



# WISCONSIN HEALTH SCIENCE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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## COMING EVENTS

- April 28 & 29 Minneapolis Medline Refresher. VA Medical Center, Minneapolis. Contact Helen Anne Brown for information at 800-633-7654.
- April 30 - WIHLA Annual Meeting. Marc Plaza Hotel. Milwaukee. "The Information Odyssey". Full Conference Information in January Newsletter.
- May 1 7:00am Council for Wisconsin Health Sciences Libraries Network Meeting. Marc Plaza. Milwaukee.
- May 2 Basic Library Practice. CE Course, Medical College of Wisconsin. Registration information in January Newsletter.
- May 6 ETN 10:00 - 11:50 Seminars for Health Sciences Librarians. "The IATCH Program." Margaret Ovitsky presenter.
- May 17-21 MIA Annual Meeting. Portland, OR
- June 15-19 MEDLINE Training. Milwaukee.
- June 22-26 Advanced MEDLINE Training. Milwaukee.
- Oct 28 - 31 HC/MIA "Mystery: the Secret of the Reappearing Library." Cleveland.

## GHRLM NEWS

The Regional Advisory Council meeting scheduled for March 12-13 was cancelled. Watch for news on the Regional Collection Development Plan, which will involve some interested basic unit libraries as well as the resource libraries in a collection evaluation project. Also, please contact me regarding any regional concerns, so I can bring them to the Regional Council.

Peg Allen, Wisconsin Representative

## LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Budget proposals are the main legislative concern at the state level, according to WLA officers reporting at our February intertype Library Advisory Committee meeting for the Wisconsin Valley Library Service - the public library system headquartered in Wausau. The governor's budget proposal looks good for public library systems, with proposed increases ranging from 2.9% to 8.6%. However, this isn't good for those at the other end, and it does not bring funding for public library systems up to the statutory level of 13% of local funding. This is important if we want to see public library systems offering more multitype services.

The bad news is that the Division for Library Services, including the Reference and Loan Library and state contracts for interlibrary loan with agencies such as WILS and Milwaukee Public Library are subject to the proposed 5% funding cut. These interlibrary loan contracts are critical for supporting statewide interlibrary loan - if cut, how will we ever have a base for state level support of health science interlibrary loan and/or funding for our resource libraries to help them meet the needs of non-primary clientele?

To support increased state level funding for library services, call or write to your state senator or assemblyman. Questions may be addressed to Peter Hammond, Chairman of the WLA Legislation Committee.

To keep up with state level library issues, try to attend multitype library meetings and activities in your local area. This is a great way to keep current and have fun with other librarians at the same time - we are more alike than we are different!

## THE GOVERNMENT AND DATA BASES

As a follow-up to Mary Blackwelder's comments in the February issue of the Newsletter. I would like to share with you information included in an article titled "Pentagon Planning to Restrict Access to Public Data Bases" (Chronicle of Higher Education, January 21, 1987 pp. 1,10.)

The article reported that the Defense Department is planning to limit access to government and commercial electronic data bases. The rationale is that such restrictions "are necessary to keep scientific, technical, and economic information from foreign agents, particularly those from the Soviet bloc".

The concern also extends to the fact that a new office, in the National Security Agency which is responsible for the security of all computer systems that might contain sensitive material, has been established-- "whether or not collected and stored by government agencies, whether or not classified or directly related to national security".

Several data base services which have already been named as suspect and would come under government control include "Lockheed Corporation's Dialog and Head Data Central's NEXIS AND IEXIS".

"Defense Department officials are concerned that electronic data bases make information gathering equally easy for foreign agents. 'The individual abstracts or references in government and commercial data bases are unclassified,' a Pentagon report said in 1985, 'but some of the information, taken in the aggregate may reveal sensitive information concerning U. S. strategic capabilities and vulnerabilities.'"

Diane Fountaine, a senior Defense Department official, indicated at a recent meeting of the Information Industry Association that the question is not will there be controls and restrictions on the use of commercially available on-line data bases, but instead how those controls will be applied.

The National Security Agency's announcement has led to the introduction of legislation to put control of electronic data-base security in the hands of the National Bureau of Standards. Hearings were to be held in February according to the January Chronicle.

-Barbara Schmiechen  
State Coordinator

## WISCONSIN BIOMEDICAL UNION LIST OF SERIALS

Joy Shong has indicated that the new edition of the Wisconsin List of Serials will be available for ordering in May. Because the new edition will be available soon please wait to place any orders for that publication until the new edition is available and the 1987 is announced. That price will be set at the May 1 Council meeting.

NEW BOOK TO HELP GRIEVING FAMILIES

Each year in the U. S. 770,000 babies die through miscarriage, stillbirth, or newborn death. Since World War II, more than 20 million families have experienced a miscarriage, stillbirth, or a new born infant. When A Baby Dies: A Handbook for Healing and Helping is a resource for these families, family members, friends, and the professionals who try to help them.

Copies of this handbook may be purchased by calling or writing to La Crosse Lutheran Hospital's Resolve Through Sharing Office, 1910 South Ave., La Crosse, WI 54601, Phone (608) 785-0530 ext. 3675. The book costs \$8.95 plus \$2 for shipping and handling.

OPEN HOUSE

Learning Resource Center  
Saint Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing  
Marshfield

You are all invited to attend the open house for our new LRC on Tuesday, April 7 from 2 to 4 pm. Our collection features both nursing and patient resources, including large type materials and talking books from the Wisconsin Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped. We will be demonstrating Nursesearch and publicizing our patient services as well as resources available for staff. Come and visit anytime you are in the area.  
-Margaret Allen, Librarian

HELPING CLIENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

We all serve patients/clients with special needs - either directly or by serving the health care personnel who assist them. In the WALS system area, a needs analysis has demonstrated that the best way to provide library services to individuals with special needs is through agency contacts - I'm sure this is true anywhere. A handicapped person just isn't that likely to walk into a library, let alone be fully aware of the available services. Since people use hospitals and clinics to help them adjust to their disabilities, shouldn't we be providing them with information about aid to library services?

In your own area, you can probably help the public library distribute information about any services they might have for the handicapped, such as homebound programs. Contact them for ideas!

A major service that we can all promote is referral of individuals to the services of the Wisconsin Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped. Free promotional literature and posters are available from the regional library - call 800-242-8822 (Wisconsin only) for assistance. Equipment, tapes, and records are all available on a free loan basis to both individuals and institutions. We have cassette players available for patients, along with a small assortment of talking books that are periodically returned for new ones. Patients who will need this service on a continuing basis can complete an individual application, which we make available. If you don't see a need for the equipment and books, at least consider getting some promotional literature and sharing it with your nursing units and other departments. Talking books are for anyone with a disability that prevents them from reading standard printed material - this includes blindness, visual handicap, physical handicap, and reading disability. Braille books and large print music are also available from the regional library.

The theme of hospital week this year, May 10 - 16, is "We Feel Good Helping You Feel Better". I see this as a wonderful opportunity to think about the services we provide that help people with special needs, and then feature them in a display that week. Wellness collections, consumer health education materials, any direct patient library services, and services available from the Wisconsin Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped are just some of the ideas we might consider. Start planning now!

from Peg Allen - call 715-387-7271 with questions.

PEOPLE AND PLACES

SHARON WOCHOS a member of the library staff at Mt. Sinai Hospital, Milwaukee has been granted certification by the Medical Library Association. Congratulations Sharon.

The medical library at Waukesha Memorial Hospital now owns a FAX machine. The phone number is 414-544-2514. LINDA ODDAN is the Librarian.

MIDGE WOS and LINDA ODDAN are co-authors of a Brief Communication published in the October 1986 Bulletin of the Medical Library Association. The article is titled "Effect of Institutional Mergers on Hospital Libraries."

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EDITOR'S NOTES

1) The April Newsletter will be assembled by April 3. Please get your news in by April 1.

-Barbara Schmiechen  
Editor

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AUDIO DIGEST - FAMILY PRACTICE

AC RESPIRATORY PROBLEMS  
 972 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.35,#6  
 35(6)

AC OCCUPATIONAL MEDICINE  
 978 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.35,#7  
 35(7)

AUDIO DIGEST - INTERNAL MEDICINE

AC PULMONARY DISEASES  
 975 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.34,#3  
 34(3)

AC DISORDERED SLEEP  
 975 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.34,#4  
 34(4)

AUDIO DIGEST - OBSTETRICS/GYNECOLOGY

AC TRILOGY OF PELVIC DISORDERS  
 976 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.34,#3  
 34(3)

AC SEXUAL DYSFUNCTION: FEMALE AND MALE  
 976 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.34,#4  
 34(4)

AUDIO DIGEST - ORTHOPEDICS

AC THE CHILDREN'S HOUR: A MANAGEMENT  
 989 OVERVIEW  
 10(2) Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.10,#2

AUDIO DIGEST - PEDIATRICS

AC AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PEDIATRICS - PART IV  
 991 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.33,#3  
 33(3)

AUDIO DIGEST - PSYCHIATRY

AC DEPRESSION IN THE MEDICALLY ILL  
 989 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.16,#3  
 16(3)

AUDIO DIGEST - SURGERY

AC VASCULAR SURGERY, PART I  
 990 Audio-Digest Foundation, 1987. v.34,#3  
 34(3)

NEUROLOGY REVIEW

AC THE NEURO-BEHAVIORAL MENTAL STATUS EXAM  
 980 Dr. J. William  
 85(4) BRAIN TRANSPLANTATION  
 Dr. Frank R. Sharp  
 Neurology Review, 1985. issue 4

AC RIGHT HEMISPHERE STROKE  
 980 Dr. Louis R. Caplan  
 85(5) CLINICAL APPLICATIONS OF BAER'S AND  
 BLINK REFLEXES IN NEUROLOGY  
 Dr. Michael J. Aminoff  
 Neurology Review, 1985. issue 5

WISCONSIN INACTIVE NURSE STUDIES (W.I.N.S.)

AC HEMOPHILIA, PART I.  
 983 Marilyn Connell, R.N., Judie  
 85(1) Wipperfurth, R.N., B.S.

AC HEMOPHILIA, PART II.  
 983 Marilyn Connell, R.N., Judie  
 85(2) Wipperfurth, R.N., B.S.

AC NURSING TODAY-DOLLARS AND CENTS.  
 983 Judith F. Warmuth, R.N., M.S.N.  
 85(3)

AC MEDICATIONS UPDATE - OTC.  
 983 Elliott M. Segol, R.Ph., M.S.  
 85(4)

AC OSTEOPOROSIS IN WOMEN.  
 983 Josephine Lutz, R.N., Ph.D.  
 85(5)

AC UPDATE ON LUPUS-ERYTHEMATOSUS.  
 983 Richard Hong, M.D.  
 85(6)

AC ASTHMA.  
 983 J. Brent Kooistra, M.D.  
 85(7)

AC HERPES-1986.  
 983 Kathleen M. Poi, R.N., M.S.N.  
 85(8)

AC BREASTFEEDING AND JAUNDICE IN THE INFANT.  
 983 Greg G. Smith, M.D.  
 85(9)

AC PERIPHERAL VASCULAR DISORDERS, PART I.  
 983 Kristine J. Schultz, R.N., M.S.N.  
 85(10)

AC PERIPHERAL VASCULAR DISORDERS, PART II.  
 983 Kristine J. Schultz, R.N., M.S.N.  
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AC THE ALZHEIMER PATIENT.  
 983 Kathleen A. Gass, R.N., Ph.D.  
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AC THE CAREGIVER OF THE ALZHEIMER PATIENT.  
 983 Kathleen A. Gass, R.N., Ph.D.  
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AC UPDATE ON PSYCHOTROPIC DRUGS.  
 983 Chester A. Bond, Ph.D.  
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 Management  
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Family Health  
 V. 8:8, 9, 11, 12, 1976; V. 9:1, 4-8,  
 11, 1977; V. 10:5, 1978.

Journal of Nursing Education  
 V. 1:1-3, 1982.

Journal Nursing Administration  
 Vol. 10, 2, 3, 4, 1980.

New England Journal of Medicine  
 V. 281, 24, 25, 1968  
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American J. of Nursing  
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CA. A Cancer Journal for Clinicians  
 v.32, #6, 1982  
 v.33, #4, 1983  
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Cancer  
 v.57, #3,4, 1986

Clinical Symposia  
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 v.33, #1,5, 1981  
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Diseases of the Colon & Rectum  
 v.29, #2, 1986

Emergency Medicine  
 v.14, #17, 1982  
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Federation of Am.Hospitals Review  
 v.10, #4, 1977  
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 v.5, #1, 1980

Health Care Management Review  
 v.11, #2, 1986

Hospitals  
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 v.249, #11, 1983  
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J. of Nursing Administration  
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J. of Practical Nursing  
 v.30, #1,3, 1980

Mayo Clinic Proceedings  
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Medical Clinics of N. American  
 v.64, #3, 1980  
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Modern Healthcare  
 v.14, #12, 1984

New England J. of Medicine  
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Nursing Outlook  
 v.30, #5, 1982

Nursing Research  
 v.31, #5,6, 1982

Nursing Times/Nursing Mirror  
 v.81, #46,47,49,50, 1985  
 v.82, #3-9, 11-14,16, 1986

Quality Review Bulletin  
 v.8, #1-12, 1982  
 v.9, #1,3-12, 1983

Retina  
 v.1, #2,4, 1981

RN  
 v.45, #5, 1982  
 v.47, #11, 1984

Social Work  
 v.28, #1-6, 1983  
 v.39, #1, 1984

Wis. Medical J.  
 v.83, #6,7,11, 1984  
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