

CURRICULUM VITAE



PERSONAL INFORMATION

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CAREER OBJECTIVES: Strive for Excellence in job performance and customer satisfaction.

AREA OF SPECIALIZATION: PUBLIC HEALTH (Reproductive Health ,
Epidemiology, & Community Health)

Key experience

Dr. Monicah draws experience in training, theory and practice in Public Health – Reproductive Health and Clinical Medicine both at institutional and community levels. She has great passion in gender issues in health, adolescent and reproductive health. This she does in contribution to the prevention of disease, promotion of health and to prolong life within the population as a whole. Dr. Monicah is qualified with a Ph.D in Reproductive Health of Kenyatta University, an MPH and BSc in Public Health from the International Health Sciences University currently Clark International University.

She is currently a Lecturer at the School of Public Health, Kenyatta University- Kenya. Previously a tutor at the Outspan Hospital Medical College, a Field Research Supervisor and Clinical Officer at Makerere University- Uganda. Her key achievements are in Reproductive Health, Adolescent Health, Gender Issues in Health and Right to Health.

Dr. Monicah has over 16 years of professional experience in both preventive and curative medicine with a current special focus on reproductive health issues.

RESEARCH INTERESTS: PUBLIC HEALTH; REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH; ADOLESCENT HEALTH; RIGHTS TO HEALTH; MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH; MALARIA; HIV & AIDS; LEADERSHIP& CHANGE and GENDER ISSUES IN HEALTH

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

2016- 2021: PhD in Public Health (Reproductive Health), Kenyatta University.

2012-2014: MPH International Health Sciences University, Kampala, Uganda.

2009- 2012: BSc. Public Health. International Health Sciences University,Uganda.

2003-2006: Dip. Clinical Medicine. Fort Portal School of Health Sciences, Uganda.

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Fluent in English, Kiswahili, Gikuyu and Luganda

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Teaching

January 2022 to date: Lecturer, at the Dept. of Population and Reproductive Health, School of Public Health. Kenyatta University

September 2016 to December 2021: Ass. Lecturer, Dept. of Population & Reproductive Health

September 2014 to Sep. 2016: Part-time Lecturer, Department of Population & Environmental Health, Kenyatta University.

May 2014 to December 2016: Tutor, Outspan Medical College

Other employments

2012 to March 2014: Field Research Supervisor, Makerere University, Uganda.

2007- June 2012: Clinical Officer, Makerere University Hospital, Uganda. Duties and Responsibilities

Key Achievements

1. Research projects as Principle investigator
2. Organization Development Consultancies across sectors (Government, private, donor)
3. Curriculum development and review and delivery -Chairperson- Dept. of Population and Reproductive Health, Kenyatta University
4. ISO coordinator and chairperson at the school of Public Health
5. Supervision of research and publications for postgraduate and undergraduate studies in 5 years

COURSES, SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

Mar. 2021 – African Civic Engagement Academy Program

Jan. 2021 –Transformational leadership

Sep. 2020- Digital & E- Learning

Aug.2019 – Curriculum review workshop (MSc. Public Health Systems Management and Application) 2019 -Gender mainstreaming,

2019- E-learning,

2019- R-Statistical software

2018- Global Health Promotion

2018- Project Planning & Management Skills.

2017 - Responsible Conduct of Research.

2016- Leadership and Integrity

2012- Refresher General Clinical Practice.

2011- Epidemiology and Control of Communicable Diseases.

2009- Workplace Fire Safety Training.

2008- Refresher Good Clinical Practice.

2006- Clinical Blood Transfusion.

2006- Maternal Child Health and Family Planning.

2006- Integrated Management of Child-Hood Illnesses (IMCI).

List of sampled clients- Trainings Conducted

- 1) Action for Community Development
- 2) African Network for Youth and Adolescents Network (AfriYAN)
- 3) AMREF Flying Doctors
- 4) CAP-AIDS Uganda
- 5) Case Medical Centre/ Hospital
- 6) Centre for women in Governance
- 7) Global Rights Alert (GRA)
- 8) Infectious Diseases Institute
- 9) Isis-Women's International Cross-Cultural Exchange (Isis-WICCE)
- 10) Makerere High School-Migadde (MHSM)
- 11) Makerere University Joint Aids Program (MJAP)
- 12) National Drug Authority (NDA)
- 13) National Tuberculosis Reference Laboratories (NTBL)
- 14) Uganda National Association of Student Nurses and Midwives
- 15) Uganda Nurses Mid-wives Union
- 16) Uganda Red Cross Society

PUBLICATIONS

1. **Wambugu, M. W.,** Wanyoro, A. K., & Keraka, M. N. (2021). Impact of Health Promotion Intervention on Perception and Knowledge on Cervical Cancer and

Screening among Women in Kirinyaga County, Kenya. *Kabarak Journal of Research & Innovation*, 11(3), 229-239. Retrieved from <http://ojs.kabarak.ac.ke/index.php/kjri/article/view/434>

2. **Monica W. WAMBUGU**; Anthony K. WANYORO; Margaret N. KERAKA.(2021) Individual-level Determinants of Cervical Cancer Screening Uptake among Women in Kirinyaga County in Kenya **DOI:** <https://doi.org/10.51317/ecjrmhs.v1i1.280>
3. D.V Kulimankudya, F.O.Oginga, P.Wangui & **M.Wambugu (2018)**: Factors influencing the management of psoriasis at Nyeri County Referral Hospital, Kenya.

AWARDS & HONORS

2019-2020- STAR Laboratory Grant - USAID

2013 -2014- Active Member of Parliament AKESU(Association of Kenyan Students in Uganda).

2012-2013 University Students Research Award by The Centre for Health, Human Rights and Development (CEHURD) in Collaboration with Learning Network based at the School of Public Health and Family Medicine University of Cape Town –South Africa and IDRC.

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