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***CIRA@Yale Panel:
“Ethics of HIV/AIDS Research and Practice among
Vulnerable Populations Impacted by Humanitarian Crises”***

Join us for a virtual panel of researchers and practitioners as we discuss real-world examples and practical considerations of ethical issues related to HIV/AIDS prevention, care, and research.

Panelists



Christopher Cole
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Johanna Elumn, PhD, MSW
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Jennifer Mootz, PhD
Columbia University



Kaveh Khoshnood, PhD, MPH
*Yale School of Public Health,
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Moderator

**Monday, April 18, 2022
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**Register:
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PANELIST AND MODERATOR BIOS

Christopher Cole

A Place to Nourish your Health, Inc.

Chris has served as the Executive Director of [APNH: A Place to Nourish your Health](#) (formerly AIDS Project New Haven) since May 2008. He is co-chair of the New Haven-Fairfield County EMA Ryan White Planning Council, CIRA Community Advisory Board and Executive Committee member and a person living with HIV.

Johanna Elumn, PhD, MSW

Yale School of Medicine

Johanna Elumn PhD, MSW is an Instructor in General Internal Medicine, core faculty of the [SEICHE Center for Health and Justice at the Yale School of Medicine](#), and part of the Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Internal Medicine (ODEIM). After finishing her PhD, she completed fellowships with the Program to Increase Diversity in Behavioral Medicine & Sleep Disorders Research (PRIDE) at the NYU School of Medicine, the Lifespan/Brown Criminal Justice Research Training Program on Substance Use, HIV, and Comorbidities, and the NIMH Interdisciplinary HIV Prevention Training Program of the Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS (CIRA). She has led a number of projects, including Women on the Road to Health (WORTH) Transitions, an evidenced-based multimedia group intervention for women recently released from incarceration focused on HIV prevention.

Jennifer Mootz, PhD

Columbia University

Dr. Jennifer Mootz is a licensed psychologist, Assistant Professor of Clinical Medical Psychology (in Psychiatry) at Columbia University, and Research Scientist at the Research Foundation for Mental Hygiene/New York State Psychiatric Institute. She earned her PhD in Counseling Psychology from Texas Woman's University in 2015. Her NIMH-funded research has focused on reducing the global mental health and substance use treatment gap in low-income and humanitarian settings internationally and in the US through digitized innovations and consideration of social determinants. She has partnered with community and governmental agencies to conduct research on implementation of comprehensive mental health care scale-up of services. Jennifer was honored to receive two awards from the American Psychological Association for her global research on intersections between armed conflict and gender-based violence.

Kaveh Khoshnood, PhD, MPH

Associate Professor, Yale School of Public Health

Kaveh Khoshnood, PhD is an Associate Professor and Director of Undergraduate Studies at the Yale School of Public Health and executive committee member at Yale Council on Middle East Studies. He is co-founder of Yale Violence and Health Study Group and a faculty member of the Program on Conflict, Resiliency and Health at the Yale MacMillan Center. Dr. Khoshnood is trained as an infectious disease epidemiologist and has more than three decades of domestic and international experience in HIV prevention research among people who use drugs and other at-risk populations. Dr. Khoshnood's research interests include: 1) epidemiology and prevention of HIV/AIDS, 2) research ethics and 3) humanitarian health. His projects are primarily focused in the Middle East region. Dr. Khoshnood teaches a course on public health in humanitarian settings and is the faculty director for the [Humanitarian Research Lab](#).