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Supplementary Material for *Focus* 31.2

This is an electronic supplement to *Focus* containing links to additional readings and videos related to issue 31.2. The full text of *Focus* can be found at <http://www.irp.wisc.edu/publications/focus.htm>.

Additional materials on Early Childhood Interventions for Low-Income Children

Report from the Preschool Curriculum Evaluation Research Initiative:

<http://www.researchconnections.org/childcare/resources/14449/pdf>

Video about Boston Pre-Kindergarten Program produced by the WGBH Educational Foundation:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=URZkGPwcn0>

Fast Focus on reducing the effects of poverty through early childhood interventions:

<http://www.irp.wisc.edu/publications/fastfocus/pdfs/FF17-2013.pdf>

Video of “Reducing Poverty through Early Childhood Interventions” IRP webinar: <http://go.wisc.edu/9whd6e>

Slide presentation from “Reducing Poverty through Early Childhood Interventions” IRP webinar:

<http://www.irp.wisc.edu/publications/media/webinars/Magnuson-EarlyChildIntervention.pdf>

Additional materials on Educational Opportunity for Homeless Students

Information on education for homeless children and youths grants for state and local activities, from the U.S.

Department of Education: <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/homeless/index.html>

National homeless education data from the National Center for Homeless Education:

<http://nchespp.serve.org/profile/National>

Information on the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act from the National Center for Homeless

Education: <http://center.serve.org/nche/legis/mv.php>

Homeless education issue briefs from the National Center for Homeless Education:

<http://center.serve.org/nche/pr/briefs.php>

Additional materials on Reducing Inequality: Neighborhood and School Interventions

Flash Video of Lawrence Katz’s April 23, 2013, Robert J. Lampman Memorial Lecture, “Neighborhoods vs.

Schools”: <http://www.irp.wisc.edu/newsevents/other/lampman/media/2014/LampmanVideo2014.htm>

Slide presentation from Lawrence Katz’s April 23, 2013, Robert J. Lampman Memorial Lecture,

“Neighborhoods vs. Schools”: <http://www.irp.wisc.edu/newsevents/other/lampman/2014-Lampman-Katz.pdf>

Information on the Moving to Opportunity Demonstration from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban

Development: <http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/programdescription/mto>

Moving to Opportunity Demonstration final impacts evaluation summary from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development: http://www.huduser.org/portal/publications/pubasst/MTOFHD_summary.html

Information about the Harlem Children’s Zone project: <http://hcz.org/>

Additional materials on How School Quality Affects the Success of a Conditional Cash Transfer Program

Information about Opportunity NYC Demonstrations from MDRC:

<http://www.mdrc.org/project/opportunity-nyc-demonstrations#overview>

Fast Focus with most recent findings from Opportunity NYC – Family Rewards:

<http://www.irp.wisc.edu/publications/fastfocus/pdfs/FF18-2013.pdf>

Fast Focus with early findings from Opportunity NYC – Family Rewards:

<http://www.irp.wisc.edu/publications/fastfocus/pdfs/FF5-2010.pdf>

Report on conditional cash transfer programs from the World Bank:

http://siteresources.worldbank.org/INTCCT/Resources/5757608-1234228266004/PRR-CCT_web_noembargo.pdf

Additional materials on A Path to College Completion for Disadvantaged Students

Digest of education statistics: 2012 from the National Center for Education Statistics:

<http://nces.ed.gov/programs/digest/d12/>

Brief on promoting college match for low-income students from MDRC:

<http://www.mdrc.org/publication/promoting-college-match-low-income-students>

Information on summer melt from the U.S. Department of Education:

<http://www.ed.gov/blog/2013/07/summer-melt/>

Summer melt handbook from the Center for Education Policy Research at Harvard University:

<http://cepr.harvard.edu/sdp/resources/summer-melt/index.php>

Report on increasing college opportunity for low-income college students from The Executive Office of the President:

http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/docs/white_house_report_on_increasing_college_opportunity_for_low-income_students.pdf

Report on higher education equity in the United States from the Pell Institute and the Alliance for Higher Education and Democracy: http://www.pellinstitute.org/downloads/publications-Indicators_of_Higher_Education_Equity_in_the_US_45_Year_Trend_Report.pdf

Links for May 2014 webinar on summer melt from the White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanics at the U.S. Department of Education (scroll down): <http://www.ed.gov/edblogs/hispanic-initiative/monthly-webinar-series/>

Focus article on improving educational outcomes for poor children:

<http://www.irp.wisc.edu/publications/focus/pdfs/foc262j.pdf>

Fast Focus on unmarried parents in college: <http://www.irp.wisc.edu/publications/fastfocus/pdfs/FF9-2011.pdf>

Article on increasing college graduation rates for low-income students from the New York Times Magazine:

http://www.nytimes.com/2014/05/18/magazine/who-gets-to-graduate.html?_r=0