

CURRICULUM VITAE

Part I

PERSONAL DATA

Yvonne Comodore-Mensah, PhD, MHS, RN, FAAN, FAHA, FPCNA

Office: Johns Hopkins University
School of Nursing
525 N Wolfe St, Room N530U
Phone: (410) 614-1519
Email: ycommod1@jhmi.edu

EDUCATION

Year	Degree	Institution	Location
2019	Master of Health Science	The Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health	Baltimore, Maryland
2014	Doctor of Philosophy	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing	Baltimore, Maryland
2008	Bachelor of Science Nursing (Honors)	Fairleigh Dickinson University	Teaneck, New Jersey

CURRENT LICENSES

Year	Source	Type
2010-Present	State of Maryland	RN

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Years	Position	Institution	Location
2024	Associate Dean for Research	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing	Baltimore, Maryland
2024	Associate Director for Local/Global Reciprocal Innovation	Johns Hopkins Center for Health Equity	Baltimore, Maryland
2024	Visiting Professorship	Mahidol University, Faculty of Nursing	Bangkok, Thailand
2024-present	Adjunct Faculty	University of Health and Alliance Sciences	Volta Region, Ghana
2024-Present	Core Faculty	The Welch Center for Prevention, Epidemiology, and Clinical Research	Baltimore, Maryland
2022-Present	Associate Professor	The Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing	Baltimore, Maryland

Years	Position	Institution	Location
2021-Present	Associate Faculty	The Welch Center for Prevention, Epidemiology, and Clinical Research	Baltimore, Maryland
2022-President	President & Co-founder	Ghanaian-Diaspora Nursing Alliance(G-DNA)	Elkridge, Maryland
2019-Present	Joint Faculty Appointment	The Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health, Department of Epidemiology	Baltimore, Maryland
2017-Present	Core Faculty	Johns Hopkins Center for Health Equity	Baltimore, Maryland
2017-2023	Chief Executive Officer	The African Research Academies for Women	United States & Ghana
2016-2022	Assistant Professor	The Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing	Baltimore, Maryland
2015-2016	Assistant Research Professor	Emory University Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing	Atlanta, Georgia
2015	Research Associate	The Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing	Baltimore, Maryland
2014-2015	Special Volunteer	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK)	Bethesda, Maryland
2012-2014	Program Manager	Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing Helene Fuld Leadership Program for the Advancement of Patient Safety & Quality	Baltimore, Maryland
2010-2015	Graduate-Student	The Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing	Baltimore, Maryland
2010-2011	Research Nurse	Nurse-Led Heart Failure Care Transition Intervention for African Americans (R21NR011056)	Baltimore, Maryland
2008-2009	Registered Nurse	Inova Fairfax Hospital, Cardiac Telemetry Unit	Falls Church, Virginia

HONORS AND AWARDS

2024	Watkins Saunders Award, American Heart of Baltimore & Greater Maryland
2023	Term Professorship for Rising Faculty, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing
2023	Global Achievement Award, Johns Hopkins University
2023	Excellence in Health Equity Research Award, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing
2023	Excellence in Research Mentoring Award, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing
2022	SONie Award: Best Social Media Presence, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing,
2022	SON Dean's Award, Outstanding Nurse Researcher
2019-present	Fellow, American Heart Association, Council on Cardiovascular Nursing
2018-present	Fellow, Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association
2020	World Heart Federation Salim Yusuf Emerging Leaders Programme
2019	Fellow, American Academy of Nursing
2019	Miriam E. Brailey Award, The Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health
2018	Nancy Fink Award, The Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health
2016	American Heart Association Martha Hill New Investigator Award
2015	PhD Manuscript Award for Best Published Paper, The Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing
2015	Lawrence W. Green Paper of the Year Award (For "Developing Behavioral Theory with the Systematic Integration of Community Social Capital Concepts" with Drs. Laura Samuel and Cheryl Dennison Himmelfarb), Health Education & Behavior
2014	Winning Abstract Award (Data-based Category), Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association
2014	Teaching Innovation Award (for The Helene Fuld Leadership Program for the Advancement of Patient Care Quality and Safety, Program Director, C. Dennison Himmelfarb), Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing

RESEARCH

Sponsored Projects

09/2024-06/2029	The ADHINCRA Study: Addressing Hypertension Care in Africa, National Heart Lung and Blood Institute (NHLBI). 1R01HL175642. Role: MPI.(Yvonne Commodore-Mensah, Fred Stephen Sarfo, Dike Ojji, MPIs) 15% effort. Total Direct Costs, \$2,300,000
01/2024-6/2025	Adaptive personalized dietitian coaching, messaging and produce prescription to improve healthy dietary behaviors-THRIVE, American Heart Association. Role: <u>Co-PI</u> . 5% effort. (Oluwabunmi Ogungbe & Yvonne Commodore-Mensah, MPIs). Total Direct Costs, \$400,000.00
07/2024-06/2025	The Social Determinants of the Risk of Hypertension in Women of Reproductive Age (SAFE HEART). Role: <u>Co-PI</u> . 14%. American Heart Association Supplemental Grants for Research Goes Red Awardees (Yvonne Commodore-Mensah and Garima Sharma). Total Direct Costs: \$300,000.00
7/2022-6/2024	The Social Determinants of the Risk of Hypertension in Women Study. 24RGRSG1275750. Role: <u>Co-PI</u> . 5%. American Heart Association (Co-PIs, Garima Sharma and Yvonne Commodore-Mensah). Total Direct Costs:\$446,758.00
10/2022-9/2026	Improving Participation Among diverse populations in Cardiovascular clinical Trials (IMPACT). Role: <u>Co-I</u> . 5% effort. American Heart Association. (Erin Michos, PI). Total Direct Costs, \$1,044,076.00
09/2021-08/2026	A Cardiometabolic Health Program LINKED with Community Health Workers and Mobile Health Telemonitoring To reduce Health Disparities (LINKED-HEARTS PROGRAM), P50 MD017348 – 8183. Role: <u>Co-PI</u> , 20% effort. National Institute of Minority Health Disparities. (Yvonne Commodore-Mensah & Cheryl Dennison Himmelfarb (PIs). Total Direct Costs, \$2.5 million
10/2021-09/2025	Home Blood Pressure Telemonitoring Linked with Community Health Workers to Improve Blood Pressure (LINKED-BP), 20% effort. 882415. American Heart Association Health Equity Research Network (HERN) on Prevention of Hypertension. Role: PI. Total Direct Costs, \$2,639,998.00
09/2020-08/2022	A Virtual Cardiometabolic Health Program for African Immigrants: The Afro-DPP Program, 10% effort. Role: PI (Pilot). Awarded to Sarah Szanton, PI. Hopkins Center to Promote resilience in persons and families living with multiple chronic conditions (the PROMOTE Center) Total Direct costs: \$163750
09/2020-02/2022	Development of an Interactive team-based care Electronic Health Record System. Role: Co-Investigator. Awarded to RADECT Inc. (1R44MD014095-01). 25% effort. Total Direct Costs, \$224,150
07/2020-06/2021	The Tele-SMARTBP Program: A Mixed Methods Pilot Study. Role: Principal Investigator. The Johns Hopkins Catalyst Award Program. Total Award Amount: \$74,998
06/2020-06/2021	Evaluating the Efficacy of Community Outreach Screening for Cardiovascular Disease in High-Risk Populations. Pfizer Global Medical Grants. Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association, Madison, Wisconsin. Role: Co-Investigator. Effort In kind
04/2020-03/2025	Johns Hopkins Center for Mobile Technologies to Achieve Equity in Cardiovascular Health, Co-Investigator, 10% effort. American Heart Association Strategically Focused Research Network (Seth Martin & David Newman-Toker (PIs). Total Direct Costs, \$2.5 million
05/2019-08/2022	Cardiovascular Health Initiative. RESOLVE To Save Lives. L. Appel, PI, Role: Co-Investigator, 10% effort, Vital Strategies. Total Direct Costs: \$3,200,000.

09/2018-01/2022	Addressing Hypertension Care in Africa (ADHINCRA) Study. PI: Yvonne Commodore-Mensah. Principal Investigator. 5% effort. The Johns Hopkins University JHU Alliance for a Healthier World. Total Direct Costs, \$250,000.
08/2017-07/2020	Johns Hopkins Clinical Research Scholars Program (5KL2TR001077-05). (Yvonne Commodore-Mensah) Trainee, 75% effort
2016-2019	Yvonne Commodore-Mensah New Nurse Faculty Fellowship. PI: Commodore-Mensah, Yvonne. Principal Investigator. Maryland Higher Education Commission. \$20,000.
2016-2019	African Immigrants' Perceptions and Attitudes Toward Cardiovascular Health. PI: Commodore-Mensah, Yvonne. Principal Investigator. Sigma Theta Tau International Inc. \$4,915.
09/2015–08/2020	Comparative Effectiveness of Health System vs. Multilevel Interventions to Reduce Hypertension Disparities. L. Cooper, PI. Role: Co-Investigator, NIH / PCORI (UH2 HL130688), Direct Costs, Year 1: \$650,000.
09/2012-06/2014	Cardiovascular Disease Risk of West African Immigrants and the Effect of Acculturation Role: Principal Investigator, PI 1P30NR011409, Center of Excellence for Cardiovascular Health, 75% effort, Total Direct Cost: \$6,000.

Scholarship

Publications

Peer-reviewed Journal Articles(*data-based)

1. *Benjasirisan, C., Elias, S., Lim, A., Byiringiro, S., Chen, Y., Kruahong, S., Turkson-Ocran, R. A., Dennison Himmelfarb, C. R., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, & Koirala, B. (2024). Disparities in the Use of Annual Heart Health Screenings Among Latino, Black, and Asian Immigrants: Evidence from the 2011 to 2018 National Health Interview Survey. *Journal of the American Heart Association*, e032919. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1161/JAHA.123.032919>
2. Shah NS, Kandula NR, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Morey BN, Patel SA, Wong S, Yang E, Yi S; American Heart Association Prevention Science Committee of the Council on Epidemiology and Prevention and the Council on Cardiovascular and Stroke Nursing; Council on Hypertension; Council on Lifestyle and Cardiometabolic Health; Council on Basic Cardiovascular Sciences; Council on Clinical Cardiology; Council on Peripheral Vascular Disease; and Council on Quality of Care and Outcomes Research. Social Determinants of Cardiovascular Health in Asian Americans: A Scientific Statement From the American Heart Association. *Circulation*. 2024 Sep 16. doi: 10.1161/CIR.0000000000001278. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 39279648.
3. *Ajibewa TA, Turkson Ocran RA, Carnethon MR, Metlock FE, Liu X, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Physical Activity Engagement among Black Immigrants and African American Adults in the 2010 to 2018 NHIS Study. *Ethn Dis*. 2024 Aug 21;34(3):165-172. doi: 10.18865/EthnDis-2023-45. PMID: 39211815; PMCID: PMC11354821.
4. *Bhatla A, Ding J, Mhaimeed O, Spaulding EM, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Plante TB, Shan R, Marvel FA, Martin SS. Patterns of Telehealth Visits After the COVID-19 Pandemic Among Individuals With or at Risk for Cardiovascular Disease in the United States. *J Am Heart Assoc*. 2024 Sep 3;13(17):e036475. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.124.036475. Epub 2024 Aug 29. PMID: 39206726.

5. Writing Committee Members; Morris AA, Masoudi FA, Abdullah AR, Banerjee A, Brewer LC, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Cram P, DeSilvey SC, Hines AL, Ibrahim NE, Jackson EA, Joynt Maddox KE, Makaryus AN, Piña IL, Rodriguez-Monserrate CP, Roger VL, Thorpe FF, Williams KA Sr. 2024 ACC/AHA Key Data Elements and Definitions for Social Determinants of Health in Cardiology: A Report of the American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association Joint Committee on Clinical Data Standards. *J Am Coll Cardiol*. 2024 Aug 21;S0735-1097(24)07404-7. doi: 10.1016/j.jacc.2024.05.034. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 39207317.
6. *Hinne T, Boakye H, Metlock F, Ogungbe O, Kruahong S, Byiringiro S, Dennison Himmelfarb C, **Commodore- Mensah Y**. Effectiveness of team-based care interventions in improving blood pressure outcomes among adults with hypertension in Africa: a systematic review and meta-analysis. *BMJ Open*. 2024 Jul 17;14(7):e080987. doi: 10.1136/bmjopen-2023-080987. PMID: 39019631.
7. Shimbo D, Shah RU, Abdalla M, Agarwal R, Ahmad FS, Anaya G, Attia ZI, Bull S, Chang AR, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Ferdinand K, Kawamoto K, Khera R, Leopold J, Luo J, Makhni S, Mortazavi BJ, Oh YS, Savage LC, Spatz ES, Stergiou G, Turakhia MP, Whelton PK, Yancy CW, Iturriaga E. Transforming Hypertension Diagnosis and Management in The Era of Artificial Intelligence: A 2023 National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Workshop Report. *Hypertension*. 2024 Jul 16. doi: 10.1161/HYPERTENSIONAHA.124.22095. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 39011653.
8. *Byiringiro S, Hinneh T, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Masteller J, Sarfo FS, Perrin N, Assibey S, Himmelfarb CR. Exploring patient-, provider-, and health facility-level determinants of blood pressure among patients with hypertension: A multicenter study in Ghana. *PLOS Glob Public Health*. 2024 Jul 15;4(7):e0002121. doi: 10.1371/journal.pgph.0002121. PMID: 39008513; PMCID:PMC11249229.
9. *Elias S, Wenzel J, Cooper LA, Perrin N, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Lewis KB, Koirala B, Slone S, Byiringiro S, Marsteller J, Himmelfarb CR; RICH LIFE Project Investigators *. Multiethnic Perspectives of Shared Decision-Making in Hypertension: A Mixed-Methods Study. *J Am Heart Assoc*. 2024 Jul 11:e032568. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.123.032568. Epub ahead of print. PMID:38989822.
10. *Byiringiro S, Hinneh T, Chepkorir J, Tomiwa T, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Marsteller J, Sarfo FS, Saylor MA, Assibey S, Himmelfarb CR. Healthcare system barriers and facilitators to hypertension management in Ghana. *Ann Glob Health*. 2024 Jul 4;90(1):38. doi: 10.5334/aogh.4246. PMID: 38978819; PMCID: PMC11229483.
11. Owusu B, Bivins B, Juste J, Francis L, Itambo J, Akomah J, Yorukoglu N, Gbaba S, Hinneh T, Ajibewa T, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Baptiste DL. Continuous glucose monitoring for black older adults with type 2 diabetes mellitus: Challenges, innovations and implications: A discursive review. *J Adv Nurs*. 2024 Jun 24. doi: 10.1111/jan.16277. Epub ahead of print. PMID:38924568.
12. Metlock FE, Hinneh T, Benjasirisan C, Alharthi A, Ogungbe O, Turkson-Ocran RN, Himmelfarb CR, **Commodore- Mensah Y**. Impact of Social Determinants of Health on Hypertension Outcomes: A Systematic Review. *Hypertension*. 2024 Jun 18. doi: 10.1161/HYPERTENSIONAHA.123.22571. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38887955.
13. Metlock FE, Kwapong YA, Evans C, Ouyang P, Vaidya D, Aryee EK, Nasir K, Mehta LS, Blumenthal RS, Douglas PS, Hall J, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Sharma G. Design and Rationale of the Social Determinants of the Risk of Hypertension in Women of Reproductive Age (SAFE HEART) Study: An American Heart Association Research Goes Red Initiative. *Am Heart J*. 2024 Jun 9:S0002-8703(24)00138-8. doi: 10.1016/j.ahj.2024.05.016. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38862074.

14. *Spaulding EM, Fang M, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Himmelfarb CR, Martin SS, Coresh J. Prevalence and Disparities in Telehealth Use Among US Adults Following the COVID-19 Pandemic: National Cross-Sectional Survey. *J Med Internet Res*. 2024 May 10;26:e52124. doi: 10.2196/52124. PMID: 38728070; PMCID: PMC11127137.
15. *Joynt Maddox KE, Elkind MSV, Aparicio HJ, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, de Ferranti SD, Dowd WN, Hernandez AF, Khavjou O, Michos ED, Palaniappan L, Penko J, Poudel R, Roger VL, Kazi DS; American Heart Association. Forecasting the Burden of Cardiovascular Disease and Stroke in the United States Through 2050-Prevalence of Risk Factors and Disease: A Presidential Advisory From the American Heart Association. *Circulation*. 2024 Jun 4. doi: 10.1161/CIR.0000000000001256. Epub ahead of print. PMID:38832505.
16. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Chen Y, Ogungbe O, Liu X, Metlock FE, Carson KA, Echouffo-Tcheugui JB, Ibe C, Crews D, Cooper LA, Himmelfarb CD. Design and rationale of the cardiometabolic health program linked with community health workers and mobile health telemonitoring to reduce health disparities (LINKED-HEARTS) program. *Am Heart J*. 2024 May 15;275:9-20. doi: 10.1016/j.ahj.2024.05.008. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38759910.
17. *Broni EK, Echouffo-Tcheugui JB, Palatnik A, Graham EM, Turkson-Ocran RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Ndumele CE, Michos ED. Associations between hysterectomy and metabolic syndrome: the Multi-Ethnic Study of Atherosclerosis. *Am J Obstet Gynecol*. 2024 May 3:S0002-9378(24)00561-1. doi: 10.1016/j.ajog.2024.04.035. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38703940.
18. *Chen Y, Koirala B, Ji M, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Dennison Himmelfarb CR, Perrin N, Wu Y. Obesity paradox of cardiovascular mortality in older adults in the United States: A cohort study using 1997-2018 National Health Interview Survey data linked with the National Death Index. *Int J Nurs Stud*. 2024 Jul;155:104766. doi: 10.1016/j.ijnurstu.2024.104766. Epub 2024 Apr 2. PMID:38703694.
19. Foti K, Wang D, Tang O, Daya NR, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Juraschek SP, Christenson RH, Selvin E, McEvoy JW. Modeling the Impact of Biomarker-Guided Versus ASCVD Risk-Guided Drug Treatment in US Adults With Stage 1 Hypertension: The National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey, 1999 to 2004. *Hypertension*. 2024 Jul;81(7):1599-1608. doi: 10.1161/Hypertension.AHA.123.22665. Epub 2024 May 1. PMID: 38690651; PMCID: PMC11168872.
20. *Spaulding, E. M., Fang, M., Chen, Y., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Himmelfarb, C. R., Martin, S. S., & Coresh, J. (2024). Satisfaction with Telehealth Care in the United States: Cross-Sectional Survey. *Telemedicine journal and e-health : the official journal of the American Telemedicine Association*, 10.1089/tmj.2023.0531. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1089/tmj.2023.0531>
21. * Lim A, Elias S, Benjasirisan C, Byiringiro S, Chen Y, Turkson-Ocran RA, Dennison Himmelfarb CR, **Commodore- Mensah Y**, Koirala B. Heterogeneity in the Prevalence of Cardiovascular Risk Factors by Ethnicity and Birthplace Among Asian Subgroups: Evidence From the 2010 to 2018 National Health Interview Survey. *J Am Heart Assoc*. 2024 Feb 29:e031886. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.123.031886. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38420759.
22. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Ogungbe O, Broni E, Ezeike C, Turkson-Ocran RA, Wenzel J, Cooper LA. African Immigrants' perceptions and attitudes toward cardiovascular health. *J Adv Nurs*. 2024 Feb 12. doi: 10.1111/jan.16080. Epub ahead of print. PMID:38345368.
23. Elias, S., Chen, Y., Liu, X., Slone, S., Turkson-Ocran, R. A., Ogungbe, B., Thomas, S., Byiringiro, S., Koirala, B., Asano, R., Baptiste, D. L., Mollenkopf, N. L., Nmezi, N., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, & Himmelfarb, C. R. D.

(2024). Shared Decision-Making in Cardiovascular Risk Factor Management: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis. *JAMA network open*, 7(3), e243779. <https://doi.org/10.1001/jamanetworkopen.2024.3779>

24. Martin SS, Aday AW, Almarzooq ZI, Anderson CAM, Arora P, Avery CL, Baker-Smith CM, Barone Gibbs B, Beaton AZ, Boehme AK, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Currie ME, Elkind MSV, Evenson KR, Generoso G, Heard DG, Hiremath S, Johansen MC, Kalani R, Kazi DS, Ko D, Liu J, Magnani JW, Michos ED, Mussolino ME, Navaneethan SD, Parikh NI, Perman SM, Poudel R, Rezk-Hanna M, Roth GA, Shah NS, St-Onge MP, Thacker EL, Tsao CW, Urbut SM, Van Spall HGC, Voeks JH, Wang NY, Wong ND, Wong SS, Yaffe K, Palaniappan LP; American Heart Association Council on Epidemiology and Prevention Statistics Committee and Stroke Statistics Subcommittee. 2024 Heart Disease and Stroke Statistics: A Report of US and Global Data From the American Heart Association. *Circulation*. 2024 Feb 20;149(8):e347-e913. doi: 10.1161/CIR.0000000000001209. Epub 2024 Jan 24. PMID: 38264914.
25. Isakadze N, Kim CH, Marvel FA, Ding J, MacFarlane Z, Gao Y, Spaulding EM, Stewart KJ, Nimbalkar M, Bush A, Broderick A, Gallagher J, Molello N, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Michos ED, Dunn P, Hanley DF, McBee N, Martin SS, Mathews L. Rationale and Design of the mTECH-Rehab Randomized Controlled Trial: Impact of a Mobile Technology Enabled Corrie Cardiac Rehabilitation Program on Functional Status and Cardiovascular Health. *J Am Heart Assoc*. 2024 Jan 16;13(2):e030654. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.123.030654. Epub 2024 Jan 16. PMID: 38226511.
26. Ogungbe O, Longenecker CT, Beaton A, de Loizaga S, Brant LCC, Turkson Ocran RN, Bastani P, Sarfo FS, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Advancing Cardiovascular Health Equity Globally Through Digital Technologies. *J Am Heart Assoc*. 2024 Jan 16;13(2):e031237. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.123.031237. Epub 2024 Jan 16. PMID: 38226506.
27. *Liu X, Slone SE, Chen Y, Yeboah-Korieh Y, Alharthi A, Amihere J, Moyo-Songonuga S, Lane T, Ostchega Y, Brady TM, Himmelfarb CR, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Blood Pressure Measurements Obtained by Community-Dwelling Adults Are Similar to Nurse-Obtained Measurements: The SMART-BP Validate Study. *Am J Hypertens*. 2024 Jan 14:hpa001. doi: 10.1093/ajh/hpa001. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38219026.
28. Hinneh T, Osei Baah F, Amoako E, Baptiste D, Turkson-Ocran RA, Agore A, Adombire S, Decker M, Apau D, Fankah I, Koomson P, Mensah B, Idun J, Akyirem S, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Towards advancement of nursing in Ghana: The role of the Ghanaian-Diaspora Nursing Alliance (G-DNA). *Nurs Open*. 2023 Dec;10(12):7450-7453. doi: 10.1002/nop2.1997. Epub 2023 Sep 25. PMID: 37743758;PMCID: PMC10643831.
29. Hinneh T, Akyirem S, Bossman IF, Lambongang V, Ofori-Aning P, Ogungbe O, **Commodore Mensah Y**. Regional prevalence of hypertension among people diagnosed with diabetes in Africa, a systematic review and meta- analysis. *PLOS Glob Public Health*. 2023 Dec 5;3(12):e0001931. doi: 10.1371/journal.pgph.0001931. PMID: 38051707; PMCID: PMC10697518
30. Chen Y, Turkson-Ocran RA, Koirala B, Davidson PM, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Himmelfarb CD. Association Between the Composite Cardiovascular Risk and mHealth Use Among Adults in the 2017-2020 Health Information National Trends Survey: Cross-Sectional Study. *J Med Internet Res*. 2024 Jan 4;26:e46277. doi: 10.2196/46277. PMID: 38175685; PMCID: PMC10797506.
31. *McNabb, K. C., Bergman, A. J., Smith-Wright, R., Seltzer, J., Slone, S. E., Tomiwa, T., Alharthi, A., Davidson, P. M., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, & Ogungbe, O. (2023). "It was almost like it's set up for people to fail" A qualitative analysis of experiences and unmet supportive needs of people with Long COVID. *BMC public health*, 23(1), 2131. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-17033-4>
32. Spaulding, E. M., Isakadze, N., Molello, N., Khoury, S. R., Gao, Y., Young, L., Antonsdottir, I. M., Azizi, Z., Dorsch, M. P., Golbus, J. R., Ciminelli, A., Brant, L. C. C., Himmelfarb, C. R., Coresh, J., Marvel, F. A., Longenecker, C. T.,

- Commodore-Mensah, Y., Gilotra, N. A., Sandhu, A., Nallamotheu, B., ... Martin, S. S. (2023). Use of Human-Centered Design Methodology to Develop a Digital Toolkit to Optimize Heart Failure Guideline-Directed Medical Therapy. *The Journal of cardiovascular nursing*, 10.1097/JCN.0000000000001051. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1097/JCN.0000000000001051>
33. **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Delva, S., Ogungbe, O., Smulcer, L. A., Rives, S., Dennison Himmelfarb, C. R., Kim, M. T., Bone, L., Levine, D., & Hill, M. N. (2023). A Systematic Review of the Hill-Bone Compliance to Blood Pressure Therapy Scale. *Patient preference and adherence*, 17, 2401–2420. <https://doi.org/10.2147/PPA.S412198>
 34. Ogungbe, O., Grant, J. K., Ayoola, A. S., Bansah, E., Miller, H. N., Plante, T. B., Sheikhattari, P., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Turkson-Ocran, R. N., Juraschek, S. P., Martin, S. S., Lin, M., Himmelfarb, C. R., & Michos, E. D. (2023). Strategies for Improving Enrollment of Diverse Populations with a Focus on Lipid-Lowering Clinical Trials. *Current cardiology reports*, 25(10), 1189–1210. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11886-023-01942-2>
 35. Moran, A. E., Gupta, R., & Global Hearts Initiative Collaborators (2023). Implementation of Global Hearts Hypertension Control Programs in 32 Low- and Middle-Income Countries: JACC International. *Journal of the American College of Cardiology*, 82(19), 1868–1884. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jacc.2023.08.043>
 36. *Chen, Y., Kruahong, S., Elias, S., Turkson-Ocran, R. A., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Koirala, B., & Himmelfarb, C. R. D. (2023). Racial Disparities in Shared Decision-Making and the Use of mHealth Technology Among Adults With Hypertension in the 2017-2020 Health Information National Trends Survey: Cross-Sectional Study in the United States. *Journal of medical Internet research*, 25, e47566. <https://doi.org/10.2196/47566>
 37. Peprah, E., Amegbor, P., Laar, A., Akasoe, B., & **Commodore-Mensah, Y.** (2023). Reducing Dietary Sodium Intake among Young Adults in Ghana: A Call to Action. *Nutrients*, 15(16), 3562. <https://doi.org/10.3390/nu15163562>
 38. Dennison Himmelfarb, C. R., Beckie, T. M., Allen, L. A., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Davidson, P. M., Lin, G., Lutz, B., Spatz, E. S., American Heart Association Council on Cardiovascular and Stroke Nursing, & American Heart Association Council on Cardiovascular and Stroke Nursing; Council on Clinical Cardiology; Council on Quality of Care and Outcomes Research; Council on Hypertension; Council on the Kidney in Cardiovascular Disease; Council on Lifelong Congenital Heart Disease and Heart Health in the Young; Council on Lifestyle and Cardiometabolic Health; Council on Peripheral Vascular Disease; Council on Epidemiology and Prevention; and Stroke Council (2023). Shared Decision-Making and Cardiovascular Health: A Scientific Statement From the American Heart Association. *Circulation*, 148(11), 912–931. <https://doi.org/10.1161/CIR.0000000000001162>
 39. ***Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Wang, D., Jeon, Y., Foti, K., McEvoy, J. W., Coresh, J., Tang, O., Echouffo-Tcheugui, J. B., Christenson, R., Ndumele, C. E., & Selvin, E. (2023). Racial and ethnic differences in circulating N-terminal pro-brain-type natriuretic peptide (NT-proBNP) in US adults. *American journal of preventive cardiology*, 15, 100526. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ajpc.2023.100526>
 40. Ogungbe, O., Cazabon, D., Moran, A. E., Neupane, D., Himmelfarb, C. D., Edward, A., Pariyo, G. W., Appel, L. J., Matsushita, K., Hongwei, Z., Tong, L., Dessie, G. A., Worku, A., Choudhury, S. R., Jubayer, S., Bhuiyan, M. R., Islam, S., Osi, K., Odu, J., Obagha, E. C., ... **Commodore-Mensah, Y.** (2023). Landscape of team-based care to manage hypertension: results from two surveys in low/middle-income countries. *BMJ open*, 13(7), e072192. <https://doi.org/10.1136/bmjopen-2023-072192>
 41. Thomas, V. E., Metlock, F. E., Hines, A. L., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, & Brewer, L. C. (2023). Community-Based Interventions to Address Disparities in Cardiometabolic Diseases Among Minoritized Racial and Ethnic Groups. *Current atherosclerosis reports*, 25(8), 467–477. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11883-023-01119-w>

42. *Sadauskas, L., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Wu, C., Taylor, C. O., Epstein, J. A., Stackhouse, B. K., Hasselfeld, B. W., & Hughes, H. K. (2023). Individual- and Neighborhood-Level Disparities in Audio-Only Telemedicine Utilization Across a Large Academic Health System. *Telemedicine journal and e-health : the official journal of the American Telemedicine Association*, 10.1089/tmj.2023.0050. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1089/tmj.2023.0050>
43. Byiringiro, S., Ogungbe, O., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Adeleye, K., Sarfo, F. S., & Himmelfarb, C. R. (2023). Health systems interventions for hypertension management and associated outcomes in Sub-Saharan Africa: A systematic review. *PLOS global public health*, 3(6), e0001794. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pgph.0001794>
44. Jackson, D., Aveyard, H., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Dale, C., Noyes, J., Smith, G. D., Sharps, P., Timmins, F., & Yu, D. (2023). The future is ours to shape: Nursing emerging from the pandemic with insight, optimism and courage. *Journal of advanced nursing*, 10.1111/jan.15706. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jan.15706>
45. *Elias, S., Turkson-Ocran, R. A., Koirala, B., Byiringiro, S., Baptiste, D., Himmelfarb, C. R., & **Commodore-Mensah, Y. (2023)**. Heterogeneity in Cardiovascular Disease Risk Factors Among Latino Immigrant Subgroups: Evidence From the 2010 to 2018 National Health Interview Survey. *Journal of the American Heart Association*, 12(10), e027433. <https://doi.org/10.1161/JAHA.122.027433>
46. Ahadzi D, Gaye B, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Advancing the Cardiovascular Workforce in Africa to Tackle the Epidemic of Cardiovascular Disease: The Time is Now. *Glob Heart*. 2023 Apr 21;18(1):20. doi: 10.5334/gh.1197. PMID: 37092022; PMCID: PMC10120597.
47. Spruill TM, Muntner P, Popp CJ, Shimbo D, Cooper LA, Moran AE, Penko J, Bibbins-Domingo K, Ibe C, Nnodim Opara I, Howard G, Bellows BK, Spoer BR, Ravenell J, Cherrington AL, Levy P, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Juraschek SP, Molello N, Dietz KB, Brown D, Bartelloni A, Ogedegbe G. AddREssing Social Determinants TO pRevent hypErtension (The RESTORE Network): Overview of the Health Equity Research Network to Prevent Hypertension. *Am J Hypertens*. 2023 Apr 15;36(5):232-239. doi: 10.1093/ajh/hpado10. PMID: 37061798.
48. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Liu X, Ogungbe O, Ibe C, Amihere J, Mensa M, Martin SS, Crews D, Carson KA, Cooper LA, Himmelfarb CR. Design and Rationale of the Home Blood Pressure Telemonitoring Linked with Community Health Workers to Improve Blood Pressure (LINKED-BP) Program. *Am J Hypertens*. 2023 Apr 15;36(5):273-282. doi: 10.1093/ajh/hpado01. PMID: 37061796; PMCID: PMC10105861.
49. *Peters MA, Alonge O, Edward A, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Kaur J, Kumar N, Rao KD. Barriers to effective hypertension management in rural Bihar, India: A cross-sectional, linked supply- and demand-side study. *PLOS Glob Public Health*. 2022 Oct 12;2(10):e0000513. doi: 10.1371/journal.pgph.0000513. PMID: 36962585; PMCID: PMC10021531.
50. *Liu X, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Himmelfarb CR, Li J, Stoner L, Shahane A, Logan JG. Determinants of Daytime Sleepiness Among Middle-Aged Adults. *Clin Nurs Res*. 2023 Mar;32(3):571-579. doi: 10.1177/10547738231156148. Epub 2023 Feb 22. PMID: 36851893.
51. Tsao CW, Aday AW, Almarzooq ZI, Anderson CAM, Arora P, Avery CL, Baker-Smith CM, Beaton AZ, Boehme AK, Buxton AE, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Elkind MSV, Evenson KR, Eze-Nliam C, Fugar S, Generoso G, Heard DG, Hiremath S, Ho JE, Kalani R, Kazi DS, Ko D, Levine DA, Liu J, Ma J, Magnani JW, Michos ED, Mussolino ME, Navaneethan SD, Parikh NI, Poudel R, Rezk-Hanna M, Roth GA, Shah NS, St-Onge MP, Thacker EL, Virani SS, Voeks JH, Wang NY, Wong ND, Wong SS, Yaffe K, Martin SS; American Heart Association Council on Epidemiology and Prevention Statistics Committee and Stroke Statistics Subcommittee. *Heart Disease and*

Stroke Statistics-2023 Update: A Report From the American Heart Association. *Circulation*. 2023 Feb 21;147(8):e93-e621. doi: 10.1161/CIR.0000000000001123. Epub 2023 Jan 25. Erratum in: *Circulation*. 2023 Feb 21;147(8):e622. PMID: 36695182.

52. Abrahamowicz AA, Ebinger J, Whelton SP, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Yang E. Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Hypertension: Barriers and Opportunities to Improve Blood Pressure Control. *Curr Cardiol Rep*. 2023 Jan;25(1):17- 27. doi: 10.1007/s11886-022-01826-x. Epub 2023 Jan 9. PMID: 36622491; PMCID: PMC9838393.
53. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Sarfo FS, Turkson-Ocran RA, Foti K, Mobula LM, Himmelfarb CD, Carson KA, Appiah LT, Degani M, Lang'at C, Nyamekye G, Molello NE, Ahima R, Cooper LA. Addressing Hypertension Care in Africa (ADHINCRA): Study protocol for a cluster-randomized controlled pilot trial. *Contemp Clin Trials*. 2023 Feb;125:107077. doi: 10.1016/j.cct.2022.107077. Epub 2022 Dec 30. PMID: 36592818.
54. *Ogungbe O, Slone S, Alharthi A, Tomiwa T, Kumbe B, Bergman A, McNabb K, Smith Wright R, Farley JE, Dennison Himmelfarb CR, Cooper LA, Post WS, Davidson PM, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. "Living like an empty gas tank with a leak": Mixed methods study on post-acute sequelae of COVID-19. *PLoS One*. 2022 Dec 30;17(12):e0279684. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0279684. PMID: 36584125; PMCID: PMC9803174.
55. *Byiringiro S, Koirala B, Ajibewa T, Broni EK, Liu X, Adeleye K, Turkson-Ocran RN, Baptiste D, Ogungbe O, Himmelfarb CD, Gbaba S, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Migration-Related Weight Changes among African Immigrants in the United States. *Int J Environ Res Public Health*. 2022 Nov 23;19(23):15501. doi: 10.3390/ijerph192315501. PMID: 36497575; PMCID:PMC9735855.
56. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Metlock FE, Cooper LA. Rethinking, Reimagining, and Reigniting Community-Engaged Research to Promote Cardiovascular Health Equity. *Circ Cardiovasc Qual Outcomes*. 2022 Nov;15(11):e009519. doi: 10.1161/CIRCOUTCOMES.122.009519. Epub 2022 Nov 15. PMID: 36378771; PMCID: PMC9716750.
57. Isakadze N, Molello N, MacFarlane Z, Gao Y, Spaulding EM, **Commodore Mensah Y**, Marvel FA, Khoury S, Marine JE, Michos ED, Spragg D, Berger RD, Calkins H, Cooper LA, Martin SS. The Virtual Inclusive Digital Health Intervention Design to Promote Health Equity (iDesign) Framework for Atrial Fibrillation: Co-design and Development Study. *JMIR Hum Factors*. 2022 Oct 31;9(4):e38048. doi: 10.2196/38048. PMID: 36315217; PMCID: PMC9664334.
58. Ogunniyi MO, Mahmoud Z, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Fleg JL, Fatade YA, Quesada O, Aggarwal NR, Mattina DJ, Moraes De Oliveira GM, Lindley KJ, Ovbiagele B, Roswell RO, Douglass PL, Itchhaporia D, Hayes SN; American College of Cardiology Cardiovascular Disease in Women Committee and the American College of Cardiology Health Equity Taskforce. Eliminating Disparities in Cardiovascular Disease for Black Women: JACC Review Topic of the Week. *J Am Coll Cardiol*. 2022 Nov 1;80(18):1762-1771. doi: 10.1016/j.jacc.2022.08.769. PMID: 36302590.
59. *Baptiste DL, Turkson-Ocran RA, Ogungbe O, Koirala B, Francis L, Spaulding EM, Dennison Himmelfarb C, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Heterogeneity in Cardiovascular Disease Risk Factor Prevalence Among White, African American, African Immigrant, and Afro-Caribbean Adults: Insights From the 2010-2018 National Health Interview Survey. *J Am Heart Assoc*. 2022 Sep 20;11(18):e025235. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.122.025235. Epub 2022 Sep 8. PMID: 36073627.
60. Khoong EC, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Lyles CR, Fontil V. Use of Self-Measured Blood Pressure Monitoring to Improve Hypertension Equity. *Curr Hypertens Rep*. 2022 Aug 24;1-15. doi: 10.1007/s11906-022-01218-0. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 36001268; PMCID:PMC9399977.

61. Mensah D, Ogungbe O, Turkson-Ocran RN, Onuoha C, Byiringiro S, Nmezi NA, Mannoh I, Wecker E, Madu EN, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. The Cardiometabolic Health of African Immigrants in High-Income Countries: A Systematic Review. *Int J Environ Res Public Health*. 2022 Jun 29;19(13):7959. doi: 10.3390/ijerph19137959. PMID: 35805618; PMCID: PMC9265760.
62. Ogungbe O, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Dennison Himmelfarb CR, Ferguson C, Martin K, Davidson PM. COVID-19: Lessons Learned and a Need for Data Driven Decision Making. *Heart Lung Circ*. 2022 Jul;31(7):905-909. doi: 10.1016/j.hlc.2022.05.004. PMID: 35752453; PMCID: PMC9221316.
63. Isakadze N, Marvel FA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Martin SS, Michos ED. Starting a Research Career in Cardiology: Advice for Fellows in Training and Early-Career Cardiologists. *Methodist Debaque Cardiovasc J*. 2022 Jun 3;18(3):49-58. doi: 10.14797/mdcvj.1108. PMID: 35734153; PMCID: PMC9165677.
64. *Nmezi NA, Turkson-Ocran RA, Tucker CM, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. The Associations between Depression, Acculturation, and Cardiovascular Health among African Immigrants in the United States. *Int J Environ Res Public Health*. 2022 May 30;19(11):6658. doi: 10.3390/ijerph19116658. PMID: 35682247; PMCID: PMC9180644.
65. *Ogungbe O, Cazabon D, Ajenikoko A, Jeemon P, Moran AE, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Determining the frequency and level of task-sharing for hypertension management in LMICs: A systematic review and meta-analysis. *EClinicalMedicine*. 2022 Apr 15;47:101388. doi: 10.1016/j.eclinm.2022.101388. PMID: 35480075; PMCID: PMC9035722.
66. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Mok Y, Gottesman RF, Kucharska-Newton A, Matsushita K, Palta P, Rosamond WD, Sarfo FS, Coresh J, Koton S. Life's Simple 7 at Midlife and Risk of Recurrent Cardiovascular Disease and Mortality after Stroke: The ARIC study. *J Stroke Cerebrovasc Dis*. 2022 Apr 22;31(7):106486. doi: 10.1016/j.jstrokecerebrovasdis.2022.106486. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 35468496.
67. *Ostchega Y, Hughes JP, Kit B, Chen TC, Nwankwo T, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Graber JE, Nguyen DT. Differences in hypertension and stage II hypertension by demographic and risk factors, obtained by two different protocols in US adults: National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey, 2017-2018. *Am J Hypertens*. 2022 Mar 25;hpac042. doi: 10.1093/ajh/hpac042. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 35333925.
68. *Ogungbe O, Turkson-Ocran RA, Koirala B, Byiringiro S, Liu X, Elias S, Mensah D, Turkson-Ocran E, Nkimbeng M, Cudjoe J, Baptiste D, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Acculturation and Cardiovascular Risk Screening among African Immigrants: The African Immigrant Health Study. *Int J Environ Res Public Health*. 2022 Feb 23;19(5):2556. doi: 10.3390/ijerph19052556. PMID: 35270252; PMCID: PMC8909198.
69. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Loustalot F, Himmelfarb CD, Desvigne-Nickens P, Sachdev V, Bibbins-Domingo K, Clauser SB, Cohen DJ, Egan BM, Fendrick AM, Ferdinand KC, Goodman C, Graham GN, Jaffe MG, Krumholz HM, Levy PD, Mays GP, McNellis R, Muntner P, Ogedegbe G, Milani RV, Polgreen LA, Reisman L, Sanchez EJ, Sperling LS, Wall HK, Whitten L, Wright JT, Wright JS, Fine LJ. Proceedings From a National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Workshop to Control Hypertension. *Am J Hypertens*. 2022 Mar 8;35(3):232-243. doi: 10.1093/ajh/hpab182. PMID: 35259237; PMCID: PMC8903890.
70. Colvin CL, Kalejaiye A, Ogedegbe G, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Advancing Equity in Blood Pressure Control: A Response to the Surgeon General's Call-to-Action. *Am J Hypertens*. 2022 Mar 8;35(3):217-224. doi: 10.1093/ajh/hpab187. PMID: 35259236; PMCID: PMC8903884.
71. *Ogunwole SM, Turkson-Ocran RN, Boakye E, Creanga AA, Wang X, Bennett WL, Sharma G, Cooper LA,

- Commodore-Mensah Y.** Disparities in cardiometabolic risk profiles and gestational diabetes mellitus by nativity and acculturation: findings from 2016-2017 National Health Interview Survey. *BMJ Open Diabetes Res Care.* 2022 Feb;10(1):e002329. doi: 10.1136/bmjdr-2021-002329. PMID: 35168940; PMCID: PMC8852664.
72. Hannan JA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Tokieda N, Smith AP, Gawlik KS, Murakami L, Cooper J, Koob S, Wright KD, Cassarino D, Arslanian-Engoren C, Melnyk BM. Improving hypertension control and cardiovascular health: An urgent call to action for nursing. *Worldviews Evid Based Nurs.* 2022 Feb;19(1):6-15. doi: 10.1111/wvn.12560. Epub 2022 Feb 8. PMID: 35137506.
 73. Tsao CW, Aday AW, Almarzooq ZI, Alonso A, Beaton AZ, Bittencourt MS, Boehme AK, Buxton AE, Carson AP, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Elkind MSV, Evenson KR, Eze-Nliam C, Ferguson JF, Generoso G, Ho JE, Kalani R, Khan SS, Kissela BM, Knutson KL, Levine DA, Lewis TT, Liu J, Loop MS, Ma J, Mussolino ME, Navaneethan SD, Perak AM, Poudel R, Rezk-Hanna M, Roth GA, Schroeder EB, Shah SH, Thacker EL, VanWagner LB, Virani SS, Voecks JH, Wang NY, Yaffe K, Martin SS. Heart Disease and Stroke Statistics-2022 Update: A Report From the American Heart Association. *Circulation.* 2022 Feb 22;145(8):e153-e639. doi: 10.1161/CIR.0000000000001052. Epub 2022 Jan 26. PMID: 35078371.
 74. *Ogungbe O, Kumbe B, Fadodun O, Latha T, Meyer D, Asala A, Davidson PM, Dennison Himmelfarb CR, Post WS, **Commodore-Mensah Y.** Subclinical myocardial injury, coagulopathy, and inflammation in COVID-19: A meta-analysis of 41,013 hospitalized patients. *Int J Cardiol Heart Vasc.* 2022 Jan 4;100950. doi: 10.1016/j.ijcha.2021.100950. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 35005211; PMCID: PMC8723832.
 75. Ogunniyi MO, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Ferdinand KC. Race, Ethnicity, Hypertension, and Heart Disease: JACC Focus Seminar 1/9. *J Am Coll Cardiol.* 2021 Dec 14;78(24):2460-2470. doi: 10.1016/j.jacc.2021.06.017. PMID: 34886968.
 76. *Mannoh I, Turkson-Ocran RA, Mensah J, Mensah D, Yi SS, Michos ED, **Commodore-Mensah Y.** Disparities in Awareness of Myocardial Infarction and Stroke Symptoms and Response Among United States- and Foreign- Born Adults in the National Health Interview Survey. *J Am Heart Assoc.* 2021 Dec 7;10(23):e020396. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.121.020396. Epub 2021 Nov 30. PMID: 34845927.
 77. *Nkimbeng M, Nmezi NA, Baker ZG, Taylor JL, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Shippee TP, Szanton SL, Gaugler JE. Depressive Symptoms in Older African Immigrants with Mobility Limitations: A Descriptive Study. *Clin Gerontol.* 2021 Sep 16:1-13. doi: 10.1080/07317115.2021.1976893. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34528489.
 78. Mannoh I, Hussien M, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Michos ED. Impact of social determinants of health on cardiovascular disease prevention. *Curr Opin Cardiol.* 2021 Sep 1;36(5):572-579. doi: 10.1097/HCO.0000000000000893. PMID: 34397464.
 79. *Nwokeji U, Spaulding E, Shan R, Turkson-Ocran R, Baptiste D, Koirala B, Plante T, Martin S, **Commodore- Mensah Y.** Health Information Technology Use Among Persons With Self-reported Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease: Analysis of the 2011-2018 National Health Interview Survey. *J Med Internet Res* 2021;23(8):e23765.DOI: 10.2196/23765
 80. *Tankumpuan T, Sindhu S, Perrin N, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Budhathoki C, Padula W, Himmelfarb CD, Davidson PM. A multi-site Thailand heart failure snapshot study. *Heart Lung Circ.* 2021 Aug 5;S1443- 9506(21)01155-0. doi: 10.1016/j.hlc.2021.07.010. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34364801.
 81. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Lazo M, Tang O, Echouffo-Tcheugui J, Ndumele CE, Nambi V, Wang D, Ballantyne C, Selvin E. High burden of subclinical and cardiovascular disease risk in adults with metabolically healthy obesity: The Atherosclerosis Risk in Communities (ARIC) study. *Diabetes Care.* 2021 May 5;dc202227. doi:

10.2337/dc20-2227. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 33952606.

82. *Koirala B, Turkson-Ocran RA, Baptiste D, Koirala B, Francis L, Davidson P, Himmelfarb CD, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Heterogeneity of cardiovascular disease risk factors among Asian immigrants: Insights from the 2010 to 2018 National Health Interview survey. *Journal of the American Heart Association*. 2021 Jul 6;10(13):e020408. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.120.020408. Epub 2021 Jun 29. PMID: 34182790.
83. *Gleason KT, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Wu AW, Kearns R, Pronovost P, Aboumatar H, Dennison Himmelfarb CR. Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) learning builds capacity and improves competence for patient safety among global learners: A prospective cohort study. *Nurse Educ Today*. 2021 Sep;104:104984. doi: 10.1016/j.nedt.2021.104984. Epub 2021 May 26. PMID: 34058646; PMCID: PMC8316390.
84. *Marseille B, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Davidson P, Baker D, D'Aoust R, & Baptiste D. Improving hypertension knowledge, medication adherence, and blood pressure control: A feasibility study. *Journal of Clinical Nursing*. 2021 Apr 19. doi: 10.1111/jocn.15803. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 33872425.
85. Ogungbe O, Byiringiro S, Adedokun A, Seal S, Dennison Himmelfarb CR, Davidson PM, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Medication adherence interventions for cardiovascular disease in low- and middle-income countries: A systematic review. *Patient Preference and Adherence*. 2021 Apr 29;15:885-897. doi: 10.2147/PPA.S296280. PMID: 33953548; PMCID: PMC8092634.
86. Casey DE, Daniel DM, Bhatt J, Carey RM, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Holmes AP, Wozniak G, Wright JT. Controlling High Blood Pressure: An evidence-based blueprint for change. *Am J Med Qual*. 2021 May 20. doi: 10.1097/01.JMQ.0000749856.90491.43. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34038915.
87. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, DePriest K, Samuel LJ, Hason G, D'Aoust R, Slade E. Prevalence and characteristics of foreign-born and United States-born health care professionals, 2010-2018. *JAMA Netw Open*. 2021 Apr 1;4(4):e218396. doi: 10.1001/jamanetworkopen.2021.8396. PMID: 33914048; PMCID: PMC8085726.
88. Hughes H, Hasselfeld B, Cooper LA, Thornton RLJ, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. A process for developing a telehealth equity dashboard at a large academic health system serving diverse populations. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*. 2021. 32(2), 198-210. doi:10.1353/hpu.2021.0058.
89. *Ogungbe O, Turkson-Ocran RA, Nkimbeng M, Cudjoe J, Miller HN, Baptiste D, Himmelfarb CD, Davidson P, Cooper LA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2021) Social determinants of hypertension and diabetes among African immigrants: The African immigrants health study. *Ethn Health*. 2021 Feb 8:1-13. doi: 10.1080/13557858.2021.1879026. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 33550838.
90. Levine GN, Cohen BE, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Fleury J, Huffman JC, Khalid U, Labarthe DR, Lavretsky H, Michos ED, Spatz ES, Kubzansky LD. Psychological health, well-being, and the mind-heart-body connection: A scientific statement from the American Heart Association. *Circulation*. 2021 Mar 9;143(10):e763-e783. doi: 10.1161/CIR.0000000000000947. Epub 2021 Jan 25. PMID: 33486973.
91. Ali SH, Islam NS, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Yi SS. Implementing hypertension management interventions in immigrant communities in the U.S.: A narrative review of recent developments and suggestions for programmatic efforts. *Curr Hypertens Rep*. 2021 Jan 22;23(1):5. doi: 10.1007/s11906-020-01121-6. PMID: 33483867; PMCID: PMC7821846.
92. *Baptiste, D., Turkson-Ocran, R. A., Dennison Himmelfarb, C. R., & Han, H. R. **Commodore-Mensah, Y**. Social determinants of emergency department visits among persons diagnosed with coronary heart disease and stroke: An analysis of the 2010-2018 National Health Interview surveys. *Ethnicity & Disease*. 2021. 31(1):41-46; doi:10.18865/ed.31.1.41. PMID: 33519154

93. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Turkson-Ocran RA, Foti K, Cooper LA, Himmelfarb CD. Associations between social determinants and hypertension, stage 2 hypertension and controlled blood pressure among men and women in the US. *Am J Hypertens*. 2021 Jan 11;hpab011. doi: 10.1093/ajh/hpab011. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 33428705.
94. ***Sreenivasan J**, Khan MS, Khan SU, Hooda U, Aronow WS, Panza JA, Levine GN, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Blumenthal RS, Michos ED. Mental health disorders among patients with acute myocardial infarction in the United States. *Am J Prev Cardiol*. 2020 Dec 8;5:100133. doi: 10.1016/j.ajpc.2020.100133. PMID: 34327485; PMCID: PMC8315415.
95. Giscombe SR, Baptiste DL, Koirala B, Asano R, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. The use of clinical decision support in reducing readmissions for patients with heart failure: a quasi-experimental study. *Contemp Nurse*. 2021 Feb- Apr;57(1-2):39-50. doi: 10.1080/10376178.2021.1919161. Epub 2021 May 5. PMID: 33863268.
96. Oruche U, Liu J, Otey T, Hone A, Okwuchukwu I, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Engaging communities to improve healthcare for non-communicable diseases: Notes from the field in Southeastern Nigeria. *Engage!* 2020. 1(3). <https://doi.org/10.18060/24148>
97. Mobula LM, Heller DJ, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Walker Harris V, Cooper LA. (2020) Protecting the vulnerable during COVID-19: Treating and preventing chronic disease disparities. *Gates Open Res*. Sep 9;4:125. doi: 10.12688/gatesopenres.13181.1. eCollection 2020. PMCID: PMC7578408. PMID: 33117965
98. Cudjoe J, Nkimbeng M, Turkson-Ocran RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Han HR. Understanding the pap testing behaviors of African immigrant women in developed countries: A systematic review. *J Immigr Minor Health*. 20202. Nov 9, doi: 10.1007/s10903-020-01119-x
99. ***Nkimbeng M**, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Angel JL., Bandeen-Roche K. Thorpe Jr RJ, Han H, Winch P, J., Szanton SL. Longer residence in the United States is associated with more physical function limitations in older African immigrants. *J Appl Gerontol*. 2020. Dec 22:733464820977608. doi: 10.1177/0733464820977608. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 33353456; PMCID: PMC8217389.
100. ***Turkson-Ocran RN**, Szanton SL, Cooper LA, Golden SH, Ahima RS, Perrin N, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Discrimination is associated with elevated cardiovascular disease risk among African immigrants in the African immigrant health study. *Ethn. Dis*. 2020. , Sep 24; 30(4): 651-600. doi: 10.18865/ed.30.4.651. PMID: 32989365
101. ***Mukaz DK**, Melby MK, Papas MA, Setiloane K, Nmezi NA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Diabetes and acculturation in African immigrants to the United States: Analysis of the 2010-2017 National Health Interview Survey (NHIS). *Ethn Health*. 2020. Sep 25: 1-11. doi: 10.1080/13557858.2020.1820958. PMID: 32977725
102. ***DePriest K**, D'Aoust R, Samuel L, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Hanson G, Slade EP. (2020) Nurse practitioners' workforce outcomes under implementation of full practice authority. *Nurs Outlook*. 2020.;S0029-6554(20)30155- X. doi: 10.1016/j.outlook.2020.05.008. PMID: 32593462
103. ***Sarfo FS**, Mobula LM, Adade T, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Agyei M, Kokuro C, Adu-Gyamfi R, Duah C, Ovbiagele B. Low blood pressure levels & incident stroke risk among elderly Ghanaians with hypertension. *J Neurol Sci*. 2020 Mar 4;413:116770. doi: 10.1016/j.jns.2020.116770. PMID: 32172015
104. ***Turkson-Ocran RN**, Nmezi NA, Botchway MO, Szanton SL, Golden SH, Cooper LA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Comparison of cardiovascular disease risk factors among African immigrants and African Americans: An

analysis of the 2010 to 2016 National Health Interview Surveys. *J Am Heart Assoc.* 2020 Mar 3;9(5):e013220. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.119.013220. PMID: 32070204

105. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Agyemang C, Aboagye JA, Echouffo-Tcheugui JB, Beune E, Smeeth L, Klipstein-Grobusch K, Danquah I, Schulze M, Boateng D, Meeks KAC, Bahendeka S, Ahima RS. Obesity and cardiovascular disease risk among Africans residing in Europe and Africa: The RODAM study. *Obes Res Clin Pract.* 2020 Feb 12. pii: S1871-403X(19)30536-8. doi: 10.1016/j.orcp.2020.01.007. PMID: 32061582
106. Ogungbe O, Dennison Himmelfarb CR, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Improving medication adherence in cardiovascular disease prevention: What's new? *J Cardiovasc Nurs.* 2020 Jan/Feb;35(1):6-10. doi: 10.1097/JCN.0000000000000645. PMID: 31804246
107. Casey DE, Thomas RJ, Bhalla V, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Heidenreich PA, Kolte D, Muntner P, Smith SC, Spertus JA, Windle JR, Wozniak GD, Ziaieian B. 2019 AHA/ACC Clinical Performance and Quality Measures for Adults With High Blood Pressure: A report of the American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association Task Force on performance measures. (11, vol. 12, pp. e000057). *J Am Coll Cardiol.* 2019 Nov 26;74(21):2661-2706. doi: 10.1016/j.jacc.2019.10.001. PMID: 31732293
108. Casey DE, Thomas RJ, Bhalla V, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Heidenreich PA, Kolte D, Muntner P, Smith SC, Spertus JA, Windle JR, Wozniak GD, Ziaieian B. 2019 AHA/ACC Clinical Performance and Quality Measures for adults with high blood pressure: A report of the American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association task force on performance measures. *Circ Cardiovasc Qual Outcomes.* 2019 Nov;12(11):e000057. doi: 10.1161/HCQ.0000000000000057. PMID: 31714813
109. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Turkson-Ocran RA, Nmezi NA, Nkimbeng M, Cudjoe J, Mensah DS, York S, Mossburg S, Patel N, Adu E, Cortez J, Mbaka-Mouyeme F, Mwinnyaa G, Dennison Himmelfarb C, Cooper LA. Commentary: Engaging African Immigrants in research experiences and lessons from the field. (4, vol. 29, pp. 617-622). *Ethnicity & Disease.* 2019. doi: 10.18865/ed.29.4.617. PMID: 31641329
110. Sterling MR, Echeverría SE, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Breland JY, Nunez-Smith M. Health equity and implementation science in heart, lung, blood, and sleep-related research: Emerging themes from the 2018 Saunders-Watkins Leadership Workshop. (10, vol. 12, pp. e005586). *Circulation. Cardiovascular quality and outcomes.* 2019. doi: 10.1161/CIRCOUTCOMES.119.005586. PMID: 31610713
111. *Nkimbeng M, Turkson-Ocran RA, Thorpe R, Cudjoe J, Szanton S, Taylor J, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Prevalence of functional limitations among foreign and US-born black older adults: 2010-2016 National Health Interview Surveys. *Ethnicity and Health.* 2019. Sep 6:1-13. doi: 10.1080/13557858.2019.1661357.
112. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Turkson-Ocran RA, Dennison Himmelfarb CR. Empowering nurses to lead efforts to reduce cardiovascular disease and stroke risk: Tools for global impact. (5, vol. 34, pp. 357-360). *Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing.* 2019. doi: 10.1097/JCN.0000000000000606. PMID: 31403502
113. Mossburg S, Agore A, Nkimbeng M, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Occupational hazards among healthcare workers in Africa: A systematic review. *Ann Glob Health.* 2019 Jun 6;85(1). pii: 78. doi: 10.5334/aogh.2434. PMID: 31172728
114. Nkimbeng M, Cudjoe J, Turkson-Ocran RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Thorpe RJ, Szanton SL. Disparities in the prevalence and correlates of disability in older immigrants in the USA: A systematic review of the literature. (3, vol. 6, pp. 552-562). *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities.* 2019. doi: 10.1007/s40615-018-00554-9. Cudjoe, J, Turkson-Ocran, RA, Ezeigwe, AK, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Nkimbeng, M, Han, HR. Recruiting African immigrant women for community-based cancer prevention studies: lessons learned from the AfroPap study. *J Community Health.* 2019. Published. doi: 10.1007/s10900-019-00677-y.

111. *Gleason K, VanGraafeiland B, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Walrath J, Immelt S, Ray E, Dennison Himmelfarb CR. The impact of an innovative curriculum to introduce patient safety and quality improvement content. *BMC Medical Education*. 2019. doi: 10.1186/s12909-019-1604-0. PMID: 31113414.
112. *Thomas SC, Umer A, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Davidov D, Abildso CG. Length of residence and cardiovascular health among Afro-Caribbean immigrants in New York City. (3, vol. 6, pp. 487-496). *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities*. 2019. doi: 10.1007/s40615-018-00547-8. PMID: 30547300
113. Cudjoe, J, Turkson-Ocran, RA, Ezeigwe, AK, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Nkimbeng, M, Han, HR. Recruiting African immigrant women for community-based cancer prevention studies: Lessons learned from the AfroPap study. *J Community Health*. 2019. Published. doi: 10.1007/s10900-019-00677-y. PMID: 31102117
114. Nersesian PV, Spaulding EM, Cudjoe J, Starbird LE, White KM, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Keeping it contemporary: Ensuring dynamism in an online population health course. (1, vol. 58, pp. 53-56). *Journal of Nursing Education*. 2019. doi: 10.3928/01484834-20190103-09. PMID: 30673093
115. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Matthie N, Wells J, B. Dunbar S, Himmelfarb CD, Cooper LA, Chandler RD. African Americans, African Immigrants, and Afro-Caribbeans differ in social determinants of hypertension and diabetes: Evidence from the National Health Interview Survey. (5, vol. 5, pp. 995-1002). *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities*. 2018. doi: 10.1007/s40615-017-0446-x. PMID: 29234990
116. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Selvin E, Aboagye J, Turkson-Ocran RA, Li X, Himmelfarb CD, Ahima RS, Cooper LA. Hypertension, overweight/obesity, and diabetes among immigrants in the United States: An analysis of the 2010-2016 National Health Interview Survey. (1, vol. 18). *BMC Public Health*. 2018/ doi: 10.1186/s12889-018-5683-3. PMID: 29925352
117. *Agyemang C, Nyaaba G, Beune E, Meeks K, Owusu-Dabo E, Addo J, Aikins ADG, Mockenhaupt FP, Bahendeka S, Danquah I, Schulze MB, Galbete C, Spranger J, Agyei-Baffour P, Henneman P, Klipstein-Grobusch K, Adeyemo A, Van Straalen J, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Appiah LT, Smeeth L, Stronks K. Variations in hypertension awareness, treatment, and control among Ghanaian migrants living in Amsterdam, Berlin, London, and nonmigrant Ghanaians living in rural and urban Ghana-the RODAM study. (1, vol. 36, pp. 169-177). *Journal of Hypertension*. 2018. doi: 10.1097/HJH.0000000000001520. PMID: 28858173
118. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Ukonu N, Cooper LA, Agyemang C, Himmelfarb CD. The association between acculturation and cardiovascular disease risk in African immigrants in the United States: The Afro-Cardiac Study. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*. 2017. doi: 10.1007/s40615-017-0446-x. PMID: 28852948
119. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Ukonu N, Obisesan O, Aboagye JK, Agyemang C, Reilly CM, Dunbar SB, Okosun IS. Length of residence in the United States is associated with a higher prevalence of cardiometabolic risk factors in immigrants: A contemporary analysis of the national health interview survey. (11, vol. 5). *Journal of the American Heart Association*. 2016. doi:10.1161/JAHA.116.004059.
120. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Sampah M, Berko C, Cudjoe J, Abu-Bonsrah N, Obisesan O, emang C, Adeyemo A, Himmelfarb CD. The Afro-Cardiac Study: Cardiovascular disease risk and acculturation in West African immigrants in the United States: Rationale and study design. (6, vol. 18, pp. 1301-1308). *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*. 2016. doi: 10.1007/s10903-015-0291-0. PMID: 26429573
121. *Obisesan O, Kuo WH, Brunet M, Obisesan A, Akinola O, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Predictors of obesity among Nigerian immigrants in the United States. (2, vol. 19, pp. 328-332). *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*. 2017. doi: 10.1007/s10903-016-0404-4. PMID: 26995179
122. Himmelfarb CR, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Hill MN. Expanding the role of nurses to improve hypertension

care and control globally. (2, vol. 82, pp. 243-253). *Annals of Global Health*. 2016. doi: 10.1016/j.aogh.2016.02.003. PMID: 27372529

123. ***Commodore-Mensah Y**, Hill M, Allen J, Cooper LA, Blumenthal R, Agyemang C, Himmelfarb CD. Sex differences in cardiovascular disease risk of Ghanaian-and Nigerian-born West African immigrants in the United States: The Afro-Cardiac study. (2, vol. 5, pp. 1-13). *Journal of the American Heart Association*. 2016. doi: 10.1161/JAHA.115.002385. PMID: 26896477
124. ***Obisesan, O., Thompson, E., Akinola, O., Obisesan, A., Commodore-Mensah Y**. Association between non-cigarette/smokeless tobacco and hypertension in the National Health Interview Survey: A pseudo-panel analysis. *International Journal of Public Health Science*. 2016.
125. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Himmelfarb CD, Agyemang C, Sumner AE. Cardiometabolic health in African immigrants to the United States: A call to re-examine research on African-descent populations. (3, vol. 25, pp. 373-380). *Ethnicity and Disease*. 2015. PMID: 26675140
126. Shillam CR, Ho G, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Online biostatistics: Evidence-based curriculum for master's nursing education. (4, vol. 53, pp. 229-232). *Journal of Nursing Education*. 2014. doi: 10.3928/01484834-20140326-01. PMID: 24654693
127. Dennison Himmelfarb CR, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Hayman LL. New cardiovascular prevention guidelines offer a new approach and effective strategies. (2, vol. 29, pp. 102-104). *Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing*. 2014. doi: 10.1097/JCN.000000000000135. PMID: 24504020
128. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Samuel LJ, Dennison-Himmelfarb CR, Agyemang C. Hypertension and overweight/obesity in Ghanaians and Nigerians living in West Africa and industrialized countries: A systematic review. (3, vol. 32, pp. 464-472). *Journal of Hypertension*. 2014. doi: 10.1097/HJH.000000000000061. PMID: 24445390
129. Samuel LJ, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Dennison Himmelfarb CR. Developing behavioral theory with the systematic integration of community social capital concepts. (4, vol. 41, pp. 359-375). *Health Education and Behavior*. 2014. doi: 10.1177/1090198113504412. PMID: 24092886
130. ***Han HR, Lee H, Commodore-Mensah Y, Kim M.** (2014). Development and validation of the hypertension self-care profile: A practical tool to measure hypertension self-care. (3, vol. *Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing*. doi: 10.1097/JCN.0b013e3182a3fd46. PMID: 24088621
131. Moscou-Jackson G, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Farley J, DiGiacomo M. Smoking-Cessation interventions in people living with HIV infection: A Systematic Review. (1, vol. 25, pp. 32-45). *Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care*. 2014. doi: 10.1016/j.jana.2013.04.005. PMID: 23876816
132. Walton-Moss B, Samuel L, Nguyen TH, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Hayat MJ, Szanton SL. Community-based cardiovascular health interventions in vulnerable populations: A systematic review. (4, vol. 29, pp. 293-307). *Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing*. 2014. doi: 10.1097/JCN.0b013e31828e2995. PMID: 23612036
133. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Dennison Himmelfarb CR. (2012). Patient education strategies for hospitalized cardiovascular patients: A systematic review. (2, vol. 27, pp. 154-174). *Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing*. 2012. doi: 10.1097/JCN.0b013e318239f60f. PMID: 22210147

Non-Peer Reviewed/ Invited Editorials

1. Alharthi A, Al-Rousan T, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. World Refugee Day 2024: A call to action for nurses. *J Adv Nurs*. 2024 Jun 16. doi: 10.1111/jan.16282. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38881265.
2. Jackson D, Aveyard H, Brooke J, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Noyes J, Sharps P, Smith GD, Timmins F, Yu D. International Nurses Day 2024: The economic power of care. *J Adv Nurs*. 2024 Jun;80(6):2153-2155. doi: 10.1111/jan.16154. PMID: 38733137.
3. Alharthi A, Al-Rousan T, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. World Refugee Day 2024: A call to action for nurses. *J Adv Nurs*. 2024 Jun 16. doi: 10.1111/jan.16282. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38881265.
4. Slone SE, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Accurate Blood Pressure Measurement Is a Necessary but Insufficient Step to Diagnose and Control Hypertension. *Circ Cardiovasc Qual Outcomes*. 2024 Feb;17(2):e010738. doi: 10.1161/CIRCOUTCOMES.123.010738. Epub 2024 Feb 8. PMID: 38328911.
5. Baptiste DL, Caviness-Ashe N, Josiah N, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Arscott J, Wilson PR, Starks S. Henrietta Lacks and America's dark history of research involving African Americans. *Nurs Open*. 2022 Sep;9(5):2236-2238. doi: 10.1002/nop2.1257. Epub 2022 Jun 14. PMID: 35700235; PMCID: PMC9374392.
6. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Foti K, Himmelfarb CD. Equity in Hypertension Care and Outcomes: Closing the Black- White Gap in Blood Pressure Control. *Am J Hypertens*. 2022 Jan 14;hpac002. doi: 10.1093/ajh/hpac002. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 35030260.
7. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Himmelfarb CD. Treatment Intensification and Missed Visits as Important Targets for Reducing Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Hypertension Control. *JAMA Cardiol*. 2021 Dec 8. doi: 10.1001/jamacardio.2021.5003. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34878498.
8. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Cooper LA. Reversing the Tide of Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Excess Deaths During the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Ann Intern Med*. 2021 Oct 5;M21-3841. doi: 10.7326/M21-3841. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34606318; PMCID: PMC8489676.
9. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Shaw B, Ford M. A nursing call to action to support the health of migrants and refugees. *J Adv Nurs*. 2021 Jul 13. doi: 10.1111/jan.14970. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34254703.
10. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Crews DC. To solve racial and ethnic disparities in COVID-19 outcomes, look upstream for solutions. *Circulation*. 2021 Jun 15;143(24):2343-2345. doi: 10.1161/CIRCULATIONAHA.120.052713. Epub 2021 Jun 14. PMID: 34125561; PMCID: PMC8191374.
11. Baptiste DL, Turner S, Josiah N, Arscott J, Alvarez C, Turkson-Ocran RA, Rodney T, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Francis L, Wilson PR, Starks S, Alexander K, Taylor JL, Ogungbe O, Byiringiro S, Fisher MC, Charlemagne-Badal SJ, Marseille B, Delva S, Akomah J, Jenkins E, Dangerfield DT 2nd, Ramsey G, Sharps P, Hamilton J. Hidden figures of nursing: The historical contributions of Black nurses and a narrative for those who are unnamed, undocumented and underrepresented. *J Adv Nurs*. 2021 Apr;77(4):1627-1632. doi: 10.1111/jan.14791. Epub 2021 Feb 10. PMID: 33565132.
12. Josiah, N., Starks, S., Wilson, P., Rodney, T., Arscott, J., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Turkson-Ocran, R.A., Mauney, K., Ogungbe, O., Akomah, J., Baptiste, D. (2021) [Editorial] The intersection of depression, anxiety, and cardiovascular disease among black populations amid the COVID-19 pandemic. *Journal of Clinical Nursing*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jocn.15632>
13. Baptiste, D., Josiah, N., Alexander, K.A., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Wilson, P., Jacques, K., Jackson, D. (2020) [Editorial] Racial discrimination in health care: An “us” problem. *Journal of Clinical Nursing*.

14. Baptiste, D., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Alexander, K.A., Jacques, K., Wilson, P., Akomah, J., Sharps, P., Cooper, L.A. (2020) [Editorial] COVID-19: Shedding light on racial and health inequities in the United States. *Journal of Clinical Nursing*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jocn.15351>

Books

Book Chapters

1. **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Koirala B, Dennison Himmelfarb C. (2019). Hypertension. In Cardiac Nursing. Woods, S.L., Sivarajan Froelicher, E.S., Adams, S., Bridges, E.J. (Eds). Wolters Kluwer Health, LWW
2. **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Hill, M., Dennison Himmelfarb, C. (2017). Chronic illness: Addressing hypertension and health disparities in communities. In Using Nursing Research to Shape Health Policy. Grady, P.A., Hinshaw, A.S. (Editors). Springer Publishing Company, New York, NY

Published Abstracts(*data-based)

1. *Thomas Hinneh, Oluwabunmi V Ogungbe, Faith Metlock, Nana Kwasi F Appiah, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**, Fred S Sarfo, Cheryl R Dennison Himmelfarb, Lambert T Appiah, Kathryn Carson, Lisa A Cooper Abstract 13411: Effect of Multilevel, Nurse-Led, Mobile Health Enhanced Intervention on Cardiovascular Disease Risk Reduction Among Patients With Uncontrolled Hypertension in Ghana: Evidence From the ADHINCRA Study. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2023. Circulation. Volume 148, Issue Suppl_17 November 2023
2. ***Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**, Ruth-Alma N Turkson-Ocran, Kathryn Foti, Cheryl R Dennison Himmelfarb, Kathryn Carson, Lambert T Appiah, Gideon Nyamekye, Linda Mobula-Shufelt, Lisa A Cooper, Fred S Sarfo. Abstract 15333: The Addressing Hypertension Care in Africa (ADHINCRA) Study: A Multi-Level Nurse-Led, Mobile-Health Enhanced Intervention to Improve Hypertension Control in Ghana. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2023. Circulation. Volume 148, Issue Suppl_17 November 2023
3. *Nana Kwasi Appiah, Oluwabunmi V Ogungbe, Thomas Hinneh, Faith Metlock, Cheryl R Dennison Himmelfarb, Lisa A Cooper, Kathryn Carson, FRED S SARFO, Lambert T Appiah, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**. Abstract 17373: The Effect of a Multi-Level Nurse-Led and M-Health Intervention on Medication Adherence Among Adults with Uncontrolled Hypertension in the ADHINCRA Study. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2023. Circulation. Volume 148, Issue Suppl_17 November 2023
4. *Eric K Broni, Justin B Echouffo Tcheugui, Anna Palatnik, Ernest Graham, Ruth-Alma Turkson-Ocran, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**, Chiadi E Ndumele and Erin D Michos. Abstract 15781: Associations Between Hysterectomy and Incident Metabolic Syndrome: The Multi-Ethnic Study of Atherosclerosis (MESA) American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2023. Circulation. Volume 148, Issue Suppl_17 November 2023
5. *Abeer Alharthi, Oluwabunmi Ogungbe, Rawnaq Behnam, Cheryl Dennison Himmelfarb, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**, Tala al-rousan Abstract 16702: Associations Between Knowledge, Attitudes, and Practices and Blood Pressure Control Among Iraqi and Syrian Refugees in the United States. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2023. Circulation. Volume 148, Issue Suppl_17 November 2023
6. *Faith E Metlock, Biruk Teshome, Oluwabunmi V Ogungbe, Yaa A Kwapong, Thomas Hinneh, Garima Sharma, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**. Abstract 17965: Hypertension Cascade and Social Determinants of Health in

Women of Reproductive Age. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2023. Circulation. Volume 148, Issue Suppl_17 November 2023

7. *Oluwabunmi V Ogungbe, Ruth-Alma Turkson-Ocran, Thomas Hinneh, Loretta Owusu, Erin Spaulding, Jasmine Mensah, Serina Gbaba, Aminata Sinyan, Adeline Assani-Uva, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**. Abstract 18223: The Afro-DPP Program: A Pilot Cluster-Randomized Virtual Cardiometabolic Health Program to Improve Hypertension and Glycemic Control Among African Immigrants. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2023 Circulation. Volume 148, Issue Suppl_17 November 2023
8. *Faith E Metlock, Thomas Hinneh, Oluwabunmi Ogungbe, Xiaoyue Liu, Sabrina d Elias, Binu Koirala, Cheryl R Dennison Himmelfarb, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**. Abstract 55: Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Sleep Outcomes Among Adults With Hypertension in the 2011-2018 National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey. American Heart Association EpiLifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023
9. *Yuling Chen, Binu Koirala, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**, Cheryl R Dennison Himmelfarb, Wu Ying. Abstract 67: Obesity Paradox of Cardiovascular Mortality in Older Adults: National Health Interview Survey 1997-2018. American Heart Association EpiLifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023
10. *Xiaoyue Liu, Cheryl R Dennison Himmelfarb, Cherilyn Hall, Lisa A Cooper, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**. Abstract MP13: Disparities in Home Blood Pressure Monitoring Among Adults Diagnosed With Hypertension Receiving Primary Care in a Large Academic Health System. American Heart Association EpiLifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023
11. Oluwabunmi V Ogungbe, Ruth-Alma Turkson-Ocran, Diana-Lyn Baptiste, Fredrick Larbi Kwapong, Emily Aidoo, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**, Yvonne Commodore-Mensah Abstract P115: Ethnic Differences in Cardiovascular Disease Deaths Among African American, African Immigrant and Afro-Caribbean Adults in the 1999-2018 National Health Interview Surveys. American Heart Association EpiLifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023
12. Ruth-Alma Turkson-Ocran, Oluwabunmi V Ogungbe, Nwakaego A Nmezi, Binu Koirala, Fredrick Larbi Kwapong, Emily Aidoo, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**. Abstract P116: Racial/Ethnic and Nativity Differences in Cardiovascular Disease Mortality in the United States: Insights From the National Health Interview Survey 1999-2018. American Heart Association EpiLifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023
13. Ednah N Madu, Oluwabunmi Ogungbe, Hadiza Osuji, GRACE OGIEHOR-ENOMA, Chiamaka A Madu, Aichata Bamba, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**. Abstract P314: Social Determinants of Cardiovascular Risk Factors Among African Immigrants in New York City. American Heart Association EpiLifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023
14. Sabrina Elias, Abeer Alharthi, Oluwabunmi Ogungbe, Ruth-Alma N Turkson-Ocran, Chitchanok Benjasirisan, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**, Cheryl R Dennison Himmelfarb Abstract P317: Heterogeneity in Prevalence of Hypertension and Overweight/Obesity Among US-Born and Foreign-Born Latino Subgroups: Evidence From the 2010-2018 National Health Interview Survey. American Heart Association EpiLifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023
15. Thomas Hinneh, Samuel Akyirem, Irene F Bossman, Patriot Ofori-Aning, Victor Lambongang, Oluwabunmi V Ogungbe, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah**. Abstract P321: Prevalence of Hypertension Among People Diagnosed With Diabetes in Africa, a Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis. American Heart Association EpiLifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023

16. *Abeer Alharthi, Oluwabunmi Ogungbe, Sabrina d Elias, Faith Metlock, Thomas Hinneh, Suratsawadee Kruahong, Cheryl R Dennison Himmelfarb, **Yvonne Commodore-Mensah** . Abstract P348: Association of Social Determinants of Health and Hypertension and Diabetes Among Middle Eastern Immigrants in the United States: Evidence From the 2010-2018 National Health Interview Survey American Heart Association Epi|Lifestyle Conference. Circulation. Volume 147, Issue Suppl_128 February 2023.
17. *Mannoh I, Turkson-Ocran, RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Abstract 17213: myocardial infarction and stroke awareness among US and foreign-born adults in the 2014 and 2017 National Health Interview Survey. https://doi.org/10.1161/circ.142.suppl_3.17213 Circulation. 2020;142:A17213
18. *Koirala B, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Turkson-Ocran RA, Baptiste D, Dennison Himmelfarb CR, & Davidson, P. (2020) Cardiovascular stroke nursing best abstract award: Heterogeneity of cardiovascular disease risk factors among Asian immigrants: Insights from the 2010 - 2018 National Health Interview Survey. Circulation. 2020;142:A14813
19. Ogungbe O, Turkson-Ocran RA, Baptiste DB, Koirala B, Dennison Himmelfarb C, Davidson P, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2020). Abstract P397: Social determinants of hypertension and diabetes among African immigrants: The African Immigrant Health Study. (Suppl_1, vol. 141). Circulation. doi: https://doi.org/10.1161/circ.141.suppl_1.P397 Circulation. 2020;141:AP397.
20. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Mok Y, Matsushita K, Kucharska-Newton A, Gottseman RF, Palta P, Rosamond W, Coresh J, Koton S. (2020). Abstract P256: Better mid-life life's simple 7 status is associated with lower risk of recurrent cardiovascular disease and all-cause mortality after stroke: The Atherosclerosis Risk in Communities (ARIC) Study. (Suppl_1, vol. 141). Circulation. doi: https://doi.org/10.1161/circ.141.suppl_1.P256 Circulation. 2020;141:AP256.
21. Nwokeji U, Spaulding E, Shan R, Turkson-Ocran RA, Baptiste DL, Koirala B, Plante TB, Martin SS, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2020). Abstract P197: Health information technology use among patients with diagnosed atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease: Evidence from the 2010-2018 National Health Interview Survey. (Issue Suppl_1, vol. 141). Circulation. doi: https://doi.org/10.1161/circ.141.suppl_1.P197.
22. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Ndumele CE, Echouffo Tcheugui JB, Wang D, Selvin E. (2020). Abstract MP60: Do adults with metabolic healthy obesity maintain their health over time? Results from the Atherosclerosis Risk In Communities (ARIC) Study. (Suppl_1, vol. 141). Circulation. doi: https://doi.org/10.1161/circ.141.suppl_1.MP60.
23. Baptiste DL, Turkson-Ocran RA, Ogungbe O, Koirala B, Francis L, Spaulding E, Dennison Himmelfarb C, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2020). Abstract o8: Heterogeneity in cardiovascular disease risk factor prevalence among Whites, African Americans, African Immigrants and Afro-Caribbeans: Insights from the 2010-2018 National Health Interview Survey. (Suppl_1, vol. 141). Circulation. doi: https://doi.org/10.1161/circ.141.suppl_1.o8.
24. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Lazo M, Tang O, Echouffo Tcheugui JB, Ndumele CE, Nambi V, Ballantyne C, Wang D, Selvin E, 272-OR: Metabolically healthy obesity is not so healthy. Diabetes 2019 Jun; 68(Supplement 1): <https://doi.org/10.2337/db19-272-OR>
25. Baptiste DL, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Turkson-Ocran RA, Dennison Himmelfarb C, Han HR. (2019). Abstract P396: Influence of social determinants of health on emergency department visits among individuals with coronary heart disease and stroke: An analysis of the 2010-2016 National Health Interview Surveys. (AP396, vol. 139). Circulation. Published.

26. Mensah DS, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Foti K, Turkson-Ocran RA, Patel N, Dennison Himmelfarb C, Selvin E. (2019). Abstract P186: Comparison of hypertension prevalence, treatment, and control among African immigrants and African Americans in the US. (P186, vol. 139). Circulation. Published.
27. Nmezi NA, Turkson-Ocran RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2019). Abstract P136: The association between depressive symptoms and cardiovascular disease risk factors among West African immigrants in the African Immigrant health study. (AP136, vol. 139). Circulation. Published.
28. Thomas S, Umer A, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Khalid S, Abildso C. (2019). Abstract P126: The cardiovascular health of Afro-Caribbean immigrants in New York City: A cross sectional study. (AP126, vol. 139). Circulation. Submitted.
29. Turkson-Ocran RA, Nmezi NA, Perrin N, **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Szanton S. (2019). Abstract MP56: Length of stay and allostatic load in immigrants to the United States-Evidence from the 2011 - 2016 National Health and Nutrition Examination Surveys. (AMP56, vol. 139). Circulation. Published.
30. Patel N, Dennison Himmelfarb C, Turkson-Ocran RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2019). Abstract MP20: Ethnic differences in coronary heart disease and stroke diagnosis among Blacks in the United States. (AMP20, vol. 139). Circulation.
31. Ukonu NA, Turkson-Ocran RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2018). Abstract P116: The relationship between body mass index and depression among black U.S. born and foreign-born adults in the United States: A Retrospective Analysis of the 2009-2014 National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey. (AP116, vol. 137). Circulation. Published.
32. Turkson-Ocran RA, Ukonu NA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2018). Abstract P110: Sex differences in the prevalence of cardiovascular risk factors among United States- and Foreign-born adults in the 2011-2016 National Health and Nutrition Examination Surveys. (AP110, vol. 137). Circulation. Published.
33. Turkson-Ocran RA, Ukonu NA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2017). Abstract P275: Hypertension, diabetes, and obesity among African immigrants in the 2010 - 2014 National Health Interview Surveys. (AP275, vol. 135). Circulation. Published.
34. Ukonu N, Turkson-Ocran RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2017). Abstract Po86: The association between psychological distress and diabetes prevalence among foreign-born blacks in the United States: An Examination of the 2010-2014 National Health Interview Survey. (APo86, vol. 135). Circulation. Published.
35. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Dennison Himmelfarb C, Reilly CM, Dunbar SB. (2016). Abstract 19385: The paradoxical association between acculturation and cardiovascular disease risk in African immigrants in the United States: The Afro-Cardiac Study. (A19385, vol. 134). Circulation. Published.
36. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Wells JS, Matthie N, Dunbar SB, Chandler R. (2016). Abstract 19229: Does ethnicity matter? A comparative analysis of social determinants of hypertension and diabetes among African Americans, African immigrants and Afro Caribbeans in the 2010-2014 National Health Interview Survey. (A19229, vol. 134). Circulation. Published.
37. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Turkson-Ocran RA, Aboagye J, Samuel L, Reilly C. (2016). Abstract MP69: hypertension, overweight and obesity among US immigrants: An analysis of the 2010-2014 National Health Interview Survey. (AMP69, vol. 134). Circulation. Published.
38. Ukonu N, Obisesan O, Aboagye J, Amoakwa K, Agyemang C, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. (2016). Abstract MP11: Acculturation is associated with a higher prevalence of cardiometabolic risk factors in us immigrants: An analysis of the 2010-2014 National Health Interview Survey. (vol. 133). Circulation. Published.

39. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Berko CA, Sampah ME, Cudjoe C, Dennison Himmelfarb C. (2015). Abstract P354: The "Afro-Cardiac Study" identifies high burden of cardiovascular disease risk in West African immigrants in the United States. (AP354, vol. 131). Circulation. Published.
40. **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Agyemang C, Aboagye J, Abu-Bonsrah, Dennison Himmelfarb C. (2014). Abstract P176: Cardiovascular disease risk among West African immigrants in the US: the AFRO-CardiAC study. (vol. 129). Circulation. Published.

Conference Meetings/Presentations

International

- 2023 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Confronting Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Cardiovascular Health Care. Family Heart Foundation Global Summit. October 2023, Washington, D.C.
- 2023 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Late Breaking Science: From Local to Global: Achieving Equity in Prevention. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions, Invited Discussant
- 2023 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Hypertension Control Happens at Home. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions. Invited Speaker
- 2023 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Need to Address the Effects of Adverse Social Determinants of Health to Better Control Blood Pressure. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions. Invited Speaker
- 2023 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Not Done Until We Disseminate: Engaging the Community, Health System and Policy to Transport Cardiovascular Care. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions. Invited Speaker
- 2023 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. The Addressing Hypertension Care in Africa (ADHINCRA) Study: A Multi-Level Nurse Led, Mobile Health Enhanced Intervention to Improve Hypertension Control in Ghana. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions. Invited Speaker
- 2023 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Multilevel Causes of Inequity in Hypertension Management. Hypertension Scientific Sessions. Invited Speaker
- 2022 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Cardiovascular Health Among Immigrant, Displaced, and Unhoused Populations, Virtual. Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association Health Equity Summit. Invited Speaker
- 2022 **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Unique Perspectives: Psychosocial Stress in Diverse Populations Lifestyle Medicine Intensive Session II: Moving Beyond Theory to Practice. American College of Cardiology 2022 (ACC2022). April 2, 2022. Washington, D.C. Invited Speaker
- 2020 Mannoh I, Turkson-Ocran RA, **Commodore-Mensah Y**. Myocardial infarction and stroke awareness among us and foreign-born adults in the 2014 and 2017 National Health Interview Survey. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions,
- 2020 **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Mok Y, Matsushita K, Kucharska-Newton A, Gottseman RF, Palta P, Rosamond W, Coresh J, Koton S. Better mid-life life's simple 7 status is associated with lower risk of recurrent cardiovascular disease and all-cause mortality after stroke: The Atherosclerosis Risk in Communities (ARIC) Study. American Heart Association Epi-Lifestyle 2020, (Poster Presentation)
- 2020 Baptiste DL, Turkson-Ocran RA, Ogungbe O, Koirala B, Francis L, Spaulding E, Dennison

- Himmelfarb C, **Commodore-Mensah**. Heterogeneity in cardiovascular disease risk factor prevalence among Whites, African Americans, African Immigrants and Afro-Caribbeans: Insights from the 2010-2018 National Health Interview Survey. American Heart Association Epi-Lifestyle 2020, (Podium Presentation)
- 2019 **Commodore-Mensah Y**, Lazo M, Tang O, Echouffo Tcheugui JB, Ndumele CE, Nambi V, Ballantyne C, Wang D, Selvin E. Metabolically healthy obesity is not so healthy. American Diabetes Association, San Francisco, California, (Podium Presentation)
- 2019 **Commodore-Mensah, Y**. Team based care to improve high blood pressure control: evidence summary and implementation strategies. American College of Medical Quality 2019 (Invited Speaker)
- 2018 Turkson-Ocran, R-A, N., Ukonu, N.A., **Commodore-Mensah, Y**. (2018) Abstract P110: Sex differences in the prevalence of cardiovascular risk factors among United States- and foreign-born adults in the 2011-2016 National Health and Nutrition Examination Surveys, American Heart Association Epi-Lifestyle 2018, (Poster Presentation)
- 2018 Ukonu, N.A., Turkson-Ocran, R-A, N., **Commodore-Mensah, Y**. (2018) Abstract P116: The relationship between body mass index and depression among Black U.S. born and Foreign-born adults in the United States: A retrospective analysis of the 2009-2014, National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey, American Heart Association Epi-Lifestyle 2018, (Poster Presentation)
- 2017 **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Cudjoe, J., Himmelfarb, C.D. Church-based recruitment of African immigrants: Evidence and lessons learned from the Afro-Cardiac Study. 28th International Nursing Research Congress, Dublin, Ireland (Symposium)
- 2016 **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Himmelfarb, C.D., Reilly, C.M., Dunbar, S.B. The paradoxical association between acculturation and cardiovascular disease risk in African immigrants in the United States: The Afro-Cardiac Study. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2016, New Orleans, LA. (Podium Presentation)
- 2016 **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Wells, J.W., Matthie, N., Dunbar, S.B., Does ethnicity matter? A comparative analysis of social determinants of hypertension and diabetes among African Americans, African immigrants and Afro Caribbeans in the 2010-2014 National Health Interview Survey. American Heart Association Scientific Sessions 2016, New Orleans, LA. (Poster Presentation)
- 2016 Ukonu, N., Obisesan, O., Aboagye, J., Amoakwah, K., Agyemang, C., **Commodore-Mensah, Y**. Acculturation is associated with a higher prevalence of cardiometabolic risk factors in us immigrants: An analysis of the 2010-2014 National Health Interview Survey. American Heart Association Epi-Lifestyle 2016, Phoenix, AZ (Moderated Poster Presentation)
- 2016 **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Turkson-Ocran, R. A., Aboagye, J., Samuel, L. J., Reilly, C. Hypertension, overweight and obesity among US immigrants: An analysis of the 2010-2014 National Health Interview Survey. American Heart Association Epi-Lifestyle 2016, Phoenix, AZ (Moderated Poster Presentation)
- 2015 **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Berko, C. A., Sampah, M. E., Cudjoe, J., Himmelfarb, C. D. The "Afro- Cardiac Study" identifies high burden of cardiovascular disease risk in West African immigrants in the United States. American Heart Association Epi|Lifestyle 2015, Baltimore, MD (Poster Presentation)
- 2014 **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Dennison Himmelfarb, C. R. The AFRO-CardiAC study: Examining the cardiovascular disease risk profile of West African immigrants residing in the United States, Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association, 2014, Atlanta, GA (Podium Presentation)
- 2013 **Commodore-Mensah**, Himmelfarb, C. R, Mark, H., Farley, J. E., Provider Prevention of CVD in an Urban

HIV Practice: Room for Improvement. Association of Nurses in AID Care (ANAC) Conference, Atlanta, GA (Podium Presentation)

- 2011 Nguyen, T.H., Samuel, L., **Commodore-Mensah, Y.**, Szanton, S. L., Walton Moss, B. Community based cardiovascular interventions in vulnerable populations: A systematic review. International Network for Doctoral Education in Nursing (INDEN), University of Malta, Malta, (Poster Presentation)

National

- 2024 Advancing the cardiovascular health of African descent populations locally and globally. Jointly Sponsored Virtual Seminar. The University of Alabama at Birmingham. Vascular Biology & Hypertension Program|Comprehensive Cardiovascular Center|Hypertension Research Center. Invited Speaker
- 2023 The Role of Community Health Workers in Advancing Equity in Hypertension Outcomes. American Heart Association. Invited Speaker.
- 2023 Cardiometabolic Health Congress. What Role Does Technology and Digital Health Play in Addressing Disparities in Care? Invited Panelist
- 2022 Defining Black Immigrant Justice:Policy Solutions to Create a Welcoming, Equitable, and Just Immigration System Congressional Black Caucus 51ST Annual Legislative Conference. Invited Panel Discussant
- 2022 Million Hearts® Learning Lab webinars: Ensuring Health Equity in Preventing Cardiovascular Disease (Invited Speaker)
- 2021 Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association Health Equity Summit. Health Disparities and Social Det Community Assessments and Tools. (Invited Speaker)
- 2021 National Hypertension Control Initiative Community Health Center Webinar. Partner with Communities: Social Determinants of Health and Center Community Linkages. November 10, 2021 (Invited Speaker)
- 2021 Release The Pressure: Her Heart Summit. May 8, 2021. (Invited Speaker)
- 2021 Virtual Conference on African Immigrant Health 2021. The Heart of the Matter: Advancing the Heart Health of African Immigrants. (Invited Keynote Speaker)
- 2021 Partnering with patients using self-measured blood pressure and collaborative communication – Step 3 in Hypertension Control. Target:BP CME Webinar. (Invited Speaker)
- 2021 Smith AP. Controlling high blood pressure: An evidence-based blueprint for change. Population Health Leadership Series: PopTalk Webinars. Paper 29.<https://jdc.jefferson.edu/phlspoptalk/29> . (Invited Speaker)
- 2020 COVID-19: Epidemiology & cardiovascular considerations. Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association Annual Symposium. (Invited Speaker)
- 2019 Team based care to improve high blood pressure control: Evidence summary and implementation strategies. American College of Medical Quality 2019 (Invited Speaker)

- 2019 How to improve hypertension control through team-based care. Target:BP Webinar. (Invited Speaker)
- 2016 Social determinants of cardiometabolic risk factors (hypertension, diabetes, hyperlipidemia) in African immigrants: A retrospective analysis of the 2010-2014 National Health Interview Survey. United States Conference on African Immigrant and Refugee Health; East Elmhurst, NY (Oral Presentation)
- 2016 Social, economic and cultural determinants of cardiovascular disease risk in African immigrants. Northwest Regional Conference on African Immigrant Health. Seattle, WA (Plenary Session)
- 2016 Cardiovascular disease risk-factors in African immigrants: An analysis of the 2013-2014 National Health Interview Survey, Seattle, WA (Oral Presentation)
- 2014 Cardiovascular disease risk among West African immigrants in the US: The AFRO-CardiAC study, American Heart Association Epidemiology and Prevention (EPI) and Nutrition, Physical Activity and

Media

Related to Research and Scholarship

Opinion-Editorials/ Blog Posts / Podcasts

- 2022 On the Pulse, Episode 11: New Cardio Research and Seven Steps to a Healthier Heart. <https://youtu.be/3YOCLuhrKlw>
- 2021 Koirala, B., Turkson-Ocran, R., Ogungbe, B., Byiringiro, S., Spaulding, E., Asano, R., Elias, S., Baptiste, D., Commodore-Mensah, Y. (2021). What we need to know about heart failure, and why. On the Pulse. Johns Hopkins Nursing Magazine. <https://magazine.nursing.jhu.edu/2021/02/what-weneed-to-know-about-heart-failure-and-why/>
- 2019 Baptiste, D., & Commodore-Mensah, Y. (2019). Black women and matters of the heart. Johns Hopkins Nursing Magazine. <https://magazine.nursing.jhu.edu/2019/02/black-women-and-matters-of-theheart/>
- 2019 Heart Disease's Global Fingerprints. Johns Hopkins Nursing Magazine . <https://magazine.nursing.jhu.edu/2019/07/heart-diseases-global-fingerprints/>

Other Media

- 2024 [The rules for measuring blood pressure – and why they exist](#). *American Heart Association News*.
- 2023 [Why You Might Have a Higher Risk of Heart Disease as a Black Person—And What to Do About It](#). *SELF*.
- 2023 [VIDEO: A Conversation on equity in hypertension Care](#) . *Healio*.
- 2023 [‘Package’ of hypertension interventions in Nigeria improves BP treatment, control](#). *Helio*.
- 2023 [Axis Health System’s aim to monitor and regulate blood pressure earned them an award](#). *The Journal*.
- 2023 [This at-home device can help with a range of health conditions. Few people have one](#). *Aol News*
- 2023 [People of color enormously impacted by cardiovascular disease](#). WBFF-TV
- 2023 [World Hypertension Day commemorated. Roanoke-Lynchburg](#) WDBJ-TV
- 2022 [Check In & Check Up For Your Health with Sybil Wilkes](#). Youtube

- 2022 [How to Prevent a Holiday Heart Attack](#). *WKEF*
- 2021 [Know Your Numbers Campaign](#). *National Forum for Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention*

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

Editor of Journals

- 2022 Guest Editor "2nd edition: The Health of African Migrants: The Burden, Determinants, and Solutions. International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health
- 2022-present Hypertension, Editorial Board
- 2021-present American Journal of Hypertension, Editorial Board
- 2021-present Journal of Advanced Nursing, Editor
- 2020-2021 Plos One, Academic Editor
- 2021 Guest Editor "The Health of African Migrants: The Burden, Determinants, and Solutions. International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health

Peer Review Activities

- 2021-present Journal of Advanced Nursing
- 2020-present Plos One
- 2017-present Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health, Reviewer
- 2015-present Ethnicity and Disease, Reviewer
- 2015-present BMC Public Health, Reviewer
- 2018 Heart
- 2017-2019 Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association, Abstract Review
- 2016 Ethnicity and Health, Reviewer
- 2015 Journal of American Heart Association, Reviewer
- 2014 European Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing, Reviewer
- 2014 BMJ Open

Scientific Review Activities

External to Johns Hopkins University

- 2023 National Institutes of Health, National Heart Lung & Blood Institute, ZRG1 HSS-P(91), Topics in Health Services Research, Health Information Technology, and Aging
- 2024 National Institutes of Health, National Heart Lung & Blood Institute, ZRG1 HSS-H(50) R : PAR Panel: Implementation Research on Noncommunicable Disease Risk Factors among Low- and Middle-Income Country and Tribal Populations Living in City Environments

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Society/Association Membership and Leadership

- 2024-present National Hypertension Control Roundtable, Co-Chair
- 2024-present 2025 ACC/AHA/AAPA/ABC/ACPM/AGS/APhA/ASH/ASPC/NMA/PCNA Guideline for the Prevention, Detection, Evaluation, and Management of High Blood Pressure in Adults Writing Committee
- 2021-2024 Target: BP Advisory Board Member
- 2021-2024 National Hypertension Control Initiative, Board Member

2021-present	American Heart Association Epidemiology Statistics Committee, Member
2020-present	American Medical Association Validated Device Listing Advisory Group
2020-present	National Hypertension Control Roundtable, Steering Committee Member
2019-present	American Heart Association Open Science Committee, Member
2019-present	Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association, Member of Board of Directors
2017-present	US Conference on African Immigrant Health, Steering Committee Member
2011-present	American Heart Association (Cardiovascular Nursing Council), Member
2010-present	Preventive Cardiovascular Nurses Association, Member
2010- present	Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honors Society, Member
2018-2019	American Heart Association/American College of Cardiology Hypertension Measures Set Update Writing Committee

National Committees

2024-present	2025 AHA/ACC/AANP/AAPA/ABC/ ACCP/ACPM/AGS/AMA/ASPC/NMA/PCNA/SGIM Guideline for the Prevention, Detection, Evaluation, and Management of High Blood Pressure in Adults, Co-author
2024-present	American Heart Association. BP Logic Model Science Advisory, Chair
2022-present	American Heart Association/American College of Cardiology Social Determinants of Health Data Standards Writing Committee, Co-author
2022-present	Core Quality Measures Collaborative (CQMC) Health Equity Workgroup

Service at Johns Hopkins University

2024-present	Co-Chair, Faculty & Staff Experience Taskforce, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing
2024-present	Johns Hopkins Data Trust Research Subcouncil
2023-present	Appointments and Promotion Committee, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing
2022-present	Johns Hopkins Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH) Advisory Committee
2021-present	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing Bylaws and Nominations Committee, Chair
2020-2021	Johns Hopkins University Task Force on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Research
2019-present	Johns Hopkins School of Public Health, Atherosclerosis Risk in Communities Study, Manuscript Reviewer
2019-present	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing Wellness Committee, Member
2017-present	Cardiometabolic Health Interest Group, Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing, Co-lead
2017-present	Faculty, Johns Hopkins Center for Health Equity
2017-present	PhD Curriculum Committee, Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing, Member
2016-present	Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing, Scientific Review Committee
2019-2020	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing Strategic Planning Committee 2020-2025, Master's Entry in Nursing Faculty Representative
2013	Dean of Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing Search Committee, Invited Member
2011-2013	Diversity Committee, Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing, Invited Member

Community Service

2020-present	Howard County Racial Equity Task Force, Public Health & Environmental Policy, Chair
2021	Johns Hopkins Medicine: COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic, Volunteer Vaccinator

CURRICULUM VITAE

Part II

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Classroom Instruction

Johns Hopkins University, School of Nursing

Summer 2024	NR.210.606.8101. Biostatistics for Evidence-Based Practice, 45 students
Spring 2024	NR.110.891.0101. Responsibilities & Activities of the Nurse Scientist, 14 students
Spring 2023	NR.110.891.0101. Responsibilities & Activities of the Nurse Scientist, 9 students
Fall 2022	NR. 210.608.8301. The Research Process and Its Application to Evidence-Based Practice, 61 students
Spring 2022	NR.110.891.0101. Responsibilities & Activities of the Nurse Scientist, 18 students
Fall 2021	NR.210.818.8101. Clinical Data Management and Analyses, 57 students
Spring 2021	NR.210.818.8101. Clinical Data Management and Analyses, 44 students
Fall 2020	NR.120.529 Population and Public Health Nursing, Graduate, 60 students
Summer 2020	NR.210.606 Biostatistics for Evidence-Based Practice, Doctoral, 59 students. NR.210.817 Analysis and Evaluation of Individual and Population Health Data, Doctoral, 50 students.
Spring 2020	NR.120.519 Population Health Leadership, Graduate, 60 students.
Fall 2019	NR.120.519 Population Health Leadership, Graduate, 72 students
Spring 2019	NR.120.519 Population Health Leadership, Graduate, 48 students
Fall 2018	NR.120.519 Population Health Leadership, Graduate, 73 students
Spring 2018	NR.120.519 Population Health Leadership, Graduate, 42 students
Fall 2017	NR.120.519 Population Health Leadership, Graduate, 43 students
Spring 2017	NR.120.519 Population Health Leadership, Graduate, 68 students

Johns Hopkins University, Bloomberg School of Public Health

Spring 2024	Akosua Nyame-Kusi, MPH Capstone Advisor, Social Determinants of Health Stratified by Race for the Linked-BP Program
Spring 2023	Obehi Aimiosir, MPH Capstone Advisor, Disparities in self-measured blood pressure (SMBP) monitoring in the RICH LIFE project
Spring 2023	Nana Kwasi Appiah, MPH Capstone Advisor, The Effect of a Multi-level Nurse-led and M-health Intervention on Medication Adherence Among Adults with Uncontrolled Hypertension in the ADHINCRA Study
Spring 2020	PH.380.895 MPH Practicum: PFRH, Graduate, 1 Students. Lecture.

MENTORING AND STUDENT ADVISING

Student Advisement

2023-2024	Akosua Nyame-Kusi, MPH student Biruk Teshome, MPH student
2022-present	Faith Metlock, PhD student Thomas Hinneh, PhD student
2022-2023	Nana Kwasi Appiah, MPH Student
2021-present	Abeer Alharthi, PhD student
2020-2023	Samuel Byiringiro, PhD Student
2020-2022	Haskins, Laura, MSN, MPH Student
2019-2022	Oluwabunmi Ogungbe, , PhD Student
2019-2020	Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) Entry into Nursing, Research Honors (1 Student)
2018-2019	Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) Entry into Nursing, Research Honors (1 Student)
2017-2018	Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) Entry into Nursing, Research Honors (1 Student)

Dissertation Committee Member

Thomas Hinneh, Doctor of Philosophy	Feasibility and acceptability of WHO HEARTS Team-based hypertension care package: A Pre-Implementation Assessment in Ghana. Dissertation advisor. 2022-present
Faith Metlock, Doctor of Philosophy	Social Determinants of Health, Psychological Health, and Hypertension in Black Women of Reproductive Age. Dissertation advisor. 2022-present
Abeer Alharthi, Doctor of Philosophy	Psychosocial Determinants of Cardiovascular Health among Syrian Refugees at Zaatari Camp: A Mixed-Methods Study. Dissertation advisor. 2021-present
Sarah Slone, Doctor of Philosophy	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing. ARIC Community Surveillance: Sociodemographic and Temporal Differences in Invasive Coronary Angiography Use According to Risk Profile Among Patients with NSTEMI. 2022-2023. Dissertation Committee Member
Noelle Pavlovic, Doctor of Philosophy	Fatigue In Heart Failure: A Secondary Data Analysis Of The Atherosclerosis Risk In Communities (Aric) Study.2021-2023. Dissertation Committee Member
Samuel Byiringiro, Doctor of Philosophy	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing. A pilot study exploring the health system determinants of hypertension care in Ghana.2020-2023. Dissertation Co- Advisor
Sabrina Elias, Doctor of Philosophy	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing. Multiethnic Perspectives of Shared Decision Making in Hypertension.2021-2023.Dissertation Committee Member
Prince Bawuah, Doctor of Public Health	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. Individual and Community-Level Factors Associated with Telehealth Utilization Among Vulnerable Medicare Beneficiaries During The COVID-19 Pandemic.2021-2022. Dissertation Committee Member
Michael Peters, Doctor of Philosophy, Public Health	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. Measuring Health Systems Performance: Effective coverage of hypertension management services in Bihar, India. 2020-2022. Thesis Advisory Committee Member
Manka Nkimbeng, Doctor of Philosophy, Nursing	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing. Understanding Physical Function in African Immigrants: The Roles of Acculturation and Discrimination,2017-2019, Dissertation Committee Member
Ruth-Alma Turkson-Ocran, Doctor of Philosophy, Nursing	Johns Hopkins School of Nursing. Biopsychosocial Determinants of Stress and Cardiovascular Disease Risk Factors in Foreign- and US- Born Adults, 2017-2019, Dissertation Committee Member
Debra Mukaz, Doctor of Philosophy in Medical Science	University of Delaware. Acculturation And Diabetes In African Migrants to The United States (U.S.), 2017-2019, Dissertation Committee Member
Sabena Thomas, Doctor of Philosophy in Social and Behavioral Sciences	West Virginia School of Public Health. An Examination of Cardiovascular Health among Afro-Caribbean Immigrants in New York City, 2014-2018, Dissertation Committee Member

NwakaegoAdaNmezi, Doctor of Philosophy University of Florida. Associations of Severity Of Depression Symptoms, Perceived Stress, And Acculturation With Cardiovascular Health Among African Immigrants Living In The United States, 2015-2019, Dissertation Committee Co-Chair

Oluwawunmi Obisesan, Doctor of Health Education A.T Still University. An Examination of the Uptake of the Pap Smear Test Among African Women Immigrants in the United States: A Secondary Data Analysis of the National Health Interview Survey. 2013-2016, Dissertation Committee Member

Postdoctoral

Sarah Slone, PhD, DNP, RN Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing / American Heart Association. Post-doctoral fellowship in Hypertension and Clinical Trials. 2022-present

Oluwabunmi Ogungbe, RN, MPH, PhD American Heart Association, Multilevel Modeling of Social Determinants of Hypertension in the LINKED-BP Program, Research Supplement to Promote Diversity in Science. 06/01/2023-09/01/2024, Mentor

Xiaoyue Liu Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing / Center for Cardiovascular and Chronic Care. 2021

Nishit Patel, MD, MPH Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing / Center for Cardiovascular and Chronic Care. 2018-2019
Postdoctoral Fellow