

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

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MOHAMMED ABDULLAH MOHAMMED	:	
BA ODAH, <i>et al.</i> ,	:	
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Petitioners,	:	
	:	Civil Action No. 06-1668 (TFH)
v.	:	
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BARACK H. OBAMA, <i>et al.</i> ,	:	
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Respondents.	:	
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**DECLARATION OF DR. SONDRAS. CROSBY IN SUPPORT OF  
PETITIONER TARIQ BA ODAH’S MOTION FOR HABEAS RELIEF**

I, DR. SONDRAS. CROSBY, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, hereby declare as follows:

1. Among other appointments detailed below, I am currently the Director and Co-Founder of the Immigration and Refugee Health Program at the Boston Medical Center, - Director of the Forensic Medical Evaluation Group at Boston University School of Medicine, Associate Professor of Medicine and Public Health at the Boston University Schools of Medicine and Public Health, in the Departments of Medicine, and Health Law, Bioethics, and Human Rights, and a member of the Section of General Internal Medicine at Boston Medical Center.

2. I have treated thousands of patients in clinical settings in twenty-five years of medical practice, have evaluated over 1,000 individual survivors of torture all over the world, and have examined numerous hunger strikers in Guantanamo, Connecticut, Kyrgystan and Bahrain. I have published scholarly articles in the New England Journal of Medicine and the

Journal of the American Medical Association on care and diagnosis of hunger strikers, and have been certified as an expert medical witness in the United States Immigration Court in Boston, Federal District Court for the District of Columbia, and the Military Commission Court in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba (United States v. Al-Nashiri).

3. I submit this declaration in support of the motion for habeas corpus relief by Tariq Ba Odah, an individual detained at Guantanamo, now in his 9th year of a hunger strike.

4. As I explain below, while I have information about some of Mr. Ba Odah's symptomology as communicated to me by his counsel, I do not have access to important medical records, let alone a history or physical exam, information that is essential to informing an accurate diagnosis about the variety of conditions and symptoms Mr. Ba Odah presents, or a precise prognosis about his prospects for recovery or survival.

5. Nevertheless, I am able to make certain diagnostic and prognostic assessments based on information the government has made available that Mr. Ba Odah weighs only 74.5 pounds – approximately 56% of his normal body weight – and has been at that weight for a period of months, and on reported symptoms from Mr. Ba Dah's counsel. I cannot overemphasize how alarming these facts are from a clinical perspective. Even without elementary diagnostic tests, I can confidently say that Mr. Ba Odah is suffering from severe malnutrition and that the continued course of presumed chronic caloric, protein and potential nutrient deficiency associated with such a state of starvation will, without medical intervention, lead inevitably to death, possibly in a period of months. It is also quite possible that he has already suffered injury to his organ functioning or gastro-intestinal (GI) system or that he is neuro-psychologically compromised in a manner that would need to be diagnosed and which I expect could require long-term treatment and rehabilitation.

6. There are limits to what the human body can endure, and at 74.5 pounds – no matter the precise nature of his underlying medical complications – Mr. Ba Odah is undoubtedly reaching those limits and may soon exceed them.

7. After setting forth my additional qualifications and basis for my opinion in this declaration, I (1) offer an assessment of the grave medical and neurological risks Mr. Ba Odah faces in his compromised and malnourished state, based on the information available to me; (2) explain the sophisticated medical interventions required to stabilize Mr. Ba Odah (i.e. prevent total organ failure and body collapse) and provide for full rehabilitation; and, (3) explain why, in my experience dealing with prisoners in a wide variety of custodial settings across the world, it should not be surprising that Mr. Ba Odah does not trust the sincerity or efficacy of the medical staff at the Guantanamo prison and why, under well-known medical ethical principles codified in the Malta protocol, Mr. Ba Odah should receive necessary medical care outside the present custodial setting.

### **Background and Qualifications**

8. I am a licensed physician in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and am board certified in the specialty of Internal Medicine. I graduated from the University of Washington School of Medicine with my M.D. in 1991, and undertook my clinical training at the Boston City Hospital (now Boston Medical Center) residency program in Internal Medicine.

9. My clinical practice focuses on care of asylum seekers, asylees, and refugees, including hundreds of refugees from the Middle East. I have taught extensively on the medical care of refugees and cross-cultural medicine, and have published multiple scholarly articles on these topics. I have taught and mentored students on the evaluation of Istanbul Protocol compliance, and served as a medical consultant for Physicians for Human Rights in

Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan; Dushanbe, Tajikistan; Istanbul, Turkey; Reyhanli, Turkey; and Amman, Jordan.

10. I have evaluated and examined nearly 1,000 survivors of torture in my medical practice, and have worked with diverse populations who have experienced trauma. For example, I have evaluated Darfuri women living in a Refugee Camp in Chad, former detainees held in US detention at Guantanamo Bay, and patients at other sites in Iraq and Afghanistan. I have evaluated dozens of Syrians living in Turkey and Jordan who were displaced by civil war, and I have served as a medical forensic expert for the Bahrain Independent Commission of Inquiry, where I evaluated approximately 60 hunger strikers.

11. I am Director of the Forensic Medical Evaluation Group, a multidisciplinary group at Boston University School of Medicine and Boston Medical Center, providing evaluation and documentation of physical and psychological evidence of torture and abuse.

12. In my hospital practice I have also treated numerous persons who present with severe malnourishment either through late-stage disease or through severe anorexia nervosa.

13. I am a Lt. Commander in the U.S. Navy Medical Corps.

### **Basis of My Opinion**

14. I obtained relevant information about Mr. Ba Odah from telephone conversations with his counsel, Mr. Omar Farah, and from reviewing a summary of Mr. Farah's notes regarding his observations, meetings, and correspondence with Mr. Ba Odah. I have not reviewed any metabolic or blood tests of Mr. Ba Odah, nor have I conducted a physical exam. Each of these would be important to come to a more precise conclusion about the severity of the conditions associated with his underlying malnutrition and to come to a prognosis about his likelihood of survival.

15. However, I understand the U.S. government has represented that, as of April 20, 2015, Mr. Ba Odah was 74.5 pounds, that this weight has been “stable” at that level since September 2014. According to the government 74.5 pounds constitutes 56% of Mr. Ba Odah’s ideal body weight.

16. I also understand that Mr. Ba Odah’s most recent labs were taken in February 2013 and that they included a full metabolic panel and blood count. According to the government, Mr. Ba Odah’s results at that time were “normal.”

### **Mr. Ba Odah’s Physical and Neurological Symptomology**

17. While I must stress again that I cannot make a precise diagnosis or prognosis just on the basis of the information I have received from Mr. Farah and without the necessary tests and physical exam, I can state with confidence that many of the symptoms described are entirely consistent with severe malnutrition and the underlying caloric, protein, and micronutrient deficiency accompanying this serious condition.

18. According to counsel, during meetings, Mr. Ba Odah will go through what are described as “spells” during which Mr. Ba Odah becomes absent, appearing not to process what is happening around him. As it is described, Mr. Ba Odah will periodically also have a vacant look or affect. When he resumes alertness, he will require counsel to review or re-explain necessary information. This has become more pronounced in the last year.

19. Relatedly, I understand that one of Mr. Ba Odah’s frequent complaints to counsel is that he cannot focus or concentrate. Mr. Ba Odah further complains that his memory is being compromised. According to his counsel, he has recounted experiences of forgetfulness. For example, he says he recently attempted to write a letter to his family but could not remember the current year.

20. Mr. Ba Odah has also described feelings of nervousness and agitation and the shivering of muscles and nerves. He describes a “Needles feeling in [his] heart.”

21. He also describes numbness in his extremities and says he has to move his hands and feet “to resume circulation.”

22. Mr. Ba Odah complains of back pain whenever he sits upright. He also describes that simply standing up creates the sensation of dizziness and his counsel observes that he is taken by bouts of extreme exhaustion. He reports that Mr. Ba Odah spends large parts of the day lying down in bed.

23. According to Mr. Ba Odah’s counsel, during the one occasion he saw Mr. Ba Odah drink water, his hands shook noticeably as he raised the bottle such as one would expect of a very elderly, infirm person.

24. Of additional concern, Mr. Ba Odah complains of a range of symptoms that appear to be related to his gastro-intestinal track. Specifically, counsel reports that Mr. Ba Odah has complained of vomiting, blood in his stools, persistent constipation, and extremely raw, sore throat.

#### Feelings Toward Medical Staff

25. Mr. Ba Odah has reported to counsel that JTF-GTMO has increased the amount of his feedings to respond to his weight-loss, but this sometimes causes him to vomit because he says his stomach can not tolerate the amount of food he is fed. I understand Mr. Ba Odah recently explained of his feeding that “what I used to get in two or three sessions, I now get in one.”

26. He describes the base hospital as torture. He feels that the harsh treatment he has endured from guards has been done with involvement by doctors, who attempt to coerce

him. He reports that the doctors there do not treat him “in a civil way,” and that their treatment of him is “all games.”

27. Mr. Ba Odah reports that medical treatment at Guantanamo is intended only to convince him to abandon his strike, but that there is no genuine interest in treating his severe illnesses. Mr. Ba Odah also reports to his counsel that he believes medical staff have withheld appropriate medical care to influence him to stop his hunger strike.

### **Assessment and Conclusions**

28. On the basis of the limited information provided to me, especially his extremely low weight and accompanying symptoms, it is my medical opinion that Mr. Ba Odah is clearly suffering from severe malnutrition, a serious medical condition which presents a high risk of a host of dangerous medical complications, including death. Standard of care would dictate strict medical supervision in a hospital setting and frequent monitoring of organ function, including weights, vital signs, laboratory testing, and electrocardiogram, while providing nutritional support according to well-established protocols.

29. Mr. Ba Odah is 74.5 pounds and approximately half of his ideal body weight. Combined with his reported symptoms, this leaves no ambiguity about my concern for his health.

30. Given the severity of his current condition, moderate fluctuation in his weight would not alleviate my concern that he is at risk for serious medical complications. It is widely accepted that body weights below 70% of ideal body weight are considered medically dangerous because of increased risk of multiorgan dysfunction, life-threatening medical complications, and sudden death.

31. Specifically, the medical complications of chronic malnutrition are well described in the medical literature with which I am familiar from my own clinical experience treating patients with anorexia nervosa and other malnourished patients (hunger strikers, cancer, HIV, etc). These complications include hemodynamic instability (bradycardia, hypotension), arrhythmias (prolonged QT interval), volume depletion, metabolic alkalosis, liver inflammation, coagulopathy, bone marrow suppression, hypoglycemia, fall risk, gastroparesis and aspiration risk, cerebral atrophy and cognitive impairment, and osteoporosis. All organ systems can be affected by malnutrition, and damage can be irreversible. Death occurs by fatal heart arrhythmias, infection, or other organ failure.

32. Based on the information provided to me, Mr. Ba Odah is manifestly in a persistent state of decline, with expected diminished functioning. Mr. Ba Odah requires immediate medical evaluation and treatment. Clinical experience cautions that his continued malnutrition will begin to result in a dangerous spiraling effect.

33. In addition to his anticipated progressive malnutrition-driven decline, I must stress that in Mr. Ba Odah's precarious state, small insults such as injury, infection or fever can set off a fatal cascade of organ failure. His likely depleted organ functioning, diminished protein and fat stores, and vitamin deficiencies would make it extremely difficult for his body to respond to the stresses associated with commonplace infections in the way a healthy body would.

34. In addition, Mr. Ba Odah's symptomology, as described above, and his behavior as described by his counsel, can be explained by the known physical and neurocognitive derangements caused by malnutrition and described in the previous paragraph.



35. The reports of short-term memory loss and decreased concentration may be attributable to malnutrition, neurocognitive decline, vitamin deficiencies, depression, Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, or other organic or psychological etiologies. It is likely multifactorial and requires extensive evaluation.

36. In my experience, psychiatric illnesses are also to be expected in patients experiencing indefinite detention and who present with the other neurological and physical symptomology Mr. Ba Odah says he is experiencing. As a clinical matter, I would recommend an appropriate evaluation as a precaution.

37. Any vomiting and hematemesis Mr. Ba Odah experiences may be due to gastroparesis as a result of his chronic malnutrition. Gastroparesis is well described in the anorexia nervosa literature and occurs when food does not empty normally from the stomach because the muscles in the stomach are not contracting properly. Gastroparesis can cause symptoms of gas, bloating, abdominal discomfort, nausea, vomiting, and heartburn, and can result in decreased ability to absorb nutrients. These symptoms require a comprehensive GI evaluation.

### **Required Medical Intervention**

38. Medical protocol for someone presenting at Mr. Ba Odah's body weight with his current symptoms would be immediate hospitalization. He would need to be stabilized and monitored while nutritionally repleted to reduce the risk of the potentially life-threatening complications described above.

39. Standard of care for a patient in this weight category would dictate strict medical supervision in a hospital setting, and frequent monitoring to include: weights, vital signs, laboratory testing, and electrocardiographic monitoring. Laboratory evaluation should

include complete blood count with differential, electrolytes including calcium, PTH, liver function, albumin, prealbumin, kidney function, RPR, TSH, vitamin levels (B12, folate, thiamine, Vitamin D, A, C), and a comprehensive neurological and psychiatric evaluation. Further testing would be dictated by initial results.

40. Arriving at a prognosis for Mr. Ba Odah's recovery is complicated by the largely unprecedented length of his hunger strike and my inability to perform a physical examination and appropriate diagnostic tests. I stress that without examining Mr. Ba Odah, I cannot know the nature and extent of any underlying impairments he may suffer from. However, given the length of his hunger strike, his reported symptoms, and very low body weight, it would not be surprising if he has suffered long-term damage to his GI tract, which can be irreversible. It is also certainly possible that he has suffered long-term neurocognitive impairment. He will likely require long-term rehabilitation for muscle reconditioning, including physical therapy.

41. After ensuring Mr. Ba Odah is out of imminent medical crisis, which will be a delicate, time and care-intensive process, there are standard protocols for sensitive re-introduction of micronutrients, protein and calories. That is not to be accomplished by merely reintroducing solid food into the diet. Complications inherent to the resumption of feeding ("refeeding syndrome), the hallmarks of which include life-threatening electrolyte disturbances (rapid depletion of phosphate, potassium, and magnesium) and heart failure due to volume shifts and a weakened heart muscle. Put simply, Mr. Ba Odah's survival and rehabilitation are out of his hands. He most likely cannot recover by simply abandoning his hunger strike and introducing solid food in his diet.

42. At the same time, Mr. Ba Odah reports that he maintains no trust in the medical staff at Guantanamo and at times does not assent to treatment that would be provided there. In my extensive experience working with individuals in detention settings across the world, this phenomenon of mistrust is widely observed and understood.

43. A trust-based doctor-patient relationship is of paramount importance for treatment and recovery. In penal environments, this relationship is commonly strained if physicians are viewed as part of the guard force. The bond of trust with prisoner patients may be irrevocably damaged if physicians have been involved in coercive behavior, such as force-feeding. Mr. Ba Odah believes – not unreasonably in my opinion – that physicians at Guantanamo have been utilized as instruments of the guard force to coerce prisoners to “break the strike.” When this loss of trust occurs, patients will often not accept appropriate medical recommendations.

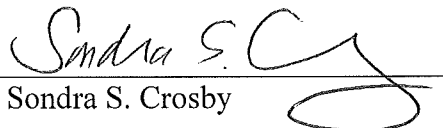
44. Because this is a widely observed and understood phenomenon, the medical profession has developed ethical standards to govern matters of patient mistrust of medical caregivers and the management of hunger strikers more broadly. The World Medical Association Declaration of Malta on Hunger Strikers, the authoritative source for medical ethical guidance as it relates to the treatment of hunger striking patients, instructs that when a doctor-patient relationship has been so compromised, the hunger-striking individual should be granted access to an outside independent physician of confidence.

45. In conclusion, based on the information I have been provided, it is my medical opinion that Mr. Ba Odah is seriously ill and at substantial risk for serious organ damage and/or death. His injuries may be permanent. It is my medical opinion that Mr. Ba Odah requires immediate medical evaluation and intervention to prevent further decline and

potential irreversible injury and eventual death. This treatment plan will require long-term monitoring, outpatient care and rehabilitation.

I declare under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: June 22, 2015  
Boston, Massachusetts

  
Dr. Sondra S. Crosby

### **Supporting Authorities**

1. Gaudani JL, Sabel AL, Mascolo M, Mehler PS. Severe Anorexia Nervosa: Outcomes from a Medical Stabilization Unit. *Int J Eat Disord.* 2010 Dec 10
2. World Medical Association Website. World Medical Association Declaration on Hunger Strikers (Declaration of Malta). <http://www.wma.net/en/30publications/10policies/h31/>. Revised October 14, 2006. Accessed September 16, 2014.
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# Exhibit 1

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**EDUCATION**

<u>Degree</u>	<u>Date Earned</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Location</u>
MD	June 1991	University of Washington School of Medicine	Seattle, WA
Pharm. D.	June 1986	University of Washington	Seattle, WA
BPharm	June 1984	Washington State University	Pullman, WA

**POST-DOCTORAL TRAINING**

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Period</u>
Boston City Hospital	Jr. and Sr. Residency	Boston, MA	1992 – 1994
Boston Medical Center	Internship, Medicine	Boston, MA	1991 – 1992
University of Washington Hospital	Post-doctoral Research Training Fellowship	Seattle, WA	1986 – 1987
University of Washington Hospital	Pharmacy Residency	Seattle, WA	1984 – 1986

**LICENSURE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Medical License Number 78422

**BOARD CERTIFICATION:**

<u>Certification</u>	<u>Year Received</u>
Diplomate, American Board of Internal Medicine	1995
Recertification	2011

**MILITARY SERVICE:**

Lt. Commander, Medical Corps, United States Navy December 2014 – present

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

<u>Title</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Period</u>
Associate Professor of Health Law, Bioethics and Human Rights	Boston University of Public Health, Boston, MA	June 2012-present
Associate Professor of Medicine	Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA	July 2007 – present
Assistant Professor of Health Law	Boston University School of Public Health, Boston, MA	September 2007 – June 2012
Assistant Professor of Medicine	Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA	1998 – 2007

Clinical Instructor in Medicine	Boston University School of Medicine, Boston MA	1994 – 1998
Affiliate Clinical Faculty Member, School of Pharmacy, Department of Pharmacy Practice	University of Washington Seattle, WA	June 1986 – August 1987

**HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS**

<u>Title</u>	<u>Institution /Employer</u>	<u>Period (Inclusive Dates)</u>
Co-Director and Co-Founder	Immigrant and Refugee Health Program, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA	2010-present
Director of Forensic Medicine	Global Lawyers and Physicians Boston, MA	2013-present
Co-Director	Boston Center for Refugee Health and Human Rights, Boston, MA	June 2007 – June 2009
Director of Medical Services	Boston Center for Refugee Health and Human Rights, Boston, MA	June 2001 – June 2009
Medical Director, Urgent Care Center	Section of General Internal Medicine, Boston, MA	July 1994 – June 2002
Emergency Room Staff	Metro West Medical Center Natick, MA	August 1993 – August 1998
Clinical Staff Pharmacist	Harborview Medical Center Seattle, WA	June 1984 – June 1991

**RESEARCH FUNDING**

<u>Title</u>	<u>Role / Effort</u>	<u>Date</u>
The African Women's Ujambo (Good Health) Initiative 3 Year Award Office of Minority Affairs # 1 BBCMP07-1002-01-00	Co –Investigator Salary 16826 + 4409	September 2007 – August 2010
Tauber Philanthropic Fund Grant #0246001, \$440,000	Co-PI (with Linda Piwowarczyk and Michael Grodin)	April 2007 – August 2010
Multidisciplinary Refugee Health and Human Rights Training Curriculum Department of Medicine Pilot Grant #01-499-90-243-1, \$15,000	PI	June 1,2007 – May 31, 2008
Boston Center for Refugee Health and Human Rights (UN Voluntary Torture Fund, Office of Refugee Resettlement)	Co-Investigator (20 % effort) PI: Linda Piwowarczyk, M.D., M.P.H	2001 – 2010
Acute HIV Study, Mass. Dept of Public Health	Co-Principal Investigator (7.5% effort) PI: Kenneth Freedberg	2000 – 2001
Project Link NIH Funded Grant # DA10792	Co-Investigator (12.5% effort) PI: Edward Bernstein, M.D.	2001

**SELECTED TEACHING ACTIVITIES:**

“Torture, Hunger Strikes, and Medical Ethics in the War on Terror”, Health Law, Bioethics, and Human Rights LW 840, Boston University School of Public Health, February 11, 2015.

“Medical Ethics at Guantanamo Bay Detention Center”, Health and Human Rights LW 740, Boston University School of Public Health, December 4. 2014.

“Global Mental Health: Trauma and Recovery”, Harvard Program in Refugee Trauma (HPRT), Harvard University, Cambridge MA. Presented in Orvieto and Porano Italy, November 9-21, 2014.



“Torture, Force Feeding, and Medical Complicity”, Health and Human Rights LW 740, Boston University School of Public Health, November 21, 2013.

“The Physician’s Role in the Prevention of Torture at US Detention Centers and Beyond”, Health Law, Bioethics, and Human Rights LW 840, Boston University Schools of Law and Public Health, March 20, 2013.

“Torture at U.S. Detention Centers, Hunger Strikes, and Physician Complicity” Health Law, Bioethics and Human Rights Seminar JD 954, Boston University School of Public Health, October 21, 2009, March 1, 2011, February 16, 2012.

“Advocacy for Immigrants and Refugees” Spectrum of Physician Advocacy Course, Boston University School of Medicine, February 16, 2011.

“The Intersection of Health and Human Rights in Daily Practice” MED MS129 Essentials of Public Health, Boston University School of Medicine, August 16, 2010.

“Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Primary Care Seminar Series, Evans Seminar Room, Boston Medical Center, September 14, 2009.

“Forensic Investigation of Torture at Abu Ghraib and Guantanamo: What We Now Know and Why it Matters” Advocacy Elective, Boston University School of Medicine, February 25, 2009.

“Forensic Investigation of Torture at Abu Ghraib and Guantanamo: What We Now Know and Why it Matters” Health Law, Bioethics and Human Rights Seminar JD 954, Boston University School of Public Health, February 18, 2009.

“Refugee Health and Human Rights: Moving from Clinical Care to Social Advocacy” Advocacy Elective, Boston University School of Medicine, March 5, 2008.

Co-development and implementation of a four week curriculum in Human Rights and Refugee Health for Primary Care Residents with Dr. Elizabeth J. Rourke, Boston University School of Medicine, 2007.

“Medical Care of Torture Survivors” Primary Care Seminar Series with Dr. Michael Paasche-Orlow, Boston Medical Center, January 30, 2006.

“Medical Care of Torture Survivors” Primary Care Seminar Series with Dr. Michael Grodin, Boston Medical Center, September 5, 2002

## **REGIONAL, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL INVITED LECTURES**

Safi O, Norman J, **Crosby SS**. “Medical Ethics and Hunger Strikes at Guantanamo Bay Detention Center” The Human Rights Center at the Kenan Institute for Ethics, Duke University, Durham NC, February 5, 2015.

**Crosby SS**. “Medical Ethics at Guantanamo Bay Detention Center” Interdisciplinary Humanities Center of the University of California Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, January 16, 2014.

**Crosby SS**. “Medical and Psychological Evaluations in Asylum Seekers” Representing Asylum Seekers, Massachusetts Continuing Legal Education, Civil Legal Advocacy Series, MCLE Conference Center (Program 2140070WBC) October 28, 2013, Boston, MA.

Fujio C, **Crosby SS**, Restrepo R, Beriashvili R, Elliott I, Collins S. “Forensic Medical Evaluations: A Multidisciplinary Training” Physicians for Human Rights and Preventing Sexual Violence Initiative (PSVI) UK October 21-25, 2013, Amman, Jordan

Kivlahan C, Fujio C, **Crosby SS**, Shidlo A, Khedr R, Elliott I, Collins S. “Foundations for Medical Evaluations Physicians for Human Rights and Preventing Sexual Violence Initiative” (PSVI) UK, August 12-16, 2013, Amman, Jordan

Fujio C, **Crosby SS**, Beriashvili R, Restrepo R. “Istanbul Protocol Training on the effective Medical-legal Documentation of Torture and Ill treatment in Kazakhstan” Soros Foundation Kazakhstan, Kazakhstan International Bureau for Human Rights and Rule of Law, and Physicians for Human Rights. May 27-29, 2013, Almaty, Kazakhstan

Iacopino V, Fujio C Moreno A, **Crosby SS**, Beriashvili R, Ahmed A, Restrepo R. “Middle East-North Africa Regional Istanbul Protocol Training on the Effective Medical Documentation of Torture and Ill Treatment” Physicians for Human Rights. May 20-24, 2013. Istanbul, Turkey

**Crosby SS**. “Using Science and Medicine to Stop Human Rights Violations” Medical Grand Rounds, Lenox Hill Hospital, NY, NY, November 16, 2012

Iacopino V, Moreno A, Crosby S, Khalitova E, Korzhova O. "Istanbul Protocol Training on the Effective Medical Documentation of Torture and Ill Treatment in Tajikistan" Open Society Institute – Tajikistan And Physicians for Human Rights, Dushanbe, Tajikistan, October 27-29, 2012

Moreno A, **Crosby SS**. "Istanbul Protocol Training on the Effective Medical Documentation of Torture and Ill Treatment" Union of Syrian Medical Relief Organizations & Physicians for Human Rights, Reyhanli, Turkey October 20-23, 2012

Iacopino V, Moreno A, **Crosby SS**, Khalitova E. "The Role of the Independent Forensic Medical and Psychological Examination on Investigation of Torture and Cruel, Inhuman, and Degrading Treatment" The Open Society Foundation and Physicians for Human Rights. Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan, February 20-22, 2012

**Crosby SS**. "Caring for Refugees, Asylees, and Immigrants with HIV Infection" AIDS Seminar, Dartmouth Medical School/Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center, Lebanon NH, February 16, 2012

Iacopino V, Moreno A, **Crosby SS**, Xenakis SN. "Istanbul Protocol Training on the Effective Medical Documentation of Torture and Ill Treatment in Central Asia" The Open Society Foundation and Physicians for Human Rights, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan, December 4-6, 2011

**Crosby SS**. "Caring for Refugees, Asylees, and Immigrants with HIV Infection" National Webinar, Refugee Health Technical Assistance Program, Refugee and Immigrant Health Program, Massachusetts Department of Public Health, funded by the Office of Refugee Resettlement, DHHS, November 30, 2011

**Crosby SS**. "Bahrain: Independent Commission of Inquiry and Medical Neutrality" Institute of Medicine, Biannual Meeting of the Committee on Human Rights, National Academy of Sciences, Keck Center, Washington DC, October 18, 2011

**Crosby SS**. "Coming to Terms with Torture: Acknowledging the Past to Enable the Future" Institute of Medicine, Committee on Human Rights, Crystal Gateway Marriott, Arlington, VA, October 17, 2011

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Evaluation of Asylum Seekers" Interviewing Survivors of Torture, Asylum Officer Basic Training Course, National Conference Center, Lansdowne, VA, August 12, 2011

**Crosby SS**. "Caring for Refugees, Asylum Seekers, and Immigrants with HIV Infection" New England AIDS Education and Training Center, Multi-cultural AIDS Coalition, "Serving Sub-Saharan African Immigrants: Cultural Considerations for Clinical Care and HIV Screening, Prevention and Care" University of New England, Biddeford, Maine, April 29, 2011

**Crosby SS**. "Immigrant and Refugee Health" Seventh Annual Public Health Leadership Forum "Global Health Matters for Massachusetts" Massachusetts Medical Society and Harvard School of Public Health, Massachusetts Medical Society, Waltham, MA, April 27, 2011

Sirkin, S, **Crosby SS**, Eisa MA. "Violence against Women in Sudan and Chad: The Continuum from Clinical Work to Advocacy" Physicians for Human Rights National Student Conference, Tufts University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, February 12, 2011

**Crosby SS**. "A 48 year old Somali woman with chronic debilitating symptoms: Understanding the health care needs of an immigrant patient" Clinical Crossroads: Medicine Grand Rounds, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, MA, January 13, 2011

**Crosby SS**. "Nowhere to Turn: Failure to Protect, Support and Assure Justice for Darfuri Women" PHR National Student Program Director Regional Advocacy Institute, Tufts University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, December 4, 2010

**Crosby SS**. "Nowhere to Turn: Failure to Protect, Support and Assure Justice for Darfuri Women" Humanism and Professionalism in Medicine Series, Drexel University College of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA, November 23, 2010

**Crosby SS**. "Trauma and Interpersonal Violence in Refugee and Immigrant Women" Regis College Leadership Series on Health, Preventing Violence Against Women, Regis College, Weston, MA, November 17, 2010

Green D, Rosenfeld B, Rasmussen A, Sachs, E, **Crosby SS**. "Torture as a Forensic Issue" International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 26th Annual Meeting, Montréal, Québec, Canada, November 4, 2010

**Crosby SS**. "The Current Humanitarian Crisis Created by the War on Terror: A Call to Action" Preserving Medical Professionalism in National Security Detention Centers: A Conference of the Open Society Institute and the Institute on Medicine as a Profession, Center on Medicine as a Profession, Washington DC, September 24, 2010

**Crosby SS.** “Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers” Representing Asylum Seekers, Massachusetts Continuing Legal Education, Civil Legal Advocacy Series, MCLE Conference Center, Seminar, Broadcast Nationally: West Legal Education Center, Boston, MA, March 24, 2010

Allen S, **Crosby SS.** “Physicians’ Role in Torture” Brown University School of Medicine, Providence, RI, February 26, 2010

**Crosby SS.** “The Consequences of Torture at U.S. Detention Centers, Hunger Strikes, and Physician Complicity” Preserving Medical Professionalism in National Security Detention Centers: A Conference of the Open Society Institute and the Institute on Medicine as a Profession, Columbia University, NY, NY, December 14, 2009

**Crosby SS.** “The Intersection of Health and Human Rights in Daily Practice” 2009 Physicians for Human Rights Northeast Regional Advocacy Institute, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, November 7, 2009

**Crosby SS.** “The Use of Integrative Medicine to Care for Refugees and Survivors of Torture” BUILDING NESTT: Working with Survivors of Torture, National Partnership for Community Training, Main Street Landing Performing Arts Center, Burlington, VT, September 24, 2009

**Crosby SS.** “Physical Findings and Documentation in Torture Survivors” BUILDING NESTT: Working with Survivors of Torture, National Partnership for Community Training, Main Street Landing Performing Arts Center, Burlington, VT, September 24, 2009

Reeves Eric, **Crosby SS,** Cleto Rial Sarah. “The Ongoing Crisis in Darfur” Land Hall, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Boston, MA, August 5, 2009

**Crosby SS.** “Using Medical and Psychological Evaluations” Representing Asylum Seekers, Massachusetts Continuing Legal Education, Civil Legal Advocacy Series, MCLE Conference Center, Seminar # 2090167WLE, Broadcast Nationally: West Legal Education Center, Boston, MA, March 25, 2009

**Crosby SS.** “Forensic Investigation of Torture at Abu Ghraib and Guantanamo: What We Now Know and Why it Matters” Internal Medicine Resident Conference, University of Utah Health Sciences, Salt Lake City, Utah, October 31, 2008

**Crosby SS.** “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” University of Utah Redwood Health Clinic, Salt Lake City Utah, October 30, 2008

**Crosby SS.** “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Medical Grand Rounds, University of Utah Health Sciences, Salt Lake City, Utah, October 30, 2008

**Crosby SS.** “Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers” Representing Asylum Seekers, Massachusetts Continuing Legal Education, Civil Legal Advocacy Series, MCLE Conference Center, Boston, MA, March 26, 2008

Grodin MA, **Crosby SS,** “Force Feeding and Hunger Strikes” Interdisciplinary Workshop on Medical Professionals, Interrogations, and Hunger Strikes, Harvard Law School Human Rights Program, Cambridge, MA, January 26, 2008

**Crosby SS.** “Caring for Refugee, Asylum Seeker, and Immigrant Women with HIV” Keynote Address, Refugee Women and HIV: Prevention, Diagnosis, and Clinical Care Issues, Brown University AIDS Program, Providence Marriott Courtyard, Providence, RI, June 6, 2007

**Crosby SS.** “Caring for Refugees and Torture Survivors with HIV” New England AIDS Education and Training Center, Worcester Family Health Center, Worcester, MA, May 18, 2007

**Crosby SS.** “Caring for Refugee, Asylum Seeking, and Immigrant Women with HIV” Colorado AIDS Education and Training Center, Clinical Care of HIV-Infected Women Conference, Holiday Inn Select, Denver, Colorado, April 27, 2007

**Crosby SS.** “Caring for Refugee, Asylum Seeking, and Immigrant Women with HIV” Infectious Disease Grand Rounds, University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, Denver, Colorado, April 26, 2007

**Crosby SS.** “Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers” Representing Asylum Seekers, Massachusetts Continuing Legal Education, Civil Legal Advocacy Series, MCLE Conference Center, Boston, MA, March 21, 2007

**Crosby SS.** “Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers” Representing Asylum Seekers, Massachusetts Continuing Legal Education, Civil Legal Advocacy Series, MCLE Conference Center, Boston, MA, Seminar # 2060265P01, Broadcast Nationally: West Legal Education Center, March 23, 2006

**Crosby SS**, Rous D. “Medical Care of HIV-Infected Refugees” New England AIDS Education and Training Center, Holyoke Health Center, Holyoke, MA, October 18, 2005

**Crosby SS**, Rous D. “Care of Refugees, Asylum Seekers, and Asylees Infected with HIV” Boston AIDS Consortium. Bringing it Home: Mobilizing and Creating Change, A Conference in HIV/AIDS in Communities of Color, Best Western Royal Plaza, Marlborough, MA September 15, 2005

**Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors with HIV” AIDS Seminar Series, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center, Lebanon, NH, March 14, 2005

Crosby, SS. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors with HIV” Refugee and Immigrant Health: The Full Clinical Spectrum, Sponsored by AIDS Education and Training Center for NH, NHDH, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Regional HIV Program, Manchester Health Department, Manchester, NH, February 2, 2005

**Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Department of Medicine Grand Rounds, Albany Medical College, Albany NY, March 28, 2003

**Crosby SS**. “View from the front lines – challenges facing providers caring for newcomer communities” Northeast TB Controllers Meeting, Nantucket MA, October 27-29, 2002

**Crosby SS**. “Meeting the Health and Access to Care Needs of Refugee Women” Conference on Refugee Women’s Health, Massachusetts Medical Society Refugee and Immigrant Health Program, Mass Department of Public Health, Waltham, MA, April 3, 2002

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Kimball S, **Crosby SS**, Annas GJ. “We tortured some folks”: Physicians and Lawyers at the Post 9/11 CIA Black Sites, Department of Medicine Grand Rounds, Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, February 27, 2015

**Crosby SS**, Grodin MA, Annas GJ. “The Role of Physicians, Psychologists, and health Care Providers in Post 9/11 Torture: A Forum on the US Senate’s Committee Study of the CIA’s Interrogation Program”, Boston University School of Medicine, Boston MA, December 16, 2014

**Crosby SS**. “Working with Traumatized Clients and Using Medical and Psychological Evaluations” PAIR Pro bono Attorney Training, McCarter and English, LLP, Boston, MA, July 15, 2014

**Crosby SS**. “Victims of Torture” Keynote speaker, GNEC International Association of Forensic Nursing Conference, Newton Wellesley Hospital, Newton, MA, November 8, 2013

**Crosby SS**. “Public Health at Guantanamo Bay Prison” Boston University School of Public Health, Public Health Forum, Boston, MA, September 11, 2013

Crosby, SS. “Medical Documentation of Torture and Ill Treatment” Office of the Chief Medical Examiner Grand Rounds, Boston, MA, October 4, 2012

**Crosby SS**. “Working with Traumatized Clients and Using Medical and Psychological Evaluations” PAIR Pro bono Attorney Training, Goodwin and Procter, LLP, Boston, MA, May 2, 2012

**Crosby SS**, Waldorf B. “Refugee Health Part II: Screening and Vaccinations” Section of General Internal Medicine Grand Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, April 11, 2012

**Crosby SS**. “Working with your Asylum Client and Using Medical Evaluations” Representing Asylum Seekers, AILA/PAIR/EOIR Pro Bono Attorney Training, JFK Federal Building, Boston, MA, May 13, 2011

**Crosby SS**, Annas GJ. “War on Terror” Medical Ethics in Detention Facilities Part II: Identifying and Caring for Victims of Torture and Abuse” Department of Medicine Grand Rounds, Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, May 6, 2011

**Crosby SS**. Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers” Northeastern University School of Law, Boston, MA, April 11, 2011

**Crosby SS**. “A 48 year old Somali woman with chronic debilitating symptoms: Understanding the health care needs of an immigrant patient” Section of General Internal Medicine Grand Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, March 9, 2011

**Crosby SS**. “Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers” PAIR Pro bono Attorney Training, Ropes and Gray LLP, Boston, MA, November 10, 2010

Annas GJ, **Crosby SS**, Grodin MA, Apovian C, Allen S. "Hunger Strikers and Physicians: A Discussion of Why One Year After the Walsh Report, Force Feeding of Hunger Strikers Continue, What Can and Should Be Done, and an Agenda for Action." Boston University School of Public Health, Global Lawyers and Physicians, Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, February 23, 2010

**Crosby SS**. "Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers" Northeastern University School of Law, Boston, MA, January 20, 2010

**Crosby SS**, Annas GJ. "Forensic Investigation of Torture at Abu Ghraib and Guantanamo: What We Now Know and Why it Matters" Department of Medicine Grand Rounds, Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, September 26, 2008

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Care of Refugees and Asylum Seekers" Family Medicine Grand Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, April 1, 2008

**Crosby SS**. "Physician Expert Witness Perspective in Asylum Cases" Immigration Law Committee, Boston Bar Association, Boston, MA, November 29, 2007

**Crosby SS**. "Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers" PAIR Pro bono Attorney Training, Ropes and Gray LLP, Boston MA, October 29, 2007

Resick P, Shuster L, **Crosby SS**. "Perspectives on PTSD in our Patients" Family Medicine Ground Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, September 18, 2007

**Crosby SS**, "Interpreting for Survivors of Torture" Interpreter Services In-Service, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, September 6, 2007

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Care of Torture Survivors" Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, June 4, 2007

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Care of Torture Survivors" Primary Care Grand Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, May 21, 2007

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Care of Torture Survivors" Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, April 16, 2007

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**Crosby SS**, Rous D. "Caring for Refugees and Torture Survivors with HIV" Boston Center for Refugee Health and Human Rights Grand Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, February 16, 2007

**Crosby SS**, Rous D. "Caring for Refugees and Torture Survivors with HIV" Center for Infectious Disease Conference, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, February 14, 2007

**Crosby SS**, Grodin MA. "Doctors and Torture at Guantanamo Bay" Section of General Internal Medicine Grand Rounds, Department of Medicine, Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, January 31, 2007

**Crosby SS**, Rous D. "HIV and Immigration: A Clinical Perspective" World AIDS Day: Conversations for Change: Where We've Been and Where We're Going, UMASS, Boston Campus, Boston, MA, November 28, 2006

**Crosby SS**. "Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers" PAIR Pro bono Attorney Training, Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris, Glovsky & Popeo PC, Boston MA, October 4, 2006

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Issues During Ramadan" Primary Care Clinic, Boston Medical Center, Boston MA, September 29, 2006

**Crosby SS**. "Refugee Health Screening" Primary Care Clinic, Boston Medical Center, Boston MA, August 11, 2006

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Care of Torture Survivors" Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, June 19, 2006

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Care of Torture Survivors" Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, May 8, 2006

**Crosby SS**. "Think HIV: Missed Diagnosis in an Ethiopian Man" Primary Care Clinic, Boston Medical Center, Boston MA, April 19, 2006

**Crosby SS**. "Medical Care of Torture Survivors" Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, April 10, 2006

- Crosby SS**, Rous D. “Medical Care of HIV-Infected Refugees” S.P.A.R.K Center (Supporting Parents and Resilient Kids), Mattapan, MA, March 15, 2006
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Torture Survivors” Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, March 13, 2006
- Crosby SS**, Rous D. “Medical Care of HIV-Infected Refugees” New England AIDS Education and Training Center, Dimock Community Health Center, Roxbury, MA, January 18, 2006
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Primary Care Conference, Upham’s Corner Health Center, Dorchester, MA, January 13, 2006
- Crosby SS**. “Medical and Psychological Issues in Asylum Seekers” PAIR Pro bono Attorney Training, Ropes and Gray LLP, Boston MA, November 8, 2005
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Evaluation of Asylum Seekers” Doctors for Global Health, Jamaica Plain, MA, November 5, 2005
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Primary Care Conference, Dorchester House Multi-Service Center, Dorchester, MA, October 17, 2005
- Crosby SS**, Rous D. “Medical Care of HIV-Infected Refugees” New England AIDS Education and Training Center, Codman Square Health Center, Dorchester, MA, August 5, 2005
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Torture Survivors” Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, June 8, 2005
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Torture Survivors” Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, May 23, 2005
- Crosby SS**. “Women’s Health and Human Rights” World Health Month, Sponsored by the SLI Diversity Council, The Refugee and Immigrant Health Program, and the Division of Tuberculosis Prevention and Control, Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Boston, MA, May 9, 2005
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Torture Survivors” Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, April 15, 2005
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Boston Health Care for the Homeless Program, Barbara McInnis House, Jamaica Plain, MA, April 5, 2005
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Torture Survivors” Ambulatory Teaching Rounds, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, March 22, 2005
- Crosby SS**, Rous D. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors with HIV” Sponsored by the Massachusetts DPH Refugee and Immigrant Health Program, Lynn Community Health Center, Lynn, MA, July 8, 2004
- Crosby SS**, Rous D. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors with HIV” Sponsored by the Massachusetts DPH Refugee and Immigrant Health Program, Great Valley Brook Health Center, Worcester, MA, June 17, 2004
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Primary Care Grand Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, April 29, 2004
- Crosby SS**. “Refugee Health Assessment” Boston Center for Refugee Health and Human Rights Grand Rounds, Boston, MA, April 29, 2004
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” BMC Center for HIV/AIDS Care and Research Lecture Series, Boston, MA, January 8, 2004
- Crosby SS**. “Providing cross-cultural care: from the front lines” HIV/AIDS Awareness Week, Closing ceremony, Boston University School of Public Health, Boston, MA, August 14, 2003
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Primary Care Grand Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, June 3, 2003
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors” Dowling Amphitheater. Emergency Medicine Conference, Boston, MA, July 23, 2002
- Crosby SS**. “Caring for Refugees and Torture Survivors in Primary Care” In-service for Nursing Staff – Primary Care Team 1, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, April 26, 2002
- Crosby SS**. “Medical Care of Refugees and Torture Survivors.” Primary Care Grand Rounds, Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA, April 18, 2002

**NATIONAL MEETINGS: ORAL AND POSTER PRESENTATIONS:**

- Crosby SS.** “Beyond Deliberate Indifference: An Internist’s Experience with the Consequences of Ignored Mental Illness in the World’s Highest Security Prison”, XXXIVth International Congress on Law and Mental Health, panel, Vienna, Austria, July 13, 2015
- Annas GD, Xenakis SN, Annas GJ, **Crosby SS.** “Human Rights, American Values, and Forced Feeding at GTMO”, American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, 45th Annual Meeting, panel, Chicago Marriott Downtown, Chicago, IL, October 26, 2014
- Hurst J, Corey MT, **Crosby SS,** Rourke E. “Caring for Refugees and Asylum Seekers: Refugee Primary Care and Forensic Documentation within an Internal Medicine Residency Curriculum”, Society of General Internal Medicine 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, April 25, 2014
- Hurst J, Corey MT, **Crosby SS,** Rourke E. “Caring for Refugees and Asylum Seekers: Refugee Primary Care and Forensic Documentation within an Internal Medicine Residency Curriculum”, New England Society of General Internal Medicine Regional Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, March 2014
- Waldorf B, Gill C, **Crosby SS.** “Assessing adherence to accepted national guidelines for immigrant and refugee screening and vaccines in an urban primary care practice: A retrospective chart review”, 140th APHA Annual Meeting, oral presentation, San Francisco, CA, October 29, 2012
- Highfield ES, Lama P, Grodin MA, Kaptchuk T, **Crosby SS.** “Acupuncture and Traditional Chinese Medicine for Survivors of Torture and Refugee Trauma: A Descriptive Report” One-Day Research Symposium in Integrative Medicine and Health, Consortium of Academic Health Centers for Integrative Medicine, Los Angeles, CA, October 26, 2011
- Di Loreto C, Mohan S, **Crosby SS,** Spiegel J. “Head and Neck Sequelae of Torture” The Triological Society 2009 Meetings, Eastern Section Meeting, Boston, MA, January 24, 2009
- Levison JH, Grodin MA, **Crosby SS.** “The Hunger Striker: Physician Advocacy at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba” Society of General Internal Medicine, 30th Annual Meeting, Toronto, Canada, April 27, 2007
- Singh HK, Henshaw M, Scott T, Piwowarczyk L, Grodin M, **Crosby SS.** “Oral health status of Asylum Seekers” American Public Health Association 134<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, November 8, 2006
- Crosby SS,** Levison J, Grodin M. “Public Health Advocacy at Guantanamo Bay” American Public Health Association 134<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, November 7, 2006
- Shah N, Scudiere R, Grodin M, **Crosby SS.** “Primary Care Challenges in a Former Slave” Society of General Internal Medicine, 29th Annual Meeting, Los Angeles CA, April 28, 2006
- Ariza MA, Piwowarczyk L, Paasche-Orlow MK, **Crosby SS.** “Debilitating Pain in a Somali.” Society of General Internal Medicine, 29th Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, April 27, 2006
- Ariza MA, Piwowarczyk L, Paasche-Orlow MK, **Crosby SS.** “Debilitating Pain in a Somali.” New England Society of General Internal Medicine Regional Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, March 24, 2006
- Rourke E, **Crosby SS,** Levison J, Grodin M. “Caring for Refugee Patients: A Proposed Four-Week Resident Rotation.” New England Society of General Internal Medicine Regional Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, March 24, 2006
- Singh H, Henshaw M, Scott T, Piwowarczyk L, Grodin MA, **Crosby SS.** “Dental Health Status of Asylum Seekers at the Boston Center for Refugee Health and Human Rights” American Association of Public Health Dentistry, National Oral Health Conference, Abstract #24, Pittsburgh, PA, May 2005
- Crosby SS,** Norredam M, Carroll J, Piwowarczyk L, Paasche-Orlow M, Grodin MA. “Prevalence of Torture Survivors among Foreign-Born Patients at an Urban Ambulatory Care Practice” Society of General Internal Medicine, 27th Annual Meeting, JGIM 2004; 19 (1): 198, Chicago, IL, May 15, 2004
- Rourke EJ, **Crosby SS,** Paasche-Orlow MK, Grodin MA. “Falanga: An Unexpected Cause of Peripheral Neuropathy” Society of General Internal Medicine, 27th Annual Meeting, JGIM 2004; 19 (1):48. Chicago, IL, May 14, 2004
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- Rourke EJ, **Crosby SS,** Paasche-Orlow MK, Grodin MA. “Falanga: An Unexpected Cause of Peripheral Neuropathy” New England SGIM Regional Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, March 5, 2004

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Moreno A, **Crosby SS**, Labelle C, Sullivan M., Samet JH. "Health Assessment of HIV-Infected Refugees" Society of General Internal Medicine, 25th Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, May 2-4, 2002

Pincus JM, **Crosby SS**, Losina E, King E, Vidrih J, Freedberg K. "Undiagnosed Primary and Chronic HIV Infection: Prevalence and Predictors in an Urgent Care Setting" Society of General Internal Medicine, 24th Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, May 2-5, 2001

Barry MA, **Crosby SS**. "A foodborne outbreak of group A beta hemolytic streptococcal pharyngitis caused by Portuguese fish salad" Infectious Diseases Society of America 34th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, September 1996

Kessler SC, **Crosby SS**, Feigin G. "Two on the light side" American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN, February, 1996

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**Crosby SS**, Grodin MA, Jacobsen E. "Cross-Cultural Medicine" Training for Boston Medical Center medical residents, Boston, MA, September 29, 2004

**Crosby SS**, Goldman A, Piwowarczyk L. "Refugees and Asylum Seekers: Serving the Needs of Survivors of Sexual Violence" Exploring the Dynamics of Diversity in Working to End Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence, Jane Doe Inc., The Massachusetts Coalition Against Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence, Holiday Inn, Worcester MA, June 22, 2004

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**Crosby SS**, Nuciforo SJ. "Developing an Ambulatory Curriculum-Ambulatory Morning Report, A Learner-Centered Approach", Generalist Physician Initiative, Robert Wood Johnson 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Program Meeting, La Jolla, CA, January 1999

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Gold Humanism Honor Society	November 2006
Society of General Internal Medicine 2004 Clinical Vignette Award	May 2004
Merck Award for Recognition of Clinical Achievement	June 1991
Ciba-Geigy Award for Pharm. D. Excellence	July 1986
Rho Chi, Pharmacy Honorary Society, member	May 1983
Phi Kappa Phi, National Honorary Society, member	May 1982

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Expert witness on force feeding, Superior Court Judicial District of Hartford, Docket No. HHDCV-08-4034912-S, Theresa C. Lantz Commissioner, DOC v William B. Cole	February 10, 2009
Consultant to the Federal Public Defender [United States of America v. Francois Karake, Criminal Action No. 02-0256(ESH)] District of Columbia	December 2005 – June 2006
Consultant to Paul, Weiss Law Firm; review of medical records of detainees held at the U.S. Naval Base in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; <i>Al Joudi v. Bush</i> , 05- 301 (GK) (DDC) NY, NY	2005

**NATIONAL COMMITTEES/MEETINGS**

Medical Care and Medical Ethics at Guantanamo, A conference co-sponsored by The Constitution Project and Global Lawyers and Physicians at Boston University, National Academies of Sciences, Washington DC, Co-chairman, December 2, 2013

Presentation and Participant, Defense Health Board, Medical Ethics Subcommittee, Arlington, VA, November 7, 2013

Medical Ethics and Practice Challenges of Hunger Strikes in US and Military Prisons, Institute of Medicine, Keck Center, Washington DC, Co-chairman, April 8, 2013

Open Society Institute/ Institute on Medicine as a Profession (OSI/IMAP) Task Force (A Group of 21 experts to identify remedial measures to preserve medical professionalism in national security detention settings), January 2010-2012

Presentation and Participant, Defense Health Board, Medical Ethics Subcommittee, Rockville, MD, December 2, 2010

Participant, Military Medical Ethics Symposium, TRICARE Management Activity, Falls Church, VA, January 25, 2008

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Forensic Evaluations: Greater than 300 affidavits documenting physical and psychological torture in asylum seekers and others alleging abuse 2001 – present

Letter to Senators in support of National Defense Authorization Act November 19, 2013  
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“Life as an Immigrant: Reflections from Boston Medical Center” Co-presenter Samantha Morton, The First Church in Belmont, Belmont, MA, February 27, 2011

Massachusetts Coalition to Save Darfur delegation for lobbying visit with Senator Scott Brown’s staff, JFK Building, Boston MA, October 20, 2010

Panelist, Accountability Now: Ending Torture Forever. National Religious Campaign Against Torture. National City Christian Church, Washington DC, June 25, 2010

Capitol Hill Briefing on Sexual Violence in Sudan/Chad (convened by Physicians for Human Rights), Washington DC, October 28, 2009

“Nowhere to Turn: The Women of Darfur” Co-presenter Lin Piwowarczyk, Thomas Crane Public Library, Quincy, MA, August 10, 2009

“Darfur Refugees in Chad” Co-presenter Karen Hirshfeld, Presentation to the Coalition for a Strong United Nations, Cambridge, MA, May 14, 2009

“Darfur Refugees in Chad” Co-presenter Karen Hirschfeld, Grey Nuns Ecology Justice and Peace Committee, Lexington, MA, April 19, 2009

Panelist, Immigration and the Health of the Latino GLBT Community, AIDS Action Committee, Latino Pride 07, MALE Center, Boston MA, May 17, 2007

“Some Thoughts on Things Every Pre-Adoptive Parent Ought to Know and Every Homestudy and Placement Agency Ought to Teach” 34th Annual New England Adoption Conference, Milford High School, Milford, MA, April 28, 2007

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Panel member, “Seven Things Parents Who Adopted Internationally Wished Their Adoption Agency Had Told Them.” 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual New England Adoption Conference, Bellingham High School, Bellingham, MA, April 8, 2006

Panelist, The Ignacio Martin-Baro Fund for Mental Health and Human Rights. “Involvement by Mental Health Professionals in Military Interrogations at Guantanamo Bay and Abu Ghraib.” Weston School of Theology, Cambridge MA, November 13, 2005

Speaker, Press Conference, “Negative Health Effects of Detention on Asylum Seekers.” National Lawyer’s Guild, Massachusetts Chapter, Detention Working Group, June 29, 2005

Taught “Preventative Health Class.” to newcomer Somali Women, Somali Development Center. Jamaica Plain, MA, June 9, 2005

Panel member, “Helping Survivors of Torture.” Brigham and Women’s Hospital Primary Care Program, Milton, MA, April 21, 2005

“Lessons from my pig, Winnie.” Sermon, First Parish Unitarian Universalist Church of Arlington. Arlington, MA, April 17, 2005

Panel member, The Boston Schweitzer Fellows Symposium, “Breaking the Silence: Exploring Access to Health Care Services for Undocumented Immigrants.” Boston University School of Medicine, Hiebert Lounge, Boston, MA, April 5, 2005

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Co-leader of panel: “Fortress America: The plight of refugees and asylum seekers.” Second Annual New England Summit on Comprehensive Immigration Reform, Tufts New England Medical Center, Boston, MA, February 12, 2005

Volunteer medical mission to Guatemala, July 10-17, 2004

Presentation to congressional luncheon in support of an amendment to law governing treatment of green card applicants who are HIV positive, May 19, 2004

Led “Health and Well-being.” workshop for Somali community at the Somali National Week 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference in Roxbury, MA, June 27, 2003

Discussed Health Care and Asylum Issues with Tibetan Community at Swedenborg Chapel, Cambridge, MA, August 2001

Addressed Congregation on Martin L. King Day, First Parish Unitarian Universalist Church, Canton, MA, January 4, 2001

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Boston Center for Refugee Health and Human Rights	2001 – 2008
Refugee and Immigrant Health Program (RIHP), Bureau of Communicable Disease Control, Massachusetts Department of Public Health	2006 - present
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