Center for Health Equity
Works in Progress

Tuesday, March 25th, 12:00pm – 1:00pm - lunch provided
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“Effects of Respite Care on Homeless Persons”

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John Song is an Associate Professor in the Center for Bioethics and in the Division of General Internal Medicine. He earned his M.D. from the University of Pennsylvania and completed his residency in Internal Medicine at the University of Minnesota. His educational focus is bioethics education which he taught as a medical student and as a fellow. At Minnesota, he teaches bioethics in the Medical School and develops programs for students and residents. He serves as the Medical School’s chapter advisor for the Gold Humanism Honor Society and nationally on the GHHS Advisory Council. His research interests include homelessness and health, end of life care, and bioethics education. His clinical activities include attending on the general medicine inpatient service. He founded The Phillips Neighborhood Clinic, a free health clinic staffed by volunteers and students with a dual mission of serving those without insurance and professional education, in 2003 and serves as advisor for ISTOP, a street outreach medical project.

Works in Progress is a monthly seminar series devoted to discussing minority health and health disparities research topics. The purpose of these seminars is to give researchers a forum to freely discuss their research while still in the developing or formative phases in order to exchange ideas, obtain constructive feedback, and discuss issues that may be common to various projects (e.g., study design issues, recruitment strategies). The goal is to provide an opportunity for researchers with differing backgrounds and expertise but a shared passion for reducing health disparities to sit together and discuss their work.

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