



**THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO
CHILD HEALTH RESEARCH SIGNATURE PROGRAM (CHRSP) &
BRAIN & BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INSTITUTE (BBHI)**

SCIENCE SEMINAR

Monday, May 8, 12-1 pm

In-Person • College of Pharmacy Room B 15

Bring your own Lunch

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INVITED SPEAKER

Julie M. Croff, PhD, MPH

**Associate Director & Co-Director of Administrative Core,
Center for Integrative Research on Childhood Adversity &
Professor, Department of Rural Health, Oklahoma State
University Center for Health Sciences, Tulsa**

“Bio-behavioral Approaches to Studying Adverse and Protective Childhood Experiences”

Dr. Croff’s research focuses on periconceptual and perinatal health behaviors among diverse cohorts of women. She will discuss how adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) significantly increase the likelihood of physical and mental health problems. Robust and accurate measurement of biological and behavioral mechanisms will improve understanding of risk and protective mechanisms. This presentation will emphasize the state of knowledge adverse and protective childhood experiences, and suggest promising and novel methodologies for extending the study of biological and behavioral mechanisms of action.

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