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EDUCATION

2027 (Expected) **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)**
Rutgers University, School of Social Work, New Brunswick, NJ
Current Ph.D. Candidate

2021 **Master of Social Work**
Rutgers University, School of Social Work, New Brunswick, NJ
Clinical Specialization with Addiction Counseling Training Certificate (ACT)

2015 **Bachelor of Arts, Psychology**
Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

CURRENT CLINICAL POSITION:

2026 – Present **Therapy Aligned, Therapy Aligned MSO, Therapy Aligned Solutions**, NJ
Co-Founder
Perform all functions required to maintain outpatient client caseloads. Deliver evidence-based interventions in individual and family therapy; perform screening and biopsychosocial assessments; treatment planning; referrals; service coordination; documentation; and ensure services meet professional and ethical responsibilities. Concurrently lead the MSO and Solutions divisions to develop clinician-centered digital and technical advancements that improve both patient and provider experiences. Spearhead the creation of streamlined, tech-enabled infrastructure designed to eliminate administrative friction, realizing a vision where clinicians and clients only need to be involved where it matters the most.

2025 – Present **Integrative Therapy Institute of NJ**
Academic & Professional Development Director (2026 – Present)
Associate Therapist (2025 – Present)
Provides strategic and operational leadership to design the roadmap, direct delegation, and oversee the Institute's academic publishing, CEU accreditation, internal certification, and strategic dissemination initiatives. Perform all functions required to maintain outpatient client caseloads. Deliver evidence-based interventions in individual and family therapy; perform screening and biopsychosocial assessments; treatment planning; referrals; service coordination; documentation; and ensuring services meets both professional and ethical responsibilities.

CURRENT RESEARCH POSITIONS:

2023 - Present **Lead evaluator of PIPBHC Award Y3 (2026 – Present)**
Research Operations Manager (2026 – Present)
Research Manager (2025 – 2026)
Research Consultant (2024 – 2025)
Graduate Assistant (2023 – 2024)
Rutgers, School of Social Work
PI: Dr. Jamey Lister
Focus: Developing treatment recommendations, identifying strategies to reduce treatment barriers, and utilizing research methods that promote health equity. Studies focus on opioid use disorder, other addictions, and comorbid health disorders.
Publications. Conference and peer-review paper submissions.

PUBLICATIONS

PUBLISHED REFERRED JOURNAL ARTICLES:

Lister, H. H., Marcello, S. C., Lister, J. J., Singer, B. N., O'Kane, T., Hilton, K., Haleva, R., **Kim, A. H.,** & Steinberg, M. L. (2026). Building tomorrow's health psychologists: Data from an integrated primary care internship program serving medically underserved populations. *Training and Education in Professional Psychology, 20*(2), 134–143. https://doi.org/10.1037/tep0000548

Jung, W., **Kim, A. H.,** Hung, Y., Chear, C., Shah, V., & Ammari, T. (2026). Digital Pulse of Development: Leveraging Social Media Discourse for Poverty Analysis. *Information Processing and Management.* https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ipm.2025.104579

Jung, W., **Kim, A. H.,** Sinha, A., Stoeffler., Q., Ghadimi, S., Shah, V., Garg, K., & Ammari, T. (2026). Multimodal Poverty Mapping and Geographic Transfer Allocation. *Sustainable Cities and Society.* https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scs.2026.107248

Jung, W., Benotsmane, R., Stoeffler., Q**., Kim, A. H.,** Ghadimi, S., Hosseini, M., Ntarlagiannis, D., Ammari, T., Lu, Y., & Steiner, J. (2026). Contextualized Poverty Targeting Through Multimodal Spatial Data and Machine Learning in Brazzaville, Congo. *Cities.* https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cities.2025.106429

Jung, W., **Kim, A. H.**, Stoeffler., Q., Goudarzi, S., Benotsmane, R., & Shah. V. (2025). Targeting Urban Poverty and Food Insecurity: A Community-informed Spatial Analysis and Machine Learning Approach. *Sustainable Cities and Society.* https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scs.2025.106799

Kim, A. H., Lee, U., Cho, Y., Kim, S., & Shah, V. (2025). Adolescent Smartphone Overdependence in South Korea: A Place-Stratified Evaluation of Conceptually Informed AI/ML Modeling. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health,* 22(10), 1515. https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph22101515

Ware, O.D., Lister, J.J., Cooper, S.E., **Kim, A.H.,** Lister, H.H., Peterson, N.A., Fioravanti, S., Powell, K.G., Marcello, S.C., & Joseph, B. (2025). Subtypes and service utilization patterns among opioid use disorder patients at a community health center: Findings from a medically underserved urban area of the Northeastern United States. *Addiction Science & Clinical Practice*. https://doi.org/10.1186/s13722-025-00564-z

Jung, W., Sinha, A., **Kim, A. H.,** Shah, V., Lu, Y., Lee, L., & Ammari, T. (2025). The last mile in remote sensing poverty prediction. *Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) Journal on Computing and Sustainable Societies.* https://doi.org/10.1145/3724422

Jung, W., Ghadimi S., Ntarlagiannis, D., & **Kim, A. H.** (2024). Using Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning to Evaluate the Distribution of Community Development Aid Across Myanmar. *Socio-Economic Planning Services.* https://doi.org/10.1016/j.seps.2024.102139

Hu, H., **Kim, A. H.**, Siwek, N., & Wilder, D. (2017). The Facebook paradox: effects of Facebooking on individuals' social relationships and psychological well-being. *Frontiers in Psychology*, *8*, 87, 1-8. https://doi.org/10.3389/fpsyg.2017.00087

PUBLISHED REFERRED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS:

Jung, W., **Kim, A. H.,** Chear, C., Shah, V., Hung, Y., & Ammari, T. (2025). Digital Pulse of Development: Constructing Poverty Metrics from Social Media Discourse. In *Proceedings of the 5th ACM Conference on Equity and Access in Algorithms, Mechanisms, and Optimization (EAAMO '25).* https://doi.org/10.1145/3757887.3767680

PUBLISHED ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES:

Jung, W., **Kim, A. H.,** & Chear, C. (2024). Data Science and Social Work, A. Farmer (Ed.) Encyclopedia of Social Work, Oxford University Press. https://doi.org/10.1093/acrefore/9780199975839.013.1649

PUBLIC PROJECTS IN OPEN SCIENCE FRAMEWORK:

Kim, A. H. (2026, January 28). *Bridging the Therapeutic Alliance of You, Me, & AI: A 5-Level AI-Integration Framework for Psychotherapy*. OSF. https://doi.org/10.17605/OSF.IO/YP459

PREPRINTS:

Jung, W., Chear, C., **Kim, A. H.**, Shah, V., & Ammari, T. (2026). Spatiotemporal change-points in development discourse: Insights from social media in low-resource contexts. *arXiv.* https://arxiv.org/abs/2601.06402

UNDER REVIEW:

Kim, S., **Kim, A. H.,** Cha, G.-E., Ha, Y., Jeong, S., & Yoon, H.-J. (Under review). Multimodal AI approaches to detecting suicidality on social media: A scoping review of data types, algorithms, and ethical considerations.

Victor, G., Lister, J.J., Gilmore Powell, K., **Kim, A.H.,** Juntilla, A., Sangster, S., Chaple, M., & Peterson, N.A. (Under review). A Scoping Review of Syringe Service Programs and Naloxone Distribution in Rural Areas Following COVID-19.

WORKS IN PROGRESS:

Kim, A.H., Cooper, S., Sangster, S., Ware, O., Fioravanti, S., Joseph, B., Gilmore Powell., K., Marcello, S., Peterson, N.A., Lister, H., & Lister, J.J. (in preparation). A clinical epidemiological profile of substance use disorder burden trends across 2015-2021 at a community health center in an urban medically underserved area. Paper in preparation for submission to *Journal of Clinical Epidemiology*.

Lister, J.J., **Kim, A.H.,** Higgins, L.K., Singer, B.N., Stevens, S., & Jermyn, R. (in preparation). Mental health treatment needs and disparities among sexual minority patients in residential addiction treatment. Manuscript in preparation for TBD journal.

Lister, J.J., Juntilla, A.M., **Kim, A.H.,** Pandey, S., Taiwo, O., & Medina-Forrester, A. (in preparation). Overdose death trends by rural-urban place and race/ethnic composition in New Jersey: An epidemiologic intersectional case model in a diverse high burden state. Manuscript in preparation for submission to *JAMA Health Forum.*

Lister, J.J., Lister, H.H., **Kim, A.H.,** Sangster, S.A., Singer, B.N., Juntilla, A.M., Hilton, K., Haleva, R., O'Kane, T., Powell, K.G., Peterson, N.A., & Marcello, S.C. (in development). Opportunities and challenges for implementing integrated care services in primary care settings: A mixed methods study in medically underserved communities of New Jersey. Manuscript in preparation for *BMC Primary Care.*

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS

Kim, A. H., & Yoo, N. (2027, January). Claude Code as the agentic RA: Using AI coding agents to democratize quantitative methods in social work research. In SSWR 31st Annual Conference: Social Work Research at the Service of Democracy—Advancing Rigorous Inquiry for the Common Good [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research]. *Workshop*

Kim, S., **Kim, A. H.,** Cha, G.-E., Ha, Y., Jeong, S., & Yoon, H.-J. (2027, January). Hidden risk in plain sight: A data justice scoping review of multimodal AI for suicide detection on social media. In SSWR 31st Annual Conference: Social Work Research at the Service of Democracy—Advancing Rigorous Inquiry for the Common Good [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research]. *Flash Talk*

Kim, S., Lee, J. M., Lee, S., Kim, R., Shah, V., Kim, J., & **Kim, A. H.** (2027, January). Online harm and depression/anxiety among U.S. college students: A machine learning and spatial proxy analysis of the Healthy Minds Study. In SSWR 31st Annual Conference: Social Work Research at the Service of Democracy—Advancing Rigorous Inquiry for the Common Good [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research]. *Poster*

Jung, W., **Kim, A. H.,** Sinha, A., Ghadimi, S., Shah, V., Garg, K., & Ammari, T. (2026, December). Multimodal poverty mapping and geographic transfer allocation. In AI4Good Workshop @ NeurIPS 2026 [Annual Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems]. https://openreview.net/forum?id=VDohOrdULx *Poster*

Jung, W., **Kim, A. H.,** Sinha, A., Stoeffler, Q., Ghadimi, S., Shah, V., Garg, K., & Ammari, T. (2026, November). Multimodal poverty mapping and geographic transfer allocation. In EAAMO '26: ACM Conference on Equity and Access in Algorithms, Mechanisms, and Optimization, LMU Munich, Germany [Non-archival]. *Poster*

Jung, W., **Kim, A.H.,** & Shah, V. (2026, January). *Spatial data science: Visualizing and analyzing community needs* (RMW-3). In SSWR 30th Annual Conference: Leading for Transformative Change—Aligning Social Work Science with Policy and Practice [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research]. *Preconference Workshop*

Lister, J.J., Lister, H.H., **Kim, A.H.,** Sangster, S.A., Singer, B.N., Juntilla, A.M., Hilton, K., Haleva, R., O'Kane, T., Powell, K.G., Peterson, N.A., & Marcello, S.C. (2026). *Opportunities and Challenges for Implementing Integrated Care Services in Primary Care: A Mixed Methods Study in Medically Underserved Communities of New Jersey* [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research].

Kim, S., Jung, G.S., & **Kim, A.H.** (2026). *From Thoughts to Actions: Predicting Suicidal Ideation and Attempts in Youth Using Sex-Based Machine Learning Models* [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research].

Jung, W., Sinha, A., **Kim, A. H.,** Shah, V., Lu, Y., Lee, L., & Ammari, T. (2025). *The Last Mile in Remote Sensing Poverty Prediction* [Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management].

Jung, W., Sinha, A., **Kim, A. H.,** Shah, V., Lu, Y., Lee, L., & Ammari, T. (2025). *The Last Mile in Remote Sensing Poverty Prediction* [Panel Presentation in the Reimagining Global Governance and Policymaking track at the RISE AI Conference, University of Notre Dame, Indiana, October 6th -8th, 2025.].

Jung, W., Sinha, A., **Kim, A. H.,** Shah, V., Lu, Y., Lee, L., & Ammari, T. (2025). *The Last Mile in Remote Sensing Poverty Prediction* [Association for Computing Machinery COMPASS].

Jung, W., Sinha, A., **Kim, A. H.,** Shah, V., Lu, Y., Lee, L., & Ammari, T. (2025). *The Last Mile in Remote Sensing Poverty Prediction* [The 2025 Symposium on Spatiotemporal Data Science, Harvard Center for Geographic Analysis (CGA), Cambridge, MA. May 24th, 2025].

Kim, A.H., Cooper, S., Sangster, S., Lister, H.H., Ware, O., Marcello, S., & Lister, J.J. (2025). *A clinical epidemiological profile of a community health center from 2015-2021: Emergent trends in substance use disorder burdens* [2025 Rutgers Addiction Research Center (RARC) Fall Symposium, Piscataway, NJ].

Lister, J.J., **Kim, A.H.,** Kerrick, L., Singer, B.N., Murray, V.W., Stevens, S., & Jermyn, R.T. (2025). *A Sexual Minority Patient Population Profile to Guide Residential Addiction Care: A Comparative Examination of Treatment Needs to Heterosexual Patients.* [2025 Rutgers Addiction Research Center (RARC) Fall Symposium, Piscataway, NJ].

Lister, J.J., Lister, H.H., **Kim, A.H.,** Sangster, S.A., Singer, B.N., Juntilla, A.M., Hilton, K., Haleva, R., O'Kane, T., Powell, K.G., Peterson, N.A., & Marcello, S.C. (2025). *Opportunities and challenges for implementing integrated care services in primary care settings: A mixed methods study in medically underserved communities of New Jersey* [Taiwan University Conference on Integrated Health and Social Work, Taipei, Taiwan].

Victor, G., Lister, J.J., Gilmore Powell, K., **Kim, A.H.,** Juntilla, A., Sangster, S., Chaple, M., & Peterson, N.A. (2025). *A Scoping Review of Syringe Service Programs and Naloxone Distribution in Rural Areas Following COVID-19* [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research].

Ware, O., Lister, J.J., Cooper, S., **Kim, A.H.,** Lister, H., Peterson, N.A., Fioravanti, S., Gilmore Powell., K., Marcello, S., & Joseph, B. (2025). *Subtypes and Service Utilization Patterns Among Patients with Opioid Use Disorder at a Community Health Center in a Medically Underserved Urban Area* [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research].

Jung, W., **Kim, A.H.,** & Steiner, J. (2025). *Contextualized Poverty Targeting through Multimodal Spatial Data and Machine Learning in Congo* [Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management].

Jung, W. & **Kim, A.H.** (2025). *Harnessing Community-Informed Geospatial Data to Identify Food Insecure Households* [Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research].

Kim, A.H., Cooper, S., Sangster, S., Ware, O., Fioravanti, S., Joseph, B., Gilmore Powell., K., Marcello, S., Peterson, N.A., Lister, H., & Lister, J.J. (2024). *A clinical epidemiological profile of substance use disorder burden trends across 2015-2021 at a community health center in an urban medically underserved area.* [Northeast Epidemiology Conference].

Jung, W., Benotsmane, R., Stoeffler., Q**., Kim, A. H.,** Ghadimi, S., Ntarlagiannis, D., Hosseini, M., Steiner, J., Ammari, T., & Lu, Y. (2024). *Improving Poverty Targeting through Multimodal Spatial Data and Machine Learning in Congo* [EEAMO].

Jung, W., Ghadimi S., Ntarlagiannis, D., & **Kim, A. H.** (2023). *Using Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning to Evaluate the Distribution of Community Development Aid Across Myanmar* [EEAMO].

van der Maas, M., Mills, D., Cho, R. S., & **Kim, A. H.** (2023, May 24). *Weekly, monthly, yearly: Short and long term patterns of participation on a online community of lottery players* [International Conference on Gambling & Risk Taking, Las Vegas]. https://digitalscholarship.unlv.edu/gaming_institute/2023/May24/42/

TECHNICAL REPORTS

Lister, J.J., **Kim, A.H.,** Scott, T., Baker, B.A., Okwori, G., Umar, S. & Branker, D. (2026). *New Jersey 2026 Rural Health Needs Assessment and Action Plan.* Final report submitted to the New Jersey Department of Health Office of Primary Care and Rural Health, Trenton, NJ, and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Rockville, MD.

Cooper, S.E., **Kim, A.H.,** Singer, B.N., Mumfor, A., & Lister, J.J. (2024). *An evaluation of the minority AIDS initiative for high-risk men and women of New Jersey: Year 5 progress report.* Annual progress report submitted to the direct sponsor Rowan-Virtua School of Osteopathic Medicine, Stratford, NJ and the prime sponsor the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Rockville, MD.

Sangster, S., Cooper, S.E., Singer, B.N., **Kim, A. H.,** Fougnies, L.V., Powell, K.G., Peterson, N.A., & Lister, J. J. (2023). *An evaluation of the minority AIDS initiative for high risk men of New Jersey: Year 4 progress report.* Annual progress report submitted to the direct sponsor Rowan University, Glassboro, NJ and the prime sponsor the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Rockville, MD.

Singer. B.N., Juntilla. A.M., **Kim, A.H.,** Sangster, S.A., & Lister, J.J. (2024). *Annual Evaluative Research Report of Rutgers Center for Integrated Care HRSA Funded Projects Addressing Substance Use and Behavioral Health in Medically Underserved Clinical Settings.* Annual

progress report submitted to the direct sponsor Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care, Piscataway, NJ, and the prime sponsor the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Rockville, MD.

Singer. B.N., Sangster, S.A., Juntilla. A.M., Cooper, S.E., Fougnies L.V., **Kim, A.H.,** Peterson, N.A., Powell, K.G. & Lister, J.J. (2023). *Testing the effects of an integrated substance use disorder training program in underserved communities: Year 2 evaluation report of the RUISTP program.* Annual progress report submitted to the direct sponsor Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care, Piscataway, NJ and the prime sponsor the U.S. Department Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Rockville, MD.

PERSONNEL ROLES ON CURRENTLY FUNDED PROJECTS

2026 – Present
New Jersey Rural Health Resource Center (NJ-RHRC)
New Jersey Department of Health (CMS flow through: DOHP26RHT046)
Rural Health Transformation Program 2026
Role: Research Operations Manager / Project Coordinator
Project Director & Principal Investigator: Dr. Jamey J. Lister
$115,921 award

2025 – 2027
A Sequential and Multiple Methods Design to Assess Needs and Generate Action Plans for the Primary Care and Rural Health Systems of New Jersey
New Jersey Department of Health – Office of Primary Care and Rural Health (HRSA flow through: U6811491 & H95RH00147)
Role: Research Operations Manager
Project Director & Principal Investigator: Dr. Jamey Lister
$150,000 award

2025 – 2029
Rutgers University Integrated Care and SUD Internship Program – Newark
Health Resources and Services Administration (M01HP54881)
Role: Research Operations Manager (PI/Lead Evaluator of $174,096 Subaward: Dr. Jamey J. Lister)
$2,400,000 award (Project Director: Dr. Holly Lister, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care)

2025 – 2028
Rutgers University Integrated Care and SUD Internship Program – Graduate Psychology Education – Piscataway
Health Resources and Services Administration (D4049550)
Role: Research Operations Manager (PI/Lead Evaluator of $101,060 Subaward: Dr. Jamey J. Lister)
$1,350,000 award (Project Director: Dr. Holly Lister, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care)

2024 – 2029 *NJ Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: Collaborative Care Model*
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (H79SM090004)
Role: Lead Evaluator Y3/ Research Operations Manager / Research Manager (PI/Lead Evaluator of $568,980 Subaward: Dr. Jamey J. Lister)
$4,500,000 award (Project Director: Mr. Carl Cazeau, New Jersey Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services)

2023 – 2028 *Enhanced Rutgers University Integrated Substance Use Disorder Training Program*
Health Resources and Services Administration (T62HP49317)
Role: Research Operations Manager / Research Manager / Graduate/Research Assistant (PI/Lead Evaluator of $162,569 Subaward: Dr. Jamey J. Lister)
$2,575,000 award (Project Director: Dr. Holly Lister, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care)

2023 – 2027 *Rutgers Integrated Substance Use Disorder Training Program*
Health Resources and Services Administration (1T62HP42055)
Role: Research Operations Manager / Research Manager / Graduate/Research Assistant (PI/Lead Evaluator of $425,000 Subaward: Dr. Jamey J. Lister)
$2,575,000 award (Project Director: Dr. Holly Lister, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care)

PERSONNEL ROLES ON PRIOR FUNDED PROJECTS

2023 – 2025 *Northeast & Caribbean Rural Opioid Technical Assistance Center (NeC-ROTAC)*
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (1H79TI085599)
Role: Research Manager; Graduate/Research Assistant (Co-Director, New Jersey Director, & $325,000 Subaward PI/Lead Evaluator: Dr. Jamey J. Lister)
$1,950,000 award (Project Director: Dr. Michael Chaple, Research Foundation for Mental Hygiene, Inc. / New York State Psychiatric Institute)

2023 – 2025 *Rutgers University Integrated Care and SUD Internship Program – Graduate Psychology Education*
Health Resources and Services Administration (1D40HP45681)
Role: Research Manager; Graduate/Research Assistant (PI/Lead Evaluator of $71,542 Subaward: Dr. Jamey J. Lister)
Project Director: Dr. Holly Lister
$1,350,000 award (Project Director: Dr. Holly Lister, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care)

2023 – 2025 *Minority AIDS Initiative for High Risk Men of New Jersey*
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
(1H79TI082453)
Role: Research Manager; Graduate/Research Assistant (PI/Lead Evaluator of $500,000 Subaward: Dr. Jamey J. Lister)
Project Director: Dr. Richard Jermyn
$2,500,000 subaward (Project Director: Dr. Richard Jermyn, Rowan-Virtua School of Osteopathic Medicine)

2023 – 2024 *Improving Distribution of Food Aid via Trustworthy Multimodal Poverty Prediction*
Rutgers Internal Funding
Cyberinfrastructure & AI for Science and Society (CASS) Seed Grant
Role: AI/ML Data Analyst; Research Coordinator
Principal Investigator: Dr. Woojin Jung
$25,000 award

2023 – 2024 *Detecting Human-Interpretable Features from Satellite Imagery to Support Poverty Mapping*
Rutgers Internal Funding
The Office for the Vice Provost for Research's ML/AI Pilot Seed Grant
Role: AI/ML Data Analyst; Research Coordinator
Principal Investigator: Dr. Woojin Jung
$50,000 award

SPEAKING INVITATIONS

Kim, A. H. (2026, May 20). *Bridging the therapeutic alliance: You, me, & AI* [Invited presentation and demonstration]. AI x Mental Health Talk Series, The AI Collective, Washington, DC, United States.
Provided in role as clinical expert and AI health tech founder

Kim, A. H. (2026, April 9). *AI Tools in Research* [Invited talk]. The Virtual Hallway: Student-Led Discussions, Rutgers University School of Social Work Doctoral Student Association

Kim, A.H. (2026). Research evaluation data presentation for New Jersey's Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: Collaborative Care Model (NJ-PIPBHC-CoCM). Invited address for the NJ-PIPBHC-CoCM State Planning Council, New Jersey Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services, Trenton, NJ.

Callaghan, E., Hollenbach, T., Henry, S., & **Kim, A.H.** (2025). *Bridging Barriers in Youth Mental Health: Rural Challenges, IPC, & Virtual Play Therapy.* Invited speakers to the 2025 Department of Health Rural Health Conference on November 20, 2025, New Jersey.
Provided in role as clinical experts for Continuing Education hours

Kim, A.H., Juntilla, A.M., Pandey, S., & Lister, J.J. (2025). *Psychosocial Considerations for Substance Use Care in Cumberland County, NJ.* Invited speakers hosted by the Rowan-Virtua School of Osteopathic Medicine. *Provided in role as Invited subject matter expert part of Neo-ROTAC*

Kim, A.H., Cooper, S., & Lister, J.J. (2024). *The practical value of EMR data for improving care in underserved settings: Illustrative examples and implications from the RUISTP evaluation*. Invited subject matter experts for the Rutgers University Integrated SUD Training Program (RUISTP) (HRSA funded) & Enhanced Rutgers University Integrated SUD Training Program (E-RUISTP) (HRSA funded) didactic session, hosted by Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care, Piscataway, NJ.

Kim, A. H. (2021). *Incarceration and reentry.* Invited Presentation for the Center for Great Expectations on March 24, 2021, New Jersey.

Kim, A. H. & Valera, P. (Summer 2019). *Criminal Justice and the Social Determinants of Health.* Invited Presentation for the Rutgers Biomedical Health Sciences Bridging the Gap Program on July 17, 2019, Piscataway, New Jersey.

Pomales, H. & **Kim, A. H.** (2017). *Stigma of addiction and resources for recovery*. Invited Presentation for Raritan High School in 2017, Raritan, New Jersey.

GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

2026	**Behavioral Health Tech Conference Writer's Scholarship Therapists in Tech (TnT) & Behavioral Health Tech Scholarship** Award: **$3,148**
2025	**Grand Challenges Doctoral Fellow Award** **Honorable Mention for the Grand Challenge: Harness Technology for Social Good** Award: $500
2020 – 2021	**Health Resources Services Administration (HRSA) Internship in Opiate Treatment** Grant Awarded: **$10,000**
2019 – 2020	**Demone Endowed Scholarship** Scholarship Awarded: **$2,000**

Awards

2026	**Outstanding Doctoral Student Teacher Award** Voted on by the 2026 graduating MSW student cohort

TEACHING INTERESTS

Social Work Practice with Individuals, Families, and Groups; Clinical Social Work with Individuals; Clinical Social Work with Families, Groups, and Couples; Advanced Statistical Methods; Data Science in Social Work; Computational Science & Social Work; Clinical Social Work: Addictive Behaviors; Understanding Addictive Behaviors; Research Methods; Social Welfare Policy.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Spring 2027 — **Clinical Social Work II (SSW MSW Program; Scheduled)**
Rutgers University
Lecturer
Responsibilities: As part of the advanced practice course for students that have selected the Clinical Social Work specialization, basic knowledge and skills to addresses therapeutic work with couples, families and groups. The focus is on the professional use of self in differentiated ways to enhance therapeutic outcomes. Reinforcement of the connections among theory, evidence-based practice, interventions and culturally appropriate and anti-oppressive stances toward social work practice occurs.

Fall 2026 — **Practice with Individuals, Families and Groups (SSW MSW Program)**
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Special Event: **Kim, A. H. (Instructor & Moderator).** (2025, November 11). *Therapy across the panel: How experts shape their clinical identities, modalities, and profession* [Guest panel presentation featuring C. Karpati, A. Longo, R. Nachum, C. Patel, & K. Suazo]. Social Work Practice I (19:910:500), Rutgers University School of Social Work, New Brunswick, NJ.

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Lecturer
Responsibilities: As part of the advanced practice course for students that have selected the Clinical Social Work specialization, basic knowledge and skills to addresses therapeutic work with couples, families and groups. The focus is on the professional use of self in differentiated ways to enhance therapeutic outcomes. Reinforcement of the connections among theory, evidence-based practice, interventions and culturally appropriate and anti-oppressive stances toward social work practice occurs.

Spring 2025 **Advanced Stat Methods I (SSW PhD Program)**
Rutgers University
Lab Assistant
Instructor: Dr. Lenna Nepomnyaschy
Responsibilities: Reinforce lectures on linear regression in social work research. Teach and provide students support in coding in Stata.

Fall 2024 **Practice with Individuals, Families and Groups (SSW MSW Program)**
Rutgers University
Lecturer
Responsibilities: As part of the Professional Foundation Year for incoming MSW students, provide basic knowledge and skills as a foundation for the advanced practice curriculum. Introduce and prepare MSW students to apply the ecological perspective and maintain essential values, concepts, and ethical considerations within a human rights perspective as it pertains to practice with individuals, families, and groups.

Fall 2024 **Stats Refresher Course (SSW PhD Program)**
Rutgers University
Instructor
Responsibilities: Re-familiarize incoming SSW PhD studies on the basics and foundational statistical concepts including distribution metrics and basic statistical tests such as *t*-tests and chi^2 tests. Prepare students for PhD-level statistical methods course work.

Spring 2024 **Advanced Stat Methods II (SSW PhD Program)**
Rutgers University
Lab Assistant
Instructor: Dr. Woojin Jung
Responsibilities: Reinforce lectures on categorical outcome modeling (Logit, Probit, MLogit, OLogit) and machine learning algorithms (k-means clustering, regularized regressions). Teach and provide students support in coding Stata and Python.

INVITED GUEST LECTURES & INSTRUCTIONAL

Summer 2026 **University of Tennessee Knoxville, College of Social Work, MSW Program**
Generalist Seminar – Introduction to Clinical Social Work
Topic: AI in Clinical Social Work Practice
Kim, A.H. (2026). *Bridging the Therapeutic Alliance: Clinical Practice in the Age of Digital Frontiers.* Guest lecture for the Generalist Seminar - Introduction to Clinical Social Work course (550) within the University of Tennessee Knoxville College of Social Work MSW Program (instructors: Sangmi Kim & Dr. Mary Held).

Spring 2026 **University of Tennessee Knoxville, College of Social Work, MSW Program**
Social Work and Artificial Intelligence: Ethics, Equity, and Practice
Topic: Predictive analytics in social work practice
Kim, A.H. (2026). *AI/ML Predictive Analytics in Social Work: Predicting Risk, Interpreting Models, and Re-Centering the Clinician.* Guest lecture for the Social Work and Artificial Intelligence: Ethics, Equity, and Practice course (540) within the University of Tennessee Knoxville College of Social Work MSW Program (instructor: Dr. Marina Badillo-Diaz).

Fall 2025 **Rutgers University, School of Social Work, MSW Program**
Advanced Contemporary Policy: Mental Health
Topic: Parity laws; public vs private insurance in clinical practice; and benefits of dual LCSW/PhD perspectives.
Kim, A.H. (2025). *Beyond the Therapy Room: The Policy Forces That Shape Our Practice.* Guest lecture for the Advanced Contemporary Policy: Mental Health course (19:910:587) within the Rutgers University School of Social Work MSW Program (instructor: Dr. Jamey J. Lister), Newark, NJ.

Spring 2024 **Rutgers University, School of Social Work, PhD Program**
Qualitative Research Methods
Topic: **Using NVivo in qualitative research**

PRIOR RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2023 – 2026

AI/ML Data Analyst (2025-2026)
Research Coordinator (2023 – 2025)
Research Assistant (2023)
Rutgers, School of Social Work
PI: Dr. Woojin Jung
Focus: Use of AI and machine learning in global poverty targeting; human-interpretable features in AI and machine learning models; poverty targeting and reduction simulations using machine learning targeting; georeferenced feature engineering; local government and community organizations engagement in feature development
Publications. Conference and peer-review paper submissions.

2019 – 2023

Graduate Assistant (2021 – 2023)
Research Assistant (2019 – 2021)
Center for Gambling Studies
PI: Dr. Lia Nower
Focus: Pathological gambling; responsible gambling; gambling policy; sports wagering; gambling & dissociation; loot boxes vs gambling; longitudinal gambling behaviors; and comorbidity
Conference session presentation

2019

Research Assistant
Cancer Health Justice Lab
PI: Dr. Pamela Valera
Focus: Health disparities in incarcerated populations; Cancer disparities; Access to smoking cessation treatment in incarcerated populations
Speaking invitation

2018 - 2019

Research Assistant
PI: Dr. Michael Eversman
Focus: Harm reduction (substance abuse) policies; religious leaders approach to addiction

2018

Research Assistant
MRLab
PI: Dr. Miriam Rosenberg-Lee
Focus: What areas of the brain are used in mathematical acquisition; correlates in cognitive tests & mathematical acquisition; interventions for individuals with autism (mathematics); and fMRI results & mathematical calculations

2012 – 2015

Research Assistant
Social Psych Lab
PI: Dr. David Wilder
Focus: Politics & implicit biases; Facebooking & psychological well-being; taboo trade-offs; moral foundations vs financial motivation
Publication

PRIOR PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

CLINICAL:

2020 – 2025 **Center for Network Therapy,** NJ
Clinician/Program Coordinator (2021 – 2025)
Student Intern (2020 – 2021)
Perform all functions required to maintain program effectiveness both clinically and procedurally including clinical evaluations; treatment planning; referrals; service coordination; group, individual, and family therapy; documentation; and ensuring the program meets both professional and ethical responsibilities.
Therapeutic Modalities: Psychodynamic (Internal Family Systems; Jungian principles; Objects-relations principles); Cognitive Behavioral Therapy; Dialectical Behavioral Therapy techniques; Acceptance & Commitment Therapy principles; Solutions-Focused Brief Therapy; Trauma-Informed Practice; use of generative AI to improve communication

2019 – 2020 **Stress Care of New Jersey,** NJ
Student Intern
Provide case management, crisis management, transportation, and care coordination to adult clients. Assist in client intakes and Biopsychosocial assessments.

NON-CLINICAL:

2016 – 2017 **Root to Rise (Currently the Phoenix),** NJ
Group Lead/Event Coordinator/Invited Speaker
Lead recovery walks, meetings, and other activities as group leader. Assist in operations during large events with community partners. Spoke at Raritan High School on the stigma of addiction and resources for recovery.

LICENSURE & CERTIFICATES

March 2025 **NJ State Board Certified Licensed Clinical Alcohol and Drug Counselor (LCADC)**
License #37LC00401700

Feb. 2025 **NJ State Board Certified Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)**
License #44SC06457200

May 2022 **NJ State Board Certified Licensed Social Worker (LSW)**
License #44SL06793900

July 2020 **Stanford Online Machine Learning Certificate**
MatLab & Octave based Machine Learning; Regression, logistic regression, clustering, support vector machines, and neural network predictive coding.

UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

2025	**2025 NJ Department of Health Rural Health Conference Planning Committee Member** Aid in organizing and identifying critical session topics in NJ rural health. Facilitate social work CE accreditation. Engage and organize speakers. **Kim, A. H.** (2025, November 20). *Planning committee member*. Annual New Jersey Rural Health Conference, New Jersey Department of Health Office of Primary Care and Rural Health, Lincroft, NJ.
2024 – 2025	**Student Planning Committee on Anti-Racism** **Co-Chair** To create a space for dialogue and resources for PhD students that support research, pedagogy, and practice that is absent of racism
2022 – 2023	**Doctoral Student Association** **Ad hoc Advisor** Advised the incoming Doctoral Student Association board members through member transition and preparation of board member duties
2021 – 2022	**Doctoral Student Association** **Board Member & Event Coordinator** Elected to help organize doctoral student activities and advocate for student needs between faculty and student body