# HEALTH POLICY IMPACTS: ON & BY

## MINORITY PEOPLES



SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA CHAPEL HILL MARCH 1 & 2, 1978 The Minority Student Caucus and the Student Union Board of the School of Public Health of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill are presenting the second in a series of conferences focusing on the unique and special concerns of minority peoples.

Last year's theme was "Perspectives on the Health of Black Populations." This year's conference theme is "Health Policy Impacts: On and By Minority Peoples."

The conference this year will focus on two major health policy areas: the National Health Planning and Resources Development Act of 1974 PL 93-641, and a National Health Plan (whether it be National Health Insurance or National Health Service).

We hope that this conference will enable us all the opportunity to stimulate new ideas and energies.

WELCOME!

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 1978

"Our duty is to hold ourselves responsible to the people. Every word, every act and every policy must conform to the people's interests, and if mistakes occur, they must be corrected—that is what being responsible to the people means."

-Mao Tse-tung

## THE HEALTH PLANNING and RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT ACT of 1976

9:00 am Opening Session- Auditorium, Rosenau Hall

Opening Remarks- Rudolph Jackson, MBA

Welcome- Bernard G. Greenberg, Ph.D., Dean

Introduction of Keynote Speaker-James Robert Jones, Co-Chairperson, Student Union

Keynote Address
Health Policy Impacts: ON & BY MINORITY PEOPLES

John L.S. Holloman, MD
PAST PRESIDENT NYC Health and Hospital Corporations
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10:00 am Break

10:15 am Panel Presentation, Auditorium

Barbara Hand, Moderator

#### Panelists:

Fredrick Adams, DDS, MPH
Planning and Financing the Future of Health Care for Blacks
in America

Syliva Drew Ivie, JD P.L. 93-641 A Law For/Against Minorities

Anita Williams, MPH
The Health Systems Agency

Charles Watts, MD

11:45 am Question and Answer

12:15 pm Lunch - Reception

1:45 pm Workshops

room 416 I. Anita Williams, MPH

Facilitators: Eugenia Eng

John Hatch, Dr. PH

room 231B II. Fred Adams, DDS, MPH

Facilitators: Lavonia Allison, Ph.D.

Victoria Motley Charles Watts, MD

room 249 III. Facilitators: Daynese Williams

Tony L. Whitehead, Ph.D.

room 331 IV. Sylvia Drew Ivie, JD

Facilitators: Kenneth Wing, J.D.

Leslie Brown

3:15 pm Break

3:30 pm Workshop Summary-Facilitators - Auditorium

4:30 pm Closing Remarks for the Day-

Rudolph Jackson, MBA

**Reception Immediately Following** 

### THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1978

"Development of the health services in the next few years will be both exciting and determinative. It is of vital importance that we never lose sight of our major objectives. Overcoming the financial barrier is indeed crucial, but of equal importance is the development of a delivery system that serves people better, uses resources economically and is accountable to those who pay for it and those who use it. These are the tests we must apply to all current proposals."

-Eveline Burns

#### A PROPOSED NATIONAL HEALTH PLAN

10:00 am Opening Remarks - Cherry Beasley, R.N.

10:15 am Panel Presentation - Auditorium

Deborah Parham, R.N., Moderator

Panelists:

Julius Chambers, J.D.

A National Health Service Joyce Goldstein, B.A.

Minority Imput in Health Policy James Howard, MPH

Octavius Rowe, MPH

11:30 am Question and Answer

12:00 pm Lunch

### 1:30 pm Workshops

room 231B I. Julius Chambers, J.D.

Facilitators: George Neeley, Ph.D.

Arden Miller, Ph.D.

room 228 II. Joyce Goldstein, B.A.

Facilitators: Patricia Barry, Dr. PH

David Phoenix, MPH

room 359 III. Octavius Rowe, MPH

Facilitators: Nancy Milio, Ph.D.

Phillip Debarry

room 231D IV. James Howard, MPH

Facilitators: William Herzog, MSPH

Everard Rutledge, MHA

3:00 pm Break

3:15 pm Workshop Summary-Facilitators - Auditorium

4:15 pm Closing Remarks for the Day - Cherry Beasley, R.N.

4:30 pm Closing Remarks for the Conference-William Small, MSPH

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