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Dr. Levy was Director of the UIC Center for Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Research from 1992-2004, including the CDC-funded Prevention Research Center. She developed and directed the health promotion track within the Department of Community Health Sciences. Her research and intervention work has focused on schools and risk reduction, HIV and substance use, and community prevention of chronic and infectious diseases (most recently diabetes in Latinos). She has worked in China and Africa on AIDS and community related projects.

Dr. Levy has won two Silver Circle awards from UIC and the Jonas Salk Award for Public and Community Health awarded by the March of Dimes in 2002. In 2004, Dr. Levy and colleagues received the outstanding paper of the year for the publication—Using multilevel, multi-source needs assessment data for planning community interventions; *Health Promotion Practice* 5(1), 59-68.

Dr. Levy was first appointed to the Southlake Mosquito Abatement District Board in May 1999.