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JACQUELINE CRUZADO is a public health professional with over 30 years direct service, supervisory and management experience in the field of correctional public health, health education and disease prevention, curricula development, program management and team building across systems. She successfully managed several large-scale grant funded programs.

JACKIE is Owner and Chief Executive Officer of **ACOJA** Consulting and **ACOJA** Puerto Rico providing training and content expertise to support government and service organizations. She is skilled in program design and development, translational research and jail-based population management. Her dynamic interpersonal skills led to implementing and adapting interventions that impact primary care, housing, employment, mental health and substance use treatment providers, law enforcement, correctional facilities, and community corrections including a Health Liaison to the Court approach in New York City. She has been instrumental in building community collaboratives and addressing interdisciplinary needs in dozens of large and mid-sized U.S. cities and across the islands of Puerto Rico. She received Distinguished Service Awards from the NYC Department of Health & Mental Hygiene and the NYC Society of Hispanic Correction Officers. Bilingual in Spanish and English, she identifies as a Transnational Puerto Rican.

ALISON O JORDAN, LCSW CCHP is a national public health leader with over 25 years senior government and system management experience from procurement and grants to systems change and program evaluation. She led the NYC correctional health team that initiated the evidence-informed Transitional Care Coordination intervention. As Owner and Chief Administrative Officer of ACOJA Consulting and ACOJA Puerto Rico, she seeks connections across horizontal partners and disciplines to build teams that make a difference. This work extended to NYC jail visitors, where she helped create, implement and evaluate a successful overdose prevention program distributing 75,000 doses of intranasal naloxone from April 2014 to January 2020.

ALI serves as American Public Health Association Governing Councilor and board representative to the National Commission on Correctional Health Care (NCCHC), board member of the Journal of Correctional Health Care, and is a co-Founder of the Bronx Health & Housing Consortium. She teaches a Grant-writing course for health professionals at Hofstra University. Her frequent speaking engagements include Cornell University's and David E. Rogers Health Policy Colloquium. She earned her MSW degree at Hunter College School of Social Work while working as a NYC caseworker.

JACKIE & ALI were instrumental to the design, development, implementation, evaluation and enhancement of Transitional Care Coordination, a nationally recognized, evidence-informed structural intervention, in Camden, Raleigh, Las Vegas and across the islands of Puerto Rico.



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