Distinguished Speaker

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The Best Little eButton in Texas:
Minimizing error in measures of children's dietary intake

Obesity Research Cluster

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Bio: Dr. Baranowski's interests include behavioral nutrition, physical activity, obesity prevention and behavioral theory. Dr. Baranowski has made significant contributions to our understanding of dietary and physical activity assessment and interventions in children. His research has primarily focused on understanding nutrition and physical activity behaviors in children and designing and evaluating programs, including video games, to help change these behaviors to help prevent obesity. He has published over 300 peer reviewed papers. His research has been funded by multiple grants from NIH (NIDDK and NCI and NICHD). He previously served as President of the International Society of Behavioral Nutrition & Physical Activity and was Recipient of the "R Tait McKenzie Award" from the Association for the Advancement of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance that recognized a non-member who has made important research contributions. More information about Dr. Baranowski can be found at this link: https://www.bcm.edu/people/view/b268c82d-ffed-11e2-be68-080027880ca6/6ac5aa48-196b-11e3-ba52-005056b104be