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From the Division of Public Health Sciences, Department of Surgery
Graham A. Colditz, MD, DrPH, *Chief*

The NCI's Community Networks Program Initiative to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities Outcomes & Lessons Learned



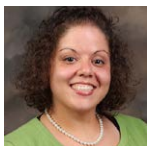
| Health Disparities Research |

Aimee James, PhD, MPH; et al.

Published in *Progress in Community Health Partnerships*

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A Tale of Two Community Network Program Centers: Operationalizing & Assessing CBPR Principles & Evaluating Partnership Outcomes



| Health Disparities Research |

Cassandra Arroyo-Johnson, PhD, MS; et al.

Published in *Progress in Community Health Partnerships*

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Persistence of *Trichomonas vaginalis serostatus* in men over time



| Epidemiology Research |

Siobhan Sutcliffe, PhD, ScM, MHS; et al.

Published in *Cancer Causes Control*

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Division News Briefs

- Welcome the new SCC Biostatistic Core to the Division of Public Health Sciences. In conjunction with the Dean and the Division of Biostatistics, Siteman Cancer Center is launching a cancer-specific biostatistics core. Effective 7/1/15, three current faculty and three current staff with extensive cancer experience moved from the Division of Biostatistics into this new SCC core and the Division of Public Health Sciences in the Department of Surgery. These faculty & staff include: **Feng Gao, Kim Trinkaus, Esther Liu, Rosy Luo, Ningying Wu, and Yu Tao**. The new SCC biostatistics core will be co-led by Drs Graham Colditz and Feng Gao and will provide all biostatistics support & services for cancer center researchers. [Click to learn more about biostat faculty & staff](#). [Click here for additional information about the core](#).
- The Division of Public Health Sciences would also like to welcome a **new staff member Katy Henke**. Katy Henke is the new media/marketing coordinator replacing Amy Ostendorf. Katy is located in 41S.
- **Media notes:** [Graham A. Colditz, MD, DrPH](#), Katherine Weilbaecher, and Hank Dart have published a new e-book for the public, titled: **TOGETHER - Every Woman's Guide to Preventing Breast Cancer**. The book is available free on iBooks (and in other formats) and takes a unique



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