Epidemiology

Dr. Emeka Okafor researches substance use among those with and without HIV.
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Dr. Liang Wang studies obesity, nutrition epidemiology, health education and promotion, and global health.
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Dr. Kelly Ylitalo examines physical functioning trajectories during the mid-life and older adult years, and how behaviors like physical activity throughout the life course can facilitate healthy aging trajectories.
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Dr. Matt Asare researches cervical cancer prevention (HPV vaccination and self-screening behaviors) among medically underserved women in the USA and in Ghana.
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Dr. Rodney Bowden examines metabolic health, including social determinants, nutritional and lifestyle factors associated with metabolic syndrome, and conducts secondary data analyses of federal health databases regarding metabolic health.
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Dr. Beth Lanning studies global health, sexual health, sexual violence prevention, and human-animal interventions.
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Dr. Renée Umstattd Meyer addresses health equity through physical activity in low-income and underserved rural communities.
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