

KEYNOTE AND DISTINGUISHED LECTURESHIPS:

- October 29, 2007 **Trauma Topics 2007: Challenges and Controversies Conference, Cooper University Hospital, Division of Patient Care Services, Camden, New Jersey. KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Towards a Better Understanding of Youth Street Gangs: Keeping Safe in the Hospital**
- April 16, 2008 **Seminar Series on Diversity and Cultural Affairs, University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing and the Office of the University Provost, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. LECTURE: When You Look Like the Enemy**

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

- October 23, 1995 **National Association of Medical Examiners (NAME) 29th Annual Meeting, San Diego California. Paper: Guns: A Deadly Toy for Children or a New Juvenile Mafia Without a Cause?**
- August 26, 1996 **International Association of Forensic Sciences (IAFS) 14th Triennial Meeting, Tokyo Japan. Paper: Youth Gangs: A New Inter-Ethnic Manifestation of Violence**
- November 18, 1996 **American Public Health Association (APHA) 124th Annual Meeting, New York City, New York. Paper: Youth Gang Violence: A New Biopsychosocial Phenomenon Or Disease?**
- September 15, 1997 **National Association of Medical Examiners (NAME) 31st Annual Meeting, Baltimore, Maryland. Paper: Confronting The Myth Of Youth Gang Violence (YGV)**
- November 10, 1997 **American Public Health Association (APHA) 125th Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, Indiana. Paper: Civil Injunctions (CI): A First Step Towards "Zero Tolerance" of Gang Violence Activity (GVA)**
- February 19, 1998 **University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Public Health, 20th Annual Minority Health Conference, Chapel Hill, North Carolina. Paper: The Use of Youth Gang Activity Markers in Eradicating Youth Violence in Asian Communities**
- November 18, 1998 **American Public Health Association (APHA) 126th Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. Paper: Tackling the Problem of Youth Gang Violence: Strategies of Prevention from the Community**
- November 19, 1998 **American Public Health Association (APHA) 126th Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. Paper: Leveling the Plane of Asian Minorities to Eradicate Youth Violence: The Role of Civil Injunctions**
- August 25, 1999 **International Association of Forensic Sciences (IAFS) 15th Triennial Meeting, Los Angeles, California. Paper: Youth Gang Violence: A Rising National Epidemic Confronting Medical Examiners/Coroners in the Next Millennium**

- August 27, 1999** **International Association of Forensic Sciences (IAFS) 15th Triennial Meeting, Los Angeles, California.** Paper: *Weapons On A Jail Ward: A Collection Of Terror*
- November 09, 1999** **American Public Health Association (APHA) 127th Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.** Paper: *Latino Youth Gang Violence: A Multidisciplinary Approach To This Rising Deadly Epidemic*
- October 23, 2001** **American Public Health Association (APHA) 129th Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.** Paper: *Confronting Gang Violence in the Emergency Department: The Use Of A Multidisciplinary Approach*
- March 01, 2002** **University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Public Health, 24th Annual Minority Health Conference, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.** Paper: *Asian Youth Gangs: A New Rising Epidemic In The Community*
- June 20, 2002** **University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2002 Summer Public Health Research Institute and Videoconference on Minority Health, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.** Paper: *Assessing the Health of Asian American Youth: A Multidisciplinary Approach*
- November 10, 2002** **American Public Health Association (APHA) 130th Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.** Paper: *Not In Our Community: Asian Youth Gangs—A New Rising Epidemic*
- November 14, 2002** **American Society of Criminology (ASC) Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.** Paper: *Asian Youth Gangs: A Rising Epidemic From Coast To Coast*
- March 22, 2003** **University of Michigan, School of Social Work, Challenges and Triumphs: Collaborating for Social Justice in Asian Pacific Islander American Communities Conference, Ann Arbor, Michigan.** Paper: *Evaluating the Health of Asian American Youth: An Innovative Multidisciplinary Approach*
- October 10, 2003** **Society for Police and Criminal Psychology 32nd Annual Meeting, Corpus Christi, Texas.** Paper: *A Closer Look into Asian Youth Gangs: Understanding the State of Mind of the Asian Gangster from a Multidisciplinary Perspective*
- October 17, 2003** **International Society of Urban Health (ISUH) and the New York Academy of Medicine, Second International Conference on Urban Health, New York, New York.** Paper: *Confronting Asian Youth Gangs: Examining Solutions from the Community Using A Multidisciplinary Approach*
- November 17, 2003** **American Public Health Association (APHA) 131st Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California.** Paper: *Asian Youth Gangs: A Closer Look into the State of Mind of Asian Gangster Girls*
- May 20, 2004** **National Coalition for Asian Pacific American Community Development (CAPACD) Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, California.** Workshop: *A Closer Look at Asian and Pacific Islander Youth: Data on education, behavioral health, juvenile justice, and Asian youth gangs* (Presented with Mary Lai, National Council on Crime and Delinquency)

- September 13, 2004** **National Association of Medical Examiners (NAME) 38th Annual Meeting, Nashville, Tennessee.** Paper: *Understanding Asian Youth Gang Violence: A Rising Epidemic Confronting Medical Examiners/Coroners*
- October 19, 2005** **National Association of Medical Examiners (NAME) 39th Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, California.** Paper: *Latino and African American Youth Gang Violence: A Growing Domestic Terrorism Problem for Medical Examiners/Coroners from Coast to Coast*
- December 12, 2005** **American Public Health Association (APHA) 133rd Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.** Paper: *One Step Closer in Understanding Asian Youth Street Gangs: An Often Silent Community*
- February 24, 2006** **American Academy of Forensic Sciences (AAFS) 58th Annual Meeting, Seattle, Washington.** Paper: *Breaking the Silence of Asian Youth Gangs: A Rising Epidemic Confronting Medical Examiners/Coroners From California to Pennsylvania*
- April 21, 2006** **Nurse-Family Partnership of Pennsylvania 3rd Annual Conference, State College, Pennsylvania.** Paper/Workshop: *Keeping Our Children Safe in the Community: Understanding the Signs and Symptoms of Youth Gang Activity*
- November 08, 2006** **American Public Health Association (APHA) 134th Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts.** Paper: *Understanding Latino Youth Gangs from MS 13 to 18th Street: A Growing Problem Confronting Our Communities*
- April 12, 2007** **Nurse-Family Partnership of Pennsylvania 4th Annual Conference, State College, Pennsylvania.** Paper/Workshop: *Understanding Youth Gangs in Our Community: The First Step in Keeping Safe*
- November 05, 2007** **American Public Health Association (APHA) 135th Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.** Paper: *Breaking the Code of the Streets: A Closer Look at Asian Street Gangs*
- February 21, 2008** **American Academy of Forensic Sciences (AAFS) 60th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.** Paper: *Towards a Better Understanding of Latino Youth Gang Violence: A Growing Domestic Terrorism Problem for Medical Examiners/Coroners*
- July 25, 2008** **International Association of Forensic Sciences (IAFS) 18th Triennial Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.** Paper: *Towards a Better Understanding of Asian Youth Gangs: A Rising Epidemic Confronting Our Communities*
- August 14, 2008** **American Psychological Association (APA) 116th Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts.** Paper: *Youth Gangs: What We Know and How We Can Intervene*

PUBLICATIONS:

Journal Articles:

1. Weaver, LD, Hansraj, KK, Idusuyi, OB, **Akiyama, C**, Ribeiro, JA, Fenison, AT, and Willoughby, DA: Gunshot Wound Injuries: Frequency And Cost Analyses In South Central Los Angeles. In Kenneth K. Hansraj and Lance D. Weaver (eds): **Orthopedic Clinics of North America**. New York, W.B. Saunders Company, January 1995, Volume 26 Number 1 (pp. 1-7)
2. **Akiyama, C**, Comparini, SO, and Nepomuceno, J: Youth Gang Violence: A New High Risk Biopsychosocial Emergency. **Mind and Human Interaction**. 1997, Volume 8 Number 3 (pp. 186-194)
3. Hansraj, KK, Chiu, JC, **Akiyama, C**, and Greenspan, M: Percutaneous Decompression Discectomy for Non-Extruded Cervical Herniated Nucleus Pulposus. **Surgical Technology International** San Francisco, Universal Medical Press, November 1997, Volume 6 (pp. 405-411)
4. **Akiyama, C** and Kawasaki, R: Southeast Asian Youth Gangs: A Rising Epidemic. **Mind and Human Interaction**. 1999, Volume 10 Number 4 (pp. 247-255)
5. **Akiyama, C**: When You Look Like the Enemy. **Brief Treatment and Crisis Intervention** 2008, Volume 8 Number 2 (pp. 209-213)
6. **Akiyama, C**: Bridging the Gap between Two Cultures: An Analysis on Identity Attitudes and Attachment of Asian Americans. **Brief Treatment and Crisis Intervention** 2008, Volume 8 Number 3 (pp. 251-263)

Book Reviews:

1. **Akiyama, C**: A book review for *Gangs, Graffiti, and Violence: A Realistic Guide to the Scope and Nature of Gangs in America* by Duane A. Leet, George E. Rush, and Anthony M. Smith. **Criminal Justice Review**, 2003, Volume 28 Number 1 (pp. 173-175).
2. **Akiyama, C**: A book review for *Understanding Youth Crime: An Australian Study* by John S. Western, Mark Lynch, and Emma Ogilvie. **International Criminal Justice Review**, 2006, Volume 16 Number 1 (pp. 57-58).
3. **Akiyama, C**: A book review for *Civil Gang Abatement: The Effectiveness and Implications of Policing by Injunction* by Edward L. Allen. **Criminal Justice Review**, 2007, Volume 32 Number 1 (pp. 65-67).
4. **Akiyama, C**: A book review for *The Truce: Lessons from an L.A. Gang War* by Karen Umemoto. **Criminal Justice Review**, 2009, Volume 34 Number 2 (pp. 296-298).