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# Curriculum Vitae

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**Education**

Pennsylvania State University, State College PA

PhD: Sociology. In Progress Expected Spring 2026

MA: Sociology December 2022

Union University, Jackson TN May 2020

Bachelor of Science: Sociology with University Honors

Minor: Mathematics

Cum Laude

## Research Interests

Substance use, loneliness, social isolation, social networks, health

**Published Articles**

Shefner, Ruth T., **Josephine Johnson**, Francis S. Shofer, and Evan D. Anderson. 2023. “Police Officer Perspectives on a Pre-Booking Diversion Program for People Who Use Drugs in Philadelphia.” Journal of Drug Issues 00220426231179213. doi: 10.1177/00220426231179213.

**Articles Under Review**

McClelland, E., Shefner, R., **Johnson, J.**, Anderson, E. “Resident perspectives on a pre-booking diversion program”

**Manuscripts in Preparation (Draft Available Upon Request)**

**Johnson, J.E.**, England, K. “Killing What Kind of Pain? Loneliness as a Form of Emotional Strain”

**Presentations**

**Johnson, J. E.,** Graif, C.(2023, August) Exploring Social Media Connectedness across Space and Applications with Community Level Mental and Behavioral Health. Accepted for presentation at the 2023 ASA Annual Meeting.

**Johnson, J. E.**, England, K. (2023, August) Killing What Kind of Pain? Loneliness as a Form of Emotional Strain. Accepted for presentation at the 2023 ASA Annual Meeting.

**Carrier, J.E.** (2019, October). Loneliness: A Risk Factor for Opioid Use Among People Living with HIV and Serious Mental Illness. Paper presented at 45th annual meeting of Mid-South Sociological Association, Jackson MS.

**Carrier, J.E.** (2019, August). Typologizing patients with overdose or opioid use disorders in acute care settings. Presentation at 20th annual SUMR Symposium, University of Pennsylvania.

**Research Experience**

Graduate Research Assistant August 2020-present

Pennsylvania State University, Department of Sociology and Criminology

Advisors:

Corina Graif (June 2022-present)

Ashton Verdery (August 2020-July 2021, January 2022-May 2022)

Sarah Brothers (August 2021-January 2022)

Research Assistant May 2020-August 2020

University of Pennsylvania, Center for Public Health Initiatives

Mentor: Evan Anderson

Summer Undergraduate Minority Research Scholar May 2019-August 2019

University of Pennsylvania, Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics

Penn Mental Health and AIDS Research Center

Mentors: Michael Blank and Donna Coviello

University of Pennsylvania, Center for Public Health Initiatives

Mentor: Evan Anderson

**Teaching Experience**

*Guest lecture*

SOC 596: Stata Lab Data Management

SOC 459: Communities and Crime Networks and Communities

**Departmental Service**

Sociology Paper Competition Committee Member April 2022-present

Pennsylvania State University, Department of Sociology and Criminology

Coding and Data Committee Member April 2021-May 2022

Pennsylvania State University, Department of Sociology and Criminology

Graduate Recruitment Committee Member September 2021-May 2022

Pennsylvania State University, Department of Sociology and Criminology

Sociology Paper Competition Reviewer April 2021, 2023

Pennsylvania State University, Department of Sociology and Criminology

**Honors and Awards**

Graduate Scholar Award

Pennsylvania State University

Huber-Form Scholarship

Pennsylvania State University

Academic Excellence Medal in Sociology

Union University