

# Emily K. Ivey

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## Education

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- In Progress      University of Utah Department of Psychology  
Clinical Psychology Doctoral Candidate  
Advisor: Dr. Michael Himle
- May 2016          The University of Georgia  
Psychology, B.S. Magna Cum Laude

## Honors and Scholarships

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- 2016                William T. James Award, The University of Georgia
- 2012-2016        Zell Miller Scholarship, The University of Georgia
- 2012-2016        Dean's List, The University of Georgia

## Research Experience

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- 2017-2018        **Post Baccalaureate Research Assistant: Vanderbilt University Garber Research Lab**  
Assist in two research projects: the *Family Depression Prevention Project* and the *Parent-Child Agreement Project*. Responsibilities include recruiting participants, phone screening for a history of depression, conducting psychiatric interviews of parents and children (SCID; KSADS), and administering measures of Theory of Mind, Inhibition, Verbal ability.
- 2014-2016        **Research Assistant: UGA Pediatric Psychology Lab**  
Research assistant under the direction of Dr. Ronald Blount. Completed a senior thesis, *The Relation Between Parent Response and Tourette Syndrome Tic Symptom Severity* (Ivey, 2016)
- 2015-2016        ***Evaluating Camp Outcomes in a Camp for Children with Tourette Syndrome***  
This project evaluated emotional and camp-specific outcomes of parents and children attending Camp Twitch and Shout – a camp for children with Tourette Syndrome. Responsibilities included study design, recruitment, data collection, data entry, and assisting in data analysis.
- 2015-2016        ***College Adherence and Transition Study***  
This project examined predictors of medication adherence and transition in a sample of college students with chronic health conditions and healthy peers. Responsibilities included obtaining consent, data collection, data management, and assisting in data analysis.
- 2015-2016        ***Longitudinal Investigation of Psychological and medical Functioning among Adolescent Solid Organ Transplant Recipients***  
This project investigated predictors of medical outcome and medication adherence in adolescents and young adults with solid organ transplants (heart, kidney, liver). Responsibilities included phone follow-up for data collection, data entry, database management, and assisting in data analysis

## Manuscripts

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Eaton C. K., Jones, A. M., Gutierrez-Colina, A. M., **Ivey, E. K.**, Carlson, O., Melville, L., Kardon, P., & Blount, R. L. (2017). The influence of environmental consequences and internalizing symptoms on children's tic severity. *Child Psychiatry and Human Development*, 48, 327-334. doi: 10.1007/s10578-016-0644

Gutierrez-Colina, A. M., LaMotte, J., Eaton, C., **Ivey, E.**, Rosenthal, L., & Blount, R. (In preparation). *Validation of the Gilles de la Tourette Syndrome-Quality of Life Scale in an English-speaking pediatric sample*

## Oral Presentations

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**Ivey, E.**, Eaton, C. K., Jones, A., Gutierrez-Colina, A. M., LaMotte, J., Melville, L., ... & Blount, R. L. (2016, April). *The influence of psychosocial functioning on tic severity in children with Tourette Syndrome*. Oral presentation at the 2016 Center for Undergraduate Research Opportunities Symposium

## Poster Presentations

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**Ivey, E.**, Eaton, C., Jones, A., Gutierrez-Colina, A., LaMotte, J., Blount, R. L., & Garber, J. (2017, November). *The Relation Between Parent Response and Tourette Syndrome Tic Symptom Severity*. Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, San Diego, CA

Rosenthal, L., Gutierrez-Colina, A., LaMotte, J., Eaton, C., **Ivey, E.**, ... & Blount, R. L. (2017, March). *Preliminary Validation of the English Version of The Gilles de la Tourette Syndrome- Quality of Life Scale for Children and Adolescents*. Poster presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology's Annual Conference in Portland, Oregon.

**Ivey, E.**, Eaton, C. K., Jones, A., Gutierrez-Colina, A. M., LaMotte, J., Melville, L., ... & Blount, R. L. (2016, April). *The influence of psychosocial functioning on tic severity in children with Tourette Syndrome*. Poster presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference in Atlanta, Georgia.

Cushman, G., Eaton, C., Lee, J., Gutierrez-Colina, A., Loiselle, K., Reed-Knight, B., Mee, L., LaMotte, J.E., Melville, L., Carlson, O., **Ivey, E.**, & Blount, R. (2016, April). *Impact of illness and internalizing symptoms in pediatric patients during the pre-transplantation phase*. Poster presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference in Atlanta, Georgia.

Eaton, C., Lee, J., Gutierrez-Colina A., Loiselle, K., Reed-Knight, B., Mee, L., Melville, L., Carlson, O., **Ivey E.**, & Blount, R. (2016, April). *Pre-Transplant Psychosocial predictors of post-transplant health-related quality of life and medication nonadherence in pediatric transplant recipients*. Poster presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference in Atlanta, Georgia.

Gutierrez-Colina, A., Eaton, C., Lee, J., Reed-Knight, B., Loiselle, K., Mee, L., **Ivey, E.**, Carlson, O., Melville, L., Lamotte, J., & Blount, R. (2016, April). *Sleep, executive functioning, and health-related quality of life in pediatric solid organ transplant recipients*. Poster presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference in Atlanta, Georgia.

Carlson, O., Eaton, C., Lee, J., Gutierrez-Colina, A., Loiselle, K., Reed-Knight, B., Mee, L., Melville, L., **Ivey, E.**, & Blount, R. (2016, April). *Pre-to-post transplantation changes in caregiver emotional functioning*. Poster presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference in Atlanta, Georgia.

Rosenthal, L., Gutiérrez-Colina, A., Eaton, C., Lee, J., Reed-Knight, B., Loiselle, K., Mee, L., **Ivey, E.**, Carlson, O., Melville, L., & Blount, R. (2016, April). *Psychosocial rather than physical health-related quality of life is associated with transition readiness in adolescent transplant recipients*. Poster presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference in Atlanta, Georgia.

## Clinical Experience

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July 2016 – **Rogers Behavioral Health Nashville- Behavior Specialist**  
July 2018  
Worked with children, adolescents, and adults who struggle with primary diagnoses of eating disorders, obsessive-compulsive disorder, and anxiety disorders using Cognitive Behavior Therapy with Exposure Response Prevention. Core job responsibilities included creating exposure hierarchies to target symptoms, assigning exposure work, leading patient and caregiver groups, providing psychoeducation to patients and caregivers, supporting family therapist during family sessions, and completing required paperwork and case management

## Professional Affiliations

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2016- present      Association for Behavior and Cognitive Therapies, Student Member  
2016- present      Society of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology, Student Member  
2017- present      Tic and Impulse Control Disorder Special Interest Group, Association for Behavior and Cognitive therapies