

# 9th National Forum Begins Today at Duke

Some 140 hospital administrators and health care professionals from across the nation are at Duke today to consider the logic and practicality of "citizen participation" in the affairs of hospitals and other community service agencies.

The two-day meeting is the ninth annual National Forum on Hospital and Health Affairs sponsored by Duke's

Department of Health Administration. The meeting goes through tomorrow.

Presiding at the forum is Dr. B. Jon Jaeger, chairman of the department.

The theme, "The Citizenry and the Hospital," was prompted by a movement born in the 1960's to give a voice to the previously voiceless, the consumer. The movement has led to legislation which has

placed consumers or "community representatives" in control of many governmental agencies and advisory boards.

Although most hospitals have not been legally compelled to provide such citizen participation, they have been confronted with moral, economic and community pressures to do so. Many hospitals have

attempted to provide for citizen participation, and professionals in the field believe that others would follow if the wisdom and the best method of doing so were more clearly established.

The National Forum—with a staff that includes authorities on the health care system, political science, law and urban  
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## Over 200 Students Receive Degrees In Medicine, Nursing and Health Fields

Sixty-nine physicians, 91 nurses, 21 health administrators, 12 physical therapists and 12 physician's associates, all newly recognized in their professions, emerged from Cameron Indoor Stadium last Sunday afternoon climaxing the equivalent of over 700 years of training in medicine, nursing and allied health fields.

It was the university's 121st Commencement ceremony.

Vernon E. Jordan Jr., executive director of the National Urban League, delivered the Commencement address and received an honorary Doctor of Laws degree in recognition of his civil right work and dedication to higher education.

On Saturday, May 12, the Hippocratic Oath ceremony for graduates in medicine was held in the Duke Chapel. Dr. Thomas D. Kinney, director of medical and allied health education, was speaker at the event.

A recognition ceremony for the new nurses was also held in the chapel on Saturday. Dr. Lois Pounds, assistant professor of pediatrics and assistant professor of nursing, spoke before the

group.

Three of the new physicians received both their M.D. and Ph.D. degrees Sunday after completion of Duke's medical scientist program begun in the mid-1960's. They are William L. High of Boone, N.C., and Salvatore V. Pizzo and Martin L. Schwartz of Philadelphia, Pa.

This year's graduation marked the first time the Bachelor of Health Science degree was awarded to graduates of the medical center's Physician's Associate Program.

Printed below are lists of June graduates of the School of Medicine, the School of Nursing and degree programs offered by the departments of Health Administration, Physical Therapy and Community Health Sciences. Included with the list of new M.D.'s are their positions for next year.

### Medicine

Bruce Africa, rotating intern: psychiatry, Highland General Hospital, Oakland, Calif.

Burt J. Auerbach, intern in surgery, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

John M. Benbow, resident in pediatrics,

University of Colorado Affiliated Hospitals, Denver, Colo.

James D. Cahill, resident in surgery, University of Colorado Affiliated Hospitals, Denver, Colo.

Donald J. Collins, intern in medicine, Duke Hospital.

Martin J. Conley, resident in surgery, Duke Hospital.

Lawrence J. D'Angelo, intern in medicine, Georgetown University Hospital, Washington, D.C.

Jonathan M. Ducore, intern in pediatrics, University of Cincinnati Affiliated Hospitals, Cincinnati, Ohio.

George H. Durham, resident in pediatrics, University of Utah Affiliated Hospitals, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Keith R. Edwards, intern in medicine, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

James W. Ellett, intern in surgery, Parkland Memorial Hospital, Dallas, Tex.

Edward G. Flickinger, intern in surgery, Case Western Reserve University Affiliated Hospitals, Cleveland, Ohio.

Richard B. Frost, rotating intern, University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington, Ky.

Richard E. Gordon, intern in pediatrics, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.

John W. Hallett, Jr., intern in surgery, Wilford Hall USAF Medical Center, San Antonio, Tex.

William T. Hardaker, resident in surgery, Duke Hospital.

David P. Hartley, intern in psychiatry, John Umstead Hospital—University of North Carolina, Butner, N.C.

Geoffrey B. Hartwick, intern in medicine, Duke Hospital.

Thomas D. Hibler, rotating intern, Los Angeles Co. Harbor General Hospital, L.A., Calif.

William L. High, intern in medicine, Duke Hospital.

Stephen G. Kahler, resident in pediatrics, San Diego Co. University Affiliated Hospitals, San Diego, Calif.

Daniel D. Karp, intern in medicine, Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital.

John G. Kidd, intern in family practice, University of Minnesota Affiliated Hospitals, Minneapolis, Minn.

Lanning B. Kline, intern in medicine, Duke Hospital.

Peter D. Lawrason, intern in medicine, Parkland Memorial Hospital, Dallas, Tex.

Stephen D. Leonard, intern in surgery, New York Hospital, N.Y., N.Y.

Thomas J. Limbird, resident in surgery, Duke Hospital.

Seth H. Lowell, intern in surgery, Duke Hospital.

Ronald V. Maier, intern in surgery, Parkland Memorial Hospital, Dallas, Tex.

Jeremiah R. Marion, intern in medicine, University of Miami Affiliated Hospitals, Miami, Fla.

Scott A. Martin, intern in pathology, Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, Mo.

David H. Mason, intern in medicine, Duke  
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**AWARD WINNER**—John A. Furlow, director of the university's Office of Publications, holds a copy of a brochure his office prepared for the Center for the Study of Aging and Human Development in the medical center. The brochure was a winner in national publications competition. *(Photo by Jimmy Wallace)*

## J. Furlow to Get ACPRA Award

A brochure prepared for the Center for the Study of Aging and Human Development figures in a national award that will be received in July by Duke's Office of Publications.

The office will receive a Certificate of Special Merit from the American College Public Relations Association (ACPRA) for the brochure, which was one of nearly 1,300 individual publications submitted for national judging.

John A. Furlow, director of the Office of Publications, will accept the award at ACPRA's national meeting in San Diego. The brochure is a general information bulletin containing data on the center's history, facilities, research, training programs and other information.

Furlow was recently promoted to head the newly established Office of Publications, formerly known as the University Editor's Office. He came here in 1966 as art director following a career as editorial designer for the Chicago Sun-Times and a free-lance advertising-design consultant.



**FOR THE PREVENTION OF SHOCK**—Dr. Andrew Wechsler, resident in surgery, pretends to check Dr. Shirley K. Osterhout's catecholamine level at left while Dr. Donald Hackel, professor of pathology, takes her blood pressure. Such emergency measures were deemed necessary by the physicians as Dr. Osterhout attempted to recover from her surprise at having been selected by medical students as one of this year's recipients of the Golden Apple award for excellence in teaching. Dr. Wechsler and Dr. Hackel were likewise honored for their abilities as teachers in the School of Medicine. See story on page 3. *(Photo by Dale Moses)*