Statistics cannot capture an individual’s complex, lived experiences of disease, injury, resilience, and well-being. Through a day of instruction and interaction, this symposium will expose participants to diverse narratives of wellness and examine how such deeper perspectives can enrich research and practice at the intersection of Sex, Gender, and Health. A day of presentations, round table discussions and storytelling, the topics include: transgender wellness, disability, wellness, veterans and masculinity, disability and domestic violence, campus prevention of sexual assault, and how to implement projects.

**Morning Session:**
Jim Bono, UB History
Chrysten Jackson, Gay and Lesbian Youth Services
Braden Linn, UB School of Social Work
Linda Pessar, UB Psychiatry
Mike Rembis, UB History and Center for Disability Studies

**Afternoon Session:**
Laina Bay-Cheng, UB Social Work
Sherri Darrow, UB Wellness Education Services
Susan Mann Dolce, UB Accessibility Resources
Mike Rembis, UB History and Center for Disability Studies
Miranda Terry, UB Center for Disability Studies

This event is free, accessible, and open to the public, but registration is required.

**To register, please visit the Sex, Gender, Health website, at:**
[www.genderin.buffalo.edu/sexgenderhealth.shtml](http://www.genderin.buffalo.edu/sexgenderhealth.shtml)

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**SGH 2014: Narrating Wellness**  
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**Schedule:**

- **8:30 am** Breakfast and Registration
- **9:00 am** Introduction to Narrating Wellness and Narrative health.
- **9:05 – 10:15 am** Talk and Panel Discussion  
  Jim Bono, History  
  “The Chief Concern of Medicine”: Physicians, Patients, and Stories that Matter
  Linda Pessar, Psychiatry  
  “For me it was a lesson in the power of a word”: Using Narrative in Medical Education
  Mike Rembis, History and Center for Disability Studies  
  *Perfectible You: Gender, Narrative Ethics, and Wellness*

- **10:15 – 11:30 am** Storytelling Breakouts  
  Braden Linn, Social Work  
  *Veterans and Gender in Healthcare*
  Chrysten Jackson, Gay and Lesbian Youth Services  
  *Wellness and Transgender Experience*

- **11:30 – 12:30 pm** Lunch

- **12:30 – 1:45 pm** Storytelling Breakouts  
  Miranda Terry, Center for Disability Studies  
  "I didn't want to be like my mother...": Narrating Wellness and Domestic Violence
  Mike Rembis, History and Center for Disability Studies  
  *Disability and Wellness*

- **2:00 – 3:00** Integration and Panel discussion  
  Laina Bay-Cheng, Social Work  
  *Flipping the Research Script*
  Sherri Darrow, Wellness Education Services  
  *Telling Our Story: college students, sexual assault, and culture change*
  Susan Mann Dolce, Accessibility Resources  
  *Voices from the ADA Generation*

- **3:00** Closing Remarks