

**POPULATION ISSUES, PROBLEMS, AND POLICIES
(SOC 5012)**

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The Seminar. The seminar is a graduate level introduction to demography, where contemporary perspectives are developed with attention to theoretical and empirical substance. Specifically, the course addresses the study of demographic processes, focusing on the character, size, distribution, and composition of populations. Emphasis is placed on the key demographic events of fertility, mortality, and migration; on population structure; and on the factors affecting their change through time. The class deals with such topics as urban growth patterns, population redistribution, reproductive behavior, household and family structure, patterns of labor force participation, life table analysis, population and the environment, and population policy.

Format. The seminar will combine lectures with class reports and discussions. Each period, I will lecture on a particular aspect of the field and will draw on the assigned readings, while identifying the contributions of the major readings and raising central issues and questions. The student, having covered the assigned readings, should gain an appreciation of the literature and should participate in class discussions. Further, the student will be expected to complete one article critique/assignment to present in class and to turn in (specific instructions for the article critiques will be discussed in class). During the last two weeks of the semester, each student will report on his/her demographic research project, a project that will be identified by the student and approved by the instructor in the first half of the semester. The project will entail the statistical analysis of an existing data set (e.g., the NHIS), will be presented with PowerPoint, and will result in a paper suitable for publication or for presentation at regional and national meetings. The completed research report will then be submitted to the instructor at the end of the semester.

Texts. The major text in the course will be John R. Week's *Population: An Introduction to Concepts and Issues*, 2005, NY: Wadsworth (ninth edition). The supplement text is *Handbook of Population*, edited by Dudley Poston and Michael Micklin, 2006, NY: Springer Publishers. Other required readings are indicated in the detailed listing of course assignments. Most articles you can access and print on-line through Norlin Library connections and/or through JSTOR (at www.jstor.org); some of the required articles are on reserve in the Population Program's Reading Room, in the file cabinet.

If you are unfamiliar with the Statistical Analysis System (SAS), you might want to obtain Delwiche, Lora D., and Susan J. Slaughter. 2003. *The Little SAS Book: A Primer*. Third Edition. Cary, NC: SAS Institute Inc.

Note on Readings. The reading list is to be used for weekly readings as well as for reference. The idea is that you will be exposed to a broad area and that you can then concentrate on general issues. You do not need to extensively outline or memorize statistics. Instead, you will be expected to synthesize the readings and evaluate the major advancements, contributions, or failings of several articles a week. In the optional reading section, some articles are asterisked to indicate that they are important, would be prime candidates for in-class critiques, and/or should be read as a cluster. This full reading list, supplemented with the most current articles in *Demography*, *Population and Development Review*, and *Population Research and Policy Review* forms the basis for comprehensive questions in social demography.

Final Research Paper. This course requires that you write an empirical paper. The paper should be about 15 double-spaced pages. It should review the literature, develop hypotheses and use demographic data and methods to produce results and a conclusion. I will provide more specific guidelines later in the semester.

Class Participation. A central portion of the course requires class participation, including attendance, presentations, and active discussion. Students are required to attend class on a regular basis. At the end of the semester after I have calculated the student's final course grade, I will reduce by 1/3rd of a letter grade (e.g., from an A- to a B+) the grades of all students who have missed two classes during the semester, by 2/3rd of a letter grade the grades of all students who have missed three classes during the semester, and a full letter grade the grades of all students who have missed four or more classes during the semester.

Disabilities. The College of Arts and Sciences will make reasonable accommodations for persons with documented disabilities. Students should notify the Counselor for Students with Disabilities, Disability Services Office, located in Willard 322 (phone 303-492-8671) and their instructors of any special needs. Instructors should be notified the first day of classes.

Appointments. I am happy to talk with you about class, your research paper, or other issues that may arise. Feel free to stop by and chat or to schedule an appointment. I will hold office hours in my Ketchum office.

POPULATION ISSUES TOPIC OUTLINE

Week	Date	Topic
Part One: A Demographic Perspective		
1	Sep. 1	Introduction
2	Sep. 8	Global Trends
3	Sep. 15	Data
4	Sep. 22	Demographic Transition and Related Perspectives
Part Two: Population Processes		
5	Sep. 29	Mortality
6	Oct. 6	Morbidity
7	Oct. 13	Fertility
8	Oct. 20	Migration
Part Three: Population Structure and Characteristics		
9	Oct. 27	The Age Transition and Population Aging
10	Nov. 3	Research Week (meet to discuss projects)
11	Nov. 10	Family and Household Transition, Life Changes, & Inequality
Part Four: Using the Demographic Perspective		
12	Nov. 17	Population and the Environment
13	Nov. 24	Thanksgiving
14	Dec. 1	Population Change and Population Policy
Part Five: Student Presentations		
15	Dec. 8	Student Presentations I
16	Dec. 15	Student Presentations II

Course Requirements. The following tasks will determine course grades:

- 5% *Certificate of Completion* from the HRC Tutorial
- 20% Three article critiques to turn in (but not present in class)
- 10% One article critique to present and turn in
- 5% Research abstract
- 20% Research presentation
- 10% Critique of peer presentation to present and turn in
- 30% Final research paper (due Monday, December 18, 8:00 am.)

Note: students are responsible for keeping all graded material.

WEEK 2 – OVERVIEW AND GLOBAL TRENDS

Weeks, Chapters 1 & 2

Poston and Micklin: Chapter 14. Sociological Demography, Charles Hirschman and Stewart E. Tolnay

Population Reference Bureau. 2005. *World Population Data Sheet, 2005* (available on the web at www.prb.org; supplements the appendix in Weeks).

Optional

Crimmins, Eileen M. 1993. "Demography: The Past 30 Years, the Present, and the Future." *Demography*. 30(4):579-591.

Teachman, Jay D., Kathleen Paasch, and Karen Price Carver. 1993. "Thirty Years of Demography." *Demography*. 30(4):523-532.

Preston, Samuel H. 1993. "The Contours of Demography: Estimates and Projections." *Demography*. 30:593-606.

Lichter, Daniel T. 1999. "A Generational Shift in Population Research and Training." *ASA Sociology of Population Section Newsletter*. 23(1):3-6.

Keyfitz, Nathan. 1993. "Thirty Years of Demography and Demography." *Demography*. 30(4):533-549.

Caldwell, John C. 1996. "Demography and Social Science." *Population Studies* 50: 309-316.

Graunt, John. *Natural and Political Observations Made Upon the Bills of Mortality*. London, 1662 (Re-issued by The Johns Hopkins Press, 1939).

Hodgson, Dennis. 1983. "Demography as Social Science and Policy Science." *Population and Development Review*. 9(1):1-34.

Ryder, N. B. "Notes on the Concept of a Population." 1964. *American Journal of Sociology*. 69(March):447-63.

Ahlburg, D.A., and R. Cassen. 2006. "The Relations between Population and Development." *International Handbook of Development Economics*, edited by A. Dutt and J. Ros. Edward Elgar.

A good overview is:

McFalls, J., Jr. 1998. "Population: A Lively Introduction." *Population Bulletin*. 53(3)1-48.

WEEK 3 – DATA SOURCES

Weeks, Chapter 4

Sorlie, Paul D., Thomas J. Thom, Teri Manolio, Harry M. Rosenberg, Robert N. Anderson, and Gregory L. Burke. 1999. "Age-Adjusted Death Rates: Consequences of the Year 2000 Standard." *Ann Epidemiol.* 9:93-100.

American Sociological Association. *Code of Ethics* (<http://www.asanet.org/members/coe.pdf>)

Turn in *Certificate of Completion* from the HRC CITI Tutorial
<http://www.colorado.edu/VCRResearch/HRC/EducationalTools.html>

Optional

Kaufman, Carol E. and Saumya Ramarao. 2005. "Community Confidentiality, Consent and the Individual Research Process: Ethics in Demographic Research." *Population Research and Policy Review* 24:149-173.

*Hirschman, Charles, Richard Alba, and Reynolds Farley. 2000. "The Meaning and Measurement of Race in the U.S. Census: Glimpses into the Future." *Demography.* 37(3):381-393.

*Corder, Larry S., and Kenneth G. Manton. 1991. "National Surveys and the Health and Functioning of the Elderly: The Effects of Design and Content." *Journal of the American Statistical Association.* 86(414):514-525.

Preston, Samuel H., Patrick Heuveline, and Michel Guilot. *Demography: Measuring and Modeling Population Processes*. Oxford: Blackwell Publishers. (see, esp. Chapters 1-3).

Black, Dan, Gary Gates, Seth Sanders, and Lowell Taylor. 2000. "Demographics of the Gay and Lesbian Population in the United States: Evidence from Available Systematic Data Sources." *Demography.* 37(2):139-54.

Siegel, Jacob S., and David A. Swanson. 1976. *The Methods and Materials of Demography*. Second Edition. NY: Elsevier Academic Press. Chapters 2 and 3.

Schmertmann, Carl P. 2002. "A Simple Method for Estimating Age-Specific Rates from Sequential Cross-Sections." *Demography.* 39(2):287-310.

Boerma, J. Ties, Elizabeth Holt, and Robert Black. 2001. "Measurement of Biomarkers in Surveys in Developing Countries: Opportunities and Problems." *Population and Development Review.* 27(2): 303-314.

Kent, Mary M., Kelvin M. Pollard, John Haaga, and Mark Mather. 2001. "First Glimpses from the 2000 U.S. Census." *Population Bulletin.* 56(2).

See also: www.census.gov

<http://www.un.org/esa/population/unpop.htm>

<http://www.icpsr.umich.edu/access/index.html>

www.cdc.gov/nchs

www.prb.org

WEEK 4 – DEMOGRAPHIC TRANSITION AND RELATED PERSPECTIVES

Weeks, Chapter 3

Optional

*Poston and Micklin: Chapter 19. Historical Demography, Etienne Van de Walle,

*Poston and Micklin: Chapter 17. Anthropological Demography, David I. Kertzer,

*Boserup, Ester. 1996. "Development Theory: An Analytical Framework and Selected Applications." *Population and Development Review*. 22(3):505-515.

McNamara, Regina. 1982. "Demographic Transition Theory." Pages 146-7 in *International Encyclopedia of Population*. Edited by John Ross. The Free Press. Volume I.

Macunovich, Diane J., Richard A. Easterlin, Christine M. Schaeffer, and Eileen M. Crimmins. 1995. "Echoes of the Baby Boom and Bust: Recent and Prospective Changes in Living Alone among Elderly Widows in the United States." *Demography*. 32(1):17-28.

Guinnane, Timothy, W., Barbara S. Okum, and James Trussell. 1994. "What Do We Know About the Timing of Fertility Transitions in Europe?" *Demography*. 31:1-20.

Freedman, R., K. S. Srikantan, J. Knodel, and E. van de Walle. 1982. "Fertility Decline." Pages 258-75 in *International Encyclopedia of Population*. Edited by John Ross. The Free Press. Volume I.

Pampel, Fred C., and H. Elizabeth Peters. 1995. "The Easterlin Effect." *Annual Review of Sociology*. 21:163-194.

Coale, Ansley J. 1974. "The History of Human Population." *Scientific American*. 231(Sept):41-51.

Watkins, Susan Cotts. 1990. "The Transformation of Demographic Regimes in Western Europe, 1870-1960." *Population and Development Review*. 16:241-72.

Hodgson, Dennis. 1988. "Orthodoxy and Revisionism in American Demography." *Population and Development Review*. 14:541-70.

Kreager, Phillip. 1991. "Early Modern Population Theory." *Population and Development Review*. 17:207-28.

Simon, Julian L. 1989. "On Population and Economic Development." *Population and Development Review*. 15:323-32.

WEEK 5 – MORTALITY TRENDS, DIFFERENTIALS, AND DETERMINANTS

Weeks, Chapter 5

Poston & Micklin: Chapter 10. Adult Mortality, Richard G. Rogers, Robert A. Hummer, and Patrick M. Krueger

Optional

*White, Kevin M., and Samuel H. Preston. 1996. "How Many Americans Are Alive Because of Twentieth-Century Improvements in Mortality?" *Population and Development Review*. 22(3):415-429.

Rogers, Richard G., Robert A. Hummer, and Charles B. Nam. 2000. *Living and Dying in the USA: Social, Behavioral, and Health Differentials in Adult Mortality*. NY: Academic Press.

*Pampel, Fred C., and John B. Williamson. 2001. "Age Patterns of Suicide and Homicide Mortality Rates in High Income Nations." *Social Forces*. 80:251-282.

Chen, Lincoln C., Friederike Wittgenstein, and Elizabeth McKeon. 1996. "The Upsurge of Mortality in Russia: Causes and Policy Implications." *Population and Development Review*. 22(3):517-530.

Carey, James R. 1997. "What Demographers Can Learn from Fruit Fly Actuarial Models and Biology." *Demography*. 34(1):17-30.

Johansson, S. Ryan, and S. Horowitz. 1986. "Estimating Mortality in Skeletal Populations: Influence of the Growth Rate on the Interpretation of Levels and Trends during the Transition to Agriculture." *American Journal of Physical Anthropology*. 71:233-250.

McNown, Robert F., and Andrei Rogers. 1989. "Forecasting Mortality: A Parameterized Time Series Approach." *Demography*. 26(4):645-660.

Pampel, Fred C. 1996. "Cohort Size and Age-Specific Suicide Rates: A Contingent Relationship." *Demography*. 33(3):341-355.

Ethnic Differences

*Elo, Irma T., Cassio M. Turra, Bert Kestenbaum, and B. Renee Ferguson., 2004. "Mortality among Elderly Hispanics in the United States: Past Evidence and New Results." *Demography*. 41(1):109-128.

Singh, G. K., and M. Siahpush. 2002. "Ethnic-Immigrant Differentials in Health Behaviors, Morbidity, and Cause-Specific Mortality in the United States: An Analysis of Two National Data Bases." *Human Biology*. 74(1):83-109.

LeClere, Felicia B., Richard G. Rogers, and Kimberly D. Peters. 1997. "Ethnicity and Mortality in the United States: Individual and Community Correlates." *Social Forces*. 76:169-198.

Rogers, Richard G. 1992. "Living and Dying in the USA: Sociodemographic Determinants of Death among Blacks and Whites." *Demography*. 29(2):287-304.

Preston, S.H., I.T. Elo, I. Rosenwaike, and M. Hill. 1996. "African-American Mortality at Older Ages: Results of a Matching Study." *Demography* 33(2):193-209.

Krueger, Patrick M., Stephanie A. Bond Huie, Richard G. Rogers, and Robert A. Hummer. 2004. "Neighbourhoods and Homicide Mortality: An Analysis of Race/Ethnic Differences." *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health*. 58:223-230.

Socioeconomic Status

*Bond Huie, Stephanie A., Patrick M. Krueger, Richard G. Rogers, and Robert A. Hummer. 2003. "Wealth, Race, and Mortality." *Social Science Quarterly*. 84(3):667-684.

*Krueger, Patrick M., Richard G. Rogers, Cristobal Ridao-Cano, and Robert A. Hummer. 2004. "To Help or to Harm? Food Stamp Receipt and Mortality Risk Prior to the 1996 Welfare Reform Act." *Social Forces*. 82(4):1573-1599.

*Dreentea, P., and P.J. Lavrakas. 2000. "Over the Limit: The Association among Health, Race and Debt." *Social Science and Medicine* 50:517-29.

*Elo, Irma T., and Samuel H. Preston. 1996. "Educational Differentials in Mortality: United States, 1979-1985." *Social Science and Medicine* 42:47-57.

Kaufman, J.S., R.S. Cooper, and D.L. McGee. 1997. "Socioeconomic Status and Health in Blacks and Whites: The Problem of Residual Confounding and the Resiliency of Race." *Epidemiology* 8: 621-28.

McDonough, P., G.J. Duncan, D.R. Williams, and J.S. House. 1997. "Income Dynamics and Adult Health Mortality in the United States, 1972 through 1989." *American Journal of Public Health* 87(9): 1476-483.

*Almgren, Gunnara, Avery Guest, George Immerwahr, and Michael Spittel. 1998. "Joblessness, Family Disruption, and Violent Death in Chicago, 1970-90." *Social Forces*. 76:465-1493.

Pappas, G., S. Queen, W. Hadden, and G. Fisher. 1993. "The Increasing Disparity in Mortality between Socioeconomic Groups in the United States, 1960 and 1986." *New England Journal of Medicine* 329: 103-9.

Preston, S.H., and I.T. Elo. 1995. "Are Educational Differentials in Adult Mortality Increasing in the United States?" *Journal of Aging and Health* 7:476-96.

Sex and Mortality

Pampel, Fred C. 1998. "National Context, Social Change, and Sex Differences in Suicide Rates." *American Sociological Review*. 63(5):744-68.

Pampel, Fred C. 2001. "Gender Equality and the Sex Differential in Mortality from Accidents in High Income Nations." *Population Research and Policy Review*. 20(5):397-421.

Waldron, Ingrid. 1983. "Sex Differences in Human Mortality: The Role of Genetic Factors." *Social Science and Medicine*. 17(6):321-33.

Waldron, Ingrid. 1986. "What Do We Know About Causes of Sex Differences in Mortality? A Review of the Literature." In *Population Bulletin of the United Nations*. Dept. of International Economic and Social Affairs. No 18-1985. New York: United Nations. pp 59-76.

Waldron, Ingrid. 1994. "Contributions of Biological and Behavioral Factors to Changing Sex Differences in Ischemic Heart Disease Mortality," in A. Lopez, T. Valkonen, and G. Caselli, eds, *Premature Adult Mortality in Developed Countries* (Oxford University Press, London).

Wingard, Deborah L. 1982. "The Sex Differential in Mortality Rates: Demographic and Behavioral Factors." *American Journal of Epidemiology*. 115:205-216.

Verbrugge, Lois. 1980. "Recent Trends in Sex Mortality Differentials in the United States." *Women and Health*. 5(3):17-37.

Nathanson, C. A. 1984. "Sex Differences in Mortality." *Annual Review of Sociology*. 10:191-213.

Marital Status and Mortality

Rogers, Richard G. 1996. "The Effects of Family Composition, Health, and Social Support Linkages on Mortality." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 37(4):326-38.

Goldman, Noreen. 1993. "Marriage Selection and Mortality Patterns: Inferences and Fallacies." *Demography*. 30:189-208.

Smith, Ken R. and Cathleen D. Zick. 1994. "Linked Lives, Dependent Demise? Survival Analysis of Husbands and Wives." *Demography*. 31(Feb):81-93.

Lillard, Lee A., and Linda J. Waite. 1995. "Til Death Do Use Part: Marital Disruption and Mortality." *American Journal of Sociology*. 100(Mar):1131-1156.

Lillard, Lee A., and Constantijn Panis. 1996. "Marital Status and Mortality: The Role of Health." *Demography*. 33:313-327.

Cigarette Consumption

*Pampel, Fred C. 2002. "Cigarette Use and the Narrowing Sex Differential in Mortality." *Population and Development Review*. 28(1):77-104.

*Pampel, Fred C., 2004. "Declining Differences in Lung Cancer Mortality in High Income Nations." *Demography*. 40(1):45-65.

*Rogers, Richard G., Robert A. Hummer, Patrick M. Krueger, and Fred C. Pampel. 2005. "Mortality Attributable to Cigarette Smoking in the United States." *Population and Development Review*. 31(2):259-292.

Religious Participation

Hummer, R.A., R.G. Rogers, C.B. Nam, and C.G. Ellison. 1999. "Religious Participation and U.S. Adult Mortality." *Demography* 36(2):273-85.

Ellison, C.G., R.A. Hummer, S. Cormier, and R.G. Rogers. 2000. "Religious Involvement and Mortality Risk

among African American Adults." *Research on Aging*. 22(6):630-67.

Infant Mortality and Early Life Effects

*Poston and Micklin: Chapter 9. Infant Mortality, W. Parker Frisbie

* Finch, Brian Karl. 2003. "Early Origins of the Gradient: The Relationship between Socioeconomic Status and Infant Mortality in the United States." *Demography*. 40(4):675-699.

Elo, Irma T., and Samuel H. Preston. 1992. "Effects of Early-Life Conditions on Adult Mortality: A Review." *Population Index*. 58(2):186-212.

Hummer, Robert A, Monique Biegler, Peter B. de Turk, Douglas Forbes, W. Parker Frisbie, Ying Hong, and Starling Pullum. 1999. "Race/Ethnicity, Nativity, and Infant Mortality in the United States." *Social Forces*. 77(3):1083-1118.

Muhuri, Pradip K, Jane Menken. 1997. "Adverse Effects of Next Birth, Gender, and Family Composition on Child Survival in Rural Bangladesh." *Population Studies*. 51(3):279.

Eberstein, Isaac W., Charles B. Nam, and Robert A. Hummer. 1990. "Infant Mortality by Cause of Death: Main and Interaction Effects." *Demography* 27(3): 413-430.

*Pampel, Fred C., Jr. and Vijayan K. Pillai. 1986. "Patterns and Determinants of Infant Mortality in Developed Nations, 1950-1975." *Demography*. 23(4):525-542.

*Geronimus, Arline T. and Sanders D. Korenman. 1988. "Comment of Pampel and Pillai's 'Patterns and Determinants of Infant Mortality in Developed Nations, 1950-1975.'" *Demography*. 25:155-158.

*Pampel, Fred C. and Vijayan K. Pillai. 1988. "Teenage Fertility and Infant Mortality: Reply." *Demography*. 25: 159-161.

Gortmaker, Stephen L., and Paul H. Wise. 1997. "The First Injustice: Socioeconomic Disparities, Health Services Technology, and Infant Mortality." *Annual Review of Sociology*. 23: 147-170.

Hayward, Mark D., and Bridget K. Gorman. 2004. "The Long Arm of Childhood: The Influence of Early-Life Social Conditions on Men's Mortality." *Demography*. 41(1):87-107.

**Landale, Nancy S., R.S. Oropesa, and Bridget K. Gorman. 2000. "Migration and Infant Death: Assimilation or Selective Migration among Puerto Ricans?" *American Sociological Review*. 65(6):888-909.

Demography of War

Heuveline, P. 1998. "Between One and Three Million: Towards the Demographic Reconstruction of a Decade of Cambodian History (1970-79)." *Population Studies*. 25(1):49-65.

Hirschman, C., S.H. Preston, and V.M. Loi. 1995. "Vietnamese Casualties during the American War: A New Estimate." *Population and Development Review*. 21(4):783-812.

*Merli, M. Giovanna. 2000. "Socioeconomic Background and War Mortality during Vietnam's Wars." *Demography*. 37(1):1-15.

WEEK 6 – MORBIDITY TRENDS, DIFFERENTIALS, AND DETERMINANTS

Omran, Abdel R. 1982. "Epidemiologic Transition." Pages 172-83 in *International Encyclopedia of Population*. Edited by John Ross. The Free Press. Volume I.

Poston and Micklin. 2005. Chapter 26. Health Demography, Ichiro Kawachi and S. V. Subramanian

Link, B., and J. Phelan. 1995. "Social Conditions as Fundamental Causes of Disease." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* (extra issue). 80-94.

Optional

*Poston and Micklin. 2005. Chapter 21. Biodemography, James R. Carey and James W. Vaupel.

*Poston and Micklin. 2005. Chapter 27. The Demography of Population Health, Mark D. Hayward and David Warner

*Cutler, David, and Grant Miller. 2005. "The Role of Public Health Improvements in Health Advances: The Twentieth-Century United States." *Demography*. 42(1):1-22.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Ten Great Public Health Achievements in the 20th Century. <http://www.cdc.gov/od/oc/media/tengpha.htm>. (See separate readings from *Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report*).

*Pampel, Fred C. 2005. "Patterns of Tobacco Use in the Early Epidemic Stages: Malawi and Zambia, 2000-2002." *American Journal of Public Health* 95(6):1009-15.

Pampel, Fred C. 2006. "Socioeconomic Distinction, Cultural Tastes, and Cigarette Smoking." *Social Science Quarterly* 87(1):19-35.

*Pampel, Fred C., and Richard G. Rogers. 2004. "Socioeconomic Status, Smoking, and Health: A Test of Competing Theories of Cumulative Advantage." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*. 45(3):306-321.

Gorman, Bridget K., and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. 2006. "Gender Disparities in Adult Health: An Examination of Three Measures of Morbidity." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*. 47(June):95-110.

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*Jolliffe, Dean. 2004. "Continuous and Robust Measures of the Overweight Epidemic: 1971-2000." *Demography*. 41(2):303-314.

*Boardman, Jason D., Brian Karl Finch, Christopher G. Ellison, David R. Williams, and James S. Jackson. 2001. "Neighborhood Disadvantage, Stress, and Drug Use among Adults." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*. 42:151-165.

- *Denney, Justin T., Patrick M. Krueger, Richard G. Rogers, and Jason D. Boardman. 2004. "Race/Ethnic and Sex Differentials in Body Mass among US Adults." *Ethnicity & Disease*. 14(3):389-398.
- *Sastry, Narayan, and Jon M. Hussey. 2003. "An Investigation of Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Birth Weight in Chicago Neighborhoods." *Demography*. 40(4):701-725.
- *Burgard, Sarah. 2002. "Does Race Matter? Children's Height in Brazil and South Africa." *Demography*. 39(4):763-790.
- *Boardman, Jason D., Daniel A. Powers, Yolanda C. Padilla, and Robert A. Hummer. 2002. "Low Birth Weight, Social Factors, and Developmental Outcomes among Children in the United States." *Demography*. 39(2):353-368.
- Boardman, Jason D., Jarron M. Saint Onge, Richard G. Rogers, and Justin T. Denney. 2005. "Race Differentials in Obesity: The Impact of Place." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*. 46(3):229-243.
- *Rogers, Richard G., Robert A. Hummer, and Charles B. Nam. 2000. Chapter 12: "Mental and Addictive Disorders and Mortality" in *Living and Dying in the USA: Social, Behavioral, and Health Differentials in Adult Mortality*. NY: Academic Press.
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- Rogers, Richard G. and Robert Hackenberg. 1987. "Extending Epidemiologic Transition Theory: A New Stage." *Social Biology*. 34(3-4):234-243.
- Olshansky, S. Jay, and A. Brian Alt. 1986. "The Fourth Stage of the Epidemiologic Transition: The Age of Degenerative Diseases." *The Milbank Quarterly*. 64(3):355-391.
- Olshansky, S. Jay, Bruce Carnes, Richard G. Rogers, and Len Smith. 1997. "Infectious Diseases—New and Ancient Threats to World Health." *Population Bulletin*, 52(2)(July):1-52.
- Bongaarts, John. 1996. "Global Trends in AIDS Mortality." *Population and Development Review*. 22:21-45.
- Caldwell, J. 1986. "Routes to Low Mortality in Poor Countries." *Population and Development Review*. 12: 171-220.
- Salomon, Joshua A., and Christopher J.L. Murray. 2002. "The Epidemiologic Transition Revisited: Causes of Death by Age and Sex." *Population and Development Review*. 28(2): 205-228.
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- Costa, Dora L. 2000. "Understanding the Twentieth-Century Decline in Chronic Conditions among Older Men." *Demography*. 37(1):53-72.

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- Nathanson, Constance A. 1996. "Disease Prevention as Social Change: Toward a Theory of Public Health." *Population and Development Review*. 22(4):609-637.
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- Verbrugge, Lois. 1976. "Sex Differentials in Morbidity and Mortality in the United States." *Social Biology*. 23(4):275-96.
- Rose, Geoffrey. 1985. "Sick Individuals and Sick Populations." *International Journal of Epidemiology*. 14(1):32-8.
- Sorensen, Glorian and Lois M. Verbrugge. 1987. "Women, Work, and Health." *Annual Review of Public Health*. 8:235-51.
- Pebley, Anne R., Noreen Goldman, and German Rodriguez. 1996. "Prenatal and Delivery Care and Childhood Immunization in Guatemala: Do Family and Community Matter?" *Demography*. 33(2):231-247.

WEEK 7 – FERTILITY TRENDS, DIFFERENTIALS, AND DETERMINANTS

Weeks, Chapter 6

Poston and Micklin. 2005. Chapter 8. Fertility, S. Philip Morgan and Kellie J. Hagewen

Poston and Micklin 2005. Chapter 24. Fertility Planning, Joseph E. Potter and Axel I. Mundigo

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