

Curriculum Vitae 2014 (May)

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EARNED DEGREES

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Specialization</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Date</u>
School of Social Work University of Toronto	Mental Health	Ph.D.	June 1999
School of Social Work University of Toronto	Research Methods	Diploma	June 1992
School of Social Work University of Toronto	Mental Health	M.S.W.	June 1983
Carleton	Psychology	B.A. Honors	June 1980

EDUCATIONAL CERTIFICATES

Beck Institute for Cognitive Behavior Therapy CBT for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder	March 2014
Beck Institute for Cognitive Behavior Therapy CBT with Children and Adolescents	June 2013
Beck Institute for Cognitive Behavior Therapy Teaching and Supervision for CBT in Graduate Programs	June 2013
Beck Institute for Cognitive Behavior Therapy CBT for Anxiety Disorders	February 2013

Beck Institute for Cognitive Behavior Therapy
CBT for Depression Disorders

June 2010

ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania	Professor	2013 - present
Penn SP2 -PEARLS Program <u>P</u> rogram for Training in Mental Health <u>E</u> ducation <u>A</u> ssessment <u>R</u> ecovery <u>L</u> eadership for <u>S</u> ocial Workers School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania	Project Director	2012 - present
School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania	Associate Professor	2008 - present
Center for Mental Health & Aging School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania	Director	2008 - present
Ann N. Reese Penn Aging Certificate School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania	Director	2009 - present
Geriatrics Education Center Division of Geriatrics Perelman School of Medicine University of Pennsylvania	Lead Faculty	2010 - present
Center for Therapeutic Effectiveness Research Perelman School of Medicine University of Pennsylvania	Senior Faculty	2013 - present
Penn Institute on Aging Perelman School of Medicine University of Pennsylvania	Senior Fellow	2010 - present
Leonard Davis Institute on Health Economics, Wharton School University of Pennsylvania	Senior Fellow	2010 - present
Weill Cornell Medical College Advanced Center for Interventions & Services Research Institute for Geriatric Psychiatry	NIMH Research Affiliate	2005 - 2010

St. Peters Hospital & Home Care Late Life Depression Clinic	Research Director	2002 - 2008
Columbia University Stroud Geriatric Education Center	Faculty Associate	2005 - 2008
University at Albany, SUNY	Associate Professor (tenured)	2005 - 2008
Center for Mental Health & Aging University at Albany, SUNY	Director	2004 - 2008
University at Albany, SUNY	Assistant Professor	1999 - 2005
Arlene R. Gordon NIMH Research Center	Faculty Research Affiliate	2003 - 2006
Lighthouse International, New York		
Queen St. Mental Health Center	Senior Clinical Supervisor	1990 - 1996
Spectrum Outpatient Mental Health Clinic	Social Worker	1985 - 1990

HONORS & AWARDS

Health Resources and Services Administration 3-Year Federal HHS award	Principal Investigator	2012-2015
<i>Excellence in Teaching Nomination</i> School of Social Policy & Practice, University of Pennsylvania		2011-2012
<i>Influential Publications in Social Work Field:</i> <i>The 100 Most Highly Cited Articles in Disciplinary Journals 2000-09</i> (Article: "Social work perceptions of transformational and transactional leadership") <i>British Journal of Social Work</i> ; 2012, 42,765-782		2012
<i>Top 40 Articles Published in BioMedLibrary.com (2010-2011)</i> Article: "Social work practitioner knowledge and assessment of late-life depression" <i>Journal of Gerontological Social Work</i> , 2010, 53(6):495-511		2012
<i>Improving Mental Health Care for Older Adults in the U.S.</i> <i>Research Feature, Annual Report</i> <i>John A. Hartford Foundation</i>		2012

<i>Excellence in Research Article Award</i> (Honorable mention) <i>Association for Geriatric Education in Social Work</i> 65 th Annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, November Article: Davitt, J., & Gellis, Z. D. (2011). Integrating mental health parity for homebound older adults under the Medicare home health care benefit. <i>Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 54</i> , 309-324.	2012
<i>National Research Mentor</i> John A. Hartford Foundation Geriatric Scholars Program	2008-10; 2011-13
<i>Invitational Course Lecturer in Geriatrics/Gerontology</i> University of Chicago, School of Social Services Administration	2010-present
<i>Fellow, Gerontological Society of America</i>	2010-present
Excellence in Research Award (Honorable mention) Annual Meeting of the Society for Social Work & Research Article: Randomized controlled trial of Problem Solving Therapy for minor depression in home care. <i>Research on Social Work Practice, 18</i> (6), 596-606	2010
Association for Gerontology Education in Social Work (AGE-SW) Elected National Board Member-at-Large	2009-
<i>Research Scholar</i> in Geriatric Mental Health Advanced Research Institute, Services & Intervention Research Branch National Institute of Mental Health	2009-2010
Independent Researcher Career Development Award (PI: Gellis; K01-MH071253-01A1) National Institute of Mental Health “ <i>Treatment of Late Life Depression in Home Care Elderly</i> ”	2005-2010
<i>Co-Chair, Summer Research Institute:</i> <i>Health Services Research to Improve Outcomes</i> National Institutes of Health	2008
New York State Office of Mental Health (Governor’s Appointee) Governor’s Interagency Planning Council for Geriatric Mental Health	2005 - 2008
<i>National Chair, Geriatric Mental Health Research Reviews</i> Council on Social Work Education / John A. Hartford Foundation Masters Advanced Social Work Clinical Practice Initiative	2006-2008
International Award for Outstanding Research Paper:	2006

Title: “*Randomized Controlled Trial of Problem-Solving Therapy for Late Life Depression in Home Care*” Paper presented at the International Conference of Social Work in Health and Mental Health Conference Hong Kong, China, December.

<i>Research Fellow, <u>National Institute of Heart, Lung, & Blood Institute Summer Research Institute for Randomized Control Trials and Behavioral Interventions</u></i>	2005
John A. Hartford Foundation National Geriatrics Faculty Scholar Gerontological Society of America	2002-2004
<i>Research Fellow, <u>National Institute on Aging Summer Research Institute on Aging</u></i>	2003
University at Albany Faculty Research Award <i>Screening for Depressive Symptoms in Elderly Home Care Recipients</i>	2002-2003
Recipient, Doctoral Research Fellowship	1994 - 1997
Recipient, Pre-Doctoral Mental Health Training Fellowship in Programs for Assertive Community Treatment (PACT)	1991 – 1992

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Sands, R., & Gellis, Z.D. (2012). *Clinical social work in behavioral mental health: An evidenced-based approach*, (3rd edition). Needham Heights, MA: Pearson, Allyn & Bacon.

Book Chapters

Gellis, Z.D. (in press). Evidence-based practice in older adults with mental health disorders. In K. Corcoran (Ed.) *Social Work Desk Reference*, 3rd edition. New York: Oxford University Press.

Gellis, Z.D. (in press). Telehealth and telecare interventions: a review In K. Corcoran (Ed.) *Social Work Desk Reference*, 3rd edition. New York: Oxford University Press.

Gellis, Z.D. & Kenaley, B. (in press). Mental health and emotional disorders among older adults. In B. Berkman D. Kaplan (Eds.), *Oxford Handbook of Social Work in Health and Aging*. New York: Oxford University Press

- Gellis, Z.D. & Nezu, A.T. (2011). Integrating depression treatment for homebound medically ill older adults: Using evidence-based Problem-Solving Therapy. In K. Sorocco, & S. Lauderdale (Eds.), *Cognitive Behavior Therapy with older adults: innovations across care settings* (pp. 391-420). New York: Springer.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2009). Evidence-based practice in older adults with mental health disorders. In A. Roberts (Ed.) *Social Work Desk Reference*, 2nd edition, (pp.843-852). New York: Oxford University Press.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Mental health and emotional disorders among older adults. In B. Berkman (Ed.), *Oxford Handbook of Social Work in Health and Aging* (pp. 282-310). New York: Oxford University Press
- Toseland, R., Jones, L., & Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Group dynamics. In C.D. Garvin, M.J. Galinsky, & L.M. Gutierrez (Eds.), *Handbook of Social Work with Groups* (pp13-31). New York: Guilford Press Publications.

Peer-Review Articles

46. Kim, E., Gellis, Z.D., & Kenaley, B.L. (under review). Systematic and meta-analytic review of telehealth interventions for geriatric patients with chronic illness and depression.
45. Gellis, Z.D., & McClive, K. (under review) Predictors of psychological distress in residents of a naturally occurring retirement community (NNORC).
44. Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B., McGinty, J., Bardelli, E. (under review) Cost-effectiveness of the Tele-HEART intervention on heart and chronic respiratory failure medically ill patients.
43. Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B., & Ten Have, T. (2014). Randomized trial of integrated telehealth care for chronic illness and depression in geriatric homecare patients: The I-TEAM study. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*, 1-7.
42. Erdley, S.D, Gellis, Z.D., Bogner, H.A., Kass, D.S., Green, J.A., & Perkins, R.M. (2014) Problem-solving therapy to improve depression scores among older hemodialysis outpatients: A pilot randomized trial. *Clinical Nephrology*, *Epub ahead of print*.
41. Gellis, Z.D., Solomon, P., Wiesel-Cullen S., Lukens, J., Gleba, J., Huz, S., & Zalucki, D. (2014) Disseminating and implementing evidence-based depression care in community-based geriatrics clinics and social service organizations. *Best Practices in Mental Health Journal*, 10(1), 1-15.
40. Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B., & McCracken, S. (in press). Review of Depression disorders in older adults. In S. Diwan (Ed.), *Mental Health and Older Adults Resource Reviews*. Council of Social Work Education, Geriatrics Education Center.

39. Gellis, Z.D., Kim, E., & McCracken, S. (in press). Review of Anxiety disorders in older adults. In S. Diwan (Ed.), *Mental Health and Older Adults Electronic Resource Reviews*. Council of Social Work Education, Geriatrics Education Center.
38. Gellis, Z.D., & Kang-Yi, C. (2012). Meta-analysis of cardiac rehabilitation interventions on depression outcomes among older adults. *American Journal of Cardiology*, 110(9), 1219-1224.
37. Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B., McGinty, J., Bardelli, E., Davitt, J., & TenHave, T. (2012) Impact of telehealth intervention on heart and chronic respiratory failure medically ill patients. *The Gerontologist* 52(4), 541-552.
36. Friedman, M.B., Furst, L., Gellis, Z.D., Williams, K. (2012). Identifying and treating anxiety disorders. *Aging Well*, 5(3), 14-17.
35. McClive-Reed, K., & Gellis, Z. D. (2011). Anxiety and related symptoms in older persons with Dementia: Directions for practice. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*, 54(1), 6-28.
34. Davitt, J., & Gellis, Z. D. (2011). Integrating mental health parity for homebound older adults under the Medicare home health care benefit. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*, 54, 309-324.
33. Bronstein, L., Gellis, Z. D., & Kenaley, B. (2011). A neighborhood naturally occurring retirement community: Views from providers and residents. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 30(1), 104-112.
32. Gellis, Z. D., & Bruce, M.L. (2010). Problem solving therapy for subthreshold depression in home healthcare patients with cardiovascular disease. *American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*, 18, 464-474.
31. Gellis, Z. D. (2010). Depression screening in medically ill homecare elderly. *Best Practices in Mental Health: An International Journal*, 6(1), 1-16.
30. Kang-Yi, C.D., & Gellis, Z. D. (2010). Systematic review of community-based health interventions on depression for older adults with heart disease. *Aging and Mental Health*, 14(1), 1-19.
29. Gellis, Z. D., & Kim, J. (2010). Social work practitioner knowledge and assessment of late life depression. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*, 53(6), 495-511.
28. Gellis, Z. D. (2010). Assessment of a brief CES-D measure for depression in homebound medically ill older adults. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*, 53(4), 289-303.

27. Gellis, Z. D., McClive, K., & Brown, E. (2009). Treatments for depression in older persons with dementia [Reply to letter to the editor]. *Annals of Long Term Care*, 17(2), 29-36.
26. Gellis, Z. D., McClive, K., & Brown, E. (2009). Treatments for depression in older persons with dementia. *Annals of Long Term Care*, 17(2), 29-36.
25. Gellis, Z. D., & Kenaley, B. (2008). Problem solving therapy for depression in adults: A systematic review. *Research on Social Work Practice*, 18, 117-131.
24. Gellis, Z. D., McGinty, J. Tierney, L., Burton, J., Jordan, C., & Misener, E. (2008). Randomized controlled trial of problem-solving therapy for minor depression in home care. *Research on Social Work Practice*, 18(6), 596-606.
23. Gellis, Z. D., & McCracken, S.G. (2008). *Introduction to mental health disorders in older adults*. In S. Diwan (Ed.), *Mental Health and Older Adults Resource Reviews*. CSWE Gero-Ed Center, Master's Advanced Curriculum Project. Published online, retrieved from www.gero-edcenter.org/mac.
22. Gellis, Z. D., & McCracken, S.G. (2008). *Depression in older adults: a literature review*. In S. Diwan (Ed.), *Mental Health and Older Adults Electronic Resource Reviews*. CSWE Gero-Ed Center, Master's Advanced Curriculum Project. Published online, retrieved from www.gero-edcenter.org/mac.
21. Gellis, Z. D., & McCracken, S.G. (2008). *Anxiety in older adults: a literature review*. In S. Diwan (Ed.), *Mental Health and Older Adults Electronic Resource Reviews*. CSWE Gero-Ed Center, Master's Advanced Curriculum Project. Published online, retrieved from www.gero-edcenter.org/mac.
20. Gellis, Z. D., McClive-Reed, K., & McCracken, S.G. (2008). *Depression in older adults with dementia*. In S. Diwan (Ed.), *Mental Health and Older Adults Electronic Resource Reviews*. CSWE Gero-Ed Center, Master's Advanced Curriculum Project. Published online, retrieved from www.gero-edcenter.org/mac.
19. Gellis, Z. D., & McCracken, S.G. (2008). *Schizophrenia in older adults*. In S. Diwan (Ed.), *Mental Health and Older Adults Electronic Resource Reviews*. CSWE Gero-Ed Center, Master's Advanced Curriculum Project. Published online, retrieved from www.gero-edcenter.org/mac.
18. Gellis, Z. D., & McCracken, S.G. (2008). *Future research directions in mental health disorders in older adults*. In S. Diwan (Ed.), *Mental Health and Older Adults Electronic Resource Reviews*. CSWE Gero-Ed Center, Master's Advanced Curriculum Project. Published online, retrieved from www.gero-edcenter.org/mac.

17. Gellis, Z. D., McGinty, J., Horowitz, A., Bruce, M., & Misener, E. (2007). Problem solving therapy for late life depression in home care elderly: A randomized controlled trial. *American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*, 15(11), 968-978.
16. Brown, E.L., Kaiser, R.M., Gellis, Z. D. (2007). Screening and assessment of late life depression in home health care: Issues and challenges. *Annals of Long-Term Care*, 15(10), 27-32.
15. Gellis, Z.D., Kim, J., & McGinty, J. (2004). Screening for depression in medically ill home care elderly using a CES-D short form (abstract). *The Gerontologist*, 44, 158.
14. Gellis, Z. D., & Taguchi, A. (2004). Depression and health status among community-dwelling Japanese-American elderly. *Clinical Gerontologist*, 27(3), 23-38.
13. Tsui, M., Cheung, F.C., & Gellis, Z. D. (2004). In search of an optimal model for board-executive relationships in voluntary human service organizations. *International Social Work Journal*, 47(2), 169-186.
12. Gellis, Z. D. & Reid, W.J. (2004). Strengthening evidence-based practice. *Brief Treatment and Crisis Intervention Journal*, 4, 155-165.
11. Gellis, Z. D., Kim, J.C., & Hwang, S. (2004). New York State case manager survey: Urban and rural differences in job activities, job stress, and job satisfaction. *Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research*, 31(4), 430-440.
10. Gellis, Z. D. & Kim, J.C. (2004). Predictors of depressive mood, occupational stress, and propensity to leave in older and younger mental health case managers. *Community Mental Health Journal*, 40(5), 407-421.
9. Kim, J., & Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Knowledge and practice behavior of substance abuse counselors toward depression and alcohol abuse in later life (abstract). *The Gerontologist*, 44(1), 155-156.
8. Gellis, Z. D. (2004). Student assessment of an online clinical social work research course using a collaborative learning model. *Advances in Social Work*, 5(1), 77-90.
7. Gellis, Z. D. (2003). Kin and nonkin social supports in a community sample of Vietnamese immigrants. *Social Work*, 48(2), 248-258.
6. Gellis, Z. D., Sherman, S., & Lawrance, F. (2003). First year graduate social work students' knowledge of and attitude toward older adults. *Educational Gerontology*, 29, 1-16.
5. Gellis, Z. D., Huh, N., Lee, S., & Kim, J. (2003). Mental health attitudes among Caucasian-American and Korean counseling students. *Community Mental Health Journal*, 39(3), 213-224.

4. Gellis, Z. D. (2002). Coping with occupational stress in health care: A comparison of social workers and nurses. *Administration in Social Work*, 26, 37-52.
3. Gellis, Z. D. (2001). Using a participatory research approach to mobilize immigrant minority family caregivers. *Journal of Social Work Research and Evaluation*, 2(2), 267-282.
2. Gellis, Z. D. (2001). Social work perceptions of transformational and transactional leadership. *Social Work Research*, 25(1), 17-25.
1. Gellis, Z. D. (2001). Job stress among academic health center and community hospital social workers. *Administration in Social Work*, 25(3), 17-33.

Manuscripts in Preparation

- Gellis, Z.D. A national field test of the Penn SAFE-T Scale for community-dwelling cognitively impaired older adults.
- Gellis, Z.D. Effects of chronic illness self management and depression on enhancing self efficacy among homebound older adults.
- Gellis, Z.D., & McClive, K. Naturally occurring retirement communities, depressive symptoms, stress, and loneliness.
- Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B., McGinty, J., & Bardelli, E. Integrating depression care using Telehealth technology for homebound medically ill older adults.
- Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B. Effects of a telehealthcare intervention on quality of life outcomes among Congestive Heart Failure elderly patients.
- Gellis, Z.D., McGinty, J., & Kenaley, B. Physical illness and com-morbid depression in older home healthcare patients.
- Gellis, Z.D., & Kenaley, B. Self-rated health, activities of daily living, and mobility limitations among homebound medically ill older adults.
- Kenaley, B., & Gellis, Z.D. Dissemination of an integrated chronic illness and depression care intervention in Home Healthcare as a reimbursable Medicare service.
- Gellis, Z.D., & Kenaley, B. Predictors of depression and anxiety symptoms in older home healthcare patients.
- Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B., McGinty, J., & Bardelli, E. Collaborative care for homebound older Adults with chronic illness and depression care.
- Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B., McGinty, J., & Bardelli, E. Functional outcomes of an integrated care

model for chronic illness and comorbid depression.

Other Publications

Gellis, Z.D. (2011). MetLife Fellows in Geriatrics: The Penn Aging Concentration School of Social Policy & Practice. Met Life Foundation.

Gellis, Z.D., & McCracken, S. (2008). Aging and mental health. *Aging Times*, 4(3).

Gellis, Z.D. (2005). Treatment of depression and anxiety disorders in medically ill older adults. *Mental Health News*, 32-35.

Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Anxiety disorders in older adults: A review of the literature. *National Association of Social Workers New York State, Update* 28(4).

Gellis, Z.D. (2001). Web-based education for social work practice. *National Association of Social Workers-New York State Update*. 25(6), 1-6.

Gellis, Z.D. (2001). The future of geriatric mental health services. *National Alliance for the Mentally Ill-New York State News*, 74, 20-21.

Funded Research

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| Submitted | (Bogner, PI) Gellis, Co-PI (10% salary support)
Patient Oriented Research Grant: Depression care for Older Diabetic Primary Care Patients
(1.5 million over 3 years) |
| 2014-2015 | (Gellis, PI) Principal Investigator
Pilot Study of Chronic Disease Care Experiences Toward Telehealth Technology Among Medically ill Older Adults
University of Pennsylvania Research Foundation
\$16,500 |
| 2013-2016 | (Gellis, PI) Principal Investigator
Multi-site Randomized Trial on the Impact of Telehealth Services for Depressed and Chronically ill Older Patients
(\$100,000) |
| 2012-2015 | (Gellis, PI) Principal Investigator (5% salary support)
HRSA (M01HP25197-01-00)
(P.E.A.R.L.S.) Mental & Behavioral Health Training Program for Education, Assessment, Recovery, and Leadership for Social Workers
(\$479,331) |

- 2010-2015 (Forceia, PI) Gellis Co-Investigator (10% salary support)
1 UB4HP19214-01-00
Geriatric Education Center, University of Pennsylvania
(\$2,125,652)
- 2010-2013 Principal Investigator
MetLife Foundation
MetLife Geriatric Social Work Fellows Program
University of Pennsylvania
(\$150,000)
- 2012-present Ann Nolan Reese Endowed Program
Penn Aging Concentration
School of Social Policy & Practice
University of Pennsylvania
- 2009-2012 (Bogner, PI) Consultant
Adherence to Antidepressant Medication and Hypertension Treatment
National Institute of Mental Health
(\$149,510)
- 2009-2011 (Bogner, PI) Co-Investigator
Depression services for Diabetes Mellitus Management
American Diabetes Association
(\$161,821)
- 2009-2011 Principal Investigator
John A. Hartford Foundation
National Center for Gerontological Social Work Education
Specialized Gerontology Program: Penn Aging Concentration
School of Social Policy & Practice
University of Pennsylvania
(\$10,000)
- 2009-2010 Principal Investigator
New York State Office of Mental Health
Integrating Evidence-Based Geriatric Depression Care in Primary Care
Evaluation of the Training in Problem Solving Therapy Initiative
(\$36,000)
- 2007-2009 Principal Investigator
John A. Hartford Foundation
Council on Social Work Education
Masters Advanced Curriculum Grant
Gerontology Education Innovations Grant
(\$40,000)

- 2006-2009 Principal Evaluator
St. Peter's Hospital Corporation
Evaluation of Telehealthcare in Home Care Settings
(\$425,000)
- 2006-2008 Principal Evaluator
New York State Department on Aging
Jewish Family Services of Northeastern New York
Evaluation of a Naturally Occurring Retirement Community
(\$450,000)
- 2005-2010 Principal Investigator,
National Institute of Mental Health, NIH
Treatment of Late Life Depression in Home Care
K01-MH071253-01
(\$1,001,836)
- 2004-2005 Principal Investigator
Urban Justice Center of New York
Development of Knowledge and Assessment Skills in Geriatric Anxiety
Disorders for Emergency Services and Human Services Workers
(\$20,000)
- 2004-2005 Principal Investigator
Institute for Geriatric Social Work, Boston University
Mental Health and Aging
(\$5000)
- 2003-2005 Principal Investigator
United Jewish Federation of Northeastern New York
Public Education on Geriatric Health Issues
(\$8,000)
- 2003-2004 Co-Principal Evaluator
New York State Office of the Attorney General
Preliminary Trial of a Screening and Treatment Program for Anxiety
Disorders in Older Adults
(\$100,000)

- 2002-2004 Principal Investigator
John A. Hartford Foundation
Preliminary Evaluation of the Depression Screening and Treatment Program for Elderly Home Health Care Recipients
(\$100,000)
- 2001-2002 Principal Investigator
Research Foundation of SUNY
Screening for Depressive Symptoms in Elderly Homecare Recipients
(\$10,000)
- 1999-2000 Principal Investigator
Research Foundation of SUNY
Social Support and Mental Health Outcomes in Older Multicultural Populations
(\$10,000)

Scholarly Conference Presentations (peer reviewed)

- Corcoran, A., Darrah, N., Hadley, D., Packel, L., Gibbs, V., Kim, E., Cotter, V., Bradway, C., Gellis, Z.D., Poon, C., & Corcoran, A. (2014). Piloting an interprofessional simulation-based palliative care communication workshop. Consortium of Nursing Simulation Centers, Philadelphia, June.
- Darrah, N., Kim, E., Poon, C., Bradway, C., Gellis, Z.D., & Corcoran, A. (2014). Teaching others palliative care communication skills: Piloting an interdisciplinary workshop focused on the care of older adults with life-limiting illness. American Association of Hospice and Palliative Medicine Annual Meeting. San Diego, March.
- Kenaley, B.L., & Gellis, Z.D. (2013). Outcomes of a telehealth intervention for depressed older adults with heart or chronic respiratory failure. Presented at the 66th Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Conference, New Orleans, LA, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2013). KEYNOTE SPEAKER
The TeleHEART Trial: Randomized Controlled Trial of Collaborative Telehealth and Chronic Disease Management in Older Homebound Patients: Lessons Learned.
Paper presented at the 29th Annual Conference of the National Association Professional Geriatric Care Managers. Philadelphia, April.
- Gellis, Z.D., Li, L., & Liang, J. (2013 accepted). Symposium: Mental health intervention development for low income older adults and caregivers in the U.S. and China.
International Association of Geriatrics and Gerontology Conference. South Korea, June.
- Gellis, Z.D., Kenaley, B., McGinty, J., & Bardelli, E. (2013). Randomized trial of

- integrated depression care intervention for homebound older adults with cardiovascular disease. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 17th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D., McGinty, J., & Bardelli, E. (2012). Integrating Telehealth Technology in Home Health for Geriatric Depression Care. *National Association for Home Care & Hospice Annual Meeting*. Orlando, Florida, October.
- Bauman, J., Lysaght, S., Gellis, Z.D., Loren, A., Ersek, M., & Corcoran, A., (2012). Crossing Boundaries and Piloting a Common Observed Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) for Multiple Disciplines. *Interprofessional Care for the 21st Century*. Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA, June.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2012). Chair: Interventions in Family and Homebased Caregiving. Symposium presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 16th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2012). Randomized trial of integrated depression care intervention for homebound older adults with Cardiovascular Disease. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 16th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D., & Bruce, M.L. (2010). Problem solving therapy for subthreshold depression in older homebound patients with cardiovascular disease. Presented at the *63rd Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, November.
- Hooyman, N., & Gellis, Z.D. (2010). Specialized gerontology curriculum: Preparing clinical workers for advanced practice. Presented at the *63rd Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, November.
- Davitt, J., & Gellis, Z.D. (2010). Challenges to transitions in care and health: Strategies to enhance home health care. Presented at the *63rd Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, November.
- Gellis, Z.D., & Kang, C.D. (2009). Impact of community-based health interventions on depression outcomes among older adults with heart disease: A systematic review. Presented at the *62nd Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, Atlanta, GA, November.
- Gellis, Z.D., McCracken, S., & Diwan, S. (2009). Developing evidence-supported mental health & aging curricula for advanced graduate social work practice, presented at the *62nd Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, Atlanta, GA, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2009). Symposium Chair: Current innovative social work research using the NIH K-Award Mechanism. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 13th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January.

- Gellis, Z.D. (2009). Project HOME: Intervention development for geriatric depression in homebound elderly. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 13th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2009). Mental health research reviews and teaching modules: Depressive disorders in older adults. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 13th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2009). Older adults in a Naturally Occurring Retirement Community (NNORC): Predicting those in need of mental health care. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 13th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. & Kenaley, B. (2008). Systematic review of problem solving therapy for depression in later life. Paper presented at the *54th Annual Program Meeting, Council of Social Work Education*, Philadelphia, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Psychological distress in residents of a neighborhood naturally occurring retirement community (NNORC). Paper presented at the *54th Annual Program Meeting, Council of Social Work Education*, Philadelphia, October.
- Diwan, S., Gellis, Z.D., McCracken, S., Christ, G., & Farkas, K. (2008). Teaching evidence-based content in mental health, substance abuse, health and aging. Paper presented at the *54th Annual Program Meeting, Council of Social Work Education*, Philadelphia, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Chair: Symposium: Instrument Construction and Verification. *Society for Social Work Research 12th Annual Conference*, Washington DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Depression Screening in Older Cardiac Home Care Patients. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 12th Annual Conference*, Washington DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Randomized Trial of Problem-Solving Therapy for Subthreshold Depression in Medically ill Elderly. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 12th Annual Conference*, Washington DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D.(2007). Symposium Chair: Late life depression in nursing home, community rehabilitation, and home care settings. Symposium presented at the *60th Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, San Francisco, CA, November.
- Gellis, Z.D.(2007). Detection of Late Life Depression in Medically ill Home Care Elderly. Symposium presented at the *60th Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, San Francisco, CA, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Randomized Trial of Problem-Solving Therapy for Minor Depression in

- Medically Ill Elderly. Paper presented at the *New York State Society on Aging 35th Annual Conference*, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Problem-Solving Therapy for Late-Life Depression in Home Health Care: A Randomized Control Trial. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 11th Annual Conference*, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Research Symposium: Development of Mental Health Interventions for Older Adults. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 11th Annual Conference*, January.
- Gellis, Z.D., Horowitz, A., MacMillan, T, Reinhardt, J. (2007). Problem Solving Therapy for Generalized Anxiety in Rehabilitation Settings: Preliminary Findings. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 11th Annual Conference*, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Pilot Randomized Controlled Trial of Problem-Solving Therapy for Late Life Depression in Home Care. Paper presented at the *American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry Annual Conference*, March.
- Bronstein, L. & Gellis, Z.D. (2007). A neighbourhood naturally occurring retirement community: Findings from a collaborative assessment. Paper presented at the *American Society on Aging*, Chicago, March.
- Gellis, Z.D., Horowitz, A., MacMillan, T, Reinhardt, J. (2006). Project ADAPT-VIP: Outcomes of a Geriatric Anxiety Assessment and Treatment Program for Visually-Impaired Older Persons. Paper presented at the *59th Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. & Bronstein, L. (2006). A collaborative neighborhood naturally occurring retirement community. Paper presented at the *Annual State Society on Aging of New York Conference*, October, 2006.
- Gellis, Z.D., McGinty, J., Jordan, C., Palm, J., Tierney, L., Misener, E., Bruce, M. (2006). The CES-D Short Form as a screening measure of depression in an elderly home health care population. Paper presented at the *American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry*, San Juan, Puerto Rico, March.
- Gellis, Z.D., McGinty, J., Jordan, C., Palm, J., Tierney, L., Misener, E., Bruce, M. (2006). Depression screening in medically ill homebound older adults. Paper presented at the *4th Annual Gero-Ed Forum, CSWE*, Chicago, IL, February.
- Gellis, Z.D., McGinty, J., Jordan, C., Palm, J., Tierney, L., Misener, E., Kim, J. (2006). Practice behaviors of counselors toward depression and alcohol abuse in later life. Poster presented at the *4th Annual Gero-Ed Forum, CSWE*, Chicago, IL, February.

- Gellis, Z.D., McGinty, J., Jordan, C., Palm, J., Tierney, L., Misener, E., Bruce, M. (2005). Homecare professional's recognition of depression and anxiety in older cardiac patients. Poster presented at the 58th *Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, Orlando, FL, November.
- Gellis, Z.D., Kim, J. (2005). Using evidence-based depression screening methods for medically ill homecare elderly. Poster presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 9th Annual Conference*, Miami, FL, January.
- Fortune, A., Zendell, A., Mertz, L., Kenaley, B., & Gellis, Z.D. (2005). Factors associated with and contributing to changes in graduate counseling student's attitudes toward and knowledge base of older adults. Paper presented at the *American Society on Aging Conference*, Philadelphia, PA., March.
- Gellis, Z.D., & Kim, J. (2004). Confirmatory factor analysis of the CES-D Short Form as a screening measure of depression in an elderly home health care population. Paper presented at the 57th *Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, November.
- Gellis, Z.D., & Kim, J. (2004). Knowledge and clinical practice behaviors of substance abuse counselors toward late life depression, suicide, and alcohol abuse. Paper presented at the 57th *Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Symposium Chair: Depression and psychosocial factors among ethnic minority. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 8th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Depression, health, and life events among a sample of older Japanese-Americans. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 8th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January.
- Chow, J., Giunta, N., & Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Ethnic differences in family caregiving in California. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 8th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January.
- Clarkson, P., Carpenter, J., Videka, L., Easterly-Klaus, L., & Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Social support among mothers with serious mental illness. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 8th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2003). Symposium Chair: Intervention development for geriatric depression in community and long-term care settings. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 7th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, January.

- Gellis, Z.D., Huh, N., Lee, S., & Kim, J., Chow, J. (2003). Mental health attitudes among Caucasian-American and Korean counseling students. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 7th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2003). Mental health service needs of elderly home care recipients. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 7th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, January.
- Videka, L., Gellis, Z.D., Easterly, L., Carpenter, J., Clarkson, P. (2003). Predictors of parenting and child behavior among mothers with serious psychiatric disabilities. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 7th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2002). An evaluation of the depression screening and treatment program in elderly home care recipients. Paper presented at the *Hartford Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Research Institute: John A Hartford Foundation*. Washington, DC. October.
- Gellis, Z.D., Fortune, A.E., Yamada, Y., & Postmus, J. (2002). Changes in attitudes toward aging during MSW education. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 6th Annual Conference*, San Diego, California, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2002). Psychosocial predictors of depression in a sample of Japanese American elderly. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 6th Annual Conference*, San Diego, California, January.
- Videka-Sherman, L., Gellis, Z., Easterly L., & Carpenter, J. (2002). Needs and services for families with serious mental disorders: A needs analysis. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 6th Annual Conference*, San Diego, California, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2001). Development of an intervention for geriatric depression in home health care settings. Paper presented at *1st Annual NIMH New Investigator Research Institute, NIMH Intervention Research Center for Geriatric Mood Disorders, Weill Medical College of Cornell University*, Westchester, New York, November.
- Videka-Sherman, L., Gellis, Z., & Easterly, L. (2001). Parents with psychiatric disabilities: A critical review of parenting measures. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 5th Annual Conference*, Atlanta, Georgia, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2001). Participatory research with ethnically-diverse immigrant family caregivers of the mentally ill. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 5th Annual Conference*, Atlanta, Georgia, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2000). Social support networks in a sample of Vietnamese clients. Paper presented at the *Society for Social Work Research 4th Annual Conference*, Charleston, South Carolina, January.

- Gellis, Z.D. (1996). Family psychoeducation groups with caregivers of the seriously mentally ill. Paper presented at the *Association for the Advancement of Social Work with Groups 19th Annual Conference*, Ann Arbor, Michigan, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1996). Leadership for social work in health care. Paper presented at the *Ontario Social Work Hospital Directors' 9th Annual Conference*, Toronto, CA, May.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1995). Participatory research with self-help groups and families of the seriously mentally ill. Paper presented at the *International Association for Psychosocial Rehabilitation 20th Conference*, Toronto, CA, June.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1994). Developing family caregiver councils in psychiatric centers. Paper presented at the *3rd Bi-Annual International Schizophrenia Conference*, Vancouver, CA, August.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1992). Caregiver burden inventories: Empirical research on family psychoeducational programs. Paper presented at the *2nd Bi-Annual International Schizophrenia Conference*, Vancouver, CA, July.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1992). Multi-dimensional caregiver burden measures: Results of a research study of families of the mentally ill. Paper presented at the *American Psychiatric Association 144th Annual Conference*, Toronto, CA, May.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1991). Innovative family psychoeducational group programs for schizophrenia. Paper presented at the *1st Annual Canadian Mental Health Conference*, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, CA, June.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1989). Family case management: Effective psychosocial interventions in community mental health. Paper presented at the *International Association of Psychosocial Rehabilitation 14th Annual Conference*, Toronto, CA, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1987). Social skills group work: An effective approach in mental health. Paper presented at the *International Association for Psychosocial Rehabilitation 12th Annual Conference*, Toronto, CA, October.

Invitational Scholarly Presentations

- Gellis, Z.D. (2012) KEYNOTE speaker at the National Association of Home Care and Hospice Organizations; The Tele-HEART Trial: Integrating Telehealth Technology in Home Health for Geriatric Depression Care & HF or COPD, Orlando, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2012). The impact of telehealth interventions for depression among community-dwelling older adults. Eshel Research Institute, Jerusalem, December.

- Gellis, Z.D. (2012). Problem Solving Therapy for late life depression. University of Chicago, School of Social Service Administration, Chicago, IL, May.
- Gellis, Z.D. & Corcoran, A. (2012). Dementia, Delirium and Depression. Rittenhouse Hospice, Geriatric Education Center, Perelman School of Medicine, U of Pennsylvania, February.
- Gellis, Z.D. & Corcoran, A. (2012). Dementia, Delirium and Depression. Wissahickon Hospice Services, Geriatric Education Center, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2011). Telehealthcare for depressed older adults with cardiovascular disease. University of Haifa, Israel, December.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2011). Mild Cognitive Impairment, Dementia and safety for homebound older adults in the community. Philadelphia Corporation for the Aging and the Geriatric Education Center, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2011). Depression disorders in older adults: assessment and treatment options. University of Chicago, School of Social Service Administration, Chicago, IL, May.
- Gellis Z.D. (2011). Problem solving therapy for depressed medically ill older adults. School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, February.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2010). Integrated health and mental health care for homebound older adults. School of Social Work, Bar Ilan University, Israel, December.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2010). Integrating geriatric depression care in community-based home health services. Division of Geriatrics, School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, December.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2010). Evidence-based practice for depressive disorders in older adults. Field Faculty Conference. School of Social Policy & Practice, University of Pennsylvania, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2010). Anxiety disorders in older adults: assessment and treatment. University of Chicago, School of Social Service Administration, Chicago, IL, April.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2010). Depression screening in home healthcare elderly: The use of the PHQ-2 screener. Abington Memorial Hospital, Abington, PA, April.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2010). Depression care in medically ill homebound older adults. School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, February.

- Gellis, Z.D. (2009). Community-integrated depression care intervention for medically ill older adults. Department of Psychiatry, Penn School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2009). Outcomes evaluation methods for agencies serving older adults. Supported Older Women's Network (SOWN). Philadelphia, PA, March.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2009). Problem solving therapy as a depression care intervention for medically ill older adults. School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). A randomized controlled trial of problem solving treatment for depressed medically ill homebound elderly. Division of Gerontology, University of Haifa, Israel March.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Evidence-based practice in mental health for older adults. School of Social Policy & Practice, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Late life depression: assessment and treatment issues. Albany Medical College, June.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Keynote Speaker: Building research capacity in the aging services network. Graduate School of Social Work, Denver, May.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Late life depression and evidence-based practices. EDDY Visiting Nurses Association, Albany, NY May.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Evidence-based practices for depression in older adults. University of Haifa, Faculty of Social Welfare & Health Sciences, Department of Aging Studies, April.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Training in Problem Solving Therapy for geriatric depression among home health care nurses. WillCare Home Health Health Agency, Kingston, NY, March.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Assessment and treatment of late life depression for family practice medical students. Albany Medical College, February.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Training in Problem Solving Therapy for geriatric depression among case managers. University of Texas at Austin, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2008). Assessment and treatment of late life depression for family practice medical students. Albany Medical College, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). National Association for Social Workers-NYS Chapter Training Institute: Problem-Solving Therapy for Social Workers: An Evidence-Based Depression Treatment Model. Long Island, NY, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Screening and Assessment for Depression in Home Health Care. Annual

- Home Care Association of New York State Clinical Conference, Albany, NY, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Overview of Mental Health Problems in Older Adults. Skidmore College, Department of Social Work, Saratoga Springs, NY, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Geriatric Depression Screening and Assessment for Medical Students Albany Medical College, Albany, NY, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Late Life Depression: Assessment and Treatment Issues. New York State Coalition for the Aging. Plattsburgh, NY, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Interdisciplinary Geriatrics & Gerontology Program. Columbia University Stroud Geriatric Education Center. October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Late Life Depression: Assessment and Treatment Issues. New York State Coalition for the Aging. Buffalo, NY. Amherst Senior Center October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Late Life Depression: Assessment and Treatment Issues. New York State Coalition for the Aging. Long Island, NY. September.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2007). Late Life Depression: Assessment and Treatment Issues. New York State Coalition for the Aging. Schenectady, NY. September.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Interdisciplinary Geriatrics & Gerontology Program. Columbia University Stroud Geriatric Education Center. May.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Geriatric Emergency Preparedness Certificate. Columbia University Stroud Geriatric Education Center, New York, NY. October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). National Association for Social Workers-NYS Chapter Training Institute: Problem-Solving Therapy for Social Workers: An Evidence-Based Depression Treatment Model. Albany, NY, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Anxiety disorders in older adults. 13th Annual Adult Abuse Training Institute, Brookdale Center on Aging, Saratoga, NY, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Common mental health problems in older adults: Screening and assessment. Brookdale Center on Aging & Bureau of Adults Services, OCFS, Fishkill, NY, September.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Treatment of late life depression in home care. Drexel University, Center for Behavioral Medicine, Philadelphia, PA, September
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Living Longer and Better, The HOME Program: An Age Wave Exemplar. Alumni Weekend, University at Albany, Albany, NY, June.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Geriatric Emergency Preparedness Certificate: Mental Health and Aging. Geriatric Education Center, Columbia University. New York, NY, April.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Evidence-based practice in mental health for older adults. Veteran's Administration, Albany, NY, March.

- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Career development awards in mental health. Office for Research, University at Albany, Albany, NY. March
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Geriatric Mental Health Issues: Assessment and Treatment. Geriatric Education Center of Columbia University, New York, NY. January
- Gellis, Z.D. (2006). Late Life Depression Treatment. Binghamton University, Office for Research. Binghamton, NY January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2005). Psychiatric disorders of late life: epidemiology and prevalence. Paper presented at Albany Medical College, Grand Rounds, Albany, NY, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2005). Assessment and treatment of geriatric anxiety disorders. Paper presented at the Montana Geriatric Education Center Annual Conference, Missoula, MO, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2005). Assessment of geriatric anxiety disorders. Paper presented at the Gerontology Institute, Ithaca College, Ithaca, NY, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Geriatric depression and anxiety disorders. Paper presented at the New York State Adult Abuse Conference, Albany, NY, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Problem solving treatment for vision-impaired older adults: A brief cognitive-behavioral intervention. Paper presented at the NIMH-Research Center, Lighthouse International, New York, NY, August.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Emerging populations: Mental illness and aging. Paper presented at the New York State Office of Aging Demography is Destiny Conference, Professional Development Program, University at Albany, Albany, NY, August
- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Mental health and aging. Paper presented at the New York State Area Agencies on Aging Association Conference, Albany, NY, June.
- Gellis, Z.D., McGinty, J., Burton, J., Jordan, C., & Tierney, L. (2004). Depression in older adults: Screening, assessment and treatment. Paper presented at the 1st Annual Geriatric Mental Health Conference: Mental Health and Aging in Place, University at Albany, SUNY. Albany, NY.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Screening for depression and anxiety in seriously mentally ill older adults. Presented at the Madison-Mendota County Mental Health Center, Madison WI, May.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Anxiety disorders in older adults: Screening, assessment and treatment. Invited Keynote Speaker, NIMH Research Center-Lighthouse International for the Visually-Impaired: New York, NY, April.

- Gellis, Z.D. (2004). Cognitive behavioral treatment for late life depression. Lighthouse International for the Visually-Impaired: White Plains, NY, April.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2003). Depression treatment for elderly home care recipients. St. Peter's Home Health Care Agency. Sponsored by the John A. Hartford Foundation Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program, Albany, New York, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2003). Depression and suicide assessment and treatment planning. School of Social Welfare, University at Albany, September.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2003). Program for assertive community mental health treatment: Program structure, team roles and service delivery systems for the mentally ill. Invited Keynote Speaker: Hallym University, Seoul, South Korea, February.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2003). Developing community-based mental health programs for the mentally ill. Invited Keynote Speaker: Silla University, Busan, South Korea, February.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2002). Intervention development for geriatric depression in health care settings. Sponsored by the John A. Hartford Foundation Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program. NIMH Center-Lighthouse International, New York, NY, January.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2002). Depression screening for elderly home care recipients. St. Peter's Home Health Care Agency. Sponsored by the John A. Hartford Foundation Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program, Albany, NY, November.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2002). Participatory action research: Principles and methodology in research. Presented at the School of Public Health, University at Albany. Albany, NY, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2002). Using information technology in social work practice. Presented at the Annual Social Work Career Day. University at Albany, Albany, NY, March.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2001). Participatory action research: Principles and methodology in research. Presented at the School of Public Health, University at Albany, Albany, NY, October.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2001). Women and depression. Keynote Speaker, Presented at the Association of Women Insurance Executives of the State of New York Annual Meeting. Albany, NY, April.
- Gellis, Z.D. (2000). Assessment and treatment of depression in ethnic minority older adults. Keynote Speaker, Little Tokyo Multicultural Service Center, Los Angeles, CA, September.
- Gellis, Z.D. (1999). Program for assertive community treatment (PACT) and therapeutic alliance. Paper presented at the NIMH Center for the Study of Issues in Public Mental Health, Nathan Kline Institute for Psychiatric Research, Orangeburg, NY, May.

Gellis, Z.D. (1991). The psychiatric hospital in the 21st century. Keynote paper presented at the British Columbia Mental Health Conference, Vancouver, Canada, June.

Other Invitational Presentations

Gellis, Z.D. (2005). National Depression Screening Day: suicide assessment, and referral management. School of Social Welfare, University at Albany, September.

Gellis, Z.D. (2004). National Depression Screening Day: suicide assessment, and referral management. School of Social Welfare, University at Albany, September.

Gellis, Z.D. (2003). Depression, suicide assessment, referral management, and treatment planning. School of Social Welfare, University at Albany, September.

Gellis, Z.D. (2003). Assertive Community Treatment teams: Evidence-Based Practices in Mental Health Initiative, New York State Office of Mental Health. New York, NY, June.

CONSULTANCIES (National / Federal Level)

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| 2013 | CSWE GERO-ED Center. National Association of Social Workers
<i>National Chair, Increasing Gerontological Competencies in MSW Advanced Curriculum: Mental Health Resource Literature Reviews Committee</i> |
| 2012 | University of Denver, School of Public Affairs
<i>Social Isolation in Older Adults</i> |
| 2012 | University of Pennsylvania, Family & Community Medicine
NIDDK, Treatment Adherence in Older Diabetic Primary Care Patients |
| 2011 | Abington Medical Center
Abington Home Healthcare
Pew Foundation
Depression Screening and Treatment for Late Life Depression |
| 2007-2009 | CSWE GERO-ED Center. National Association of Social Workers
<i>National Chair, Increasing Gerontological Competencies in MSW Advanced Curriculum: Mental Health Resource Literature Reviews Committee</i> |
| 2006 | CSWE GERO-ED Center. National Association of Social Workers
<i>Increasing Gerontological Competencies in MSW Advanced Curriculum: Health, Mental Health, and Substance Abuse</i> |

CONSULTANCIES (State / County Level)

- 2012-13** **Supportive Older Women's Network
Philadelphia, PA**
- 2011 Service Delivery Models for Seniors in Philadelphia
Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia
- 2009 – 2010 Consultant on Evidence-Based Practices in Geriatric Mental Health
New York State Office of Mental Health
- 2006-2008 Appointed Council Member
New York State Governor's Geriatric Mental Health Interagency Planning
Council
New York State Office of Mental Health
New York State Office for the Aging
- 2006 Mental Health Consultant, Bureau of Adult Services, New York State Office
of Children and Family Services
- 2004-2008 Geriatric Mental Health Alliance of New York State
- 2003-2008 Consultant in Geriatric Mental Health to United Jewish Federation of
Northeastern New York
- 2001-2008 Late Life Depression Consultation Clinic,
St. Peter's Hospital Home Health Care Program, Albany, NY.
- 2001-2008 Consultant to the New York State Office on Aging
Home Care and Mental Health for Older Adults
- 2001-2008 Consultant in Geriatric Mental Health to Jewish Family Services of
Northeastern New York (Neighborhood Naturally Occurring Retirement
Community Initiative-NORC)
- 1999-2008 Consultant to the New York State Office of Mental Health
Geriatric Mental Health Services Initiative
Evidence-Based Practice in Mental Health Initiative
- 1999-2008 Consultant, Online Course Development (SUNY Learning Network) to
instructors at the following institutions:
NASW-NYS Chapter
University at Albany: School of Social Welfare

EDUCATIONAL ADVISOR (MSW Program)

2013-2014	Penn Aging Concentration, MSW Program School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania 11 MSW students
2012-2013	Penn Aging Concentration, MSW Program School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania 11 MSW students
2011-2012	Penn Aging Concentration, MSW Program School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania 10 MSW students
2010-2011	Penn Aging Concentration, MSW Program School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania 12 MSW students
2008-2010	MSW Program School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania 40 MSW students

DOCTORAL ADVISOR

2012-present 1 Ph.D. student
2010-present 5 D.S.W. students

TEACHING

Doctoral Level Quantitative Research Methods

Masters Level (courses taught)

Cognitive Behavior Therapy
Advanced Practice with Older Adults and Families
Problem Solving Therapy, an Evidence-Based Model
Evaluation of Clinical Practice (classroom & online)
Depression Theory, Assessment and Treatment
Evidence-Based Practice in Mental Health for Social Workers
Mental Health Policy

Clinical Practice for Social Workers

Bachelors Level

Nursing 628 Mental Health and Aging (Guest Lecturer) 2009-present

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**Profession:****Grant Reviewer:**

Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development, The Hague (2012)
National Institute of Mental Health, Special Emphasis Panel (2012)
National Institute of Mental Health, Special Emphasis Panel (2010-11)
National Institute of Mental Health, Small Business Innovation Research Phase II,
Technical Evaluation Panel (2010-11)
National Institute of Mental Health, Health Services Research Panel (2009)

Senior Book Editor*Oxford University Press*

Assessment and Treatment of Older Adults: An Integrated and Interprofessional Perspective.

Book Chapter Reviewer:*Oxford University Press***Journal Reviewer:**

International Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry
The Gerontologist
Depression and Anxiety
Clinical Gerontologist
Journal of Gerontological Social Work
Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research

Scientific Meeting Reviewer:

Gerontological Society of America Abstract Reviewer, Annual Scientific Meeting (2009- present)
Society for Social Work & Research, Abstracts Reviewer (2003-present)
Society for Social Work & Research, Dissertation Awards Reviewer (2002)
Council on Social Work Education, Conference Abstract Reviewer (1999-2000)
New York Geriatric Mental Health Conference, Conference Organizer (2003)

National Board Member, Association of Gerontology Education in Social Work(2010-2013)

University Service:

(2011-present) Member, Provost Council for Research, Office of the Vice Provost for Research

(2010-present), Faculty member, Weigle Information Commons, University of Pennsylvania Libraries

(2011-12) Member, Dementia Care Certificate Program Advisory Committee
Division of Geriatrics, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania

(2011) External Reviewer, Tenure Promotion, Perelman School of Medicine

(2010-present) Faculty Member, Technology Advisory Committee, Weigle Information Commons, Penn Libraries, University of Pennsylvania

(2008-present) Member, School of Medicine, Health Services Research Group
University of Pennsylvania

(2003-2007) Committee Member, National Depression Screening Day, University at Albany
School of Social Welfare & University Counseling Service

Institutional Review Board Member, University at Albany (1999-2001)
Member, Computer Advisory Committee, Rockefeller College (1999-2000)

School of Social Policy & Practice University of Pennsylvania

MSW Governance Committee (2012-2014)
Course Sequence Director, HBSE (2012-2014)
Faculty Recruitment, Personnel (2012-2013)
Penn SP2 PEARLS HRSA VA grant Curriculum Planning Group (2012-2015)
Chair, Personnel Committee (2010-2012)
Dean's Executive Committee (2010-2012)
Director, Penn Aging Concentration (2009-present)
Chair, Practice Sequence Committee (2009-2010)
MSW Curriculum Committee (2009 – 2010)
Strategic Planning Committee (2009-2010)
Student Policies & Procedures Committee (2008-2009)
DSW Governance Committee Member (2008-present)
DSW Admissions Committee Member (2008-present)
MSW Practice Sequence Committee (2008-2009)
MSW Admissions Committee member (2008-present)
Ph.D. Committee Graduate Group (2008-present)

School of Social Welfare, University at Albany:

Deans Advisory Committee (2007-2008)
Admission Committee (2007-2008)

Co-Chair, International Students Committee (2007-2008)
Dean's Advisory Committee (2006-2007)
Chair, Field Education Committee (2006-2007)
Recruitment Committee, Financial Officer (2007)
Ph.D. Practice Research Curriculum Committee (2005-2008)
Masters Advanced Clinical Concentration Committee (2003-2008)
Doctoral Examinations Reviewer (1999-2008)
Faculty Recruitment Committee (2004-2005)
Chair, Admissions Committee (2003-2004)
Director, Albany Internships in Mental Health (2003-2006)
Advisory Board, Internships in Aging Project (2003-2008)
Student Grievance Committee (2003-2004)
Dean's Advisory Committee (2003-2004)
Admission's Committee (2002-2003)
Student Grievance Committee (2002-2004)
School of Social Welfare Graduate Advisor, International Students (2001-2005)
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