

# Refresher Course to Be Offered for Inactive Nurses

**CHAPEL HILL—**Inactive nurses who want to return to practice can take an 11-week refresher course at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and be ready for positions as staff nurses.

If they agree to work at Duke, N.C. Memorial Hospital or Durham County General Hospital after completing the course, the contracting hospital will provide clinical experience and pay half the course cost. Nurses may take the

course without contracting with a hospital. Their clinical experiences will be at Durham County General.

Johnston scholarships also are available. Since these may cover as much half the fees, the course could be free for some applicants.

The course, "Nursing Update," will begin January 29 at the UNC-CH School of Nursing.

It is designed for inactive registered nurses who want to review and update

their nursing knowledge and skills prior to re-entering the work force. The N.C. Board of Nursing requires an approved refresher course for nurses whose licenses have expired or who have been on inactive status for five years.

"The course will enable inactive nurses to feel confident on re-entering a work setting," said Bonnie Hensley, coordinator of the program and associate professor of nursing at UNC-NC.

"The program is designed in response to the need of society for more nurses; it also is based on the number of potential nurses in this area," Hensley said. One way to fill the shortage is to help inactive nurses return to the field, she added.

In Alamance, Chatham, Durham, Granville, Lee, Orange, Person and Wake counties, there are an estimated 1,000 inactive registered nurses, one fifth of the total number of inactive nurses in the state.

UNC-CH sponsored its first refresher course early this year, with seven women who had been out of nursing from five to 25 years. Six of these are now

employed in nursing. A second with eight nurses in under way.

The course requires four days of instruction each week, with a total of 144 hours of classroom work and 160 hours of clinical work. Classroom instruction will be held from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. on Thursdays and Fridays at the UNC-CH School of Nursing in Carrington Hall. Clinical instruction will be from 7 a.m.-3:30 p.m. or 3-11:30 p.m. Mondays and Tuesdays at one of the three area hospitals. The course concludes April 10.

Maximum enrollment is 24.

Instructor for the course will be Charlotte Powell, a former head nurse at N.C. Memorial Hospital in Chapel Hill, and other UNC-CH faculty members.

Applications should be sent to Bonnie Hensley, School of Nursing, Carrington Hall 214H, UNC-CH, Chapel Hill, N. C. 27514, (919) 966-1411.

Although this course is being offered in Chapel Hill, the teaching materials are available to other areas through Area Health Education centers.



Guest of Honor

**LOS ANGELES—**Malcom L. Corrin (2nd from r.) was guest of honor, as winner of the H. Naylor Fitzhugh Award, at the National Black Masters of Business Administration convention at the Boneventure Hotel. It is the NBMBAA's highest distinction. Corrin is president and chief executive officer of New York-based Interracial Council for Business Opportunity. ICBO helped minority businesses obtain over \$138 million in financing over the past several years. Joining Corrin, from left: William C. Brooks, director of personnel for GM's Fisher body Division, Warren, Mich., and a former board chairman of NBMBAA; Miss Lois Corrin, the award winner's daughter; and Dr. Sybil Mobley Dean of the School of Business, Florida A&M College, Tallahassee.

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Mrs. Young

## Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Mason Young Is 1981 Teacher of the Year

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Mason Young, a Biology-Pre-Engineering Classroom Teacher at Durham High School, has been named Durham City Schools' Teacher of the Year for 1981.

Mrs. Young, a North Carolina Central University graduate, has been employed with Durham City Schools for thirteen years as a Science teacher.

Mrs. Young believes that educators must motivate and guide all students in becoming useful citizens. She considers it a challenge and a privilege to help develop young minds in positive directions.

Her scientific interests challenged her to develop

the curriculum syllabi for the new course offering, Pre-Engineering, in its first year at Durham High School.

Mrs. Young is married to Randolph Young and they have two children, a son, Bobby, eleventh grader at Hillside High School and a daughter, Charrise, a Junior at North Carolina Central University.

### Hooks

people forward. The former judge, Federal Communications commissioner and chief spokesman for the world's largest and oldest civil rights organization, said he would seek a meeting

## Forty Million Dollar Lawsuit

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the FBI admitted that it still maintains active files of the socialist Workers Party and Young Socialist Alliance. Among those files is one entitled "IS-SWP (Foreign Influence)." ("IS" stands for "Internal Security"). In court last week a government attorney conceded that the files are part of an FBI "Foreign counterintelligence investigation" into the SWP's ties with groups abroad.

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with the former California governor "to present him with his organization's assessment of the pressing concerns of black America as soon as possible, and to open up fresh channels of communications."

"The government is claiming the right to spy on us under the guise of combatting 'foreign influence,'" said Pulley. "Why? Because we think workers in the U.S. have a stake in extending solidarity to people's struggles around the world, from Iran to Central America and the Caribbean. Because we oppose the Democrats' and Republicans' attempts to revive the draft, and their drive toward a new war. Because we meet with other socialists from around the world and share ideas with them.

"But our activities are perfectly legal—it's the government that is breaking the law. The American people have a right to hold political opinions and express them freely. By denying this right to the government is trampling on the rights of all Americans."

In September 1976 Attorney General Edward Levi publicly asserted that the 40-year-long investigation of the SWP and YSA was terminated. Recent revelations in the SWP lawsuit, however, have raised questions about that assertion. In addition to the FBI that the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) maintains a blacklist of "subversive" groups, which includes the SWP. The list is used to deport noncitizens who associate with the SWP. The INS list, included as an appendix in the INS investigator's handbook, is based on the Attorney General's List of Subversive Organizations. This list was reportedly abolished in 1974 by President Nixon.

As a result of these revelations, the socialists have now added the INS to the list defendants in their suit.

### Mom: best cure

The best place for a child to recover after minor surgery is in a hospital. Right?

Wrong. Dr. Jack Gross, director of the Fort Hamilton out-patient Community Mental Health Center in New York told the Health Insurance Institute.

"The main reason to get the child home is so it can be with its mother," he says. "In hospitals where she is allowed to 'live-in,' the child can benefit greatly." He adds:

"I think almost all minor surgery on children could be much better done on a same-day admission basis.

"Hospitals can be dangerous places. The kids are in high, uncomfortable beds from which it is possible to fall, and they're usually uncomfortable and ill at ease in a clinical setting.

"In most cases not only would the youngster benefit by his mother's presence at home, but so would the parent — that is financially they would."

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