

UNC-CH Offers Nursing Courses

Ten continuing education courses for nurses will be offered this fall by the School of Nursing of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Programs will cover such topics as public health nursing concepts effective diabetes teaching, and rehabilitation of the heart attack patient. All programs are in Chapel Hill unless otherwise indicated.

The first course, "Practical Approaches to Diabetic Care," is a one-week workshop for registered nurses who want an in-depth understanding of diabetic care. Emphasis is placed on the teaching needs of diabetic patients and how to meet them. It will be held Sept. 16-20 and repeated April 7-11, 1975.

Also scheduled in September is a three-day institute on "Rehabilitation of the Patient with Myocardial Infraction" (heart attack). To be held in Raleigh, the program will provide advanced education to medical, nursing and allied health professionals in the team approach to heart attack rehabilitation. The course will be repeated in May 1975.

"Problem-Oriented Medical Record System" (POMR) and "The Nursing Audit" will be offered the week of October 21-25. The POMR System course, Oct. 21-23, is an introduction to and exploration of benefits of POMR System which provides a framework for documenting decision-making in patient management. Nursing Audit, which begins Oct. 23, is designed to assist nursing administrative personnel in evaluating the quality of patient care through the use of a systematic auditing technique. The POMR System course will be repeated March 25-26; the Nursing Audit, March 27-28.

Scheduled in November are workshops on maternal health and family planning, drug interactions and patient care planning.

"The Nurse as an Educator in Prepared Childbirth," will assist nurses conducting classes for parents in prepared childbirth. The course will be offered Nov. 4-6, and will be repeated April 23-25.

"A Practical Approach to Drug

Interactions," to be held Nov. 6, will examine basic principles underlying drug interaction. The participants then will use the information learned to determine significant drug interactions and the implications for care in certain cases.

The five-day course in "Planning Patient Care" will teach participants systematic planning approaches and offer an opportunity to practice patient interviewing and determining and recording patient progress on a problem-oriented medical record. This course will be repeated in May 1975.

A five-day course to be offered this fall, "Introduction to Public Health Nursing Concepts," will assist nurses to develop their skills in working with individuals, families and groups to help their health needs. This course will be repeated in the spring of 1975.

Workshops on diabetic teaching will be offered on three different dates in different locations during October. "Toward More Effective Diabetic Teaching," a course highlighting practical approaches and developments in diabetic care, will be offered in Wilmington on Oct. 16, Rockingham on Oct. 23 and Boone on Oct. 24. The course will be offered again on March 12, 1975 in Reidsville and May 7, 1975 in Raleigh.

Televised instruction in "Leadership for the Health Professional" will be offered Oct. 2 - Dec. 12. Designed for nurses and others in supervisory positions, the 10 two-hour weekly sessions will examine various elements of good leadership. The half-hour TV presentations are followed by group activities dealing with such problems as low morale and boredom with routines. This course, to be repeated in the spring of 1975, will be shown over the UNC Television Network on both Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Financial assistance to attend these workshops is available to North Carolina nurses through James M. Johnston Awards.

For further information on these courses, contact the Continuing Education Program, UNC School of Nursing, Chapel Hill, N.C. 27514.

Football Practice Starts

Sixty-five athletes representing a spectrum of football talent are working out daily with Shaw University's head football coach Jesse Clements in preparation for the 1974 gridiron season. "We have 35 freshmen trying for a slot on the team and 30 players back from last year's team," said Clements.

The Bears, beginning their second week on the practice field are concentrating on body conditioning and the basic fundamentals of the game. Clements said, "the players will be ready for the heavy equipment in a few days and at that time we'll be able to separate the men from the boys".

The practice schedule calls for a daily late afternoon drill and skull sessions several nights a week.

Jesse Clements, beginning his second season as mentor with the Shaw Bears, finished the 1973 season with only one win compared to six defeats and one tie. "Last year we had a strong defense, but our offense was weak and unable to score", Clements said.

Building a scoring offense is one of the chief jobs facing the coaching staff at Shaw. Cecil Alexander, a freshman quarterback from Fort Lauderdale, Florida is expected to be a key player in the offensive backfield.

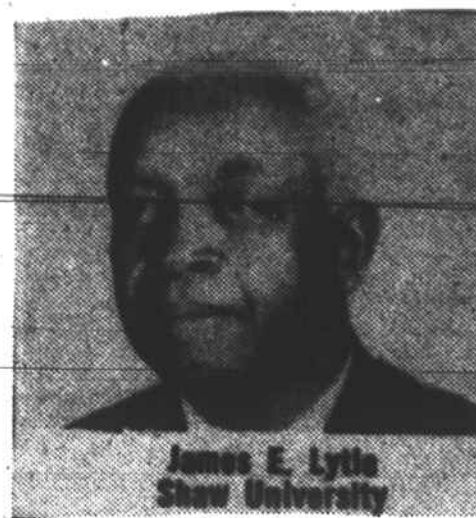
Veteran running back Johnny Harris is a strong runner and provides good blocking on many plays. Bernard Jackson, was the leading ground gainer for Shaw last year. Clements noted,

Grant Award

CHAPEL HILL - Dr. Claude Piantadosi of the UNC School of Pharmacy at Chapel Hill has been awarded a \$24,344 research grant from the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

The research entitled "Ether and Ketone Lipids During Brain Development," involves the lowering of serum cholesterol in the cardiovascular system.

Dr. Piantadosi is head and professor of the Division of Medicinal Chemistry in the School of Pharmacy.



"Jackson has good speed and is one of the leading backs in the CIAA."

"Our offense will be more potent than in recent years and

our defensive unit will be as strong as ever."

Returning defensive players include line backers James Trafton and William Artis who have compiled impressive records as freshmen.

The Bears will travel to Portsmouth, Virginia September 14 to challenge Knoxville College in the 27th Annual Shrine Fish Bowl Classic. Shaw will be the guests of Hampton Institute September 21 and Fayetteville State University on September 28.

The first home game will be played Saturday, October 5, at Devereux Meadows at 2:00 p.m. against Federal City College, Washington, D.C.

Pair Charged

The Winston-Salem Police Department has issued a warrant for the arrest of Dawn Aikens and Becky Thompson, both of 1514 Gholson St. apt. C, for possession of marihuana, according to police reports.

The report charges the two with possession of more than a pound of marihuana. Investigating officers went to the home of the two on Sept. 7 armed with a search warrant. "We located approximately one pound

of green vegetable material in the bath room that gave a preliminary indication as marihuana," the report read.

In addition, the investigating officers stated in the report that two pipes and two hand-rolled cigarette butts with green vegetable material were found in the living room that gave a positive indication of marihuana.

All the evidence was seized and taken to the police department. The investigation is being continued.

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UNC Educator Attends Meet

CHAPEL HILL -- Dr. Morris A. Lipton, professor of psychiatry at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, will be among 25 of the world's leading molecular biologists meeting in Gottenger, Germany, this week to examine the influence of genes and biochemistry on mental illness and normal behavior.

Dr. Lipton will introduce a session on the "Biochemistry of Mental Disorders" and deliver a paper entitled, "Biochemistry of Schizophrenia."

Describing the purpose of the conference, Dr. Lipton said, "There is substantial evidence that a tendency toward mental illness is inherited. There is a genetic predisposition to depression and schizophrenia, just as to high or low intelligence.

"Up until now, we knew about this predisposition, but there was not much hope of doing anything about it. We now believe that our understanding has advanced far enough that we can intervene to make the organism better able to tolerate its environment."

The four-day conference on "Molecular and Cellular Analysis of Mental Disorders" begins Sept. 14 at the

sponsored by the German Ministry for Research and the Max Planck Institute for Molecular Biology.

The speakers were chosen for their contributions to understanding the biological bases of normal and abnormal behavior.

Dr. Lipton holds both a Ph. D. in biochemistry from the

University of Wisconsin and an M.D. from the University of Chicago. He directs the

Biological Sciences Research Center of UNC's Child Development Institute.

Other sessions scheduled for the conference explore the "Biochemistry of Behavior" and "Cell Biology."

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