

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

## **MARY DOZIER**

### **PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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Date of Birth:                                  April 15, 1954

### **POSITIONS**

1984-1990                      Assistant professor of psychology, Trinity University  
1990-1993                      Associate professor of psychology, Trinity University  
  
1993-1996                      Assistant professor of psychology, University of Delaware  
1996-2004                      Associate professor of psychology, University of Delaware  
2004                                  Professor of psychology, University of Delaware  
2004-present                      Amy E. du Pont Chair of Child Development, University of Delaware

### **EDUCATION**

B.A. 1976                      Duke University, Durham, N.C.                      Psychology and Studies of India  
Ph.D. 1983                      Duke University, Durham, N.C.                      Clinical Psychology

### **HONORS**

1975                      Phi Beta Kappa, Duke University  
1976                      Summa Cum Laude, Duke University  
2002                      Harris Visiting Scholar, University of Minnesota  
2004                      Green Chair, Texas Christian University  
2005                      Grace Brody Visiting Scholar, Case Western Reserve University  
2006                      National Institute of Mental Health Innovation Award

### **ADVANCED TRAINING**

1982-1984                      Clinical internship and clinical residency  
Saint Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D.C.  
  
1990                                  Summer fellow  
Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences

## **LICENSURE**

1994 Certified and Licensed by the Delaware State Board of Examiners of Psychologists. Listed as a Mental Health Service Provider.

## **MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

Society for Research in Child Development  
American Psychological Association  
American Psychological Society

## **GRANTS AWARDED**

Hogg Foundation for Mental Health award, "Differential responsiveness to treatment of mentally ill." Period of support: January 1, 1988-March 31, 1989. Total award: \$7,109. (Dozier: Principal investigator).

National Institute of Mental Health FIRST award, "Tailoring treatment for adults with chronic mental illness." Period of support: April 1, 1989-March 31, 1996. Total award: \$521,032. (Dozier: Principal investigator).

University of Delaware General University Research Program (GUR), "Specialized supervision of case managers." Period of support: June 1, 1995-May 31, 1996. Total award: \$6,000. (Dozier: Principal investigator).

University of Delaware Arts and Science Research award, "Specialized mental health services for foster infants." Period of support: December 1, 1995-November 30, 1996. Total Award: \$1,500. (Dozier: Principal investigator).

National Institute of Mental Health R01 award, "Specialized mental health services for foster infants." Period of support: May 1, 1996-April 30, 2001. Total award: \$1,034,551. (Dozier: Principal investigator).

National Institute of Mental Health R21 award, "Early experience and glucocorticoids." Period of support: October 1, 1999-September 30, 2002. Total amount: \$150,000. (Gunnar: Principal investigator).

National Institute of Mental Health K02 award, "Tailoring services to foster infants' needs." Period of support: December 1, 1999-November 30, 2004. Total award: \$695,950. (Dozier: Principal investigator).

National Institute of Mental Health R23 award, "Early experience, stress neurobiology, and prevention science." Period of support: October 1, 2001-September 30, 2006. Total amount: \$2,764,818; Total amount for Delaware portion: \$379,654. (Gunnar: Principal investigator of network).

National Institute of Mental Health R01 MH52135 award, “Specialized mental health services for foster infants.” Period of support: August 15, 2002-July 31, 2007. Total amount: \$3,694,888. (Dozier: Principal investigator).

National Institute of Mental Health R01 MH74374 award, “Specialized mental health services for birth parents.” Period of support: January 1, 2006-December 31, 2011. Total amount: \$3,379,668. (Dozier: Principal investigator).

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Wallach, L., Wallach, M. A., Dozier, M. G., & Kaplan, N. E. (1977). Poor children learning to read do not have trouble with auditory discrimination but do have trouble with phoneme recognition. *Journal of Educational Psychology*, *69*, 36-39.

Harris, M., Dozier, M., & Bergman, H. C. (1984). Measuring outcome. *Hospital and Community Psychiatry*, *35*, 1236-1237.

Butzin, C.A., & Dozier, M. (1986). Children’s use of ulterior motive information. *Child Development*, *57*, 1375-1385.

Dozier, M., Harris, M., & Bergman, H. C. (1987). Social network density and rehospitalization among young adult patients. *Hospital and Community Psychiatry*, *38*, 61-65.

Dozier, M., & Franklin, J. L. (1988). Social disability in the young adult mentally ill. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*, *58*, 613-617.

Dozier, M. (1988). Rejected children’s processing of interpersonal information. *Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology*, *16*, 141-149.

Dozier, M., & Butzin, C. A. (1988). Cognitive requirements of ulterior motive information usage: Individual child analyses. *Journal of Experimental Child Psychology*, *4*, 88-99.

Dozier, M. (1990). Attachment organization and treatment use for adults with serious psychopathological disorders. *Development and Psychopathology*, *2*, 47-60.

Dozier, M. (1991). Functional measurement assessment of young children’s ability to predict future behavior. *Child Development*, *62*, 1091-1099.

Dozier, M., Stevenson, A., Lee, S. W., & Velligan, D. (1991). Attachment organization and familial overinvolvement for adults with serious psychopathological disorders. *Development and Psychopathology*, *3*, 475-489.

Dozier, M., & Kobak, R. R. (1992). Psychophysiology in attachment interviews: Converging evidence for deactivating strategies. *Child Development*, *63*, 1473-1480.

Dozier, M., Lee, S.W., Keir, S., Toprac, M., & Mason, M. (1993). A case management program in Texas revisited. *Psychosocial Rehabilitation Journal*, 17, 183-189.

Dozier, M. (1993). Tailoring clinical case management: The role of attachment. In M. Harris & H.C. Bergman (Eds.), *Case management for mentally ill patients: Theory and practice* (41-58). Langhorne, PA: Harwood Academic Publishers.

Dozier, M., Cue, K., & Barnett, L. (1994). Clinicians as caregivers: The role of attachment organization in treatment. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, 62, 793-800.

Dozier, M. & Lee, S. W. (1995). Discrepancies between self- and other-report of psychiatric symptomology: Effects of dismissing attachment strategies. *Development and Psychopathology*, 7, 217-226.

Dozier, M., & Tyrrell, C. (1997). The role of attachment in therapeutic relationships. In J.A. Simpson & W.S. Rholes (Eds.), *Attachment theory and close relationships* (221-248). New York: Guilford.

Stovall, K. C., & Dozier, M. (1998). Infants in foster care: An attachment theory perspective. *Adoption Quarterly*, 2, 55-88.

Dozier, M., Stovall, K. C., & Albus, K. (1999). Attachment and psychopathology in adulthood. In J. Cassidy & P.R. Shaver (Eds.), *Handbook of attachment theory and research* (497-519). New York: Guilford.

Dozier, M., Stovall, K. C., & Albus, K. (1999). A transactional intervention for foster infants' caregivers. In D. Cicchetti & S. L. Toth (Eds.), *Rochester Symposium on Developmental Psychopathology: Developmental approaches to prevention and intervention* (195-219). Rochester, NY: University of Rochester Press.

Albus, K.E., & Dozier, M. (1999). Indiscriminate friendliness and terror of strangers in infancy: Contributions from the study of infants in foster care. *Infant Mental Health Journal*, 20, 30-41.

Tyrrell, C., & Dozier, M. (1999). Foster parents' understanding of children's problematic attachment strategies: The need for therapeutic responsiveness. *Adoption Quarterly*, 2, 49-64.

Tyrrell, C., Dozier, M., Teague, G.B., & Fallot, R. D. (1999). Effective treatment relationships for persons with serious psychiatric disorders: The importance of attachment states of mind. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, 67, 725-733.

Dozier, M., & Albus, K. E. (2000). Attachment issues for infants in foster care. In R. Barth, M. Freundlich & D. Brodzinsky (Eds.), *Adoption and prenatal drug exposure: The research, policy, and practice challenges*. Washington, DC: The Child Welfare League of America Press.

- Stovall, K. C., & Dozier M. (2000). The development of attachment in new relationships: Single subject analyses for ten foster infants. *Development and Psychopathology, 12*, 133-156.
- Dozier, M. (2000). Motivation for caregiving from an ethological perspective. *Psychological Inquiry, 11*, 97-100.
- Dozier, M., Lomax, L., Tyrrell, C., & Lee, S. W. (2001). The challenge of treatment for clients with dismissing states of mind. *Attachment and Human Development, 3*, 62-76.
- Dozier, M., Stovall, K. C., Albus, K. E., Bates, B. (2001). Attachment for infants in foster care: The role of caregiver state of mind. *Child Development, 72*, 1467-1477.
- Bernier, A. & Dozier, M. (2002). The client-counselor match and the corrective emotional experience: Evidence from interpersonal and attachment research. *Psychotherapy: Theory/Research/Practice/Training, 39*, 32-43.
- Dozier, M., Dozier, D. & Manni, M. (2002). Recognizing the special needs of infants' and toddlers' foster parents: Development of a relational intervention. *Zero to Three Bulletin, 22*, 7-13.
- Dozier, M., Higley, E., Albus, K. E., & Nutter, A. (2002). Intervening with foster infants' caregivers: Targeting three critical needs. *Infant Mental Health Journal, 25*, 541-554
- Dozier, M., Higley, E., Albus, K.E., & Nutter, A. (2002). Intervenir auprès de parents d'accueil: Trois sphères essentielles. (French translation of: Intervening with foster infants' caregivers: Targeting three critical needs). *Prisme*.
- Dozier, M., Albus, K., Fisher, P. R., & Sepulveda, S. (2002). Interventions for foster parents: Implications for developmental theory. *Development and Psychopathology, 14*, 843-860.
- Bernier, A., & Dozier, M. (2002). Assessing adult attachment: Empirical sophistication and conceptual bases. *Attachment and Human Development, 4*, 171-179.
- Bates, B., & Dozier, M. (2002). The importance of maternal state of mind regarding attachment and infant age at placement to foster mothers' representations of their foster infants. *Infant Mental Health Journal, 23*, 417-431.
- Dozier, M. (2002). Gehechtheid aan pleegouders: Bevindingen en vooruitzichten (Attachment to foster parents; Findings and prospects.) In C. Schuengel, N. W. Slot, & R. A. R. Bullens (Eds.), *Gehechtheid en kindbescherming* (Attachment and child protection). Amsterdam: SWP.
- Bernier, A., & Dozier, M. (2003). Bridging the attachment transmission gap: The role of maternal mind-mindedness. *International Journal of Behavioral Development, 27*, 355-365.

Dozier, M. (2003). Attachment-based treatment for vulnerable children. *Attachment and Human Development, 5*, 253-257.

Dozier, M., & Bates, B. (2004). Attachment state of mind and the treatment relationship. In L. Attkinson (Ed.), *Attachment: Risk, psychopathology, and intervention*. New York: Cambridge University Press.

Dozier, M., & Sepulveda, S. (2004). Bridging the gap: The role of mothers' state of mind. *Infant Mental Health Journal, 25*, 368-378

Stovall-McClough, K. C., & Dozier, M. (2004). Forming attachments in foster care: Infant attachment behaviors in the first two months of placement. *Development and Psychopathology*.

Dozier, M. (2004). The impact of attachment-based interventions on quality of attachment in infants and young children. In R. E. Tremblay, R. G. Barr, & R. Peters (Eds.), *Encyclopedia on early childhood development*. Montreal, Quebec: Centre of Excellence for Early Childhood Development.

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Dozier, M., Lindhiem, O., & Ackerman, J. (2005). Attachment and biobehavioral catch-up. In L. Berlin, Y. Ziv, L. Amaya-Jackson, & M. T. Greenberg (Eds.), *Enhancing Early Attachments*. New York: Guilford (pp. 178-194).

Dozier, M., Manni, M., & Lindhiem, O. (2005). Lessons from the longitudinal studies of attachment. In K. Grossmann & K. Grossmann (Eds.). *The longitudinal studies of attachment*. New York: Guilford (pp. 305-319).

Gordon, M. K., Peloso, E., Aufer, A., & Dozier, M. (2005). The effect of flavored beverage crystals on salivary cortisol enzyme-immunoreactive assay measurements. *Developmental Psychobiology, 47*(2), 189-195.

Ackerman, J. P., & Dozier, M. (2005). The influence of foster parent investment on children's representations of self and attachment figures. *Applied Developmental Psychology, 26*, 507-520.

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Dozier, M., Peloso, E., Lindhiem, O., Gordon, M. K., Manni, M., Sepulveda, S., Ackerman, J., Bernier, A. & Levine, S. (2006). Preliminary evidence from a randomized clinical trial: Intervention effects on foster children's behavioral and biological regulation. *Journal of Social Issues, 62*, 767-785.

Dozier, M., & Lindhiem, O. (2006). This is my baby: Differences among foster parents' commitment to their young children. *Child Maltreatment, 11*, 338-345.

Dozier, M., & Peloso, E. (2006). The role of early stressors in child health and mental health outcomes. *Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine, 160*, 1300-1301.

Ackerman, J., & Dozier, M. (2006). Good investments: Foster parent representations of their foster children. In O. Mayseless (Ed.), *Parenting representations: Theory, research and clinical implications*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Gunnar, M., R., Fisher, P. A., and the Early Experience, Stress, and Prevention Network. (2006). Bringing basic research on early experience and stress neurobiology to bear on preventive interventions for neglected and maltreated children. *Development and Psychopathology, 18*, 651-677.

Fisher, P., Gunnar, M. R., Dozier, M., Bruce, J., & Pears, K. (In press). Effects of therapeutic interventions for foster children on behavior problems, caregiver attachment, and stress regulatory neural systems. *Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences*.

Lindhiem, O., & Dozier, M. (In press). Caregiver commitment to foster children: The role of child behavior. *Child Abuse and Neglect*.

Dozier, M., & Bick, J. (In press). Coping with early adversity: Young children's behavioral and biological adaptations to changing caregivers. *Pediatric Annals*.

Dozier, M., Brohawn, D., Lindhiem, O., Perkins, E., & Peloso, E. (In press). Effects of a foster parent training program on children's attachment behaviors: Preliminary evidence from a randomized clinical trial. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal*.

Dozier, M. (In press). Affecting biology through a relational intervention. *Development and Psychopathology*.

Dozier, M., Stovall-McClough, K. C., & Tyrrell, C. (In press). Attachment and psychopathology in adulthood. In J. Cassidy & P.R. Shaver (Eds.), *Handbook of attachment theory and research*. New York: Guilford.

Dozier, M., & Rutter, M. (In press). Attachment issues in foster care and adoption.. In J. Cassidy & P.R. Shaver (Eds.), *Handbook of attachment theory and research*. New York: Guilford.

Bick, J., & Dozier, M. (In press). The role of parent state of mind in an intervention for foster parents. In H. Steele and M. Steele (Eds.), *The Adult Attachment Interview in clinical context*. New York: Guilford.

Dozier, M., Grasso, D., & Lindhiem, O. (In press). A parent of one's own: The role of caregiver commitment in foster care. In D. Oppenheim & D. Goldsmith (Eds.). *Bridging the gap between science and practice*. New York: Guilford.

Lewis, E., Dozier, M., Knights, M., & Maier, M. (In press). Intervening with foster infants' foster parents: Attachment and biobehavioral catch-up. In R. E. Lee & J. Whiting (Eds.), *Handbook of relational therapy for foster children and their families*. Washington, DC: Child Welfare League of America.

Peloso, E., Shaffer, C., & Dozier, M. (In press). Giving away evidence based work with foster parents. In H. R. Shaffer & K. Durkin (Eds.), *Blackwell handbook of developmental psychology in action: Opportunities and obstacles in giving developmental psychology away*. New York: Blackwell.

Lewis, E., & Dozier, M. (In press). The effect of caregiving instability on adopted children's inhibitory control abilities and oppositional behavior. *Developmental Psychology*.

## **COLLOQUIA**

University of Texas Health Sciences Center, 1991  
University of Texas, 1992  
University of North Carolina at Greensboro, 1994  
University of Delaware (Dept. of Educational Studies), 1995  
Rowan University, 1998  
William and Mary College, 1999  
Georgetown University, 2000  
University of Maryland, 2000  
Fordham University, 2001  
Pennsylvania State University, 2001  
University of Texas, 2001  
University of Roma, 2001  
University of Washington, 2001  
James Madison University, 2001  
University of Minnesota, 2002  
Brown University, 2003  
Texas Christian University, 2004  
University of Rochester, 2004  
University of Montreal, 2004  
Case Western Reserve, 2005  
Tufts University, 2006  
Arizona State University, 2006  
University of Texas-Dallas, 2007

## **INVITED ADDRESSES**

Invited address. (1990). Tailoring treatment to the needs of adults with serious psychopathological disorders. Presented at The Information Exchange (TIE) Research Conference, Stony Point, New York.



Invited address. (1996). Enhancing sensitivity to attachment issues among caregivers of foster infants. Rochester Symposium on Developmental Psychopathology: Developmental approaches to prevention and intervention, Rochester, NY.

Invited address. (1998). Importance of attachment for clients and providers. Conference on Attachment and Psychopathology, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Keynote speaker (1999). Adversity and the development of self. American Academy of Psychoanalysis. Washington D.C.

Keynote speaker. (2000). Coping with disruptions in care. Harris Center Conference, Erikson Institute, Chicago, IL.

Invited address. (2001). Coping with disruptions in care: The challenge for young foster children. Children First Conference. Washington State Department of Health and Human Services. Seattle, WA.

Keynote speaker. (2002). Bridging the gap conference: Children's Center, Salt Lake City, UT.

Keynote speaker. (2002). Targeting the needs of foster children. Harris Center Forum. Minneapolis, MN.

Keynote speaker. (2002). Coping with disruptions in care: The challenge for foster children. Leiden University, Amsterdam, Netherlands.

Invited address. (2003). Attachment and Biobehavioral Catch-up: An intervention for caregivers of foster infants. Duke University Conference on Enhancing Early Attachments.

Master lecture (2005). Challenges for infants in foster care. Biennial Meetings of Society for Research in Child Development, Atlanta.

Keynote speaker. (2005). Challenges for young children in foster care. Bryn Mawr Round Table on Attachment.

Keynote speaker (2006). Addressing the needs of young children in care. Annie E. Casey Foundation Family to Family Leadership Summit. Nashville, Tennessee.

Keynote speaker. (2006). Boston Institute of Development of Infants and their Parents. Boston, Massachusetts.

Plenary speaker. (2006). Southwest Institute of Human Development. Phoenix, Arizona.

Invited speaker (2006). Early adversity and brain development. National Institute of Medicine. Board on Children, Youth, and Families.

Keynote speaker. (2007). San Diego

Keynote speaker (2007). Michigan Association of Infant Mental Health.

Sue Goldberg Memorial Lecture (2007). Toronto.

Keynote speaker (2007). Arizona.

Invited address (2007). Portugal.

Keynote speaker (2007). Wales.

Keynote speaker (2007). Ireland.

Keynote speaker (2007). Scotland.

### **SERVICE TO PROFESSION**

Regular member, 2004-2008, Prevention Review Committee, National Institutes of Health

Ad hoc reviewer, 1994-present, NIMH Division of Mental Health Services Research

Ad hoc reviewer, 2002-2006, NIH Translational Research Centers Review Committee

Editorial board, 2000-present, *Attachment and Human Development*

2005-present, *Child Maltreatment*

2005-present, *Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine*

Ad hoc reviewer,

Child Development

Developmental Psychology

Development and Psychopathology

Psychological Bulletin

Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology

Journal of Abnormal Psychology

Infant Mental Health Journal

Social Development

Applied Developmental Science

Journal of Personality and Social Psychology

Research Advisory Board, Evan B. Donaldson Adoption Foundation

Consultant, Annie B. Casey Foundation

Research Director, Early Learning Center, University of Delaware

Mentor to:

NIMH K awardees Bonnie Green, Paul Ciechenowski, and Wendy Nilsen

University of Illinois Faculty Scholar Susan Cole

2006: NIMH PDRP regular member

Ad hoc on translational center review committee, on minority center, and on dissertation awards