

Dr. Maureen I Heaman

Mid-Career Research Chair - New Perspective in Gender, Sex and Health



Biography

Dr. Maureen Heaman is an Associate Professor in the Faculty of Nursing at the University of Manitoba, with cross-appointments in the Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences and the Department of Community Health Sciences, Faculty of Medicine. She holds a Research Associate appointment with the Manitoba Centre for Health Policy and a Scientist appointment with the Manitoba Institute of Child Health. Her research interests include prenatal health, perinatal epidemiology, and utilization and quality of prenatal care. Dr. Heaman was the recipient of a New Investigator award from the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) from 07/2003 to 06/2008, and was recently awarded a CIHR Chair in Gender and Health (07/2008 to 06/2013). Dr. Heaman is an editorial board member for *MCN The American Journal of Maternal Child Nursing*, and a reviewer for several other scientific journals. She serves on the Maternal Health and Maternity Experiences Study Groups of the Canadian Perinatal Surveillance System, Public Health Agency of Canada. Dr. Heaman just completed a three-year term as a member of the Institute Advisory Board for the CIHR Institute of Human Development, Child and Youth Health (2005 to 2008). In 2007, she was the recipient of the University of Manitoba Rh Award for Outstanding Contributions to Scholarship and Research in the Interdisciplinary category. In 2008, she was selected as a recipient of a Centennial Award from the Canadian Nurses Association, as one of 100 exceptional registered nurses whose personal contributions have made an outstanding and significant impact on the nursing profession.

Research

Disparities in Women's Prenatal Health, Access to Prenatal Care, and Pregnancy Outcomes

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