz has been working with another student on a different part of this project. It might be useful to schedule with her after the first of the year, if possible.