

# Luis Torres, PhD

## **Books and Book Chapters**

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- Zayas, L. H., & Torres, L. R. (2009). Culture and Masculinity: When Therapist and Patient are Latino Men. *Clinical Social Work Journal*, DOI 10.1007/s10615-009-0232-2.
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- Torres, L. R., Peña, J., Westhoff, W. & Zayas, L. H. (2008). A Cross-National Comparison of Adolescent Alcohol and Drug Use Behaviors: U.S. Hispanics and Youth in the Dominican Republic. *Journal of Drug Issues*, 38 (1), 149-170.
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## **Articles**

- Flores, D. V., Torres, L. R., Torres-Vigil, I., Bordnick, P. S., Ren, Y., Torres, M. I. M., DeLeon, F., Pericot Valverde, I. & Lopez, T. (In Press, Substance Use and Misuse). From "Kickeando las malias" (Withdrawing) to "Staying clean": The Impact of Cultural Values on Cessation of Injection Drug Use in Aging Mexican-American Men. DOI: 10.3109/10826084.2013.776084.
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Sacco, P., Torres, L. R., Cunningham-Williams, R. M., Woods, C., & Unick, G. J. (2011). Differential Item Functioning of Pathological Gambling Criteria: An Examination of Gender, Race/Ethnicity, and Age. *Journal of Gambling Studies*, 27 (2), 317-330. doi:10.1007/s10899-010-9209-x

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### **GCSW Faculty Presentations**

Hyra, A., Torres, L. R., & Bouchet, S. (2011, May 3). The Hispanic Healthy Marriage Initiative Grantee Implementation Evaluation. Poster presented at the Office of Family Assistance Healthy Marriage & Promoting Responsible Fatherhood Grantees' Annual Meeting, May 3-5, Baltimore, MD.

Flores, D. V., Torres, L. R., & Ryman, A. J. (2011, January 14). El Lado Oscuro/The Dark Side Of Social Capital among Mexican American Heroin-Using Men. Paper presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work Research, Tampa, FL, January 12-16, 2011.

Torres, L. R., Gardiner, K., Zayas, L. H., Hyra, A., Kundrat, C., & Engstrom, W. (2010, November 11). Different Strokes for Different Folks: Designing a Culturally

Grounded Implementation Evaluation of Grantees Serving a Diverse Minority. Paper presented at the 24th Annual Conference of the American Evaluation Association, San Antonio, TX, November 10-13, 2010.

Flores, D. V., Lopez, S., & Torres, L. R. (2010, October 14). Culturally Competent Practice with Hispanics: Challenges and Opportunities. Pre-Conference Faculty Development Institute presented at the 56th Annual Program Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education, Portland, OR, October 14-17 2010.

Flores, D. V., & Torres, L. R. (2010, October 9). Challenges in Assessing Mental Health Issues in Latinos. Workshop presented at the Annual State Conference of the National Association of Social Work, Texas Chapter, Houston, TX, October 8-10 2010.

Torres, L. R., & Gardiner, K. (2009, September 24). Advancing Latino Behavioral Health: From Marriage to Mainstream—Early Impressions of the Hispanic Healthy Marriage Initiative Implementation Evaluation. Paper presented at the 15th Latino Behavioral Health Institute, Los Angeles, CA, September 23-25 2009.

Valdez, A., & Torres, L. R. (2009, September 23). Social and Health Implications of Long-Term Drug Use Among Older Mexican Americans. Paper presented at the 15th Latino Behavioral Health Institute, Los Angeles, CA, September 23-25 2009.

Torres, L. (2009, April 8). The Use of Health Services Research for Drug Abuse and Mental Health Prevention and Treatment: Applications to Hispanic Drug Using Populations. Presentation for the National Hispanic Science Network on Drug Abuse Research National Video Conference Training. Houston, Texas, April 8, 2009.

Torres, L., & Sacco, P. (2009, January 16). Unpacking Acculturation: Hispanic Acculturation Strategies & Alcohol-Related Outcomes. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research's Thirteenth Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, January 16th-19th, 2009.

Sacco, P., Torres, L., Cunningham-Williams, R., & Woods, C. (2008, November 22). Age Based Differential Item Functioning in DSM-IV Pathological Gambling Criteria: A MIMIC Modeling Approach. Poster presented at The Gerontological Society of America's 61st Annual Scientific Meeting, November 21-25, 2008, National Harbor, Maryland.

Torres, L. (2008, April 8). Acculturation Strategies and the Development of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Problems. Invited Presentation at the Seventh Annual Cambio de Colores Conference: Latinos in Missouri: Uniting Cultures. Presentation supported the Mid-America Addiction Technology Transfer Center. Columbia, Missouri, April 7 – 9, 2008.