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**EDUCATION**

- R.D. 1985 R699131
- Ph.D. 1984 University of California, Davis, CA.  
Nutrition Science  
Minor: Physiological Biochemistry
- B.S. 1980 Cornell University, Ithaca, NY.  
Nutritional Science, with Honors and Distinction.

**PRESENT POSITION**

Senior Planning Officer, Office of the Chancellor  
Professor, Department of Nutrition  
University of Massachusetts, Amherst (2016-present)

**TEACHING**

- NUTR 572 Community Nutrition (1985-2005)  
NUTR 573 Community Nutrition Fieldwork Experience (1985-2007, 2010)  
NUTR 793/4 Nutrition Seminar (1990, 1996, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2015)  
NUTR 731 Nutritional Assessment (1994, 1995, 1997, 1998)  
NUTR 797A Frontiers in Interdisciplinary Nutrition Science (1996)  
NUTR 101 Introduction to the Nutrition Profession (1997 – 2006, 2009)  
NUTR 597A Nutrition Education Online (1998,99)  
NUTR 130 Nutrition for Health Online (2000)  
NUTR 697B/640 Public Health Nutrition (2000, 2004-6)  
NUTR 493 Senior Seminar (2001- 2007)  
NUTR 197B,497 Scholars Seminar (2007- 2015)  
NUTR 698 MPH Nutrition Online Practicum (2010-2015)  
NUTR 697C Journal Club (2010)  
NUTR 741 Methods in Nutrition Research (2012)  
FFYS NU191 How Should I Eat for Better Health? (2018)

**PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE**

- 2016-17 Assistant Vice President, Academic Affairs, Student Affairs & International Relations  
University of Massachusetts System (Sept 2016-Dec 2017)
- 2016 Visiting Scientist, Center for Nutrition Policy and Promotion, US Department of Agriculture,  
Alexandria, VA.
- 2009-2015, Professor and Head, Department of Nutrition, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA.  
1998-2007  
2007-2008 Interim Dean, School of Public Health and Health Sciences, University of Massachusetts,  
Amherst, MA. (Sept 2007- Dec 2008)
- 1991-1998 Associate Professor and State Specialist, Extension Nutrition Education Program

Department of Nutrition, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA.

- 1992 Visiting Lecturer, Department of Human Nutrition, University of Otago, Dunedin, New Zealand
- 1985-1991 Assistant Professor and State Extension Food and Nutrition Specialist, Department of Nutrition, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA.
- 1984-1985 Research Associate, Department of Pathology (Nutrition), Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, and Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 1984 Lecturer, Proseminar in Nutrition, Department of Nutrition, University of California, Davis, CA.
- 1982-1984 Teaching Assistant, Department of Nutrition, University of California, Davis, CA. Assisted with courses: Principles of Nutrition (1984), An Introduction to Nutrition and Metabolism (1982), Nutritional Considerations of Food Processing, (1982), and Nutrition Laboratory (1982).
- 1980-1984 Research Assistant, Dept. of Nutrition, Univ. of California, Davis, CA.
- 1979-1980 Honors Research, Division of Nutritional Sciences, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY.
- 1978-1979 Research Technician, US Plant, Soil, and Nutrition Lab, Ithaca, NY.

### **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

- 2017 Editorial Board Member, Journal of Nutrition in Gerontology and Geriatrics
- 2016 Group Leader, Sustainable Agriculture, Food Systems and Wellness in Cuba, March 2016
- 2015 Participant, Food Sovereignty Delegation, Oahu, Hawaii, August 2015
- 2014-15 Chair, Association of Nutrition Departments and Programs (ANDP) (past-chair, 2016)
- 2014-2017 Member, ANDP-ACEND Dietetic Training Advisory Committee
- 2014 Participant, Engagement Academy for University Leaders, Virginia Tech, Arlington, June 2014
- 2014 Participant, Growing World Wellness Professional Development, Cuba, February 2014
- 2013-2016 Reviewer, American Society for Nutrition (ASN) Abstracts
- 2013 Participant, Food Sovereignty Delegation, Piedmont Region, Italy, October 2012
- 2013 Reviewer, ASN Pre-doctoral Fellowship Awards
- 2013-14 Reviewer, NIFA Conference Proposals, USDA
- 2012-present Member, Massachusetts Food Policy Advisory Committee
- 2010-2016 Board Member, Association of Nutrition Departments and Programs
- 2009-2011 Chair, Nominating Committee, Elvehjem Public Service and Nutrition Science Journalism Awards, American Society for Nutrition

2008-2015 Member, Springfield Wellness Coalition, Springfield, MA

2007 Member, Nominating Committee, Elvehjem Public Service and Nutrition Science Journalism Awards, American Society for Nutrition

2006, 2008-9 Member, Ad-hoc Committee on Position Papers, American Society for Nutrition

2006 Chair, Jury Panel for Awards, American Society for Nutrition

2006-2015 Member, Massachusetts Coalition for Food Safety and Defense

2005 External Reviewer, Framingham State College Nutrition Program

2005-2010 Member, Career Development Committee, Institute of Food Technologists

2003-2013 Member, Cornell NutritionWorks Advisory Committee

2003-2009 Member, Public Information Committee, American Society for Nutritional Sciences

2002 Chair, Delta Omega Public Health Honor Society, Rho Chapter

2001-02 Chair, Nutrition Education Research Interest Section, American Society for Nutritional Sciences

2000-01 Co-chair, Massachusetts Dietetic Association Annual Fall Meeting Conference Committee

2000 Member, UMass Delegation to Medical University of Southern Africa, Pretoria, South Africa, October 2000

1998-01 Board of Directors, Society for Nutrition Education

1999- present Member, Massachusetts Partnership for Food Safety Education

1998-99 Chair (founding), Massachusetts Partnership for Food Safety Education (co-chair 2005-6)

1997 Chair, Food and Nutrition Extension Education Division, Society for Nutrition Education

1997-99 Director of Education, Massachusetts Dietetic Association

1996 Chair-elect, Food and Nutrition Extension Education Division, Society for Nutrition Education

1994 - 97 Chair, NE172 Northeast Regional Research Technical Committee, "Assessment of Nutritional Risk in the Elderly"

1993,97 Reviewer, West Publishing Co., Text in Community Nutrition

1993 - 95 Member, Northeast Regional Food Guide Committee

1992 - 94 Member, Extension Advisory Committee of the Food Safety and Inspection Service

1991 - 97 Board of Directors, Food Bank of Western Massachusetts

- 1991 - present Ad-hoc Reviewer, Diabetes Care, Ecology of Food and Nutrition, American Journal of Alternative Agriculture, J American Gerontological Society, J Nutrition Education and Behavior, J American Dietetic Association
- 1991-present Ad-hoc Reviewer, Small Business Innovation Research Program, USDA
- 1991 - 1994 Vice chair, NE172 Northeast Regional Research Technical Committee  
1987 - 99 Member, Massachusetts Nutrition Board (Governor's Advisory board)
- 1986 - present Science Communicator, Institute of Food Technologists
- 1990 Chair, Nominating Committee, Western Massachusetts Dietetic Association
- 1990 Chair, Scholarship Committee, Western Massachusetts Dietetic Association
- 1989 - 2000 Member, John Stalker Institute Advisory Committee
- 1989 Reviewer, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Saltonstall-Kennedy Fishery development proposals
- 1988 Reviewer, New York State Seagrant and Cooperative Extension publications on omega-3 fatty acids
- 1987-1988 Member, National Dairy Board Advisory Committee (for calcium video)
- 1981-1984 Nutrition Counselor, Davis Free Clinic Perinatal Program, Davis, CA.
- 1979 Community Nutritionist, IACC Day Care Center, Ithaca, NY.

### **AWARDS, HONORS**

- 2017 Dietitian of the Week for Feb 13, 2017, Today's Dietitian Magazine
- 2015-16 Chancellor's Leadership Fellow, University of Massachusetts- Amherst
- 2014 Fellow of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
- 2005 President's Award for Public Service, University of Massachusetts
- 2003 Distinguished Academic Outreach Award, University of Massachusetts- Amherst
- 2001 Online Instruction Fellows Program, UMass
- 1999 Inducted, Delta Omega Public Health Honor Society
- 1995 Fellow, Interactive Distance Education and Access Leadership Project, UMass
- 1993 Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year, Mass. Dietetic Association

### **SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS**

Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics  
Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior  
American Society for Nutrition  
Massachusetts Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

**PUBLICATIONS**

- 2017 Jiang, Q., Cohen, N.L., Ventura Marra, M., Woolf, K., Gilbride, J. and Francis, S.L. Priorities for healthy eating in older adults in diverse communities. *J Nutrition Gerontol Geriatrics* 36:2-3, 75-91, 2017.
- 2016 Cohen, N.L. and Brennan Olson, R. Compliance with recommended food safety practices in television cooking shows. *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior*.  
DOI: 10.1016/j.jneb.2016.08.002 (published August 28, 2016 online; November 2016 in print 48:730-734).
- 2016 Violette, C., Kantor, M.A., Ferguson, K., Reicks, M., Marquart, L., Laus, M.J., and Cohen, N. Package information used by older adults to identify whole grain foods. *Journal of Nutrition Gerontol Geriatrics* 35:146-60, 2016.
- 2016 Safdar, N., Bertone-Johnson, E., Cordeiro, L., Jafar, T., and Cohen, N.L. Do dietary patterns explain high prevalence of cardiovascular risk factors among Pakistani urban adults? A cross-sectional study. *BMC Nutrition* 2:58, 2016. DOI 10.1186/s40795-016-0097-z .
- 2015 Safdar, N., Bertone-Johnson, E., Cordeiro, L., Jafar, T., and Cohen, N.L. Dietary patterns of Pakistani urban adults and risk of hypertension. *Asia Pacific J. of Clinical Nutrition* 24(4):710-719, 2015.
- 2015 Cohen, N., Tran, T., Suarez, P. Recruitment and training of underrepresented students in nutrition: The HANDS Program experience. *NACTA Journal* 59(1)(6 pages), 2015 (published March 2015 online).
- 2013 Safdar, N., Bertone-Johnson, E., Cordeiro, L., Jafar, T., and Cohen, N.L. Dietary patterns of Pakistani adults and their associations with sociodemographic, anthropometric and lifestyle factors. *Journal of Nutritional Science* (2): e42 (10 pages), 2013 (published Jan 2 2014 online).
- 2013 Sylvie, A.K., Jiang, Q., and Cohen, N. Identification of environmental supports for healthy eating in older adults. *J Nutrition Gerontol Geriatrics* 32(2): 161-174, 2013. DOI:10.1080/21551197.2013.77962.  
*\*Selected as one of four articles per year to be reprinted in the Acad Nutr Dietetics Healthy Aging Dietetic Practice Group newsletter, The Spectrum, Fall 2013.*
- 2011 Ma, Y., Bertone-Johnson, E.R., Stanek, E.J., Reed, G.W., Cohen, N.L., and Ockene, I.S. Effects of daily eating episodes and eating away-from-home on total serum cholesterol concentration. *North American Journal of Medicine and Science* 4(4):epub, 2011.
- 2011 Ralston, PA., Cohen, N.L., Wickrama, K.A.S., and Kwag, K. Social support and dietary quality in older African American public housing residents. *Research on Aging* Volume 33(6): 688-712, 2011.  
DOI: 10.1177/0164027511410548
- 2011 Cohen, N.L., Carbone, E., Beffa-Negrini, P. The design, implementation and evaluation of online credit nutrition courses: A systematic review. *J. Nutrition Education and Behavior* 43(2):76-86, 2011.  
*\* Selected as a model article for use at the Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior workshop on Systematic Reviews, June 2014.*
- 2007 Beffa-Negrini, P., Cohen, N.L., Laus, M.J., and McLandsborough, L.A. Development and evaluation of an online, inquiry-based food safety education program for secondary teachers and their students. *J. Food Science Education*, volume 6:66-71, 2007.
- 2006 Miller, G.D., Cohen, N.L., Fulgoni, V.L., Heymsfield, S.B., and Wellmann, N.S. From nutrition scientist to nutrition communicator: Why you should take the leap. *American J. of Clinical Nutrition* 83:1272-5, 2006.

- 2005 Ma, Y., Bertone, E.R., Stanek, E.J., Reed, G.W., Hebert, J.R., Cohen, N.L., Olendzki, B.C., Rosal, M.C., Merriam, P. A., and Ockene, I.S. Eating patterns in a free-living healthy U.S. adult population. *Ecology of Food and Nutrition* 44:37-56, 2005.
- 2005 Cohen, N., Hollingsworth, C., Laus, M.J., Brennan Olson, R., Coli, W. Farm food safety practices: A survey of New England Growers. *Food Protection Trends* 25:5:33-40, 2005.
- 2004 Fey-Yensan, N., Kantor, M., Cohen, N.L., Laus, M.J. and Rice, W. Issues and strategies to increase fruit and vegetable consumption in older adults living in the Northeast region. *Topics in Clinical Nutrition* 19(3):180-193, 2004.
- 2004 Akobundu, U., Cohen, N.L., Laus, M.J., Soussloff, M., and Schulte, M. Vitamins A and C, calcium, fruits and dairy products are limited in food pantries. *J. American Dietetic Assoc.* 104:811-813, 2004.
- 2003 Ma, Y., Bertone, E.R., Stanek, E.J., Reed, G.W., Hebert, J.R., Cohen, N.L., Merriam, P. A., and Ockene, I.S. Association between eating patterns and obesity in a free-living U.S. adult population. *American J. of Epidemiology* 158(1):85-92, 2003.
- 2002 Beffa-Negrini, P.A., Cohen, N.L., and Miller, B.L. Strategies to motivate students in online learning environments. *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior* 34:334-340, 2002.
- 2002 Beffa-Negrini, P.A., Miller, B., and Cohen, N.L. Factors related to success and satisfaction in online learning. *Academic Exchange Quarterly* 6 (3):105-114, 2002.
- 2002 Akobundu, U. and Cohen, N.L. Increasing fruit and vegetable intakes for better health. *Nutritiongate Spotlight*, [www.nutritiongate.com](http://www.nutritiongate.com), April 2002.
- 2001 Miller, B.L., Cohen, N.L., Beffa-Negrini, P. Factors for success in online and face-to-face instruction. *Academic Exchange Quarterly* 5(4):4-10, 2001.
- 2001 Hebert, J., Peterson, K., Hurley, T., Stoddard, A., Cohen, N., Field, A., and Sorensen, G. The effect of social desirability trait on self-reported dietary measures among multi-ethnic female health center employees. *Annals of Epidemiology* 11(6):417-427, 2001.
- 2000 Brennan Olson, R., Cohen, N.L., Atallah, E., Cunningham, J. NIBBLE for Adult Basic Education: Website and lessons for low literate learners. *J. Nutrition Education* 32:285A, 2000.
- 1999 Cohen, N.L., Beffa-Negrini, P., Cluff, C., Laus, M.J., Volpe, S.L., Dun, T., and Sternheim, M. Nutrition Science Online: Professional development for secondary school teachers using the World Wide Web. *J. Family and Consumer Sciences Education* 17:25-33, 1999.
- 1999 Ralston, P. and Cohen, N. Nutrition education for black elders: A strategic approach for delivery. *J. Nutrition Education* 31:230-234, 1999.
- 1999 Thompson, B., Demark-Wahnefried, W., Taylor, G., McClelland, J., Stables, G., Havas, S., Feng, Z., Topor, M., Heimendinger, J., Reynolds, K., and Cohen, N. Fruit and vegetable intake among adults in seven 5-a-day study centers in diverse geographic areas. *J. American Dietetic Assoc.* 99:241-248, 1999.
- 1999 Laus, M.J., Cohen, N.L., Smiciklas-Wright, H., Abu-Sabha, R., and Mitchell, P. The role of portion information in the agreement between food frequency questionnaires and food recalls in older women. *J. Nutrition Elderly* 18(4):1-13, 1999.

- 1999 Sorensen, G., Stoddard, A., Peterson, K., Cohen, N.L., Hunt, M.K., Stein, E., Palombo, R., Lederman, R. Increasing fruit and vegetable consumption through worksites and families in the Treatwell 5-a-day study. *Am. Journal of Public Health* 89: 54-60, 1999.
- 1998 Cohen, N.L., Ralston, P.A., Laus, M.J., and Bermudez, O. Food practices, service use, and dietary quality in elderly blacks. *J. Nutrition Elderly* 17(4): 17-34, 1998.
- 1998 Hunt, M.K., Stoddard, A.M., Peterson, K., Sorensen, G., Hebert, J. and Cohen, N.L. Comparison of dietary assessment measures in the Treatwell:5-a-day worksite study. *J. American Dietetic Assoc.* 98(9): 1021-1023, 1998.
- 1998 Cohen, N.L., Saroukhanians, S., Stoddard, A., and Sorensen, G. Barriers towards fruit and vegetable consumption in a multiethnic worksite population. *Journal of Nutrition Education* 30: 381-386, 1998.
- 1997 Cohen, N.L., Cooley, J., Hall, R. and Stoddard, A. Community Supported Agriculture: A study of shareholders' dietary patterns and food practices. In, Lockeretz, W., ed. *Proceedings of the International Conference on Agricultural Production and Nutrition.* Tufts University, pp.195-203, 1997.
- 1997 Walter, A.R., Cohen, N.L. and Swicker, R.C. Food safety training needs exist for staff and consumers in a variety of community-based homes for people with developmental disabilities. *J. Am. Dietetic Assoc.* 97:619-625, 1997.
- 1997 Cohen, N.L., Beffa-Negrini, P., Sternheim, M., Volpe, S.L., Laus, M.J. and Sternheim, H. The Internet as a method of continuing education in nutrition. *Topics in Clinical Nutrition* 12:21-26, 1997.
- 1996 Cohen, N.L., Swicker, R.C., and Evans, D.A. Safe Food at Home: Education for staff and consumers in homes for people with mental retardation. *Journal of Nutrition Education* 28:239C, 1996.
- 1994 Cohen, N.L., Parnell, W., and Amick, T.L. Distance teaching as a method of post-graduate continuing education in community nutrition. *Ecology of Food and Nutrition* 33:37-43, 1994.
- 1994 Cohen, N.L. How to host a hotline. *Food Management* 29(8):46, 1994.
- 1993 Hollingsworth, C., Paschall, M.J., Cohen, N.L., and Coli, W.M. Support in New England for certification and labeling of produce grown using integrated pest management. *American Journal of Alternative Agriculture* 8(2):78-84, 1993.
- 1992 Paschall, M.J., Hollingsworth, C.S., Coli, W.M., and Cohen, N.L. Working the bugs out: Integrated pest management saves crops and the environment. *The Journal of the American Dietetic Association* 92:931, 1992.
- 1991 Cohen, N.L., Laus, M.J., Stutzman, N.C., and Swicker, R.C. Dietary change in participants of The Better Eating for Better Health course. *The Journal of the American Dietetic Association* 91(3): 345-346, 1991.
- 1991 Fritz, B.R., Cohen, N.L., and Evans, D.A. Food handling is a risky business! *Extension Review* 62(1): 8-9, 1991.
- 1990 Cohen, N.L. A health fair for seniors. *The Journal of Nutrition Education* 22:310A, 1990.
- 1990 Cohen, N.L. and Laus, M.J. Contribution of portion data to estimating nutrient intake by food frequency. *Mass. Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin No. 730, Amherst, MA.* 54 pages.

- 1990 Rose, J.A., Cohen, N.L., and Laliberte-Carey, L. The role of a food bank in serving the nutrition education needs of food assistance programs. *The Journal of the American Dietetic Association* 90(7):988-989, 1990.
- 1990 Beffa-Negrini, P. and Cohen, N.L. Use of learning style theory in development of a nutrition education program to reduce cancer risk. *The Journal of Nutrition Education* 22:106A-106B, 1990.
- 1989 Fritz, B.R., Cohen, N.L., and Evans, D.A. A food safety education program targeting food handlers in high risk settings. *The Journal of Nutrition Education* 21:284F-284G, 1989.
- 1985 Cohen, N.L., Keen, C.L., Lonnerdal, B., and Hurley, L.S. Effects of varying dietary iron on the expression of copper deficiency in the growing rat: anemia, ferroxidase I and II, tissue trace elements, ascorbic acid, and xanthine dehydrogenase. *Journal of Nutrition* 115:633-636, 1985.
- 1985 Cohen, N.L., Keen, C.L., Hurley, L.S., and Lonnerdal, B. Determinants of copper deficiency anemia in rats. *Journal of Nutrition* 115:710-725, 1985.
- 1984 Keen, C.L., Cohen, N.L., Hurley, L.S., and Lonnerdal, B. Molecular localization of copper and zinc in rat fetal liver in dietary and drug-induced copper deficiency. *Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications* 118:687-703, 1984.
- 1983 Cohen, N.L., Keen, C.L., Lonnerdal, C., and Hurley, L.S. The effect of copper chelating drugs on liver iron mobilization in the adult rat. *Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications* 113:127-134, 1983.
- 1983 Keen, C.L., Cohen, N.L., Lonnerdal, B., and Hurley, L.S. Teratogenesis and low copper status resulting from triethylenetetramine in rats. *Proceedings of the Society for Experimental Biology and Medicine* 173:698-605, 1983.
- 1983 Cohen, N.L., Keen, C.L., Lonnerdal, B., and Hurley, L.S. The effect of copper supplementation on the teratogenic effects of triethylenetetramine in rats. *Drug-Nutrient Interactions* 2:203-211, 1983.
- 1982 Keen, C.L., Cohen, N.L., Lonnerdal, B., and Hurley, L.S. Low tissue copper and teratogenesis in trientine-treated rats. *Lancet* 1:1127, 1982.

#### **CHAPTERS IN BOOKS/CD ROMS**

- 2015 Cohen, N.L. The Study of Nutrition at the University of Massachusetts Amherst. In: Nutrition and Weight Management for the Curious: Why Study Nutrition and Weight Management. Kishor Vaidya, editor. ISBN 978-1-925128-09
- 1999 Cohen, N.L. Food Safety. In: Insel, P. CDRom Study Guide in Introductory Nutrition. Cognito, Inc.
- 1998 Volpe, S.L. and Cohen, N.L. Energy Balance. CDRom Modeling Unit using Model-it, Cogito, Inc.
- 1994 Ralston, P.R. and Cohen, N.L. Nutrition services for the rural elderly. In: Krout, J.A., ed. Providing Community-Based Services to the Rural Elderly, Sage Publications, Thousand Oaks, pp. 202-220.

#### **GRANTS AWARDED:**

- 2014-19 Changing the Health Trajectory for Older Adults through Effective Diet and Activity Modifications. USDA NIFA NE- 1439 Regional Research Project, 2014-19. N. Cohen, PI of Massachusetts project.



- 2011-15 Food Safety from Farm and Garden to Preschool. USDA/NIFA, 2011-2015. \$424,878. N. Cohen, PI. C. Violette, co-PI.
- 2011 Nutrition Department Mutual Mentoring Program. UMass Mellon Mutual Mentoring Initiative, \$10,000. N. Cohen, P.I., L. Cordeiro, co-PI.
- 2009-14 Changing the Health Trajectory for Older Adults through Effective Diet and Activity Modifications. USDA CSREES NE- 1039 Regional Research Project, 2009-14. N. Cohen, PI of Massachusetts project.
- 2009 School of Public Health and Health Sciences (SPHHS) Pathways to Public Health Careers. Assoc. of Schools of Public Health/Pfizer Award. \$30,000. L. Chasan-Taber, P.I., N. Cohen, co-P.I.
- 2007-8 School of Public Health and Health Sciences Mutual Mentoring. UMass Mellon Mutual Mentoring Award. \$15,000. L. Chasan-Taber, P.I., N. Cohen, co-P.I.
- 2007 Food Safety for Day Care Providers. Massachusetts Department of Education, \$28,370. N. Cohen, P.I.
- 2006-7 Development of the Online MPH in Nutrition Program. University of Massachusetts Outreach Program Innovation Fund, \$20,000. N. Cohen, P.I.
- 2005-6 Nutrition and Food Safety Education for Staff and Caregivers of ADH Programs. Massachusetts Department of Education, \$134,333. N. Cohen and R. Brennan Olson, co-P.I.s.
- 2006-10 UMass Amherst Multicultural Nutrition Scholarship Program. USDA CSREES, \$90,000. N. Cohen, P.I., P. Marsh-Williams and M. Ouellett, coinvestigators
- 2004-9 Improving fruit, vegetable, and whole grain availability and intake in older adults. USDA CSREES NE-1023 Regional Research Project, 2004-2009. ~ \$150,000. N. Cohen and M.J. Laus, co-PI of Massachusetts project.
- 2003 Teaching and Learning in a Diverse Classroom, University of Massachusetts, \$15,000. N. Cohen, P.I.
- 2002-6 Online Education for Secondary Science Teachers: An Integrated Approach to Food Safety Training, USDA/CSREES, \$530,608. N.Cohen, P.I., R.Brennan Olson, L. McLandsborough, co-P.I.s.
- 2002 Nutrition and Food Safety Education for Elder Care Givers, Mass. Department of Education, \$108,490, (1/02-6/03). R. Brennan Olson, P.I., N. Cohen, co-PI.
- 2002 Reducing Disease Risk in Low Income Postpartum Women, NIH, \$522,388 (UMass subcontract only) (6/00-5/03). K. Petersen, PI., N.L. Cohen, coinvestigator (PI UMass subcontract).
- 2001-5 Efficacy of Producing Stable Omega-3 Fatty Acids Enhance Food to Improve Human Health, USDA/CSREES, \$1,257,322. E. Decker, P.I.; J. McClements, P. Chinachoti, N. Cohen, co-P.I.s.
- 2001 Massachusetts Family Nutrition Program, USDA/FNS, \$2,100,000. M. Pearson, P.I. N.L. Cohen and MJ Laus, co-investigators for subproject, "Increasing Fruits and Vegetables in Food Pantries".
- 1999, 2000 Massachusetts Family Nutrition Program, USDA/FNS, \$1,350,000. M. Pearson, P.I. N.L. Cohen and MJ Laus, co-investigators for subproject, "Food Bank of Western Massachusetts Assessment and Education".
- 1999 The CyberSeminar as an Interactive Web-based Learning Model of Continuing Education for Professionals, UMass Professional Development Grants in Instructional Technology, \$12,000. N.L. Cohen and D. Hart, co- P.I.

- 1999-03 Nutritional Risk and Antioxidant Status in the Elderly, USDA CSREES, ~ \$160,000. N.L. Cohen, P.I. of the Massachusetts project.
- 1999 Massachusetts Food Safety Education, CSREES/USDA, \$30,000. R. Brennan Olson, N. Cohen, co-investigators.
- 1999-02 UMass/Amherst and Medical University of South Africa Linkage Project, USAID/TELP. J. Cunningham, P.I., N.L. Cohen co-investigator of subproject for nutrition linkages.
- 1998 Massachusetts Family Nutrition Program, to USDA Food and Nutrition Service, \$42,478. M. Pearson, P.I., N.L. Cohen, co-investigator for subproject, "SPICE project – Peer nutrition education or elderly blacks."
- 1998 FightBac Low Literacy and Spanish Materials, FDA, \$3000. N.L. Cohen, P.I., R. B. Olson, co-investigator
- 1996 Massachusetts Family Nutrition Program, USDA Food and Consumer Service. M. McLaurin, P. Pellett, B. Schrader, Principal Investigators, N.L. Cohen, co-investigator.
- 1996 STEM-Ed: A Multiple Strategy Approach to Professional Development in Science Education, Mass. Board of Higher Education, \$37,563. M. Sternheim, PI, N.L. Cohen, co-investigator
- 1995-8 Food Safety by Satellite, ES/USDA, \$25,000. N.L. Cohen, PI, J. Flohr, and R.B. Olson, co-principal investigators.
- 1995 Nutrition Online: Distance Education for Teachers via UMassK12, Public Service Endowment Grant, \$14,965. N.L. Cohen, P.I., M. Sternheim and S. Volpe, co-investigators.
- 1995-7 NIBBLE for Interactive Adult Education, USDA, \$98,448. J. Cunningham, P.I., N.L. Cohen and R. Brennan Olson, co-investigators.
- 1994-9 Assessment of Nutritional Risk in the Elderly, USDA NE-172 Regional Research Project.
- 1994 Extension of the Massachusetts model of food safety education, USDA, \$20,000. N.L. Cohen and D.A. Evans, co-principal investigators.
- 1993-7 Treatwell 5-A-Day worksite nutrition intervention, National Cancer Institute, \$2,310,449. G. Sorensen, P.I. (Dana Farber Cancer Inst) L. Cheung, co-P.I., A. Stoddard, M.K. Hunt, J.C. Weeks, K.E. Peterson, J.C. Witschi, N.L. Cohen, co-investigators.
- 1993 Safe food handling for staff and residents of homes for the mentally retarded, USDA, \$73,730. N.L. Cohen and D.A. Evans, co-principal investigators.
- 1993 New England Small Food Processors project, USDA, \$81,000. N. Hedstrom, P.I. (Univ. of Maine). D. Hirsch, K. Hall, D. Evans, N. Cohen, C. Violette, M. Patnoad, D. Steen and K. Schneider, co-investigators.
- 1991 An educational approach to reduce the risk of foodborne illness in vulnerable populations, USDA, \$37,000. N.L. Cohen, Principal Investigator; D. Evans and R.B. Olson, co-investigators.
- 1990-3 Factors Influencing Dietary Quality of Elderly Blacks, AARP-Andrus Foundation, \$63,548. N. Cohen and P. Ralston, co-P.I.

- 1990 Evaluation of Perceptions of an IPM Certification Program, ES-USDA, \$10,000. C. Hollingsworth, P.I., W. Coli, N. Cohen and J. Pontius, co-investigators.
- 1989 Relationship between Learning Style and Knowledge, Attitude and Behavior Change in Nutrition Education, Univ. of Mass. Healey Award, \$4,798. N. Cohen, P.I., P. Beffa-Negrini, co-investigator..
- 1989 VENTURES: Volunteer Extension Nutrition Trainees as Unique Resources for Educating Seniors, Univ. of Mass. Public Service Endowment Grant, \$11,750. N. Cohen, P.I., R. Brennan Olson, co-investigator.
- 1989 Factors Influencing Dietary Quality in Elderly Blacks Residing in Housing Developments, USDA Hatch, \$9000. N. Cohen and P. Ralston, co-principal investigators.
- 1988 An Educational Approach to Assess Risks and Benefits in Foodborne Illness, ES-USDA, \$10,000. N. Cohen, P.I., D.A. Evans, co-investigator.
- 1986 Consumer Seafood Education, New England Fisheries Development Foundation, \$3,000. N. Cohen, P.I.

### **ABSTRACTS and PRESENTATIONS**

- 2018 Jiang Q, Cohen NL. Fruit and vegetable intake among older adults living in western Massachusetts in the context of their food environment. Poster presented at the 2018 MAND Annual Convention and Exposition, Norwood, MA, March 23, 2018.
- 2018 Wemhoener, HA, Cohen, NL. Testing a size acceptance approach to reducing weight bias among future health and nutrition professionals. Poster presented at the 2018 MAND Annual Convention and Exposition, Norwood, MA, March 23, 2018.
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- 1990 Freeman, L.A., Stutzman, N.C., Cohen, N.L., O'Donoghue, M., Olson, R., and Swicker, R. Focus on Fat: A practical approach to dietary fat reduction. Society for Nutrition Education Annual Meeting Proceedings. Anaheim, CA.
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- 1988 Cohen, N.L., Stutzman, N., Swicker, R., and Laus, M.J. Nutrition education: Can knowledge, beliefs, and dietary practices be sustained? American Dietetic Association Annual Conference. San Francisco, CA.
- 1988 Cohen, N.L. Increasing seafood consumption through nutrition education. Massachusetts Dietetic Association Annual Meeting. Boston, MA.
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**ORAL PRESENTATIONS TO PROFESSIONALS (INVITED)**

- 2018 “Food Safety on the Little Screen,” to the Association of Food and Drug Officers, Burlington, Vermont, June 11, 2018; with K. Concra.
- 2018 “Food Safety from Farm and Garden to Preschool,” to the Minnesota Farm 2 Early Care Network, May 15, 2018.
- 2017 “Are Television Cooking Shows Modeling Recommended Food Safety Practices For Consumers?” to the Northeast Food and Drug Officers Association, Providence, RI, May 18, 2017; with K Concra.
- 2016 “Using Performance Data to Drive Academic Unit Planning,” to the Society for College and University Planning, Vancouver, Canada, July 2016; with B Harvey and B Beck.
- 2016 “Managing Strategic Realignment and Adopting New Resource Allocation Processes – Simultaneously” to the Society for College and University Planning, Vancouver, Canada, July 2016; with B Harvey and B Beck.
- 2016 “Reflections on Cuba,” to the Department of Nutrition, University of Massachusetts, April 27, 2016; with E Carbone.
- 2015 “The Massachusetts Partnership for Food Safety Education,” to the Harvard China Food Safety Monitoring and Risk Assessment Monitoring Program, Harvard University, Boston, MA, November 10, 2015.
- 2015 “Council of Food Science Administrators and its relationship to IFT: lessons from the Association of Nutrition Departments and Programs,” to the Council of Food Science Administrators, Pomona, CA, October 2015.
- 2015 “RD/DTRs and Local Communities Together: Partnering to Improve the Health and Wellbeing of Older Adults,” to the Massachusetts Dietetic Association, Norwood, MA, April 2015.
- 2014 “RD/DTRs and Local Farming Communities Together: Partnering to Improve the Health and Wellbeing of Older Adults,” to the Food and Nutrition Conference and Expo, Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, Atlanta, GA, October 2014.
- 2014 “The Massachusetts Partnership for Food Safety Education”, to the Harvard China Food Safety Monitoring and Risk Assessment Monitoring Program, Harvard University, Boston, MA, December 2014.
- 2014 “Food Safety from Farm and Garden to Preschool,” to the USDA NIFA Food Safety Project Directors Meeting, Washington, DC, May 2014.
- 2013 “Slow Food in Italy,” Department of Nutrition, UMass Amherst, November 2013

- 2013 “Community Supports For Healthy Eating In Older Adults.” Springfield Food Policy Council, June, December 2013.
- 2013 “Local Food: Cultivating an Economy, an Industry, or Movement?” Panel Discussion, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA, March 2013.
- 2013-14 “UMass Strategic Planning”, numerous presentations to UMass Faculty Senate and colleges, Dec 2012-May 2014
- 2011 "Evidence-Based Nutrition Education," American Society for Nutrition, minisymposium co-chair, Washington, DC.
- 2006-08 “Public Research Institutions”, Pathways to Professorship Conference, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA.
- 2006 “Overcoming Obesity: Public, Professional, and Policy Perspectives”, American Society for Nutrition, Symposium co-chair, San Francisco, CA.
- 2006 “Food Safety FIRST: Online Education for Science Teachers”, to the USDA Food Safety Project Directors Meeting, Washington, DC.
- 2004 “Omega-3 Fatty acids: Remedies, Risks, and Recommendations”, to dietitians and nutrition students, Amherst, MA.
- 2004 “Benefits and Risks of Omega-3 Fatty Acids,” Massachusetts Dietetic Association, Framingham, MA.
- 2003 “Inquiry-based Learning”, STEM Science Education Institute teachers, Amherst, MA.
- 2003 “Recipe for Diversity”, University of Massachusetts Center for Teaching faculty group, Amherst, MA.
- 2003 “Online Nutrition Education Experiences,” University of Massachusetts Science Education Online faculty group, Amherst, MA
- 2001 “The Nutrition Online Experience: Educational Approaches and Perceptions of Traditional and Nontraditional Undergraduates and K12 Teachers”, Cornell University Department of Nutritional Sciences, Ithaca, NY.
- 2001 “The Nutrition Online Experience: A Comparison of Internet Education for Traditional and Nontraditional Undergraduates and K12 Teachers,” with Brian Miller, Pathways 2001 Conference, STEM Education Institute, Amherst, MA
- 2000 “Program Evaluation”, to Pietersburg Dietetic Association, Pietersburg, South Africa
- 2000 “Nutrition Curricula”, to Department of Nutrition, Medical University of Southern Africa, Pretoria, South Africa
- 2000 "Pedagogical Considerations of Online Education," to Society for Nutrition Education, Charleston, SC.
- 2000 “Food Safety Trends and Training Tools,” Central Massachusetts Dietetic Association, Shrewsbury, MA.

- 2000 "Outcomes Research," to Aramark Dietetic Staff, Lawrence, MA.
- 1999 "Food Safety Education: Research, Resources, Policy and Posterity," University of Connecticut, Storrs.
- 1998 "Managing the Food Safety Media Madness," New England Direct Marketing conference, Sturbridge, MA.
- 1997 "Practical Approaches to Increasing Calcium Intake," New England Area chapter of the American College of Sports Medicine, Providence, RI.
- 1997 "Accessing the Internet: What is Out There in Nutrition, Food Service and Safety," National Head Start Nutrition and Foodservice Management Training Institute, Boston, MA.
- 1996 "Nutrition Research to Practice", Workgroup Leader, Administration on Aging/USDA HNRCA at Tufts Symposium, Boston, MA.
- 1994 "Food Safety and the Consumer," Panel Chair, New England Direct Marketing conference, Sturbridge, MA.
- 1993 "Grassroots Research," to the Western Mass. Dietetic Association, Amherst, MA.
- 1993 "The Relationship of Diet to Social Support in the Elderly," to the NE-172 Regional Research Project, Rhode Island.
- 1992 "Problem Solving and Learning Related to Dietary Change," discussant, to The Society for Nutrition Education, Washington, D.C.
- 1991 "Sugar and Fat Substitutes," to Mass. EFNEP staff, Ashland, MA
- 1991 "Volunteer Nutrition Education," to aging network professionals, Marlboro, MA.
- 1990 "Nutrition and Behavior," to school foodservice staff and school administrators, Walpole, MA.
- 1990 "Nutrition for Elders," to the Massachusetts Public Health Association, Springfield, MA.
- 1990 "New Foods," to Massachusetts WIC staff, Newton, MA.
- 1990 "Evaluation in a State with Limited Resources," to the Society for Nutrition Education Extension Educators Group, Anaheim, CA.
- 1989 "How Can Nutritionists Use Trends to Most Effectively Educate the Consumer?" to the New England Dietetic Association, Boston, MA.
- 1989 "The Essentiality of Portion Sizes for Estimating Nutrient Intake by Food Frequency Forms," to the Department of Nutrition, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT.
- 1988 "The Safety of Sugar Substitutes," to dietitians and school foodservice staff in New England, Portsmouth, NH.
- 1988 "The Essentiality of Portion Size Data in Nutrient Intake Estimation by Food Frequency," to Northeast Regional Nutrition Research Project members, Norwich, CT.

- 1988 "Non-nutritive Sweeteners," to physicians and dietitians at Monadnock Community Hospital, NH.
- 1988 "Zinc and Copper in Human Health," to Mass. Extension Nutrition staff, Ashland, MA.
- 1988 "Sugar and Fat Substitutes," to nutritionists and nutrition assistants, Massachusetts EFNEP, Amherst, MA.
- 1987 "Seafood Nutrition," to Mass. EFNEP staff, Amherst, MA.
- 1987 "Elderly Nutrition," to Worcester County EFNEP staff, Worcester, MA.
- 1987 "Elderly Nutrition," to Massachusetts Home Economics Association members, Amherst, MA.
- 1987 "Nonnutritive Sweeteners," to New Hampshire Dietetic Association members, Portsmouth, NH.
- 1987 "Sugar and Sugar Substitutes," to New Hampshire Nutrition Education and Training Program staff, Concord, NH.
- 1986 "Nutrition Resources," to Mass. 4H staff, Ashland, MA.
- 1986 "Seafood Nutrition," to Mass. Extension nutrition staff. Amherst, MA.
- 1986 "Nonnutritive Sweetener Update," to Extension staff in New England, Durham, NH.
- 1986 "Uses for Expert Systems in Nutrition," to Mass. Extension staff, Amherst, MA.
- 1986 "Quality in Nutrition Education," to Mass. EFNEP staff. Amherst, MA.
- 1986 "Seafood Nutrition," to Berkshire Nutrition Council. Pittsfield, MA.

#### **UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE AND EXTENSION COMMITTEES**

- 2016-present Member, Campus Planning and Resource Committee (CPARC), UMass
- 2015-present Member, Joint Subcommittee on Administrative Costs and Services, UMass
- 2014-15 Member, Chancellor Evaluation Committee, UMass
- 2014-15 Chair, JTFSO Subcommittee on Outreach and Community Engagement, UMass
- 2013-2016 Member, Faculty Senate Rules Committee, UMass
- 2013-2016 Member, Joint Task Force on Resource Allocation, UMass
- 2013-present Faculty Senator, UMass
- 2012 - 13 Member, UMass Sesquicentennial Committee Academic Subcommittee
- 2012 - 2016 Co-Chair, Joint Task Force on Strategic Oversight (JTFSO), UMass Faculty Senate
- 2011 - 2012 Co-Chair, Ad-Hoc Committee on Strategic Oversight, UMass Faculty Senate

2011-12 Member, Commonwealth Honors College Director of Community Research Search Committee

2011-2015 Member, Center for Agriculture Advisory Committee

2010-11 Co-Convener, UMass Food Studies Group

2010 Member, Commonwealth Honors College RFP Review Committee

2010-11 Member, Dean of School of Nursing Search Committee

2010 Member, Director of Extension Review Committee

2010-present Member, University Faculty Senate Program and Budget Council

2009 Member, Dean of School of Education Review Committee

2007-8 Member, UMass Dean's Council

2007-8 Member, Life Sciences Task Force, UMass President's office

2007-8 Co-Chair, Life Sciences Working Group on Health, Disease and Behavior, UMass President's office

2007 Convener, School of Public Health and Health Sciences New Faculty Training

2007 Member, School of Public Health and Health Sciences MPH Committee

2006 Chair, School of Public Health and Health Sciences Website Redesign Committee

2004 Member, Search Committee for Director of Continuing Education

2004-2015 Member, School of Public Health and Health Sciences Aging and Health Research Group

2003- 2015 Member, School of Public Health and Health Sciences Executive Council

2003-4 Member, University Homecoming Day Academic Symposium Planning Committee

2003-4 Member, School of Public Health and Health Sciences Research Advisory Committee

2003-4 Member, Search Committee for Vice Provost for Outreach and Director of Continuing Education

2003 Member, Search Committee for Grants Manager, School of Public Health and Health Sciences

2003 Member, Selection Committee, University Distinguished Academic Outreach Award

2003 Member, Advisory Committee for Online Certificate in Basics in Exercise and Nutrition for Health and Human Performance

2003 Interim Director, Dietetics Programs (internship and didactic program)

2003 Coordinator, Department of Nutrition Strategic Planning

2002-2003 Member, Chancellor's Inauguration Academic Symposium Planning Committee

2000-2002 Member, University Distinguished Faculty Lecturer Committee

1999-2000 Member, CEPH Committee, School of Public Health and Health Sciences

1998-99 Chair, Food Safety Education Team, UMass Extension

1997 Member, Nutrition Education Program Steering Committee, UMass Extension

1997 Chair, Search Committee for EFNEP faculty member, Department of Nutrition

1995-2003 Member, Office of Public Health Practice and Outreach, School of Public Health and Health Sciences

1993-2013 Member, Strategic Planning Committee, School of Public Health and Health Sciences.

1994 Member, Committee to Design MPH Program in Nutrition, School of Public Health and Health Sciences

1994 Member, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Nutrition

1991-92 Member, College of Food and Natural Resources Futures Committee

1991 Member, College of Food and Natural Resources Personnel Committee

1990, 1993 Chair, Rapid Response Working Group, Cooperative Extension

1989-1998 Member, Personnel Committee, Department of Nutrition, (Acting Chair, Fall 1991)

1988-2015 Member, Advisory and Admissions Committees for AP4/Dietetic Internship Program, Department of Nutrition

1987-1997 Chair, Nutrition Education Committee, UMass Extension

1986-1990,  
1993-2015 Member, Graduate Program Committee, Department of Nutrition

1988 Member, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Food Science & Nutrition

1988 Member, Faculty Search Committee, Division of Home Economics

1988 Member, Search Committee for Dean of College of Food and Natural Resources

1986-1988 Member, University Council on the Status of Minorities

1986-1987 Member, Eating Disorders Working Group

1986-1987 Member, University Human Subjects Review Committee

1985-1987 Chair, Food and Nutrition Committee, Cooperative Extension



- 1985-1987      Member, Office of Marine Resources
- 1985-1986      Member, Home Economics Long Range Planning Committee
- 1985-1986      Member, Lead Education Task Force, Cooperative Extension
- 1985-1986      Member, Public Policy Education Task Force, Cooperative Extension

### **EXTENSION/OUTREACH PUBLICATIONS and ONLINE PROGRAMS**

- 2014      Cohen, N., Wickham, C., Violette, C., and Thompson, L. Food Safety from Farm and Garden to Preschool. UMass. Department of Nutrition and UNH Cooperative Extension. ([www.umass.edu/safefoodfarm2kid](http://www.umass.edu/safefoodfarm2kid)).
- 2007      Beffa-Negrini, P., Brennan Olson, R. and Cohen, N.L. Food Safety for Day Care Providers online minicourse. UMass Department of Nutrition, UMass Extension Nutrition Education Program. (<http://www.umassone.net/foodsafetydaycare>)
- 2006      Brennan Olson, R., Treu, J., Thompson, L., Cohen, N.L., and Millett, K. It's More than a Meal. Manual, fact sheet series, and website, UMass Extension. ([www.morethanameal.info](http://www.morethanameal.info))
- 2006      Beffa-Negrini, P. and Cohen, N.L. Nutrition and health in the science classroom. STEM NEWSLETTER, [stemnewsletter.pbwiki.com](http://stemnewsletter.pbwiki.com), 7/3/06. Also Fall 2006 print issue.
- 2005      Cohen, N.L. and Thompson, L. UMass ONE: Online Nutrition Education. Website and portal to distance education programs, UMass. (<http://www.umassone.net>)
- 2005      Cohen, N.L., Thompson, L., Carbone, E., and Laus, M.J. Omega-3 fatty acids: Remedies, Risks and Recommendations, cyberseminar and website, UMass Extension. (<http://www.umassone.net/omega3>)
- 2005      Beffa-Negrini, P. and Cohen, N.L. Fats and Health website and online course modules, UMass. (<http://www.umassone.net/healthyfats>)
- 2004      Brennan Olson, R., Beffa-Negrini, P., McLandsborough, L., Cohen, N.L. Food Safety FIRST website, curriculum, course, UMass Extension. (<http://www.foodsafetyfirst.org>)
- 2004      Cohen, N.L. and Treu, J. Fostering Good Nutrition slideset/curriculum, UMass Extension.
- 2001      Brennan Olson, R. and Cohen, N.L. The ABCs of Good Nutrition for Young Children. Home study course and website, UMass Extension. (<http://k12s.phast.umass.edu/abc/index.html>)
- 1999      Brennan Olson, R. and Cohen, N.L., and Mass. Partnership for Food Safety Education. You 2 Can Keep Your Food Safe When the Power is Out. UMass Extension.
- 1999      Brennan Olson, R. and Cohen, N.L. Fight Bac Activity Sheets, UMass Extension.
- 1998      Miller, B., Brennan Olson, R., and Cohen, N.L., HACCP Materials for Loan, UMass Extension (resource guide)
- 1998      Cohen, N.L. and Laurin, S. Do You Need a Supplement? Food and Nutrition News and Reviews, Summer 1998. (newsletter article)

- 1998 Brennan Olson, R., Miller, B. and Cohen, N. How to Sanitize with Bleach. UMass Extension, (fact sheet)
- 1998 Brennan Olson, R., Miller, B. and Cohen, N. Wash Hands/Hand Care for Food Service. UMass Extension (fact sheet)
- 1998 Brennan Olson, R., and Cohen, N. Springfield Food and Nutrition Resources for Older Adults. UMass Extension (pamphlet)
- 1997 Olson, R.B., Cohen, N.L., Atallah, E., Donnelly, K., and Cunningham, J. NIBBLE for ABE (lesson plan and computer site). (<http://www.umass.edu/nibble>)
- 1997 Cohen, N.L., Cluff, C., Laus, M.J., Dun, T., Beffa-Negrini, P., Volpe, S., Sternheim, M. Nutrition Science Online Workbook. (course syllabus, materials and web site).
- 1997 Cohen, N.L., Krilivsky, B., Olson, R.B., and Eaton, C. Directory of On-line Nutrition, Food Safety and Health Resources.
- 1996 Beffa-Negrini, P., Cohen, N.L., Volpe, S., Laus, M.J., Sternheim, M. and Sternheim, H. Nutrition Online Workbook (course syllabus, materials and Internet site).
- 1996 Cohen, N.L. The ABCs of E coli 0157:H7. New England Food Safety Newsletter (newsletter)
- 1996 Olson, R.B. and Cohen, N.L. Fit in 5 (home study course).
- 1995 Brennan Olson, and Cohen, N.L. Food Safety Update (newsletter)
- 1995 Cohen, N.L. and Brennan Olson, R. Safe and Healthy Bag Lunches (brochure)
- 1995 Camire, A., Cohen, N.L. et al. Food Safety and Quality Participant's Notebook
- 1994 Safe Food At Home (lesson plan and materials)
- 1993 Cohen, N.L. Pesticides and Children's Diets, Rapid Response Fact Sheet Series
- 1992 Paschall, M.J., Hollingsworth, C.S., Coli, W.M. and Cohen, N.L. Attitudes and perceptions toward a certification program for Integrated Pest Management: A survey of consumers and the food industry in New England. Fruit Notes, Fall issue
- 1992 -99 Food and Nutrition: News and Reviews newsletter, (3/year) (editor)
- 1992 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). Food Storage Guides (2 posters)
- 1992 Directory of Food-Safety Related Expertise and Rapid Response Manual
- 1989 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). Educational Programs in Nutrition, Diet, and Health (fact sheet)
- 1989 Swicker, R., Cohen, N., Evans, D. Food Handling is a Risky Business (fact sheet and lesson plan)
- 1989 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair), Focus on Fat (fact sheet)

- 1989 Cohen, N. Having Your Cake (plus ice cream, mayonnaise, and chips) and Eating Them, Too (newsletter article)
- 1989 Cohen, N. Health Statistics: The Nutrition Connection (newsletter article)
- 1989 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). VENTURES in Healthy Eating (training outline, teaching outline, fact sheets, and flipchart) (revised, 1994)
- 1989 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). Guide to Choosing Low Sodium Foods (fact sheet)
- 1988 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). Seafood and Health (fact sheet)
- 1988 Cohen, N. Keeping Nutrients in Your Food (newsletter article)
- 1988 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). Sodium Labeling (fact sheet)
- 1988 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). Vegetables and Health (fact sheet series)
- 1988 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). Educational Programs in Nutrition, Diet, and Health (display)
- 1987 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). Your Money's Worth in Foods (5 lesson correspondence course)
- 1987 Cohen, N. Nutrition in 1987 - What's Hot, What's Not. (newsletter article)
- 1987 Cohen, N. Guidelines for Program Decisions in Food and Nutrition (position paper)
- 1986 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). New England Seafood Series (10 fact sheets)
- 1986 Nutrition, Diet and Health Team (N Cohen, chair). The New F.D.A. Sodium Regulations (fact sheet)
- 1986 Cohen, N. 1986: The Year to Implement the Dietary Guidelines (newsletter article)

### **BOOK REVIEWS**

Duyff, R. L. The American Dietetic Association's Complete Food & Nutrition Guide. . Chronimed Publishing, Minneapolis, MN. 1996. In: Inside Massachusetts Dietetic Association Newsletter, spring 1998.

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Yetic, J. Popular Nutrition Practices, Dell Publishing Co., NY 1988. J. Nutr. Ed. 21(6):289-90, 1989.

Moore, R. and Webb, G. The K Factor: Reversing and Preventing High Blood Pressure Without Drugs, Simon and Schuster, NY, 1986. J. Nutr. Ed. 20(4):204, 1988.

Nettleton, S. Seafood and Health, Osprey Books, NY, 1987. J. Nutr. Ed. 19(6):313, 1987.

Chandra, R. Trace Elements in Nutrition of Children, Nestle Nutrition Workshop Series Vol. 8, 1985. J. Nutr. Ed. 19:35, 1987.

**MEDIA ACTIVITIES**

- 2018 “Fake News in Nutrition; Credibility of Nutrition Research”, WERS radio, 10/5/18
- 2017 “Food Safety in Television Cooking Shows”, Optimum Nutrition Magazine, 4/20/17
- 2016 “Exercise while Fasting or Full”, Shape Magazine, 5/4/16  
 “Food Safety Practices on Television Cooking Shows”, JNEB Podcast, 11/16  
 “What to Eat Before/After A Workout”, CNN.com, 12/29/16  
 “Television Cooking Show Food Safety”, The Daily Texan, 12/7/16  
 The television study also attracted news coverage through Foodsafetynews.com, oncapehealthnews.com, foxnews.com, medicalnewstoday.com, New Food Magazine, and munchies.vice.com
- 2015 “Seniors and Hunger”, WCHC 1520 radio 3/23/15
- 2014 “Timing Sports Meals”, Time.com, 9/16/14
- 2013 “Tips to Cut Calories”, Weight Watcher’s Magazine, 5/21/13
- 2011 “Antioxidants”, Environmental Nutrition, 1/25/11  
 “Berries,” Chicago Tribune, 2/9/11  
 “Colored Vegetables,” Daily Hampshire Gazette, 2/3/11  
 “Expiration Dates,” Daily Hampshire Gazette, 5/19/11  
 “Online Education,” Medill News Service, 2/11
- 2010 “New Dietary Guidelines,” Boston Globe, 11/12/10  
 “Foods for Immune Function,” Whole Living Magazine, 7/8/10  
 “Trouble with Eating,” UMass Magazine, 2/18/10  
 “Diet Comparison,” Everydayhealth.com 1/5/10  
 “Peanut Allergies in Schools”, Daily Hampshire Gazette, 8/30/10
- 2009 “Guiding America to Healthier Food Choices?” ePerspective, [www.ift.org](http://www.ift.org), 4/8/09  
 “Nutrients You Need” Ladies Home Journal, 6/4/09  
 “Foods with Less Sugar”, American Baby Magazine, 4/2/09  
 “Low Cost Foods”, Springfield Republican, 12/22/09
- 2007 “Eating Out Safely During Pregnancy”, Boston Parents Paper  
 “Healthy Juices”, Erickson Tribune  
 “Safe Food Sources”, Cape Cod Times  
 “How to Cut 100 Kcal”, Women’s Health Magazine
- 2006 “Using the Food Pyramid”, Web MD  
 “Sodium and Health”, Springfield Republican  
 “Fruit and Vegetable Safety”, Hampshire Gazette  
 “Kosher Meats”, Springfield Republican
- 2005 “Dietary Guidelines”, Hampshire Gazette  
 “Juices”, Men’s Fitness Magazine,  
 “Frugal Suppers”, Farmers Almanac  
 “Omega-3 Fatty Acids”, Bipolar Magazine
- 2004 “Maintaining Diets”, Web MD  
 “Protein Sources”, Men’s Fitness Magazine

- “Benefits of Juices”, Health Magazine
- 2003 “Stress and Nutrition,” Springfield Union News  
“Pesticides and Produce,” Eating Well Magazine  
“Working Mothers and Nutrition”, Boston Globe
- 2002 "Metabolism" Men's Health  
"School Lunch and Vending Machines", Daily Hampshire Gazette  
"Food Guide Pyramid", Fitness Magazine  
"Stress and Nutrition", Springfield Union News
- 2001 "Calcium", Daily Hampshire Gazette  
"Conflicting Nutrition Information", Daily Hampshire Gazette  
"Healthy Bag Lunches", Daily Hampshire Gazette
- 2000 "Food for Health" Men's Health  
"Nutrition for the Elderly" Springfield Union News  
"Lycopene and Beta Carotene" Environmental Nutrition Newsletter  
"Food Storage" Springfield Union News  
"Fresh Produce" Chicago Tribune  
"Soy and Health" Springfield Union News  
"Weight Loss" Men's Health
- 1998-99 “Do We Need Milk?” Springfield Union News  
“Fat Substitutes”, Daily Hampshire Gazette  
“Nutritional Benefits of Fish”, Men’s Health  
“Ideas to eat more vegetables”, Men’s Health  
“Heart Healthy Diets”, Food Product Design  
“Food safety and Pesticides”, Daily Hampshire Gazette  
“Importance of Variety”, Muscle and Fitness Magazine  
“Nutrition and Elderly”, Daily Hampshire Gazette
- 1997-98 “Food Safety for Seniors”, Rodale Press  
“How to find a Nutritionist”, Springfield Union News  
“Eating on the Run”, magazine interview  
“How Colors are a Guide to Fruits and Vegetables” Glamour Magazine  
“Nutrition of Dry vs. Fresh Peaches,” Good Housekeeping  
“Nutrition for Seniors” Food Product Design
- 1996-97 “Why We Get Hungry”, UMass Educational TV  
“Healthy Bag Lunches,” Hampshire Gazette  
“Foods You Should Eat,” Walking Magazine  
“Sticking with Diet and Exercise,” Rodale Press  
“Helpful Hints for the Harried,” Rodale Press  
“Weight Loss,” New Woman Magazine  
“Food Safety/Strawberries,” Cape Cod Times  
“Satisfying Hunger,” Fitness Magazine  
“Sugars, Vitamin A”, Reader’s Digest  
“Purchasing Fresh Fruits,” Health and You Communication  
“Reducing dietary Salt,” Living Fit Magazine  
“Power Outage Food Safety,” Greenfield Recorder  
“Indulgence Backlash,” Today Magazine

"Bean Nutrition," Cooks Illustrated Magazine  
 "Vegetarianism," Spa Magazine

- 1995-96 "Desserts," Walking Magazine  
 "Elderly Nutrition," WTTT Radio, Amherst  
 "Food Safety Overload," Washington Post  
 "Picnic Food Safety," Wellness Magazine  
 "Handwashing," 20/20 News  
 "Salmonella," Washington Post  
 "Bacteria in Tofu," Weight Watchers Magazine  
 "Nutrition," WMUA Radio, Amherst  
 "Supplements," Cape Cod Times  
 "Meat Nutrition", McCall's Magazine  
 "Olestra," Massachusetts Magazine
- 1994-95 Nutrition Hotline with Mass. Dietetic Association - March  
 "Obesity trends," Springfield Union News interview  
 "Food and the elderly," National Healing News  
 "Obesity," FIT magazine  
 "Handwashing," Prevention magazine  
 "Consumer bad-news overload," Cincinnati Enquirer
- 1993-94 Nutrition Hotline with Mass. Dietetic Association - March  
 "Weigh loss for women," Rodale Institute  
 "Nutrition labeling," WSBS Radio, Great Barrington  
 "Iron," Daily Hampshire Gazette interview  
 "Antioxidants," Springfield Union News interview
- 1992-93 Nutrition Hotline - March  
 "Better Nutrition for Older Americans," AARP Andrus Foundation Annual Report, 1992  
 "When weight loss can be a hazard," Horizons magazine 3(4):1993  
 "Food Safety in the Kitchen," Channel 22 News  
 "The New Food Label," Plymouth County community cable TV  
 "Pesticides and Children," WSBS Radio, Great Barrington
- 1991-92 Nutrition Hotline - March  
 "Healing Foods," Hampshire Gazette interview  
 "Diets of Elderly Blacks," Springfield Union interview  
 "Farm Raised Fish Safety," Hampshire Gazette interview  
 "School Lunch," Hampshire Gazette interview  
 "Healthy Breakfasts," Channel 22 interview
- 1990-91 Nutrition Hotline - March  
 "Food Safety", a series of 5 video public service announcements, coauthored by New England Extension Nutrition and Food Safety Specialists.  
 "Weight loss tips," magazine interview  
 "Soup Kitchens," Eating Well magazine interview  
 "SPICE research project," Springfield Union interview  
 "Food Prices," Berkshire Eagle interview  
 "Good/Bad Foods," Berkshire Eagle interview  
 "New Dietary Guidelines," Hampshire Gazette interview  
 "SPICE research project," Massachusetts Magazine interview

- "Food Safety," Weight Watcher's Magazine interview  
 "Farm-Raised Fish," Hampshire Gazette interview  
 "Buying on a Budget," Hampshire Gazette interview  
 "Hunger in Massachusetts," Channel 57 Television program
- 1989-90 Nutrition Hotline - March  
 "Raw Eggs", Advocate newspaper interview  
 "Turkey Safety", Channel 22 newscast  
 "Extension Entrepreneurs", video  
 "New fats", Channel 22 newscast  
 "How to keep off weight", Mature Outlook magazine interview
- 1988-89 "Oat bran", Springfield Union newspaper interview  
 "Sodium", Springfield Union newspaper interview  
 "Liquid protein diets", Collegian newspaper interview  
 "Grape Nutrition", Hampshire Gazette newspaper interview  
 "Food Safety", Boston Herald interview  
 "Seafood Safety", Channel 22 newscast  
 "Child Nutrition", WTAG radio interview
- 1987-88 "Update on Eating", video  
 "Child Nutrition", newspaper interview  
 "About Good Nutrition", video
- 1986-87 "Seafood Nutrition", CNN News  
 "Seafood Nutrition", WHMP Radio  
 "Child Nutrition", newspaper interview  
 "Seafood: New England's Healthful Harvest", slide/tape show
- 1985-86 "Vitamin Supplementation", WTAG Radio  
 "Calcium and Osteoporosis", WTAG Radio
- COOPERATIVE EXTENSION TRAINING SESSIONS CONDUCTED**
- 2003 "Outreach Scholarship," Panel discussion to the Massachusetts Association of Extension Educators, UMass Extension.
- 2001 "Online Teacher Education," Panel Discussion for the K12 School Gardens Initiative, UMass Extension.
- 1998 "Organizational Issues of Teaching Multiple Sites via PictureTel: The ServSafe Across the State Experience," to MA Extension staff.
- 1997 "Program Evaluation," to MA Family Nutrition Program Staff.  
 1996 "Catch a Wave: Surfing the Internet for Nutrition Resources," to MA Extension EFNEP Staff.
- 1992 "Risk Communication," 2 day session for Extension staff in MA, RI, CT.
- 1990 "Youth at Risk: Nutrition Issues," 2 day session for Extension staff in New England
- 1989 "VENTURES in Healthy Eating," 1-day session for Mass. staff
- 1989, 1992 "Food Handling is a Risky Business," 1-day session for Mass. staff

1988	"NIFI Food Sanitation Course," 1-day session for Mass. staff
1988	"Nutrition, Diet, and Health," 1-day session for Mass. staff
1987	"Better Eating for Better Health," 1-day session for Mass. staff
1987-1989	"Food Safety Update," 2-day session for Extension staff in New England
1987	"Audiovisual Review Day," for Mass. Extension staff
1986	"Seafood Education," 2-day session for 30 Extension nutritionists
1986	"Food Safety," 1-day session for Extension staff from MA, CT, RI

### **GRADUATE STUDENTS SUPERVISED (committee chair)**

M.P.H. Chambers, Jeanne. "A pilot study of attitudes about local food in a small Massachusetts city," 2015.

Bock, Lynsey. "Evaluation of a research-based nutrition and cooking education program for mothers in inner-city Memphis," 2014.

Leth, Nicole. "Promoting health and wellness in our military families: Fueling the Future- An elementary school nutrition education program," 2013.

Jaris, Dan. "Evanston community garden and nutrition assessment – Do gardeners receive better nutrition?" 2013.

Sanon, Julien. "Hospital readmission rate in elderly malnourished patients at Grand View Hospital in Sellersville, Pennsylvania," 2012.

Sylvie, Amanda. "Recommended environmental strategies for improving nutrition of older adults." 2011.

Ghanekar, Jai. "Impact of weekly iron supplementation on anemia prevalence among adolescent girls in Shivpuri, Madhya Pradesh, India," 2006.

Wallinger, Jennifer. "Dietary supplement consumption in Reserve Officer Training Corps cadets," 2006.

M.S. Schulte, Marsha. "Food security and risk of low nutrient intake in elderly persons who use the food assistance programs of The Food Bank of Western Massachusetts," 2004.

Tuepker, Kim. "A population-based case-control study of carotenoid and vitamin A intake and endometrial cancer (United States)," 2003.

Akobundu, Ucheoma. "Perceived barriers and benefits affecting fruit and vegetable availability at food pantries in Central and Western Massachusetts," 2003.

Heinze, Louise. "Nutrition-related parenting skills and weight status in young children: A relationship?" 2003.

Perri, Amy. "Use of the Stage of Change model for evaluation of the UMass Extension Nutrition Education Program," 2001.



Oogarah, Brinda, "Effectiveness of ServSafe, a food sanitation training and certification course, using interactive television," 1997.

Cluff, Cheri, "The influence of cultural food consumption on dietary status of low-income African-American elderly," 1997.

Cooley, Jack, "Community Supported Agriculture: A study of shareholders' dietary patterns, food practices and perceptions of farm membership," 1996.

Saroukhanians, Suzi, "The perceived barriers to fruit and vegetable consumption: their relationship to fruit and vegetable intake and demographic characteristics," 1996.

Rosen, Alicia E., "A needs assessment of safe food handling knowledge, attitudes, and practices of direct care staff and consumers in homes for people with developmental disabilities," 1995.

Belcher, Donna, "The relationship of lifestyle factors to diet quality in college students," 1993.

Brennan Olson, Rita, "An examination of sociodemographic, health and food practices influencing dietary quality of elderly blacks," 1992.

Savoie, Katherine, "Development of a snack activity program for Head Start," 1991.

Rose, Judith, "The comparison of two repeated food frequency questionnaires with and without portion size estimates in the determination and classification of nutrient intake," 1991.

Fritz, Barbara, "The relationship between sugar consumption and nutrient intake," 1989.

Bowers, Catherine, "The effect of intensive nutrition intervention on the nutrition knowledge of low income pregnant women," 1989.

#### Ph.D.

Jiang, Qianzhi, "The impact of perceived and observed food environments on fruit and vegetable consumption and obesity: A theory-based study among U.S. older adults," 2018.

Wemhoener, H, "Effectiveness of a novel approach to reduce weight bias among future health care practitioners," in progress.

Safdar, Nilofer, "Dietary patterns, health behaviors and the risk for hypertension among urban adults in Pakistan," 2012.

Bermudez, Odilia, "Relationship of acculturation, health, and socioeconomic factors to dietary status of Puerto Rican elderly," 1994.

Beffa-Negrini, Patricia, "Relationship between learning style and knowledge, attitude, and behavior change in nutrition education," 1990.

#### Dietetic Internship

Supervised 10 postgraduate dietetic interns, 1990 - 2003.

#### Online MPH Nutrition

Supervised practica for 67 students (spring 2010-2015)