TEXAS STATE VITA

I. Academic/Professional Background

A. Name and Title

Name: Dr. Jose A. Betancourt Title: Associate Professor & Director, Bachelor Health Administration (BHA) Program

B. Educational Background

Degree	*Year*	*University*	*Major*	*Thesis/Dissertation*
MS	2006	United States Army War College	Strategic Studies	
DRPH	2003	George Washington University	International Health	
MS	1993	National Intelligence University	Strategic Intelligence	
MS	1990	Troy University	Management	
BS	1985	University of Florida	Psychology	

C. University Experience

Position	*University*	*Comments*	*Dates*
Associate Professor, School of Health Administration	Texas State University. San Marcos, TX, United States		January 16, 2018 - Present

II. TEACHING

A. Teaching Honors and Awards:

Award / Honor Recipient: Excellence in Teaching Award 2024, College of Health Professions.
August 25, 2024 - May 10, 2025
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B. Courses Taught:

Texas State University:

HA 4141 - HC COMP EXAM REV & RES ORIENT

HA 4322 - PUBLIC HEALTH

HA 4325 - HLTHCARE STRAT MGT

III. SCHOLARLY/CREATIVE

A. Works in Print (including works accepted, forthcoming, in press):

2. Articles:

a. Refereed Journal Articles:

Mileski, M., Shapley, R. T., Beauvais, B. M., Topinka, J. B., Shanmugam, R., Betancourt, J. A., & McClay, R. (2025). The Utilization, Application, and Impact of Institutional Spe-cial Needs Plans (I-SNPs) in Nursing Facilities: A Rapid Review. *Healthcare*, *14*(1). https://doi.org/10.3390/healthcare14010071 https://www.mdpi.com/2227-9032/14/1/71 ISNP.working copy_Mileski-1.docx

5. Other Works not in Print:

a. Works "submitted" or "under review":

Journal Articles:

Pacheco, G. J., Werfelli, H., Shanmugam, R., Betancourt, J. A., & Johnson, A. (Submitted / Under Review). Project RUSH: Implementing and Evaluating a Community-Based Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program among Hispanic Youth in Rural South Texas. *Public Health in Practice*. (January 2025)

Additional Comments: Initially submitted to the Journal of Adolescent Health (editor rejected) in January 2025.

b. Works "in progress":

Journal Articles:

Pacheco, G. J., Betancourt, J. A., Dolezel, D. M., Stigler Granados, P. E., Beauvais, B. M., Eoff, A., & Fulton, L. V. (In Preparation; Not Yet Submitted). U.S. Department of Defense Policy Implications for an Emerging Disease of Operational Importance: Chagas Disease. *The American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene*.

Additional Comments: This one is pending government approval before article submission, as it is based on work originally part of a government grant.

Betancourt, J. A., Stigler Granados, P. E., Pacheco, G. J., Shanmugam, R., Topinka, J. B., & Fulton, L. V. (In Preparation; Not Yet Submitted).

Homeless and Imprisoned Women's Access to Feminine Hygiene Products: A Policy Proposal. *BMC Public Health*.

Pacheco, G. J., Olanrewaju, A. A., & Betancourt, J. A. (In Preparation; Not Yet Submitted). Screening and Diagnostics for Chagas Disease. *Frontiers*. Validation Paper_27Aug24-1.docx

Pacheco, G. J., Betancourt, J. A., Ramamonjiarivelo, Z., Fulton, L. V., & Stigler, P. E. (In Preparation; Not Yet Submitted). Shaping Recommendations and Healthcare Provider Education on Chagas Disease from a Mixed Methods Exploratory Study. *American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene*.

IV. SERVICE

A. Institutional

2. College:

Member, Search Committee, Director, School of Health Administration (SOHA). (October 14, 2024 - Present).

Additional Comments: Appointed by the Dean, College of Health Professions to serve on search committee for new Director of the School of Health Administration (SOHA).

Member, Department of Medical Laboratory Sciences (MLS). (September 1, 2024 - Present).

Additional Comments: Appointed by the Dean, College of Health Professions to serve as External Member of the Personnel Committee for the Department of Medical Laboratory Sciences (MLS).

Member, School of Nursing Personnel Committee. (September 1, 2024 - Present).

Additional Comments: Appointed by the Dean, College of Health Professions to serve as the External Member of the School or Nursing Personnel Committee.

Member, Alpha Eta Honor Society. (August 22, 2021 - Present).

Additional Comments: Continues to serve as Member of the Alpha Eta Honor Society.

Services as Vice-Chair for the Committee, Beginning in Spring 2021 College of Health Professions Research Symposium. (April 1, 2021 - Present).

Additional Comments: Served as Chair for the 2024 COHP Research Forum due to illness of Chair.

Member, Upsilon Phi Delta Honor Society. (January 15, 2021 - Present).

Additional Comments: Serve as Texas State University Liaison to the Upsilon Phi Delta Honorary Society which recognizes the outstanding academic achievers in the field of healthcare administration.

3. Department/School:

Director, Bachelor of Healthcare Administration Program, School of Health Administration, College of Health Professions. (August 15, 2021 - Present).
Additional Comments: Continues to serve as Director, Bachelor of Health Administration (BHA) Undergraduate Program.

B. Professional:

Reviewer / Referee, MDPI Journals. (January 1, 2020 - Present).
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Additional Comments: Served as Reviewer for MDPI journals from 2020 to the present (see below listing). Articles reviewed include:
1. Health Disparity Between the Rural and Urban Elderly in China: A Cross-sectional Study;
2. Does Online Community Participation Contribute to Medication Adherence? An Empirical Study of Patients with Chronic Diseases;
3. Analysis of the Relationship between Experience in Healthcare Services and Satisfaction with Social Policies;
4. Shaping the Future of Digitally Enabled Health and Care;
5. The Role of Value Stream Mapping in Healthcare Services: a Scoping Review;
6. Sentiment Analysis and Text Mining of Questionnaires to Support Tele-monitoring Programs;
7. Cohort profile: the Korean Vietnam-War Veterans' Health Study Cohort (KOVECO);
8. Mission Himalaya: exploring the impact of a supported high altitude mountaineering expedition on the well-being and personal development of UK military veterans;
9. Using Telemedicine During the COVID-19 Pandemic: How Service Quality Affects Patients' Consultation;
10. A telehealth intervention on mother-child's feeding interactions during the COVID-19 pandemic.
11. Late-Onset Depression in an Aging World: A Multidimensional Perspective on Risks, Mechanisms, and Treatment
12. Late-Onset Depression in an Aging World: A Multidimensional Perspective on Risks, Mechanisms, and Treatment
13. Invisible Warriors in the Struggle Against Cancer; Social Support and Spiritual Care: A Phenomenological Study on Patient Experiences

Reviewer / Referee, Military Medicine, Bethesda, MD, United States. (January 1, 2019 - Present).
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Reviewer / Referee, Military Medicine, Bethesda, MD, United States. (May 15, 2017 - Present).

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Additional Comments: Serve as Reviewer for journal submissions to Military Medicine journal. As of 30 January 2023, I have served as a reviewer for the following article submissions:
1. Army Reserve Participation in Tropic Care 2018: An Innovative Readiness Training;
2. Assessment of Marital Satisfaction Among Spouses of Soldiers: The Example of Turkey;
3. Implementing a Just Culture to Improve Patient Safety;
4. Cause-specific mortality among Norwegian veterans deployed to Afghanistan between 2001 and 2019.
5. Rehabilitation during iliotibial band syndrome: consensus of care, from diagnosis to resumption of unrestricted physical activity, formalized by Delphi method
6. The silent service: Identifying underrecognized young military caregivers
7. Overweight/Obesity in Veterans versus Civilians
8. Policy evaluation efforts inform workforce planning to support PACT in VA

Reviewer / Referee, Medical Surveillance Monthly Report (January 01 2025 - Present).

1. Trends in the Prevalence of Obesity Among Active Component Service Members and Civilians in the United States, 2013–2023

Reviewer / Referee, Open Forum on Infectious Diseases (January 01 2025 – Present).

1. An evidence-based intervention to increase Trypanosoma cruzi, a neglected parasitic infection, diagnosis in rural and moderate-size city USA clinics Open Forum Infectious Diseases
2. An evidence-based intervention to increase Trypanosoma cruzi, a neglected parasitic infection, diagnosis in rural and moderate-size city USA clinics

Reviewer / Referee, BMC Public Health (January 01 2025 - Present).

Factors Contributing to COVID-19 Vaccine Hesitancy in Veterans Later in the Pandemic

Reviewer / Referee, Geriatrics (January 01 2025 - Present).

Development of a Specialized Telemedicine Protocol for Cognitive Disorders: The 'TeleCogNition' Project in Greece

Reviewer / Referee, Journal of Venomous Animals (January 01 2025 - Present).

Outcomes of a telemedicine health assistance system during Covid-19 pandemic: a cohort study

Reviewer / Referee, Financial Health (January 01 2025 - Present).

Weaker Association between Perceived Financial Security and Health in Global South Special Issue: Power Structures and Health Equity: Analyzing Structural Determinants of Healthcare Access and Outcomes

Reviewer / Referee, Trauma Care Journal, (January 01 2025 – Present).
The Impact of Acupuncture on Health-Related Quality of Life in Veterans with Combat Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: A Randomized Control Trial

C. Community:

Board Member, Hays County Community Health Assessment Steering Committee, San Marcos. (February 25, 2023 - Present).
Additional Comments: Member of Hays County Community Health Assessment Steering Committee which seeks to assess current public health status of local Hays County and surrounding area communities. This assessment will serve to develop intervention programs aimed at improving the health of members of the community.

Volunteer, FourBlock Veteran Transition Program. (June 1, 2019 - Present).
Additional Comments: Serve as volunteer mentor for Active-duty Service members who are transitioning from Service. Website: www.fourblock.org

Volunteer, American Corporate Partners (ACP), New York, NY. (May 1, 2018 - Present).
Additional Comments: Volunteer mentor for Active-duty Service members who are transitioning from the Service. Website: www.acp-usa.org