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Education:

2008 BS *summa cum laude*, Liberal Arts & Sciences, Chemistry & Anthropology,
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
2012 MA Anthropology, Washington University in St. Louis
2009-present MD/PhD Candidate, Anthropology, Washington University in St. Louis

Research:

2009-2015 Doctoral Dissertation: "A Poor Woman's Disease": An Ethnography of Cervical Cancer and
Global Health in Guatemala"
Advisor: Dr. Bradley Stoner, Dept. of Anthropology, Washington University in St. Louis
2013-2014 Consultant, Edesia Nutrition Inc.
2011-present Research Director, Maya Health Alliance, Guatemala
2008-2009 Intern, Child Nutrition Programming, Maya Health Alliance, Guatemala

Selected Honors and Awards:

2016 Alpha Omega Alpha Inductee, Washington University School of Medicine
2014 Bouchet Fellow, Edward A. Bouchet Graduate Honor Society
2014 Spencer T. & Ann W. Olin Medical Science Fellow, Washington University in St. Louis
2012-2015 Spencer T. Olin Graduate Fellowship for Women, Washington University in St. Louis
2010 Class of 2003 Award, Washington University School of Medicine

Publications:

1. Flood D, Mathieu I, Chary A, Garcia P, Rohloff P. Perceptions and utilization of generic medicines in Guatemala: A mixed-methods study with physicians and pharmacy staff. *BMC Health Services Research*, in press.
2. Chary A, Book Review: Anthropologies of Cancer in Transnational Worlds. *Medical Anthropology Quarterly*, in press
3. Moore JS, Webb MF, Chary A, Kraemer Díaz A, Rohloff P. Aid and gendered subjectivity in rural Guatemala. *Journal of Development Studies*, in press.
4. Chary A, Flood D, Austad K, Moore J, King N, Martinez B, García P, Lopez W, Dasgupta-Tsikinas S, Rohloff P. Navigating Bureaucracy: Accompanying Indigenous Maya Patients with Complex Healthcare Needs in Guatemala. *Human Organization* 2016;75(4):305-314.
5. Webb MF, Chary A, de Vries T, Davis S, Dykstra M, Flood D, Rhodes M, Rohloff P. Exploring Mechanisms of Food Insecurity in Indigenous Agricultural Communities in Guatemala: A Mixed Methods Study. *BMC Nutrition* 2016;2(1):1-11.
6. Austad K, Chary A, Colom A, Barillas R, Luna D, Menjívar C, Metz B, Ruch A, Petrocy A, Rohloff P. Fertility Awareness Methods Are Not Modern Contraceptives: Defining Contraception to Reflect Our Priorities. *Global Health Science & Practice* 2016;4(2):342-345.
7. Chary A, Sargent C. Blending Western Biomedicine with Local Healing Practices. *American Medical Association Journal of Medical Ethics* 2016;18(7):691-697.
8. Flood D, Chary A, Austad K, Kraemer Diaz A, Garcia P, Martinez B, Lopez W, Rohloff P. Insights into Global Health Practice from the Agile Software Design Movement. *Global Health Action* 2016; 9:29836.
9. Chary A. Structural Inequalities in the Hospital System: Rural and Indigenous Women's Experiences

of Cervical Cancer Treatment in Guatemala. *Revue Sociologie Santé – Santé Reproductive*, Special Issue: No. 38, Santé reproductive: routines, normes, invisibilités [Reproductive health: routines, standards, invisibilities] 2015; 38(October):161-177.

10. Wehr H, Chary A, Webb MF, Rohloff P. Implications of gender and household roles in indigenous Maya communities in Guatemala for child nutrition interventions. *International Journal of Indigenous Health* 2014; 10(1):99-112.
11. Chary A, Rohloff P. Challenges in NGO Implementation of Visual Inspection-Based Cervical Cancer Prevention Programs in Guatemala: A Qualitative Study. *Global Health: Science and Practice* 2014; 2(3):307-17.
12. Brown K, Henretty N, Chary A, Webb MF, Wehr H, Moore J, Baird C, Kraemer Díaz A, Rohloff P. Formative assessment of and key strategies for improving infant and young child feeding practices in a highly stunted rural indigenous population in Guatemala. *Maternal Child Nutrition* 2014 [Epub], 2016; Apr 12(2):262-77.
13. Chary A. Book Review: Social Medicine Reader. *Anthropology of Consciousness* 2013;24(1).
14. Chary A, Messmer SE, Sorenson E, Henretty N, Dasgupta SN & Rohloff P. Overcoming the Normalization of Child Illness: A Mixed-Methods Study of Child Malnutrition in Rural Guatemala. *Human Organization* 2013; 2:87-97.
15. Chary A, Kraemer Diaz AE, Henderson B & Rohloff P. The Changing Role of Indigenous Lay Midwives in Guatemala: New Frameworks for Analysis. *Midwifery* 2013; 29:852-858.
16. Chary A, Greiner M, Bowers C, & Rohloff P. Determining adult type 2 diabetes-related health care needs in an indigenous population from rural Guatemala: a mixed-methods preliminary study. *BioMed Central Health Services Research* 2012; 12:476.
17. Chary A, Messmer SE & Rohloff P. Male Influence on Infant Feeding in Rural Guatemala and Implications for Child Nutrition Interventions. *Breastfeeding Medicine* 2011; 6(4):227-231.
18. Cooper LE, McClerren A, Chary A & van der Donk WA. Structure-Activity Relationship Studies of the Two-Component Lantibiotic Haloduracin. *Chemistry & Biology* 2008; 15(10):1035-1045.

Book Chapters (*Peer-Reviewed)

1. *Chary A. Hysterectomies and Healer Shopping: Cervical Cancer and Therapeutic Anarchy in Guatemala. In Privatization and the New Medical Pluralism: Shifting Healthcare Landscapes in Maya Guatemala. A. Chary & P. Rohloff, eds. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield, Lexington Books, 2015.
2. *Rohloff P, Chary A. Introduction. In Privatization and the New Medical Pluralism: Shifting Healthcare Landscapes in Maya Guatemala. A. Chary & P. Rohloff, eds. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield, Lexington Books, 2015.
3. *King N, Chary A, Rohloff P. Leveraging Resources in Contemporary Maya Midwifery. In Privatization and the New Medical Pluralism: Shifting Healthcare Landscapes in Maya Guatemala. A. Chary & P. Rohloff, eds. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield, Lexington Books, 2015.
4. Chary A, Dasgupta SN, Messmer SE & Rohloff P. "But One Gets Tired": Breastfeeding, Subjugation & Empowerment in Rural Guatemala. In An Anthropology of Mothering. N. McPherson & M. Walks, eds. Pp. 172-182. Toronto: Demeter Press, 2011.

Edited Volumes

1. Chary A, Rohloff P, eds. Privatization and the New Medical Pluralism: Shifting Healthcare Landscapes in Maya Guatemala. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2015.

Selected Extra-Curricular Activities

2013-2015	Editor-in-Chief & Contributing Writer, Global Health Hub (globalhealthhub.org)
2009-2015	Heart Health Initiative Coordinator, American Medical Women's Association/American Medical Association, Washington University School of Medicine
2011-2015	Yoga Club Coordinator, Washington University School of Medicine