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## EDUCATION/TRAINING

Institution & Location	Degree	Year	Field of Study
Simmons College, Boston	BS	1974	Nutrition & Dietetics
UC, Berkeley	MPH	1975	Nutrition
UC, Berkeley	MS	1983	Epidemiology
UC, Berkeley	DrPH	1985	Nutrition

## Positions

1998-present - UC, Berkeley School of Public Health Epidemiology-Biostatistics MPH Program (Co-chair)

2007-present - UC, Berkeley School of Public Health MPH-MSW Program (Co-chair)

2004-2005 - UC, Berkeley School of Public Health (Associate Dean for Student Affairs)

## Current Professional Memberships & Affiliations

American Institute for Nutrition

American Public Health Association

International Society for Developmental Origins of Health

Society for Epidemiologic Research

Society for Pediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology

American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology (educational affiliate)

## Recent Honors & Awards

2006 - Elected to Honorary Membership, the Golden Key International Honor Society

2011 - Elected to the Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences

## Service

Committee for Reexamination of IOM Pregnancy Weight Guidelines, Board on Children and Families, National Research Council/Institute of Medicine, Washington DC.

External Advisory Committee, Master of Public Health Program, University of Pennsylvania

## Recent Publications

- Lash TL, **Abrams B**, Bodnar LM. Comparison of bias analysis strategies applied to a large data set. *Epidemiology*. 2014 Jul;25(4):576-82. doi: 10.1097/EDE.000000000000102. PMID:24815306
- Bodnar LM, **Abrams B**, Bertolet M, Gernand AD, Parisi SM, Himes KP, Lash TL. Validity of birth certificate-derived maternal weight data. *Paediatr Perinat Epidemiol*. 2014 May;28(3):203-12. doi: 10.1111/ppe.12120. Epub 2014 Mar 27. PMID:24673550
- Robinson CA, Cohen AK, Rehkopf DH, Deardorff J, Ritchie L, Jayaweera RT, Coyle JR, **Abrams B**. Pregnancy and post-delivery maternal weight changes and overweight in preschool children. *Prev Med*. 2014 Mar;60:77-82. doi: 10.1016/j.ypmed.2013.12.018. Epub 2013 Dec 24. PMID:24370455
- Kirkegaard K, Stovring H, Rasmussen KM, **Abrams B**, Sørensen T, Nohr A. How do pregnancy-related weight changes and breastfeeding relate to maternal weight and BMI-adjusted waist circumference 7 y after delivery? Results from a path analysis. 2014 Feb;99(2):312-9. doi: 10.3945/ajcn.113.067405. Epub 2013 Dec 11. PMID:24335054
- Stotland N, Bodnar L, **Abrams B**. Maternal Nutrition. In Creasy and Resnik's Maternal-Fetal Medicine: Principles and Practice (seventh edition) (Creasy R, and Resnick, R., eds) Elsevier, 2014.