This is **Exhibit A** referred to in the Affidavit of **Stephen Walter** sworn before me this ______ day of May, 2007.

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Appendix A: CV for Stephen D. Walter, Ph.D.

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EDUCATION

1966-69	B.Sc. (Special) in Mathematics, with 1 st Class Honours; Imperial College of Science
	and Technology, London University, A.R.C.S. (Associateship of the Royal College
	of Science).

1969-72 Ph.D. in Statistics; University of Edinburgh; supervisors Prof. D.J.Finney, F.R.S. (Statistics Dept.) and Prof. E. Samuel (Radiology Dept., Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh).

1973 Graduate Summer School in Epidemiology, University of Minnesota.

<u>APPOINTMENTS</u>

ommunity Medicine, University of Ottawa.
r 1975.

Department of Epidemiology and Public Health (Biometry), Yale University. Assistant Professor 1975-79; Associate Professor 1979-82.

Department of Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics, McMaster University. Associate Professor 1982-85; Professor 1985-.

PUBLICATIONS - Summary (to May 2007):

Refereed journal articles and book chapters - 306 Book reviews, editorials, and letters - 43 Abstracts, selected presentations and other publications - 289

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Fellow, Royal Statistical Society.

Member, International Biometric Society. (Regional Advisory Board, 1980-82; International Finance Committee 1990-95; Vice-Chairman, Scientific Cte., Int. Biometric Conf. 1994).

Fellow, American Statistical Association. (Treasurer, Southern Ontario Chapter 1982-3).

Member, Society for Epidemiologic Research. (Convenor of the Twelfth Annual Meeting, New

Haven, 1979; Student Workshop, Faculty Member 1987; elected Exec. Cte. Member 1995-98).

Member, International Epidemiological Association (Chair, Scientific Committee, World Congress of Epidemiology, Montreal 2002).

Elected Member, International Statistical Institute

Public Health Associate, Dept. of Health Services, Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth (1988-).

Statistical Society of Canada (Member, Elections Committee 1994)

LANGUAGE SKILLS

French; Spanish; (experience giving lectures, written and verbal communication in both)

AWARDS/HONORS

Open Exhibition (1851) Scholarship, Imperial College, London, 1966-69.

Science Research Council (UK) Scholarship, 1969-72.

National Science Foundation (US) travel award to 41st Session, Int. Statistical Inst., India, 1977.

Visiting Scientist Award, IARC, Lyon, France, 1980.

National Health Scientist Award, Health and Welfare, Canada, 1982-99.

Elected to International Statistical Institute (1986).

Canadian Acad. Sports Med., Inaugural Presentation, R. Tait McKenzie Medal for Best Research Paper (1989)

Rockefeller Foundation: Award in support of sabbatical leave activities (1991)

Nominated as Fellow, American Statistical Association (1993).

Honourary Life Member, Indian Clinical Epidemiology Network (1993).

Raine Foundation: Distinguished Visitors Award, University of Western Australia (1998)

Canadian Institutes of Health Research: Senior Investigator and Partnership awards (2000-06)

American Academy of Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine, Arnold Award for

Excellence in the Care of Children with Cerebral Palsy, for manuscript Rosenbaum PL, Walter SD, Hanna SE et al. (2002), JAMA <u>288</u>, 1357-1363 (paper #247 below). This paper was also included in the "Top 10 articles on early childhood development by a Canadian researcher" by the Centre for Excellence for Early Childhood Development, 2003.

American Academy of Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine: 2005 Gayle Arnold Award for the Best Scientific Paper Paper presented at annual meeting (CV presentation #259).

International Agency for Research on Cancer, Visiting Scientist, 2005.

Taiwan Science Council, Distinguished Scholar Award, 2006.

RESEARCH AREAS OF INTEREST

Epidemiology and associated biostatistical methodology. *Epidemiologic interests*: cancer etiology and screening, environmental health, musculo-skeletal disorders. *Biostatistical interests*: measurement error; diagnostic test evaluation; observer agreement; risk assessment and communication; spatial and temporal data.

<u>PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES</u>

Journal and Grant Reviewing/Editing

Encyclopedia of Biostatistics (Wiley, 1998-): Section Editor, Clinical Epidemiology American Journal of Epidemiology: Editor (1989-99); Associate Editor (1978-1988).

Current Index to Statistics, Contributing Editor (1977-79).

Journal of Clinical Epidemiology, Editorial Consultant (1987-89).

Health Canada, National Health Research and Development Program, Committee 503 (Chairman 1989-95, Member 1988); Committee 43 and others, member 1973-88).

Canadian Institutes of Health Research, Health Information and Promotion Cte. (2000-03);

Public, Community and Population Health Cte. (2006-).

National Institutes of Health, Special Study Section, 1988-90.

Referee for Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council (NSERC), Canada.

Occasional referee for: Am J Epid, Am J Public Health, Am Statistician, Biometrics, Canadian J Public Health, Canadian J Stats, Canadian Med Assoc J, Communications in Statistics, Int J Epid, J Am Stat Assoc, J Clin Epidemiology, Metrika, New Engl J Med, Statistics in Medicine.

Workshops, consultancies, committee work

- 2007- FOCAL study (BC), DSMB Committee member.
- 2006-07 Institute of Medicine, Committee on Veterans and Agent Orange.
- 2005 Visiting Scientist, Finnish Cancer Society research projects.
- 2005 Visiting Scientist, WHO International Agency for Research on Cancer, Lyon, France.
- 2004 Visiting Professor, School of Public Health, National Defense Medical Center, Taiwan.
- 2004 Leader, Workshop on how to report study results, INCLEN Global Meeting XX, Agra, India.
- 2003- Visiting Professor, Screening and Test Evaluation Program, Univ. of Sydney, Australia.
- 2003-06 Member, HRM Board of Comprehensive Examination Chairs.
- 2003 Leader, Workshop on cluster-based studies, INCLEN Global Meeting XIX, Kunming, China
- 2003 External Reviewer, Graduate Program in Environmental Health, University of Cincinnati.
- 2002-03 Institute of Medicine, Committee on Medicare Coverage of Routine Thyroid Screening.
- 2002 Planning Committee, Canadian Cancer Etiology Research Network workshop on "Enhancing environmental and occupational cancer research in Canada". Montebello, PQ.
- 2002 Chair, Scientific Program Committee, XVI IEA World Congress of Epidemiology, Montreal.
- 2002 Leader, Workshop on Cluster-randomised studies, Vellore, India.
- 2002 Évaluation externe des programmes en épidémiologie à l'Université Laval.
- 2001-04 Faculty of Health Sciences Scholarship Committee, McMaster University.
- 2001 STARD (Standards for Reporting of Diagnostic Accuracy) group member, Amsterdam.
- 2001 Seminar and workshop on evaluation of diagnostic and screening tests, University of Louisville, Kentucky.
- 2001 Leader, Workshop for Indian Initiative on Infectious Diseases, Vellore, India
- 2000-03 Data Monitoring Committee, ISCAP Trial, India.
- 2000 Faculty, Continuing Education on Research Methodology, INCLEN Global Meeting XVII, Bangkok.
- 1999 Leader, Workshop on meta-analysis, CMC Vellore, India
- 1999 Organiser, Workshop on Data Analysis and Scientific Writing, Univ. of Newcastle, Australia.
- 1998 Visitor Professor during sabbatical leave to Universities of Tasmania, Sydney and Western Australia.
- 1998-2005 Visiting Professor, Universities of Helsinki and Tampere, Finland
- 1998 Evaluation Site Visit to training program in Biostatistics, CMC, Vellore, India
- 1997 Member, Organising Committee: National Workshop to improve cancer survival information, Ottawa.
- 1997 Coordinator, Workshop on Survival Data Analysis, CMC, Vellore, India.
- 1997 INCLEN, Penang, Malaysia: Coordinator, Biostatistics Workshop.
- 1996-2000 INCLEN Capacity Building Subcommittee
- 1996 Coordinator, Workshop on Logistic Regression Analysis, CMC, Vellore, India.
- 1996 INCLEN, Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe: Coordinator, Biostatistics Workshop
- 1995 Visitor to Clinical Epidemiology Unit, Universidad de la Frontera, Temuco, Chile
- 1995-98 Scientific Advisory Board, Nicotine Patch Study, U of Pennsylvania
- 1995 Judge, International Science and Engineering Fair, Hamilton
- 1994 INCLEN Phase II Evaluation Site Visit, Medical College of Trivandrum, India.
- 1994-95 Site visits to Thai Clinical Epidemiology Consortium, Bangkok & Khon Kaen
- 1994 INCLEN, Chiang Mai, Thailand: Coordinator, Biostatistics Workshop
- 1993 INCLEN, Cairo, Egypt: Coordinator, Biostatistics Workshop
- 1993 International Workshop for Screening of Breast Cancer. Bethesda, Maryland.
- 1993 Evaluation Site-visit, Univ. of the Philippines Masters program in Clinical Epidemiology, Manila.
- Workshops on the Epidemiologic Studies near the former Feed Materials Processing Center, Fernald, Ohio. US National Center for Environmental Health, Radiation Studies Branch.
- 1993 Workshop on Screening Methods for Thyroid Disease in Populations near Nuclear Facilities. CDC, Atlanta...
- 1993-95 Health and Welfare Canada, Green Plan Consultative Overview Cte., Environment and Related Cancer Program
- 1992-95 Steering Committee, Institute for Environment and Health, McMaster University.
- 1992-96 Chair, Biostatistics Committee, International Clinical Epidemiology Network (INCLEN)
- 1992 Review Meeting on Smoking and Health. CDC, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 1992 Health and Welfare Canada, Working Group on Committee Restructuring.
- 1992-95 Member, Health and Welfare Canada, Enhanced Cancer Surveillance Committee.
- 1991 Visiting Professor during sabbatical leave to Clinical Epidemiology Units at Chulalongkorn, Mahidol, Chiang

- Mai, Khon Kaen and Prince of Songkla Universities, Thailand; West China University of Medical Sciences, Chengdu, China; Universidad de Chile, Santiago; and Universidad de la Frontera, Temuco, Chile.
- 1990-94 Selection Committee for Merck/SER Fellowships in Clinical Epidemiology.
- 1990-92 Consultant, Saskatchewan Asthma Epidemiology Study.
- 1987 Faculty Member, Workshop on Clinical Epidemiology, University of the Philippines, Manila.
- 1987 Faculty Member at SER Student Workshop, Univ. of Massachusetts.
- 1987 Visiting Professor, Cleveland Clinic.
- 1987 Teaching faculty, Workshop on Clinical Epidemiology, Christian Medical College, Vellore, Tamil Nadu, India.
- 1986 Teaching faculty, PAHO workshop on Cancer Epidemiology, Santiago, Chile.
- 1986,88 Consultant, International Centre for Diarrhoeal Diseases Research, Bangladesh.
- 1985-92 External Advisory Panelist, Program Project Grant on Lead Epidemiology, University of Cincinnati.
- 1984 Member, Science Panel on Epidemiology, Health Protection Branch, Ottawa.
- 1984 WHO consultant to the Indian Council for Medical Research, Madras.
- 1984,87 Teaching faculty Graduate Summer School in Epidemiology, Univ of Minnesota.
- 1981 Visiting Professor, Montana State University.
- 1980-85 Visitor to the International Agency for Research on Cancer, Lyon, France.
- 1976-80, Statistical analyst in the Survey of Heavy Metals Contamination, Shoshone County,
- 1987-90 Idaho. (Division of Environment, Idaho Department of Health and Welfare).
- 1975-76 Consultant, Hoechst-Roussel Pharmaceuticals.
- 1975-77 Consultant, Working Group on Priorities and Strategies with respect to "A New Perspective on the Health of Canadians". Long-Range Planning, Health and Welfare, Ottawa.
- 1974 Professeur Invité, Department d'Épidémiologie et Laboratoire de Biochimie, Centre Hospitalier Universitaire, Université de Sherbrooke, Québec.
- 1974 Consultant, National Health Workshop on Biostatistics, Ottawa.
- 1973 Consultant, National Health Care Evaluation Seminar, Ottawa.

LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Member of Oakville Symphony Orchestra; Marathons; Skiing; Racquet sports.

PUBLICATIONS (Refereed articles, books and book chapters)

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- xxx. Carusone SB Walter SD, Brazil K, Loeb MB Pneumonia and lower respiratory infections in nursing home residents: predictors of hospitalization and mortality. **J American Geriatrics Society** (in press, accepted Nov 2006)
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- xxx. Walter SD, Yao X. Effect sizes can be calculated for studies reporting ranges for outcome variables in systematic reviews. **J Clinical Epidemiology** (in press, accepted Nov 2006)
- Walter SD, Gafni A, Birch S (2007) Estimation, power and sample size calculations for stochastic cost and effectiveness analysis. <u>PharmacoEconomics</u> 25, 455-66, 2007.
- 305. Walter SD, Sinuff T (2007) Studies reporting ROC curves of diagnostic and prediction data can be incorporated into meta-analyses using corresponding odds ratios. **J Clinical Epidemiology 60**, 530-34.

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- Loeb MB, Carusone SB, Marrie TJ, Brazil K, Krueger P, Lohfeld L, Simor AE, Walter SD. (2006)
 Interobserver reliability of radiologists' interpretations of mobile chest radiographs for nursing home-acquired pneumonia. <u>J American Medical Directors Association</u>. 7, 416-419.
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- 275. Montori VM, Wilczynski NL, Morgan D, Haynes RB for the Hedges Team (incl. Walter SD) (2005). Optimal search strategies for retrieving systematic reviews from Medline: analytic survey. BMJ 330, 68-73.
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- 242. Walter SD (2003) Properties of the partial area under the curve (AUC) for summary ROC curves. <u>Int</u> <u>Biometric Soc</u>, Eastern North America Region Meeting, Tampa, Florida.
- 241. Walter SD (2003) An assessment of potential unblinding in a clinical trial. <u>Joint Int Soc Clinical Biostats/</u>
 <u>Soc Clinical Trials</u> meeting, London. <u>Controlled Clinical Trials 24 (3S)</u>, 125-126.
- 240. Gorter JW, Rosenbaum P, Hanna S, Ontario Motor Growth Study Group. (2003) The value of cerebral palsy subtypes as an indicator of functional ability. Am Acad Cerebral Palsy and Dev Med 57th Annual Meeting, Montreal.
- 239. Pollock N, Law M, Walter SD. (2003) Validation of a Perceived Efficacy and Goal Setting (PEGS) System with young children with disabilities. <u>Am Acad Cerebral Palsy and Dev Med</u>, 57th Annual Meeting, Montreal.
- 238. Walter SD. (2002) Mammographic screening: case-control studies. **Global Summit on Mammographic Screening**, Milan, Italy (Invited speaker).
- 237. Bourbonniere M, Plews N, Rosenbaum P, Walter S (2002). Fetal Alcohol Syndrome: Issues and Opportunities. Report to Intergrated Services Division, <u>Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care</u>.
- 236. Walter SD (2002) Evaluation of screening using the case-control design. Univ of Sydney, Australia
- 235. Caregiver Study Team (2002) Workshop: Well-Being of Caregivers of Children with Disabilities. **Ontario**Assoc. of Childrens Rehabilitation Services Conference, Toronto.
- 234. Missiuna C, Pollock N, Schulte N, Law M, Walter SD (2002). Validation of the PEGS system for young children with disabilities. <u>Ontario Assoc. of Childrens Rehabilitation Services Conference</u>, Toronto.
- 233. Walter SD (2002) Some results on the area under the curve (AUC) for ROC curves. 35th Annual Meeting of the **Society for Epidemiologic Research**, Palm Desert, California. **American J. Epidemiology** 11, S48.
- 232. Walter SD (2002) Meta-analysis of diagnostic test data: use of full and partial areas under the SROC curve. Workshop and Symposium on Statistical Challenges for Meta-Analysis of Medical and Health Policy Data (Invited speaker). Mathematical Sciences Research Institute, Berkeley, California.
- 231. Walter SD (2002) Measurement error in epidemiologic data when there is no gold standard. Invited talk to **Health Canada seminar series**, Ottawa.
- 230. Walter SD (2002). Properties of the SROC curve. University of Oulu, Finland (Invited speaker).
- 229. Swinton M and Caregiver Study Team (2002) A multi-dimensional model of caregiver health. <u>American Academy of Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine</u> Annual Meeting, New Orleans. Also at <u>OACRS</u> annual conference, Richmond Hill.
- 228. Swinton M and Caregiver Study Team (2002) Caregivers of Children with Cerebral Palsy: Challenges and Perceived Facilitators. <u>American Academy of Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine</u> Annual Meeting, New Orleans. Also at <u>OACRS</u> annual conference, Richmond Hill.
- 227. Swinton M, Hurley P., Rosenbaum P, Russell D, Walter SD, Raina P. (2002) Optimising the quality of research data: strategies to recruit and train research interviewers and measure interviewer reliability. (Instructional course) **Amer Acad Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Med** Annual Meeting, New Orleans.
- 226. Loeb M, Walter SD (2002) Risk factors for antimicrobial resistance in nursing home residents. Annual meeting of **Society of Health Care Epidemiology of America.**
- 225. Walter SD (2002) Properties of the summary ROC curve in meta-analysis of diagnostic test data. McMaster University <u>Math/Stat seminar series.</u>

- 224. Walter SD (2001) Measurement error in epidemiologic data when there is no gold standard. Keynote International Speaker, **Annual Scientific Meeting of the Australasian Epidemiologic Association**, Sydney, Australia. **Australasian Epidemiologist 8(3)**, 10.
- 223. Walter SD (2001) Properties of the summary ROC curve in meta-analyses of diagnostic test data. Invited talk, 3rd Workshop, Biostatistics Collaboration of Australia, Sydney.
- 222. Raina P, Brehault JC, Chambers L, Jadad A, Walter SD, Cook D, Goldsmith CH (2001) Factors affecting the interpretation of meta-analysis. 4th Intl Conf on the Scientific Basis of Health Services, Sydney, Australia.
- 221. Russell DJ, Avery L, Rosenbaum P, Raina P, Walter SD, Palisano R (2001). Rasch analysis of the Gross Motor Function Measure (GMFM): moving from ordinal to interval measures. **European Acad. Childhood**<u>Disability meeting</u>, Stockholm; <u>Developmental Med and Child Neurology</u> 43 (S89), 27.
- 220. Sinclair J, Walter SD (2001). Organiser and Chair for Plenary Session on Clinical and Classical Epidemiology: a Comparison of Standards of Evidence. Intl Congress of Epidemiology, Toronto. Am J. Epidem 153, S5.
- 219. Walter SD (2001) Overview of disease mapping and cluster analysis. Annual Meeting of **North American Association of Cancer Registries** (invited workshop speaker), Miami.
- 218. Marrett L, Weersink R, Purdue M, Lilge L, Walter S (2001) Validation of self-reported skin color by reflectance spectroscopy. **International Congress of Epidemiology**, Toronto. **Am J. Epid. 153**, S87.
- 217. Franco E, Ratnam S, Ferenczy A, Walter S, Macaskill P (2000) HPV vs. Pap testing in the screening of cervical precursors in Newfoundland, Canada. **International HPV conference**, Barcelona, Spain.
- 216. Walter SD (2000) The effect of measurement error on the Number Needed to Treat. Abstract p.133, **International Society for Clinical Biostatistics**, Trento, Italy.
- Walter SD (2000). Workshop on Meta-analysis of diagnostic tests. <u>INCLEN Global Meeting</u>, Bangkok.(Invited)
- 214. Walter SD (2000). Workshop on Equivalence studies. **INCLEN Global Meeting**, Bangkok (Invited).
- 213. Djeitor GA, Elliott SJ, Abernathy T, Walter SD, Taylor SM, DeLuca PF (2000) Geographic variation in cardiovascular disease mortality and mobidity in Ontario 1986-94. 9th International Symposium in Medical Geography, Montreal.
- 212. Walter SD (2000). Publishing and perishing? Issues in quantitative methods in the biomedical literature. Invited Keynote address, **Edmonton Epidemiology and Biostatistics Day.**
- 211. Walter SD (2000) Issues in the meta-analysis of diagnostic and screening data. **International Biometrics Conference**, Berkeley, California. (Invited presentation)
- 210. Walter SD (2000) Disease mapping: a historical perspective. Conference on **Statistics and Health**, University of Alberta, Edmonton (Invited plenary presentation), program abstract 1-1.
- 209 Marrett LD, Weersink RA, Purdue M, Lilge LD, Walter SD (2000) Use of diffuse reflectance spectroscopy to validate self-reported skin colour. Abstract 747, **Intl. Congress on Photobiology**, San Francisco.
- 208. Walter SD (2000). To publish, perish or use *p*-values? Issues in reporting statistical results. (Invited) **Symposium on Evidence Based Medicine**, McMaster University.
- 207. Walter SD (2000). Biostatistical methods in the biomedical literature. Invited presentation: **Finnish Society for Biostatistics**, Helsinki.
- 206 Walter SD (2000) Properties of the summary ROC curve. Invited talk, University of Oulu, Finland.

- 205. Djeitor GA, Elliott SJ, Abernathy T, Walter SD, Taylor SM, Deluca P. (2000) Geographic variation in cardiovascular disease mortality and morbidity in Ontario, 1986-94. **Canadian Association of Geographers** Annual Meeting, Brock University, Ontario.
- 204. Walter SD (1999). Invited discussant, **Royal Statistical Society** International Conference on the Analysis and Interpretation of Disease Clusters and Ecological Studies, London.
- 203. Walter SD (1999) Estimating the summary receiver operating characteristic (SROC) curve in the meta-analysis of diagnostic test data. **Canadian Cochrane Symposium**, Hamilton.
- 202. Walter SD (1999) Sensitivity and specificity in the absence of a gold standard. (Invited) **Sergievsky Seminar**, Columbia University, New York.
- 202. Walter SD (1999) Attributable risk. Invited Methodology Symposium, Centres for Disease Control, Atlanta.
- 201. Walter SD (1999). Estimation of the number needed to treat (NNT) index. <u>International Society for Clinical</u>
 Biostatistics, Heidelberg, Germany: Paul Martini Lecture session; abstract volume p. 484.
- 200. Walter SD (1999) Estimation of test sensitivity and specificity when disease confirmation is limited to positive results. 32nd Annual Meeting, **Society for Epidemiologic Research**, Baltimore. **Amer J Epidem 149**, S17.
- 199. Rosenbaum PR, Russell D, Palisano R, Wood E, Walter SD, Galuppi B (2000). Creation and validation of a cerebral palsy (CP) classification system the GMFCS. **Tri-Joint Congress.**
- 198. DiCenso A, Hutchison B, Walsh A, Guyatt G, Walter SD (1999) Evaluation of an educational program to prepare primary care Nurse Practitioners. Annual Meeting, **N American Primary Care Research Group**, San Diego.
- 197. Walter SD (1999) The latent class model for evaluating diagnostic and screening data. Invited presentation at Workshop on Statistical and Quantitative Methods used in Screening and Diagnostic Tests, <u>Centres for</u> <u>Disease Control</u>, Atlanta.
- 196. Djietror GA, Elliott SJ, Deluca P, Abernathy T, Walter SD, Taylor SM. (1999) Toward an understanding of geographic variation in cardiovascular disease mortality and morbidity in Ontario, 1986-94. **Ontario Public Health Association** meeting, Toronto.
- 195. Walter SD. (1999) Meta-analysis of diagnostic and screening test data. Invited plenary speaker, **Canadian Society for Epidemiology and Biostatistics**, Vancouver. (Abstract 106).
- 194. Di Censo A, Hutchison B, .. Walter SD et al. (1998) Evaluation of the Nurse Practitioner Educational Program, 1997-98. Report to **Council of Ontario University Programs in Nursing.**
- 193. Walter SD (1998) Current statistical practice and problems in the meta-analysis of diagnostic and screening data. 19th Annual Meeting, **International Society for Clinical Biostatistics** (Invited Plenary presentation), Dundee, Scotland.
- 192. Russell D, Palisano R, Walter S et al. (1998) Development of gross motor function in children with Down syndrome. 1st Biennial Scientific Conf. on Down syndrome, Vancouver. Down Syndrome Quart. 3, 24.
- 191. Walter SD (1998). Talks on diagnostic test evaluation; cancer screening; risk estimation. During sabbatical visit to Australia (Universities of Sydney, Newcastle, Tasmania, Western Australia, and Curtin University)
- 190. Walter SD (1998) Evaluation of diagnostic tests. Invited Speaker, Statistical Society of Finland, Helsinki.
- 189. Walter SD (1998) Attributable risk. Dept. of Statistics, Univ. of Oulu, Finland (invited).
- 188. Sellors JW, Walter SD. (1998). A new visual indicator of chlamydial cervicitis? Proceedings of 9th

- International Symposium on Human Chlamydial Infection, Napa Valley, California, 337-40.
- 187. Russell DJ, Gemus M, Palisano RJ, Rosenbaum PL, Galuppi B, Walter SD (1998). Measuring change in motor function of children with Down Syndrome. **Ontario Assoc. of Children's Rehabilitation Services.**
- 186. Palisano RJ, Rosenbaum PL, Galuppi B, Russell D, Walter SD, Wood E (1998). Clinical applications of the Gross Motor Function classification system for cerebral palsy. <u>Ontario Assoc. of Children's Rehabilitation</u> <u>Services</u>.
- 185. Palisano R, Rosenbaum P, Walter SD, Russell D, Wood E, Galuppi B (1997) A research program to create motor growth curves for children with cerebral palsy. **Amer. PT Association**, Texas.
- 184. To T, Miller AB, Walter SD (1997). Lead time estimation and its use in survival analysis as applied in the National Breast Cancer Screening Study. American Statistical Association.
- 183. Juniper E, Guyatt G, Walter SD, Griffith L. (1997) Estimating NNT for continuous data. **Evidence Based Health Care Newsletter 17** 17.
- 182. Szatmari P, Walter SD et al. (1997) Pervasive developmental disorders: diagnosis, etiology and outcome.

 Amer. Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Toronto.
- 181. Walter SD (1997). Optimal use of Pap smear screening for cervical cancer. Invited speaker **INSERM Atelier 94, Modèles quantitatifs pour l'évaluation du dépistage en masse.** Paris, France.
- 180. Walter SD (1997) An analysis of determinants of regional variation in cancer incidence: Ontario, Canada. Invited Speaker **European Regional Meeting of WHO**, Rome, Italy.
- 179. Szatmari P, Walter SD et al. (1997) Pervasive developmental disorders: diagnosis, etiology and outcome. Symposium, **Am Acad Child and Adolescent Psych**, Toronto.
- 178. Nair SM, Pisharody R, Walter SD (1997). Efficacy of peritoneal dialysis in formic acid poisoning. Abstract G5, **INCLENXIV** meeting, Penang, Malaysia.
- 177. Loeb M, Simor S, Krueger P, McArthur M, Walter SD et al. (1997) Two nursing home outbreaks of respiratory infection due to *Legionella sainthelensi*. 7th Ann. Mtg, Soc. for Healthcare Epidem of America, St. Louis.
- 176. Gemus M, Lane M, Russell D, Palisano R, PR, Walter SD, Rosenbaum PR, Gowland K, Galuppi B, Cunningham L, Gibson J (1997). Inter-rater and test-retest reliability of the Gross Motor Function Measure (GMFM) in children with Down Syndrome. Annual Meeting, Am Acad Cerebral Palsy and Dev Med.
- 175. Palisano R, Russell D, Rosenbaum PR, Walter SD, Genus M, Gowland K, Galuppi B, Cunningham L (1997). Development of the gross motor function in children with Down Syndrome. **Annual Meeting, Am Acad Cerebral Palsy and Dev Med.**
- 174. Russell D, Palisano R, Walter SD, Genus M, Rosenbaum PR, Gowland K, Galuppi B, Cunningham L, Lane M, Gibson, J. (1997). Measurement properties of the Gross Motor Function Measure (GMFM) for children with Down Syndrome. Annual Meeting <u>Amer Acad Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Med</u>, Portland, Oregon.
- 173. Russell D, Palisano R, Walter SD, Genus M, Rosenbaum PR, Gowland K, Galuppi B, Cunningham L, Lane M, Gibson, J. (1997). Is the Gross Motor Function Measure (GMFM) useful for children with Down Syndrome? Annual Meeting of **Ontario Association of Children's Rehabilitation Services**, Burlington.
- 172. Walter SD (1996). Statistical analysis: significance tests vs. confidence intervals. (Invited) 40th Nestlé Nutrition Workshop, "Clinical trials in infant nutrition", Washington DC.
- 171. Palisano R, Rosenbaum PR, Walter SD, Russell D, Wood E, Galuppi BA. (1996) Development and validation of a Gross Motor Function Classification system for children with cerebral palsy. <u>Dev. Med. Child Neurol 38</u>, <u>Suppl. 74</u>, 47-48. Also presented <u>Amer PT Assoc meeting</u> (Georgia).

- 170. Walter SD (1996). Update on statistical reporting methods in the medical literature. (Invited) **VII Annual IndiaClen meeting**, Trivandrum, India.
- 169. Bucher HC, Guyatt GH, Griffith L, Walter SD (1996). The results of direct and indirect treatment comparisons in meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials. 18th Annual Meeting, Soc. Med Decision Making, Toronto.
- 168. Walter SD (1996). Comparison of the restricted and unrestricted methods of reporting mean survival times. Proc., **XVIIIth. Intl. Biometrics Conference**, 24. Amsterdam.
- 167. Jadad AR, Raina P, Cook DJ, Walter SD, Torrance V, Krueger PD, Chambers LW (1996). Selecting methods to display graphically the results of systematic reviews: where is the evidence? **4th International Cochrane Colloquium, Adelaide, Australia.**
- 166. Walter SD, King WD, Marrett LD. (1996) The intermittent exposure hypothesis: results of a case-control study of melanoma in Southern Ontario. Proc. 3rd Symposium on Melanoma and Non-melanocytic Skin Cancer, 36. Vancouver, B.C.
- 165. Nair SM, Walter SD (1996). Risk factors for esophageal cancer: a case-control study. Abstract O72, <u>INCLEN</u> <u>XIII</u> meeting, Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe.
- 164. Taylor SM, Walter SD, Marrett LD, King D. (1996) Determinants of regional variation in cancer incidence in Ontario. **Association of American Geographers**, Atlanta.
- 163. Palisano R, Rosenbaum P, Russell D, Walter SD, Wood E, Galuppi B. (1996) Reliability and validity of a Gross Motor classification system for children with cerebral palsy. <u>ATCO Conference</u>, Burlington, Ontario. Also published as NCRU Project Report, 3/96.
- 162. Rosenbaum PR, Palisano P, Russell D, Walter SD, Bingleman B. (1995) Severity of cerebral palsy: development of an international classification system. **Canadian Pediatric Society** Meeting, Montreal. Also presented at **Assoc. Treatment Centres of Ontario** annual meeting.
- 161. Walter SD, Marrett LD, Taylor SM. King D. (1995) Determinants of regional variation in cancer incidence. **Final Report** (Project No. 6606-5034-8) Health Canada, Ottawa.
- 160. Walter SD (1995). Hypothesis testing and inference; statistical reporting of medical studies. <u>VIth IndiaClen Meeting</u>, Kodaikanal, India. (Invited plenary talk).
- 159. Palisano RJ, Rosenbaum PL, Walter SD, Russell D, Wood E, Bingleman B. (1995) Development and Validation of a Gross Motor Function Measure Classification System for Children with Cerebral Palsy. Meeting of the <u>American Physical Therapy Association</u>, Atlanta, Georgia. <u>Pediatric Physical Therapy 7</u> 197. Also presented at Assoc of Treatment Centres of Ontario annual conference.
- 158. Walter SD. (1995) Methods of reporting statistical results from medical research studies. **Toronto Area Biostatistics Association**, Toronto (invited talk).
- 157. Walter SD. (1995) Spatial analysis of variation in cancer risk. Regional Meeting of **Statistical Society of Canada**, Ottawa (invited presentation).
- 156. Walter SD. (1995) The imperfect world of the epidemiologist: measurement error and some strategies to deal with it. Conference **Canadian Society for Epidemiology and Biostatistics**, St. John's, Newfoundland, (Plenary Invited Address) Abstract book, 25.
- 155. Walter SD, Rosenbaum P, Palisano R, Russell D, Bingleman B, Wood E. (1995) Development and validation of a motor disability classification system for cerebral palsy. Conference **Canadian Society for Epidemiology and Biostatistics**, St. John's, Newfoundland, Abstract book, 71.
- 154. Walter SD. (1995) Effects of exposure misclassification on the precision of attributable risk estimates. 28th

- Annual Meeting of Society for Epidemiologic Research, Snowbird, Utah. Am J Epidemiology 141, S20.
- 153. Rosenbaum P, Palisano R, Walter SD, Russell D, Bingleman B, Wood E. (1995) Development and validation of a motor disability classification system for cerebral palsy. 3rd **Ontario Health Care Evaluation Network Conference**, Toronto.
- 152. Walter SD. (1995) Assessing the relationship between effect size and baseline risk in the context of metaanalyses. Meeting of the **International Society for Clinical Biostatistics**, Barcelona, Spain; Abstracts p 143.
- 151. Walter SD. (1995) Estimation of population attributable risks of smoking in Canada. Report to **Health Canada**, Environmental Health Centre.
- 150. Loeb M. James M, Lingley M, Richardson E, Stronach D, Krueger P, Walter S, Mandell L. (1995) Study of a nursing home outbreak of legionella sainthelensi. 35th <u>Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</u>. San Francisco, California.
- 149. Loeb M, Wilcox L, Lotimer H, Walter S, et al. (1995) A randomized trial of surgical scrubbing with a brush compared to soap alone. 35th <u>Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</u>. San Francisco, California.
- 148. Palisanc R, Rosenbaum P, Walter S, et al. (1995) Development and validation of a motor disability classification system for cerebral palsy. Annual Meeting, **Am Assoc Cerebral Palsy and Dev Med**.
- 147. Law M, Rosenbaum P, Russell D, Walter SD, King G, Pollock NA. (1995) A comparison of intensive neurodevelopmental therapy plus casting and a regular occupational therapy program for children with cerebral palsy. Annual Meeting <u>American Association for Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine</u> Philadelphia. <u>Developmental Medicine and Child Neurology 37</u> (Suppl 73), 13-14.
- 146. Taylor SM, Eyles J, Hampson C, Sider D, Streiner D, Taylor S, Walter S, Wilson K. (1994) Further study of community health effects in the vicinity of the Petro Canada Refinery in Oakville, Ontario. Report to Halton Regional Health Department. <u>Inst Environment and Health</u>, McMaster University. Final Report.
- 145. Law M., Russell D, Rosenbaum PR, Walter DS, Pollock N, King G. (1995) A randomized trial of Upper Extremity Casting and Therapy. 1995 Meeting of **Assoc of Treatment Centres of Ontario Conference.**
- 144. Walter SD (1994) Panelist, <u>Institute for Environment and Health</u> forum on "Environmental epidemiology: science for society or science in society"; Hamilton.
- 143. Law M., Rosenbaum PR, Russell D, Walter SD, Pollock N, King G. (1994) A comparison of intensive neurodevelopmental casting and a regular occupational therapy program for young children with cerebral palsy. (Project -02901) Report to <u>Ontario Ministry of Health</u>.
- 142. Ferraz MB, Walter SD, Heymann R, Atra E. (1994) Sensitivity and specificity of different diagnostic criteria for Behcet's disease according to the latent class approach. Annual Scientific Meeting, American College of Rheumatology, Minneapolis. <u>Arthritis and Rheumatism 37</u>:(9S), S410.
- 141. Walter SD. (1994) Mapping and analysis of regional variation in health data. Statistics seminar, <u>Univ.</u> <u>Waterloo</u>, Waterloo, Ontario.
- 140. Walter SD. (1994) Comment on "Life before death: assessing the impact of screening programs beyond mortality", by J.I Williams; OCTRF Cancer Epidemiology Seminar. Chronic Diseases in Canada 15, S26.
- 139. Walter SD. (1994) Spatial surveillance using mapping. (Invited talk) Clusters: Practical Approaches Workshop, **Assocociation of Public Health Epidemiologists in Ontario**, Niagara-on-the-Lake.
- 138. Taylor SM, Copley T, Dunn J, Eyles J, Frank J, Hampson C, Streiner D, Walter SD et al. (1994) Psychosocial effects of PCB contamination and remediation in Smithville, Ontario (Award No. 410-90-0804) SSHRC.

 Institute of Environment and Health, McMaster University. Final Report.

- 137. Walter SD (1994) Review of "Residential hydroelectric consumption and childhood cancer in Canada (1971-1986)" by Kraut. Report to Manitoba Hydro.
- 136. Walter SD. (1994) Estimation of diagnostic test error rates from community screening data. **ENAR Biometrics Meeting**, Cleveland, Ohio.
- 135. Walter SD. (1994) Latent class analysis for misclassified epidemiologic data. Seminar to Working Group in Statistical Methods in Epidemiology, **Harvard School of Public Health**, Boston.
- 134. Marrett LD, Swift M, Nishri D, Walter SD. (1994) Issues in the mapping of cancer incidence data. **ISEE/ISEA Joint Conference**, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.
- 133. Walter SD. (1994) Analysis of small area health statistics. Seminar, **Inst. Clin. Evaluative Sciences**, Toronto.
- 132. Walter SD. (1994) Latent class analysis. Presentation to <u>Groupe de recherche en épidémiologie de l'Université</u>, Laval, Quebec.
- 131. Walter SD. (1994) Regional variation of cancer incidence in Ontario. **Great Lakes Health Effect Program Science Workshop**, Aylmer, Quebec.
- 130. Chettle DR, Walter SD. (1994) Relationships of blood and urine cadmium levels to quantities of the element stored in liver and kidney. Final Report CH-75/162. **Int Lead Zinc Res Org**, Res. Triangle Park, NC, USA.
- 129. Chettle DR, Walter SD. (1994) Relationships of blood and urine cadmium levels to quantities of the element stored in liver and kidney. Progress Report UCH-162. **Int Lead Zinc Res Org.** Res Triangle Park, NC, USA.
- 128. Walter SD. (1993) Review of "The making of the Canadian Cancer Registry: Cancer incidence in Canada and its regions, 1969-1988". Report to the **British Columbia Cancer Agency**, Vancouver, B.C.
- 127. Kwong See S, Chambers LW, Stolee P, Walter SD. (1993) The reliability and validity of the East Boston memory test as a screening instrument for dementia. **Canadian Association on Gerontology**, Montreal.
- 126. Walter SD. (1993) The analysis of regional variation in health. The 8th Annual Research Day for Graduate Students in Epidemiology, Biostatistics and Community Health, University of Guelph. (Keynote address).
- 125. Walter SD. (1993) A review of latent class models for medical data subject to measurement error. **Seminar to Biostatistics Research Group**, University of British Columbia.
- 124. Walter SD. (1993) Sample size estimation for equivalence studies. <u>Annual Meeting of Indian Clinical Epidemiology Network</u>, Nagpur, India (Invited paper)
- 123. Walter SD, Hayes CR. (1993) The association of cancer incidence with drinking water quality in Ontario: A supplemental analysis. Report to Laboratory Centre for Disease Control, Health and Welfare Canada.
- 122. Walter SD, Hayes CR. (1993) The association of cancer incidence with drinking water quality in Ontario.

 Report to Laboratory Centre for Disease Control, Health and Welfare Canada.
- 121. Walter SD. (1993) A simple test for spatial pattern in regional health data. **Annual Meeting of Society for Epiderniologic Research**. Keystone, Colorado. **American J. Epidemiology 138**, 618.
- 120. Marrett LD, Swift M, Nishri D, Walter SD. (1993) Issues in the mapping of cancer incidence data. Proc. Annual Meeting **Canadian Society for Epidemiology and Biostatistics**, 69. Quebec City.
- 119. Gatica H, Walter SD, Carvajal P, Cuchacovich M, Bugueno S (1993). Reliability of the knee circumference measurement. Abstract 29, <u>INCLEN XI</u> meeting, Cairo, Egypt.

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118. Taylor SM, Elliott S, Eyles J, Frank J, Haight M, Streiner D, Walter S, Willms D, White N. (1993)

- Psychosocial impacts in populations exposed to solid waste facilities (Project No. 473G). **Report to the**Ontario Ministry of the Environment.
- 117. Stieb D Sider D, Taylor SM, Walter SD (1992) Community health effects in the vicinity of the Petro Canada Refinery in Oakville, Ontario: A feasibility study. <u>Institute of Environment and Health</u> Report to the Regional Municipality of Halton Health Department.
- 116. Walter SD. (1992) Visual perception of spatial clustering in mapped data. **Proceedings, XVI International Biometric Conference**, Hamilton, New Zealand, 197.
- 115. Walter SD. (1992) The methodologic quality of biomedical literature. **Annual Meeting, Indian Clinical Epidemiology Network**, New Delhi. (Keynote address).
- 114. Walter SD. (1992) Detection of spatial patterns in regional disease rates. **Proc. Workshop on Statistics and Computing in Disease Clustering (Applied Biomathematics)**, 10. Stony Brook, Long Island, New York, USA. (invited paper)
- 113. Taylor SM, Duan J, Dupuis M, Elliott SJ, Walter SD. (1992) Milton revisited: psychosocial effects of a landfill site in 1990 and 1992. **Technology Transfer Conf., Ontario Min of Environment**, Toronto.
- 112. Walter, SD. (1992) Mapping health data: an international comparison. Seminar, Health Protection Branch, Health and Welfare, Canada.
- 111. Walter SD. (1992) Regional variation of cancer incidence in Ontario. **Annual Epidemiology Research Day, Ontario Cancer Foundation**, Toronto. (invited paper)
- 110. Walter SD. (1992) Assessment of diagnostic tests when there is no gold standard. Plenary session of <u>INCLEN</u> <u>X Meeting</u>, Bali, Indonesia (invited)
- 109. Panju A, Duku EK, Walter SD, Hunt R, Fallen E, Stevenson G, Somers S, Sackett DL, (1992) On the prognosis of patients admitted to coronary care unit with chest pain NYD. **Assoc. Am Physicians**, Wash., D.C.
- 108. Taylor SM, Elliott S, Stieb D, Walter SD. Frank J. (1991) Worrying about waste in Southern Ontario. Annual Meeting Canadian Association of Geographers. Kingston, Ontario
- 107. Elliott SJ, Taylor SM, Eyles J, Frank J, Haight M, Streiner D, Walter SD, White N, Willms D. (1991)
 Psychosocial impacts of solid waste facilities: findings from an epidemiologic survey. Annual Meeting

 Association of American Geographers, Miami, Florida.
- 106. Taylor SM, Elliott SJ, Eyles J, White N, Frank J, Streiner DL, Walter S, Willms D, Haight M. (1991) A socioecological analysis of psychosocial impacts in populations exposed to solid waste facilities. <u>Annual Meeting</u>, Association of American Geographers, Miami, Florida
- 105. Taylor SM, Elliott SJ, Stieb D, Walter S, Frank J. (1991) Psychosocial effects in populations exposed to solid waste facilities. **Proceedings of Technology Transfer Conference**, 1:382-398, Toronto, Ontario.
- 104. Walter SD, Birnie SE, Marrett LD. (1991) A survey and critique of disease atlases from around the world. Proceedings of **Statistics Canada Symposium**, **Spatial Issues in Statistics**, 175-185.
- 103. Marrett LD, King W, Walter SD, From L. (1991) Identification of individuals at high risk for cutaneous malignant melanoma. **Canadian Epidemiology Research Conference**, Edmonton, Alberta.
- 102. DeMatteo C, Law M, Russell D, Pollock N, Rosenbaum P, Walter SD, Cadman D. (1991) Measures of motor function and quality: GMFM, GMPM, QUEST. **ATCO Conference**, Niagara Falls, Ontario.
- Walter SD. (1990) Crossover trials in chronic disease. Proc., XIth Annual Mtg., Society for Clinical Trials, Toronto, 70.

- 100. Walter SD. (1990) Crossover trials in chronic disease. Proceedings, **XVth International Biometrics Conference**, Budapest, Hungary, 159.
- 99. Taylor SM, Elliott SJ, Eyles J, White N, Franks J, Streiner D, Walter SD, Willms D.(1990) A sociological analysis of psychosocial impacts in populations exposed to solid waste disposal facilities in Ontario. **Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers**, Miami, Florida.
- 98. Elliott SJ, Taylor SM, Eyles J, Frank J, Haight M, Streiner D, Walter SD, White N, Willms D. (1990)
 Psychosocial impacts of solid waste facilities: preliminary findings of an epidemiologic survey. **Annual Meeting of the Canadian Association of Geographers (Ontario Div)**, St. Catharines, Ontario.
- 97. Elliott SJ, Taylor SM, Eyles J, Frank J, Haight M, Streiner D, Walter SD, White N, Willms D. (1990)
 Psychosocial impacts of solid waste facilities: findings from an epidemiologic survey. **Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers**, Miami, Florida.
- 96. Walter SD. (1990) The ecologic method in the study of environmental health. **Annual Meeting of the International Society for Environmental Epidemiology**, Berkeley, California. (invited paper)
- 95. Walter SD, Birnie SE. (1990) Mapping mortality and morbidity patterns: an international comparison. **Proc.**, **Annual Meeting of the International Epidemiology Association**, Los Angeles, California, 59.
- 94. Walter SD, Birnie SE. (1990) Power of two methods for spatial autocorrelation in ecologic data. **Proceedings**, **Annual Meeting of the American Statistical Association**, Anaheim, California, 9.
- 93. Eyles J, Sider D, White N, Willms D, Taylor SM, Frank J, Haight M, Streiner D, Walter SD, Elliott SJ. (1990)
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T. SRINAVASAN A historical cohort mortality analysis of workers at a Canadian steel plant (1974-1990). MSc 1997; Reader.

M. LOEB; Predictive models of lower respiratory tract infections. MSc 1997; Reader.

D. TRAVERSE; A comparative analysis of five instruments to measure control of asthma. MSc 1997; Supervisor.

JP EKWARU; Evaluation of regional clustering in a small number of regions. MSc 1996; Supervisor. (Awarded the Tilbergen prize for Young Statisticians by the International Statistical Institute for this work).

Y LACASSE: Respiratory rehabilitation for patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease: a meta-analysis. MSc 1996; Reader

AM UGNAT: The determinants of small-area variation in coronary artery bypass surgery in Ontario, PhD 1996; U of Toronto, External Examiner.

I WAUBEN: PhD 1995; Comprehensive Examiner.

B. HARVEY: Assessments of breast self-examination (BSE) and recall bias within the National Breast Screening Study. PhD 1995, U of Toronto, External Examiner.

G AGARWAL: Regression methods in meta-analysis. MSc 1995; Supervisor.

K KHAN: Empirical evidence of bias associated with crossover design in controlled trials in infertility. MSc 1995; Reader.

J IVANOV: Coronary artery bypass surgery in the elderly. MSc 1995; Reader

M S NAIR: Non-degree graduate student, 1994-95; Preceptor

D GUWATUDDE: Non-degree graduate student, 1994-95; Preceptor

B ARCHER: CT abdomen & head in trauma predictors of a normal scan. MSc 1993; Reader

V TORRANCE: Latent class analysis of diagnostic tests: The effect of dependent misclassification errors. MSc 1994; Supervisor

S LIANG: Regression analysis on the data collected from six industrial surveys measuring workers exposed to cadmium. MSc Statistics 1993; Supervisor

D SIDER: A cross-sectional survey of community health effects in the vicinity of the PetroCanada Oakville Refinery. MSc 1993; Reader

J BUTTON: Use of the crossover design in medical research. MSc, 1992; Supervisor

M HOU: Linear models with nested error structure in predicting vision loss for patients with subretinal neovascular membranes. MSc 1992; Reader

D JAIN: A randomized clinical trial to assess the relative effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of phototherapy and exchange transfusion for the management of non-hemolytic hyperbilirubinemia in full-term infants with serum bilirubin level > 20 mg/dl. MSc, 1992; Reader

M KANDAMUTHAN: Socio-economic factors and childhood disability in South India. MSc, 1992; Supervisor

Y TONGPENYAI: The effectiveness of clinical practice guidelines plus a health care improvement program in Dengue Hemorrhagic Fever (DHF). MSc, 1992; Reader

C MACKINNON: The development of a disease-specific health-related quality of life instrument to measure pelvic pain in patients with endometriosis. MSc 1992; Reader

J MACMILLAN: Missing data in randomized controlled trials: A review of the methods and software. MSc 1992; Reader

M HUX: Consideration of the effect of an extraneous factor in planning a study sampling and analysis strategy, and on the required sample size. MSc 1991; Supervisor

S VAN ZANTEN: Measuring observer variation using the kappa statistic. MSc 1990; Supervisor

J MAÑALICH: Economic evaluation of end stage renal disease treatments in Chile. MSc 1990; Reader

EN RWAKA KARA: A randomised clinical trial to compare the effectiveness of a locally made cereal/legume mixture with standard milk compound in the treatment of severe protein-energy malnutrition in children under five years of age. MSc 1990; Supervisor

C KOMOLTRI: Kappa statistic under various prevalence and misclassification rates. M Med. Stat. 1990; University of Newcastle, Australia; External Reader

S WANGSUPHACHART: Impact of cranial CT scan on the management of patients presenting with head injuries or seizures: a before and after study. MSc 1990; Reader

J OROZCO: Comparative study of several odds ratio estimators in 2x2xk tables. MSc 1989; Supervisor

C DEMATTEO: Prediction of outcomes in children after head injury. MSc 1989; Reader

IUH MIAN: Statistical analysis of familial correlations. PhD 1989; University of Windsor; External Reader

M JOSHI: A controlled clinical trial to compare the relative merits of supervised as well as unsupervised treatment with short course chemotherapy for pulmonary tuberculosis. MSc 1989; Supervisor

JC LEBLANC: Survival analysis as a strategy to demonstrate the equivalence of cotrimoxazole and procaine penicillin in children of Fiji with mild-to-moderate pneumonia. MSc 1989; Supervisor

ME WARD: Establishing the reliability, responsiveness and validity of two perceptual evaluations in the stroke populations. MSc 1989; Reader

AK NISWADE: A randomized controlled trial to evaluate the effectiveness of "green light" phototherapy vs "white light" phototherapy in the management of neonatal hyperbilirubinemia. MSc 1988; Reader

T TAN-TORRES: A randomized trial and economic evaluation comparing two alternative measles immunization programmes. MSc 1988; Reader

N DEIVANAYAGAM: Effectiveness of Measles Immunization as an Intervention Measure for the Control of Diarrhoeal Morbidity and Mortality. MSc 1987; Reader

IF NUAMAH: Attributable risk estimation in matched case-control studies. MSc 1987; Supervisor

MM RACHLIS: A randomized controlled trial of soil removal in the South Riverdale neighbourhood of Toronto. MSc 1987; Supervisor

H BEYENE: Home visiting - a strategy for maternal and child health care in transitional communities. MSc 1986; Reader

P KRISHNA MURTHY: Prognostic factors affecting bacteriological relapses following short-course chemotherapy of pulmonary tuberculosis. MSc 1986; Supervisor

AA HASSAN: The effectiveness of a home visiting program to reduce infant mortality using a risk approach. MSc 1986; Reader

JCB LITT: A randomized controlled trial of two strategies to reduce lateral ligament injuries in the ankle. MSc 1986; Supervisor

M DA MOTA GOMES: A randomized controlled trial of strategies to improve compliance among epileptics in use of anticonvulsant drugs in Rio de Janeiro. MSc 1986; Reader

F SCOTT: The Junction Triangle health study. MSc 1986; Reader

MJ SCHYMURA: Age period and cohort trends in cancer incidence in urban and nonurban Connecticut, 1940-79. PhD 1986; (Yale) External Reader

MC LAW: A randomized clinical trial of neurodevelopmental therapy and inhibitive casting for cerebral palsy. MSc 1985; Reader

J DRAGOVIC: A randomised controlled trial of pre-operative chemotherapy and radiotherapy for localised squamous cell carcinoma of the esophagus. MSc 1985; Reader

PROY: A design for a cohort study of predictors of "success" after surgery for morbid obesity. MSc 1985; Reader

P SZATMAFI: The validity of child psychiatric disorders. MSc 1985; Reader

IL JOHNSON: A proposed study to examine the health effects from swimming in natural waters. MSc 1985; Supervisor

S WILOPO: Biostatistical Methods in Studies of Human Fertility Regulation. MSc 1985; Reader

PJ WICKRAMARATNE: Confounding in epidemiologic studies. PhD 1984, Yale University, External Examiner

R SARMA: A randomized controlled trial on the comparative efficacy of dicthylcarbamazine and mebendazole in the treatment of asymptomatic microfilaremia. MSc 1984; Reader

LF MARCOPITO: Assessing the accuracy of a new method of interpreting exercise testing for diagnosing the extent of coronary artery disease in asymptomatic patients two weeks after an episode of acute myocardial infraction. MSc 1984; Reader

M DATTA: A randomised control trial to assess the effectiveness of antibiotic treatment of respiratory infections in children by village health workers. MSc 1983; Reader

RT ZAGRANISKI: The role of occupation in the etiology of laryngeal carcinoma: a case-control study. PhD 1982; Reader

KK FULMER: Admission criteria as predictors of medical student performance. MPH 1982; Reader

D HEINEMANN: Survival after stroke: the acute and long-term care experience of stroke patients. PhD 1982; Reader

LJ CANNON: Epidemiology of carpal tunnel syndrome. MPH 1980; Reader

JV O'CONNOR: The analysis of data on birth order and disease. MPH 1980; Supervisor

O MARRERO: Statistical tests for seasonality in epidemiologic data. MPH 1979; Supervisor

JF LIAN: Quantitative approach to measles humoral immunity. PhD 1979; Reader

SL HUI: Statistical modelling of longitudinal data applied to the change of bone mass in postmenopausal women.

PhD 1979; Reader

PM HARTIGAN: Use of contact networks in the study of contagion: an application to infectious mononucleosis. PhD 1977; Supervisor

RJ BONSALL: Menopausal estrogens and osteoporosis. MPH 1975; Reader