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Present Positions

Hazel E. Reed Human Ecology Professor, Department of Human Development, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York 14853.

Professor of Gerontology in Medicine, Division of Geriatrics, Weill Cornell Medical College, 2003 – present.

Director, Bronfenbrenner Center for Translational Research, Cornell University, 2015 – present.

Director, Cornell Institute for Translational Research on Aging, 1993 – present.

Education

Ph.D. in Sociology, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA, 1985.

M.A. in Sociology, Brandeis University, April, 1981.

B.A. in Sociology, Boston University, Boston, MA, June, 1977.

Previous Academic Appointments

Associate Dean, College of Human Ecology, Cornell University, 2009 – 2014.

Assistant to Full Professor of Human Development, Cornell University, 1990 to 1997.

Acting Director, Bronfenbrenner Life Course Center, 2003 – 2005.

Professor, Program in Clinical Epidemiology and Health, Graduate School of Medical Sciences, Cornell Weill Medical College, 1995 - 2003.

Visiting Professor, University of Konstanz, Germany, academic year 1995-1996.

Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of New Hampshire, 1986 to 1990.

Training Faculty, N.I.M.H. Family Violence Post-Doctoral Program, Family Research Laboratory, University of New Hampshire, 1984 to 1990.

Associate in Family and Community Medicine, University of Massachusetts Medical School, 1984 to 1987.

Lecturer, Clark University, Fall, 1982 to Spring, 1984.

Lecturer, Brandeis University, Summer, 1982.

Instructor, Boston University (Metropolitan College), Spring, 1982.

Professional and Research Experience

Research Associate, Family Research Laboratory, University of New Hampshire; October, 1984 to 1990.

Research Associate, University Center on Aging, University of Massachusetts Medical Center, Worcester, MA.; 1982 to 1984.

Long-Term Care Planner, Massachusetts Office of State Health Planning, Boston, MA; 1980 to 1982.

Research Grants (Principal Investigator unless otherwise noted)

“Cornell Roybal Center-Translational Research Institute on Pain in Later Life.” National Institute on Aging. (Cary Reid and Karl Pillemer, co-PIs). \$1,950,000. October 2014 – September, 2019.

“Program for Research on Youth Development and Engagement.” (PI of grant and Director of Intergenerational Connections Core). \$1,200,000. January 2016 – December 31, 2018.

“Research Training Program in Behavioral Geriatrics” (co-investigator; M. C. Reid, PI). National Institute on Aging. 5/1/16 – 8/31/21.

“Improving Family-Staff Communication in Assisted Living: A Randomized, Controlled Intervention.” American Senior Housing Association University Research Grant Program. \$175,000. March 2016 – February 2017.

“Intergenerational Legacy Project: Evaluation of Intergenerational Elder Wisdom Program.” USDA/Hatch/Smith-Lever. \$90,000. October 2013 – September 2016

“Research Translation in Palliative Care.” Lawrence and Rebecca Stern Family Foundation. \$200,000. March 2012 – February 2016.

“Improving the Management of Pain in Later Life.” Edward R. Roybal Center Grant, National Institute on Aging (Cary Reid and Karl Pillemer, co-PIs). \$1,990,176. October 2009 – September 2014.

“Resident To Resident Elder Mistreatment (RREM) in Long Term Care.” National Institute on Aging (Mark S. Lachs and Karl Pillemer, co-PIs). \$2,017,494. July 2008 – June 2013.

"Parent-Child Relations: Within Family Differences II." National Institute on Aging. (J. Jill Suitor and Karl Pillemer, Co-PIs). \$1,752,283. September 2007 – August 2012.

"Cornell Institute for Translational Research on Aging." National Institute on Aging. \$1,851,274. October 2003 – September 2009.

"Quality Care Technology Demonstration Project: Resident Outcomes Evaluation." New York State Quality Care Oversight Committee. \$286,250. March 2007 – February 2009.

"Taking Community Action against Pain." National Institute of Nursing Research. (Cary Reid and Karl Pillemer, co-PIs). \$451,000. September 2007 – August 2009.

"Cornell Collaborative Workshop on Aging and the Environment." Cornell Center for a Sustainable Future Academic Venture Fund. \$37,462. February 1 – July 31, 2009.

"Retiree Environmental Stewards Program." Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture. \$55,000. October 1 2007 – September 30, 2010.

"Diversity Supplement: Postdoctoral Training." National Institute on Aging. \$140,000. October 2005 – September 2008.

"Linking Technology Implementation to Culture Change and Resident-Centered Care." The Commonwealth Fund. \$30,700.00. January 1 – July 30, 2007.

"Cultural Competency in Jewish Nursing Facilities." Anonymous foundation. \$50,000. July 2005 – June 2006.

"Project Home: Facilitating Discharge of Nursing Home Residents to Community Living." Community Health Foundation of Central and Western New York. \$100,000. February 2006 – January 2009.

"The Retention Specialist Program: Testing a Model Workplace Innovation." Joint funding from Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and Atlantic Philanthropies. \$499,748. October 2003 – December, 2006.

"Aging and the Environment: Promoting Environmental Civic Engagement and Volunteering among the Elderly." Cornell University College of Human Ecology, New Research Environment Initiative, \$25,000, May 2005 – December 2007.

"Cornell Applied Gerontology Research Institute." National Institute on Aging, \$2,751,247. August 1998 – July 2004.

"Parent-Child Relations: Within Family Differences." National Institute on Aging (J. Jill Suitor and Karl Pillemer, co-PIs). \$1,303,161. February 1, 2001 – January 31, 2005.

“Workforce Development in Elder Care: An Evaluation of Innovative Training Methods.”
USDA, \$120,000. June 2003 – May 2006.

“Research Dissemination Coordination Center for the Edward R. Roybal Centers for Research on Applied Gerontology.” National Institute on Aging. \$200,000. July 1999 - June 2003.

“Cornell Component of Finger Lakes Geriatric Education Center: Geriatric Education in Rural and Underserved Areas.” \$44,288. July 1, 2000 - June 30, 2005.

“Ambivalence of Intergenerational Relations among Adults in Families.” Transcoop Program, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (Kurt Luescher and Karl Pillemer, co-PIs). 60,000 DM (approx . \$35,000 U. S.) January 1998 – December 2001.

“Cornell Center for Research on Applied Gerontology.” National Institute on Aging, \$2,427,546. August 1993 - July 1998.

“Underrepresented Minority Supplement.” National Institute on Aging, \$63,420. June 1994 - May 1996.

“Social Relations of Alzheimer’s Caregivers Across Time.” National Institute of Mental Health (Karl Pillemer and J. Jill Sutor, co-PIs). \$654,727. September 1988 - August 1993.

“Project GUIDE (Gaining Understanding of Intergenerational Programs through Distance Education).” NYS College of Human Ecology. \$12,000. June 1998 – May 1999.

“Developing Community Liaison Activities with Minority Aged.” Innovative Program Research Grant, Bronfenbrenner Life Course Center. P. I. \$9,900. Dates: May 1997 – April 1998.

“Ensuring an Abuse-Free Environment: Evaluation.” Denver Regional Council of Governments, Quality of Care Project. P. I. \$9, 394. Dates: January 1998 – June 2000.

“Social Relations and Well-Being of Alzheimer’s Caregivers: Rural/Nonrural Comparisons.” United States Department of Agriculture (Hatch Program), \$28, 600.

“Promoting Mental Wellness in Elder Care.” Van Ameringen Foundation, \$197,817.

“Setting the Agenda for the White House Conference on Aging: A Survey.” Grant from anonymous donors, \$13,900.

“National Survey of Conflict and Abuse in Families of the Elderly in Canada.” Health and Welfare - Canada, \$235,000.

“Evaluation of Four Model Elder Abuse Projects.” Florence V. Burden Foundation and Ittleson Foundation, \$273,276.

“Exploring Aging through Service Experiences: Project EASE.” C.S. Mott Foundation and Public Welfare Foundation, \$60,410.

“Inappropriate Patient Management Practices in Nursing Homes.” AARP Andrus Foundation, \$49,947.

“Student Assisted Independent Living.” Foundation for Long-Term Care, \$36,000.

“Abuse Prevention in Home Health Care.” Coalition of Advocates for the Rights of the Infirm Elderly.” \$15,000.

“Cooperative Communication between Nursing Home Staff and Family Members.” Cornell Cooperative Extension, \$15,900.

“Apparel Approaches to Resident Safety and Autonomy in the Restraint-Free Nursing Home.” Cornell Life Course Institute, \$11,900.

“Families and Nursing Homes: College Grant, Cornell University. \$5900.

“A Training Program For Family Caregivers to Dependent Elders.” Foundation for Seacoast Health, \$61,612.

“Conference on Parent-Child Relationships across the Life-Span.” Elliot Fund, \$14,400.

“Developing a Model Continuing Care Retirement Community for Low-Income Elderly Persons.” Massachusetts Department of Public Welfare, \$18,000.

“Analysis of Long-Term Care Needs in Massachusetts.” Office of Health Policy, Massachusetts Executive Office of Human Services, \$11,000.

“Research Conference on Elder Abuse and Neglect.” University of New Hampshire Undesignated Gifts Committee, \$11,490.

“The Exceptional Aging Project: A Pilot Study.” NYNEX Faculty Development Grant, \$3500.

“Preparation of Background paper for Surgeon General’s Workshop on Violence.” Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control, \$2,000.

Publications

Books, Monographs, Special Issues

Pillemer, Karl. (2011). *30 Lessons for Living: Tried and True Advice from the Wisest Americans*. New York: Penguin/Hudson Street Press. (Translated editions: Germany, Japan, China, Taiwan, South Korea, Turkey, Vietnam, Romania).

- Pillemer, Karl. (2015). *30 Lessons for Loving: Advice from the Wisest Americans on Love, Relationships, and Marriage*. Penguin/Hudson Street Press.
- Sykes, Kathy, and Karl Pillemer (Eds.). 2009-2010. *Environment and Aging: Grey and Green*. Special Issue, *Generations*, Winter,
- Pillemer, Karl, and Kurt Luescher (Eds.). 2004. *Intergenerational Ambivalences: New Perspectives on Parent-Child Relations in Later Life*. Stamford, CN: Elsevier/JAI Press. Volume 4 in the series "Contemporary Perspectives in Family Research."
- Pillemer, Karl, Sara Czaja, and Richard Schulz (Eds.). 2003. *Challenges of Translational Research on Aging: The Experience of the Roybal Centers*. Vol. 43, Special Issue I, *The Gerontologist*
- National Academy of Sciences, Panel to Review Risk and Prevalence of Elder Abuse and Neglect. 2002. *Elder Mistreatment: Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation in an Aging America*. Washington, D. C.: National Academies Press. [Panel member and co-author of this report.]
- Pillemer, Karl, Phyllis Moen, Elaine Wethington, Nina Glasgow (Eds.). 2000. *Social Integration in the Second Half of Life*. Baltimore, MD: The Johns Hopkins University Press.
- Pillemer, Karl. 2000. *Abuse-Proofing Your Facility*. Albany, NY: Delmar/Thompson Learning.
- Pillemer, Karl, and Kathleen McCartney (Eds.). 1991. *Parent-Child Relations throughout Life*. New York: Erlbaum.
- Wolf, Rosalie S., and Karl Pillemer. 1989. *Helping Elderly Victims: The Reality of Elder Abuse*. New York: Columbia University Press.
- Pillemer, Karl, and Rosalie S. Wolf (Eds.). 1986. *Elder Abuse: Conflict in the Family*. Dover, MA: Auburn House.

Refereed Journal Articles

- Pillemer, K., Sutor, J. J., Riffin, C., Reid, M. C., & Peng, S. (In press). The impact of older parents' pain symptoms on adult children." *Pain Medicine*.
- Breckman, R., Burnes, D., Ross, S., Marshall, P., Sutor, J., Lachs, M., & Pillemer, K. (In press). When helping hurts: Non-abusing family, friends and neighbors in the lives of elder mistreatment victims. *The Gerontologist*.
- Gilligan, M, Sutor, J. J., Rurka, Con, G, & Karl Pillemer. (In press). Adult children's serious health conditions and the flow of support between the generations. *The Gerontologist*.

- Burnes, D., Lachs, M.S., Burnette, D., & Pillemer, K. (in press). Varying appraisals of elder mistreatment among victims: Findings from a population-based study. *The Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Social Sciences*.
- Losada, A., Pillemer, K., Marquez, M., Romero-Moreno, R., & Gallego-Alberto, L. (In press). "Measuring ambivalent feelings in dementia family caregivers: the Caregiving Ambivalence Scale (CAS). *The Gerontologist*.
- Suitor, J. J., Gilligan, M., Peng, S. Con, G., Rurka, M., and Pillemer, K. (2016). "My pride and joy? Predicting favoritism and disfavoritism in mother-adult child relations." *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 78, 908-925.
- Riffin, C., Pillemer, K., Reid, M. C., Tung, J. & Löckenhoff, C.E. (2016). Decision support for joint replacement: Implications for decisional conflict and willingness to undergo surgery. *Journals of Gerontology: Psychological Sciences*. [epub before print] doi: 10.1093/geronb/gbw023
- Suitor, J. J., Gilligan, M., Peng, S. Con, G., Rurka, M., and Pillemer, K. (2016). "My pride and joy? Predicting favoritism and disfavoritism in mother-adult child relations." *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 78, 908-925.
- Riffin, C., Fried, T., & Pillemer, K. (2016). Impact of pain on family members and caregivers of geriatric patients. *Clinics in Geriatric Medicine* 32, 663-675.
- Rosen, T, Bloemen, E. M, ...& Pillemer, K. (2016). Acute precipitants of physical elder abuse. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*. [epub before print] doi: 10.1177/0886260516662305
- Lachs, M. S., Teresi, J. A.,...& Pillemer, K. (2016) The prevalence of resident-to-resident elder mistreatment in nursing homes. *Annals of Internal Medicine*. Published online 14 June 2016; doi:10.7326/M15-1209 (with accompanying editorial).
- Pillemer, K., Wells, N. M., Meador, Rhoda H., Schultz, L., Henderson, Jr., C. R., & Cope, M. T. (2016). Engaging older adults in environmental volunteerism: The Retirees in Service to the Environment (RISE) program, *The Gerontologist*. doi: 10.1093/geront/gnv693. [Epub ahead of print].
- Pillemer, K., Suitor, J. J., Riffin, C., & Gilligan, M. (2016). Adult children's problems and mothers' well-being: Does parental favoritism matter? *Research on Aging*. doi: 164027515611464. [Epub ahead of print]
- Pillemer, K., Burnes, D., Riffin, C., & Lachs, M. S. (2016). Elder abuse: Global situation, risk factors, and prevention strategies. *The Gerontologist*, 56, S194-S205. doi: 10.1093/geront/gnw004.

- Burnes, D., Pillemer, K., & Lachs, M. S. (2016). Elder abuse severity: A critical but understudied dimension of victimization for clinicians and researchers. *The Gerontologist*. doi:10.1093/geront/gnv688. [Epub ahead of print]
- Lachs, M., & Pillemer, K. (2015). Elder abuse. *New England Journal of Medicine*, 373: 1947-1956. doi: 10.1056/NEJMra1404688.
- Pillemer, K., Chen, E. K., Riffin, C., Prigerson, H., and Reid, M. C. (2015). Practice-based research priorities for palliative care: Results from a research-to-practice consensus workshop. *Journal of Public Health*, 105: 2237-2244.
- Reid, M. C., Eccleston, C., & Pillemer, K. (2015). Management of chronic pain in older adults. *British Medical Journal*. (epub ahead of print). DOI: 10.1136/bmj.h532
- Gilligan, Megan, J. Jill Suitor, and Karl Pillemer. (2015). "Estrangement Between Mothers and Adult Children: The Roles of Norms and Values." *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 77, 908-920.
- Pillemer, K., Connolly, M.T., Breckman, R., Spreng, R.N., & Lachs, M.S. (2015). Elder mistreatment: Priorities for consideration by the White House Conference on Aging. *The Gerontologist*. doi: 10.1093/geront/gnu180 [Epub ahead of print]
- Riffin, C., Pillemer, K., Reid, M. C., & Loeckenhoff, C.E. (2015). Decision support preferences among Hispanic and non-Hispanic White older adults with chronic pain. *Journals of Gerontology: Social Sciences*. doi: 10.1093/geronb/gbv071 [Epub ahead of print]
- Suitor, J. Jill, Megan Gilligan, Siyun Peng*, Jong Hyun Jung*, and Karl Pillemer. (2015). "Role of Perceived Maternal Favoritism and Disfavoritism in Adult Children's Psychological Well-Being." *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*. doi: 10.1093/geronb/gbv089 [Epub ahead of print]
- Riffin, C., Pillemer, K., Chen, E. K., Warmington, M., Adelman, R.D, & Reid, M.C. (2015). Identifying key priorities for future palliative care research using an innovative analytic approach. *American Journal of Public Health*. [epub ahead of print] doi: 10.2105/AJPH.2014.302282.
- Sabir, M., Henderson, C., Kang, S-Y, & Pillemer, K. (2015). "Attachment-Focused Integrative Reminiscence with Older African-Americans: A Randomized Controlled Intervention Study. *Aging & Mental Health* (epub ahead-of-print), doi: 10.1080/13607863.2015.1023764.
- Burnes, D., Pillemer, K., Caccamise, P. L. et al. (2015). Elder abuse and neglect Prevalence and risk factors in the community: A population-based study. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*. doi: 10.1111/jgs.13601. [Epub ahead of print]

- Reid, M. C., Christopher Eccleston, and Karl Pillemer. (2015). "Chronic Pain in Older Adults." *British Medical Journal*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/bmj.h532> [Epub ahead of print]
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- Sechrist, J., Jill Suito, J., Howard, A. R., & Pillemer, K. (2014). Perceptions of equity, balance of support exchange, and mother–adult child relations. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 76, 285-299.
- Suito, J. J., Gilligan, M., Johnson, K., & Pillemer, K. (2014). Caregiving, perceptions of maternal favoritism, and tension among siblings. *The Gerontologist*, 54: 580-588
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- Chen, E. K., Riffin, C., Reid, M. C., Adelman, R., Warmington, M., Mehta, S., & Pillemer, K. (2014). Why is High-quality Research on Palliative Care So Hard to Do? Barriers to Improved Research from a Qualitative Survey of Palliative Care Researchers. *Journal of Palliative Medicine*, 17: 782-787
- Suito, J. Jill, Megan Gilligan, Kaitlin Johnson, and Karl Pillemer. (2014). "How Widowhood Shapes Adult Children's Responses to Mothers' Preferences for Care." *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*. 69: 95-102.
- Sabir, Myra and Karl Pillemer. (2014). An intensely sympathetic awareness: Experiential similarity and cultural norms as means for gaining older African Americans' trust of scientific research. *Journal of Aging Studies*, 29, 142-149.
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- Suitor, J. Jill, Megan Gilligan, and Karl Pillemer. (2013). "Continuity and Change in Mothers' Favoritism Toward Offspring in Adulthood." *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 75: 1229-1247.
- Ramirez, Mildred, Beverly Watkins, Jeanne A. Teresi, Stephanie Silver, G. Sukha, Gabriel Bortagis, Kimberly Van Haitsma, Mark S. Lachs, and Karl Pillemer. (2013). "Using Qualitative Methods to Develop a Measure of Resident-to-Resident Elder Mistreatment in Nursing Homes." *International Psychogeriatrics*, 25: 1-12.
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- Lachs, Mark. S., Tony Rosen, Jeanne A. Teresi, Joseph P. Eimicke, Mildred Ramirez, Stephanie Silver, and Karl Pillemer. (2013). Verbal and physical aggression directed at nursing home staff by residents. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*, 28, 660-667.
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Karl Pillemer, Linda P. Wagenet, and Debra Goldman. 2008. Environmental Volunteerism and Civic Engagement in Later Life: Benefits and Barriers. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, National Harbor, MD, November.

Linda P. Wagenet and Karl Pillemer. 2008. Retirees in Service to the Environment: A University/Community Partnership. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, National Harbor, MD, November.

J. Jill Suitor; Jori Sechrist; Megan Gilligan, and Karl Pillemer. 2008. Parental Favoritism in Adulthood: A Mixed-Methods Approach to Studying Variations by Race. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, National Harbor, MD, November.

Jeanne Teresi, Terry Fulmer, Karl Pillemer, Mark S. Lachs. 2008. Intervening in Resident-to-Resident Aggression and Violence in Nursing Homes. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, National Harbor, MD, November.

Elaine Wethington, Mark S. Lachs, Karl Pillemer. 2008. Building Researcher Capacity for Community-Based Research: Lessons Learned and Best Practices. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, National Harbor, MD, November.

Elaine Wethington and Karl Pillemer. 2008. "Evaluating the Implementation of a Community-Based Research Program Benefitting Older People: The Cornell Institute for Translational Research on Aging. Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA, October.

Kathleen Abrahamson, James G. Anderson, Marilyn M. Anderson, J. Jill Suitor, and Karl Pillemer. 2008. "Conflict and Burnout among Nursing Staff in the Long Term Care Setting. Presented at the International Conference on Health Sciences Simulation (ICHSS 2008), Ottawa, Canada.

Myra Sabir, Josie Piper, Rita Carrington, Jeanne Teresi, Karl Pillemer, Charles Henderson. 2007. "Reminiscence, Coherence, and Physical Health: Approaching Chronic Illness in African-American Older Adults Through the Mind/Body Connection." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA, November.

Myra Sabir, Karl Pillemer, Josie Piper, Rita Carrington, Jeanne Teresi, Charles Henderson. 2007. "Successful Recruitment and Retention of African-American Older Adults in a Randomized Controlled Health Intervention in Harlem." San Francisco, CA, November.

Karl Pillemer, Rhoda Meador, Risa Breckman, Elaine Wethington, Myra Sabir. 2006. "Setting the Agenda for a Community Research Partnership: Three Techniques." Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Gerontological Society of America, Dallas, TX, November

Suitor, J. Jill, Jori Sechrist, Michael Steinhour, and Karl Pillemer. "Gender Differences in Parental Favoritism in the Later Years." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Gerontological Society of America, Dallas, TX, November, 2006.

Suitor, J. Jill, Jori Sechrist, Michael Steinhour, and Karl Pillemer. 2006. "When Mothers Have Favorites: Conditions under Which Mothers Differentiate among Their Adult Children." Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, August..

Pillemer, Karl, Rhoda Meador, and Julie Robison. "A Specialist Model for Improving Staff Retention in Nursing Homes." Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, November, 2005.

Pillemer, Karl, and J. Jill Suitor. "Within-Family Differences in Mother's Ambivalence toward Adult Children." Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, November, 2005.

Robison, Julie, and Karl Pillemer. "Differences in Staff and Family Relations on SCUs and Non-SCUs: The Staff Perspective." Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, November, 2005.

Suitor, J. Jill, Karl Pillemer, Steven Mock, and Myra Sabir. "Racial Differences in Ambivalence toward Adult Children: The Role of Status Attainment and Children's Problems." Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, November, 2005.

Suitor, J. Jill, Karl Pillemer, and Jori Sechrist. 2005. "Within-Family Differences in Mothers' Support to Adult Children in Black And White Families." Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Society, Philadelphia, August.

Pillemer, Karl, and J. Jill Suitor. 2004. Explaining Mother's Well-Being: Insights Gained by Collecting Data from Both Generations. Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Gerontological Society of America, November, Washington, D. C.

Suitor, J. Jill, and Karl Pillemer. 2004. " 'Cause She's my Baby': Birth-Order Effects on Parent-Adult Child Relations." Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, August, San Francisco.

Honors and Awards

1994: Brookdale Annual Award from National Center of Human Resources on Aging

2001: Member, Panel to Review Risk and Prevalence of Elder Abuse and Neglect. National Academy of Sciences

2003: Elected Member, Council, Section on Aging and the Life Course, American Sociological Association

2003: Provost's Ronay and Richard Menschel Award for Distinguished Scholarship (Social Sciences), Cornell University

2003: Elected Fellow of the Gerontological Society of America

2004: Elected Member, Executive Committee, Behavioral Sciences Section, Gerontological Society of America

2009: Elected Member, Executive Committee, Behavioral Sciences Section, Gerontological Society of America

2011: M. Powell Lawton Award, The Gerontological Society of America

2015: Elected Chair, Behavioral Sciences Section, Gerontological Society of America

Selected Professional Activities

Member, Editorial Board: *Journal of Aging and Mental Health*; *Aggression and Violent Behavior*; *Journal of Elder Abuse and Neglect*.

Ad hoc reviewer for journals including: *Journals of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, *Journal of Marriage and Family*, *The Gerontologist*, *Journal of Aging and Health*.

Chair, Editor Search, *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, 2009.

Program Co-Chair, Gerontological Society of America, 2008 Annual Meeting).

Member, Task Force on Publications, Gerontological Society of America, 2004 – 2009.

Founding Member, National Committee for the Prevention of Elder Abuse and Neglect; Board member, 1989-2000.

Member, National Advisory Council, Coalition of Advocates for the Rights and Interests of the Elderly.

Chair, Public Policy Committee, Gerontological Society of America.

Papers Chair, Annual Meeting, Eastern Sociological Society

Chair, Dissertation Award Committee, American Sociological Association, Section on Aging

Member, Panel on NIH Research on Anti-Social, Aggressive, and Violence Related Behaviors and their Consequences.

Chair, Research Committee on Parent-Child Relations in Later Life, American Sociological Association, Section on Aging

Member, Gerontological Society of America Task Force on “Risk, Choice and Control: The Case of Physical Restraint.”

Member, Publications Committee, Eastern Sociological Society

Member, Reuben Hill Award Committee, National Council on Family Relations

Selected Invited Addresses

Askwith Forum Speaker, Harvard University of Public Health

Annual Thewlis Lecture, University of Rhode Island

Gulbenkian Foundation Health Forum, Lisbon, Portugal

University of Connecticut

Department of Sociology, Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland.

Distinguished Lecture Series, Ithaca College

Department of Human Development and Family Studies, The Pennsylvania State University

National Association of Attorney’s General Presidential Summit

Scripps Gerontology Center, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio.

Hebrew Home for the Aged, Riverdale, NY.

University of Trier, Germany

University of Konstanz, Germany

Institute of Gerontology, King’s College, London, England

University of Keele, England

National Institute on Aging, Invitational Workshop on Conflict and Abuse in Families of the Aged

University of Hawaii

University of Missouri at Kansas City
Harborview Medical Center, Seattle Washington
Holy Cross College, Worcester, Mass.
University of Texas Health Sciences Center at Dallas
Northeast Canadian/American Health Council
Grand Rounds, Department of Psychiatry, University of Massachusetts Medical Center
Department of Sociology, Brandeis University
Centre de Services Sociaux Ville Marie, Montreal, Canada
American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging
University of Alaska, Anchorage
Children's Hospital, Boston
Toronto (Canada) Mayor's Commission on Aging
University of Lowell, Lowell, Mass.
Mount Sinai Medical Center, New York City.
American Public Welfare Association, Adult Protective Services
Conference, San Antonio, Texas
State of New York, Governor's Commission on Domestic Violence
Coalition of Advocates for the Rights of the Infirm Elderly, Philadelphia.
Gerontology Institute of New Jersey
University of Tennessee
Oregon Health Care Association
New York Health Facilities Association