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Dr. Maichou Lor is an Assistant Professor at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing, and a registered nurse and member of the local Hmong community. Her program of research is designed to reduce health disparities among limited English proficiency (LEP) populations, with a particular focus on the Hmong population. She has two interrelated lines of research: (1) exploring the impact of culture, language, and health conditions on communication between LEP patients and providers and (2) studying data collection approaches to improve research recruitment, as well as developing and testing innovative data collection methods for LEP patients. Her research is designed to provide a deeper understanding of the health disparities experienced by LEP populations and to inform strategies to address these disparities.