COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH

# DIRECTOR'S BULLETIN



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This first Director's Bulletin introduces the team that now directs the new Mental Health Department. The team leader, Dr. John Richard Elpers, was appointed Director of Mental Health in August 1978 after a nationwide search. Dr. Elpers then initiated a similar search to fill the ten positions that would direct the new Department.

The new appointees represent a diverse group with varied backgrounds and experiences. Five of the ten are new to the Los Angeles County Mental Health system, and the remainder represent nearly 50 years of experience in County service dating back to the (old) Mental Health Department under the direction of Dr. Harry Brickman. The lone distaff representative is Dr. Areta Crowell whose long association with the planning of Services for Los Angeles County Mental Health makes for continuity of goals and services.

Here, then, is a brief look at the appointees and some of their accomplishments.

JOHN RICHARD ELPERS, M.D.

After an intensive search, the Board of Supervisors announced the appointment of John Richard Elpers, M.D., Program Chief of the Orange County Mental Health Department for five years, and more recently Health Officer of the County's Human Services Agency, as Director of the newly established Los Angeles County Mental Health Dept.

Dr. Elpers brings a wealth of active experience in the State's Short-Doyle system to his new job. In addition to his former duties as Orange County's Program Chief, he is immediate past President of the Orange County Chapter of the Southern California Psychiatric Society, and continues as Clinical Professor, Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, University of California, Irvine.

A native of Hammon, Indiana, Dr. Elpers attended Indiana University as an undergraduate and continued at Indiana's School of Medicine, receiving his M.D. in 1963 7 He forsook Hoosier-County for a taste of California living as a rotating intern at the Orange County Medical Center in 1963-64, and then took his residency at the New York State Psychiatric Institute and Presbyterian Hospital, Columbia University, New York 1964-67. Continuing on at Columbia, He received his M.S.in June, 1968, in Administrative Medicine, from the Division of Community and Social Psychiatry, Columbia University School of Public Health and Administrative Medicine, and the Department of Psychiatry.

During the New York years, Dr. Elpers also was an Instructor, Columbia University Schools of Occupational and Physical Therapy, the primary planner and Director of Heights House, the Psychiatric Halfway House of the New York State Psychiatric Institute for two years, and as Instructor at the Columbia University School of Nursing. He consulted with the New York City Department of Welfare and Probation, and was Director of the Mount Carmel Child Guidance Center, Union City, New Jersey.

He went to NIMH for another two years, as staff Psychiatrist to the Community Support Section and to the Mental Health Services Development Branch, serving as Consultant to States, Regional offices, and centers in programming as related to the financing of community mental health programs. He chaired the NIMH Standards Committee for CMHC's and was a charter member of the Conference on Funding Community Mental

Centers, an interdisciplinary group concerned with the development and study of methods of financing and iscal management of community mental nealth programs.

He returned to Orange County in 1970 as Deputy for Consultation and Community Education, and received his appointment to the University of California, Irvine, Dept. of Psychiatry simultaneously. In 1971, he became Deputy for Research, Evaluation and Program Planner, and a year-and-a-half later, was made Program Chief, Orange County Mental Health Department, position he held until August of 1977. During that time he was named Orange County's Health Officer, with responsibility for all public health programs, emergency medical services, and the administration of the contract with the University of California, Irvine, Medical Center. Finally, in August, 1977, he became Program Chief for Alcoholism, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Serices for the Orange County Human Services Agency, with responsibility for all such programs in the Younty provided directly by contract. His experience thus runs virtually the gamut of Mental Health Services.

Dr. Elpers is married to the former Mary Jo Metzger and has two sons, Steven, 13 and Mark, 10.

The Mental Health Advisory Board is a Short-Doyle mandated board that serves in an advisory capacity to the Board of Supervisors and the Director of Mental Health. The Board's duties are:

- Review and evaluate the Community's Mental Health needs, services, facilities and special programs.
- Review the County Short-Doyle Plan.
- Review and approve the planning procedures.
- 4. Make recommendations regarding the appointment of a Local Mental Health Director.

The current Chairperson of the Advisory Board is John J. McDonough, D.B.A.

Dr. McDonough is an Associate Professor of Accounting and Organization at UCLA Graduate School of Management. Dr. McDonough attended Dartmouth College as an undergraduate and received his Master's and Doctorate from the Harvard School of Business Administration. Dr. McDonough was appointed to the Board in 1975 and has served as Chairperson since January 1977.

Other members of the Board are: Frances Meehan, Ph.D., Vice-Chairperson, Alex D. Aloia, Ph.D., Secretary, John Borrego, Jacqueline Bouhoutsos, Ph.D., Supervisor Yvonne Burke, Linda Heinz M.H., M.S.P.H., Kay M. Slavkin, Victoria A. Sofo, Lona M. Stone, Keith Van Vliet, Leroy R. Weeks, M.D., and Helen B. Wolff, M.D., M.P.H. Margaret Molina is the Mental Health Advisory Board's Executive Officer.

GEORGE H. WOLKON, Ph.D

Appointed to the special post of Deputy Director for Quality Support Bureau is George H. Wolkon, Ph.D. who was formerly acting Deputy Director for Program Development since his arrival in the Department from USC Medical School, Department of Psychiatry, in the fall of 1977. The post is special in the sense that Dr. Wolkon will report directly to Dr. Elpers, a singular relationship intended to preserve the impartiality and autonomy required by successful operation of such an office. Bureau will include the functions of evaluation and research, program monitoring, site Visit's, management Information System, etc..

Prior to matriculating to the Department, Dr. Wolkon was the Coordinator of Continuing Education in Psychiatry, and Research Director of the Division of Special and Com-

munity Psychiatry of the USC School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry, a post in which he had continued contact and close association with the staff of the Department of Mental Health. In the post, he was also responsible for, a principal investigator of three major training grants awarded to the University between 1974 and the present.

A native of Boston, George came to Los Angeles from Case Western Reserve in Cleveland, where he had been an Associate Professor in the Department of Sociology, to become Chief of the Research at the Center for Training in Community Psychiatry. After the funding for that program was discontinued, George moved to Department of Psychiatry at USC as an Associate Professor, and then on the various posts in Continuing Education and Community Psychiatry. He still maintains his academic appointments with the University.

Most of George's education has been in his native Boston, having graduated cum laude from Harvard in 1956 with a major in Social Relations. He received his MA in Psychology (1958) and his Ph.D. in Personality and Social Psychology, (1963) both from Boston University. He moved to Cleveland in 1962 to work at Hill House, Mental Health Rehabilitation and Research, Inc., and then on to Case Western Reserve. Since 1960, he has authored or co-authored over fifty publications in scholarly journals, appearing frequently in The Community Mental Health Journal, the Journal of Medical Education, Journal of Counseling Psychology, American Journal of Community Psychology, Hospital and Community Psychiatry and other prestigious journals. Further publications are in press.

George resides with his wife, Barbara and two children in Pacific Palisades, plays tennis regularly, and is devoted to hot Korean food....

HAROLD EMERSON MAVRITTE, M.D.

The man who directed the Mental Health Department during the transitional period was Harold Emerson Mavritte, M.D. Dr. Mavritte, affectionately called H.E.M., is a charismatic, dynamic and innovative social psychiatrist.

Dr. Mavritte entered County Mental Health services in July 1968. Prior to that time he was a well sought-after consultant to various county programs. In 1970. he was promoted to Regional Chief, West Central Mental Health Dr. Mavritte went on to area Chief in 1972 and in less than a month was promoted to Chief of Program Services. Dr. Mavritte was Acting Assistant Deputy Director from 1975 to 1978 and following Dr. Herbert Robinson's retirement, Dr. Mavritte was acting head of Mental Health services until Dr. Elpers' appointment.

Dr. Mavritte was born in the na- -> tion's capital and graduated from Howard University with a B.S. Degree in 1951. Four years later he finished medical school also at Howard. Dr. Mavritte set up practice as a family doctor in Altadena and after seven years, returned to UCLA to complete work in psychiatry. Mavritte also received a masters in Social Psychiatry from UCLA in 1970. Dr. Mavritte has over a dozen professional affiliations which include American Psychiatric Association, Black Psychiatrists of Southern California, Southern California Psychiatric Society, Assistant Clinical Professor of Psychiatry at UCLA and is affiliated with the Charles R. Drew Medical Society.

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Dr. Mavritte's father, Dr. Eugene
Mavritte, is a retired prominent Washington D.C. dentist and was a faculty
wher of the Howard University School
of Dentistry for over 20 years. Dr.
Mavritte's wife, Delores is Vice-Principal of the Trinity Street Elementary
School in Los Angeles.

#### MR. HERBERT MCROY

The New Organizational Chart calls for two assistant directors, one assistant director in charge of programs and the other in charge of administration.

The assistant director in charge administration post went to Mr. Herbert McRoy who held a similar position under Dr. Harry Brickman prior to Mental Health's merger into Health Services. Mr. McRoy brings to the Department more than 20 years of progressive experience as a county administrator. Mr. McRoy began his county service in 1956 in the County Engineer's office and has held key positions in several county departments. Prior to the current position Mr. McRoy was Chief, Contracts and Grants and Acting Deputy Director Contracts and Grants. Mr. McRoy was responsible for the organization, management and control of Health Services Contract and Grant Program. The program consists of more than 800 contracts covering all areas of Health Services totaling more than \$160 million in State and Federal monies.

Mr. McRoy acted as consultant to several blue ribbon panels including the Governor's (Ronald Reagan) Task Force on community mental health funding.

Mr. McRoy is married and has four children 3 daughers and one son. The eldest daughter, Patty is married and the second daughter, Janice 18 to be married in September. Mr. McRoy is a native of North Carolina but received his college education in California.

## ARETA CROWELL, Ph.D.

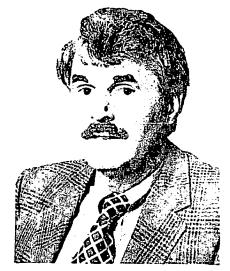
tr. J. Richard Elpers, director of MentalHealth, has announced the appointment of Dr. Areta Crowell as Deputy Director for Program Development Bureau.

The Bureau includes Planning, Manpower Development, Preventive Services, Continuing Education and Training, and Program Development activities stemming from the Central Office. Central Office Bureau has the responsibility to assist in the implementation of the comprehensive, high quality mental health program for the County by working for citizens' ticipation in policy and planning, to assure maximum use of relevent data for population based mental health planning, to adapt hest-of-the-art gram design to services throughout the County, to assure use of available mental health resources and create new ones and to continue to upgrade skills to meet the changing demands of a changing Department.

To this task, Dr. Crowell brings singularly outstanding skills and experience. She was responsible for most of those functions as Chief of Program Development in the independent Mental Health Department and the merged Health Services Department, until her resignation in 1976. For this, and for her work as Head of Planning, and of Evaluation and Research, since her entry into the Department in 1967 (?), she is well remembered by many staff who have felt her personprogrammatic influence at various times in the past dozen or so years.

Dr. Crowell is a graduate of Mc-Gill University in Montreal, receiving her Ph.D. in 1962 in the field of Social Psychology. There after, she taught for three years at Fairleigh-Dickenson University in New Jersey, and then with her husband Clarence, who is a Professor in the Department of Engineering at USC, heeded to call to come to Southern California in 1966. She assisted Dr. George Moed in the development of the new Depart-





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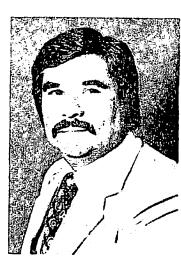
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ment's Evaluation and Research capability, and became the chief of that Division in 1969. Subsequently, assumed the duties of the Chief Program Development in Mental Health Services, adding to her previous responsibilities the functions of the Training and Consultation Division. During the latter days of the merge of Mental Health with the Department of Health Services, Dr. Crowell resigned to become co-director of a project to assist community mental health centers in program development and to increase mental health planning capabilities in the HSA system throughout the State. project, at the California Department of Health's Training Center, Southern Branch, was nearing completion at the time of her appointment to the new Program Development Bureau on May 1 of this year.

Dr. Crowell is a member of the American Psychological Association, and the California State Psychological Association, and is past chairperson of the Health Information Section of the Southern California P.H. Association, and to Los Angeles County Research Coordination Committee. She has been an assistant clinical professor at UCLA since 1972, and has been guest lecturer for many other academic and professional grams. Her husband, Clarence, is full professor at the University of Southern California, specializing in Material Science and Solid State Physics. They live in Hollywood with the occasional presence of their two sons, Robert, 20, who has been accepted study in the divine ministry, and Kevin, 17. One sister, Lynn, lives in Los Angeles, and is employed as a media buyer in the Advertising Agency. Crowell's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Hockin, spend part of their time, the summer months, in their home in the Lake regions of the Province of Ontario, Canada, and the winter months with Doctors Crowell in their home in Hollywood.

### RODGER SHOCK, M.D.

The Bureau of Program Services is an amalgam of several Divisions, most of them created over the past few years in response to State mandated Programs.

Appointed as Deputy Director for Special Progems is Dr. Rodger Schock, M.D. with responsibility for Mental III Offenders' Unit, Childrens' Programs, Clinical Liaison with hospitals, and Adult Services.

Dr. Schock is enormously well known throughout the L.A. County Mental Health system, having been associated with the Mental Health Department in one capacity or another since 1968. His forthright, casual, direct style has cut a dramatic swath through the Department,as Regional Chief at both Rio Hondo and West Central as an Area Chief in the old Mental Health Department from 1970-73, with emphasis upon Judicial and Legislative Programs, and most recently as Deputy Director for Program Services.

Dr. Schock's background is as unique to the Department as to his inimitable style. He was born in Luxembourg in 1920, and lived in that tiny, self-sufficient principality through his early years, finally matriculating from Medical School at the famed and fabled Universities of Heidelberg in Germany, Geneva in Switzerland, and Paris. He then moved to London for postgraduate training in Hygiene and Tropical Medicine and continued his international trek into the United States in 1949.

This step in the odyssey was made possible by a Fulbright Fellowship which was served at the Franklin Hospital in San Francisco. Firmly established by that time in the U.S.A., Roger took a formal residency at the State Hospital in Trenton, New Jersey for three years, followed by another year in Trenton as Chief of Special Therapies. Apparently enamored 1, by the continental flavor of San Francisco, he returned there in 1955 for a year's fellowship

in Child Psychiatry at the Child Guiance Clinic at Langley-Porter Neuro-Psychiatric Institute.

inough Dr. Schock's independent spirit did not allow him to settle down in one place for very long, he did then accept a post in Long Beach, as the Director of the State Mental Hygiene Clinic during which time he doubled as a Staff Psychiatrist at the LAC-USC Medical Center, County General Hospital. From there those posts, he joined the Department of Mental Health on a full-time basis in 1968, as Regional Chief of the newly-formed Rio Hondo Mental Health Services.

As one might expect from the international tenor of Dr. Schock's career, he speaks French and German fluently, as befits one from his native Luxembourg, and is comfortable in Spanish. He is married with one child, and divides his domestic time between West Hollywood and San Felipe in Mexico, on the Gulf of California.

# MR. ROBERTO QUIROZ, MSW

Mr. Roberto Quiroz was appointed Deputy Director of San Fernando/Antelope Valley Mental Health Region. Mr. Quiroz becomes the second social worker to be appointed to the Deputy position, following Allan G. Rawland. Like Mr. Rawland, Mr. Quiroz was appointed because of a variety of administrative experiences.

Mr. Quiroz received his M.S.W. from Columbia University School of Social work long recognized as the most prestigeous school for social workers. Following graduation, Mr. Quiroz held several positions in New York that varied from casework to community organization.

In 1972, Mr. Quiroz moved to Colorado as assistant administrator of Spanish Peaks Mental Health Center in Pueblo, Colorado. After 2 years, he was appointed executive director of the agency. Mr. Quiroz is a member of MASW, and the National Association of mental Health Administrators. While in Colorado he was a member of the Governor's Commission on implementation of Colorado State Health Act.

MILTON H. MILLER, M.D.

Milton H. Miller, M.D. has been appointed as the new Deputy Director of the Coastal Region.

Dr. Miller is a graduate of Indiana University and the University School of Medicine, 1950. He received psychiatric training at the Menninger Foundation in Topeka, Kansas, and after a two year period as an Air Force Psychiatrist, joined the faculty of the University of Wisconsin, in 1955. He was chairman of the Department of Psychiatry and Director of the Wisconsin Psychiatric Institute from 1961 through 1972, and was actively involved with the planning and development of community mental health programs. As a result, he became the first Director of the Jefferson County Mental Health Center in 1965.

After 17 years at Wisconsin, he became Head of the Department of Psychiatry, University of British Columbia for six and a half years. He was also the Director, World Health organization, University of British Columbia Center for Mental Health Training and Research.

Dr. Miller arrived in California on the sixth of June, 1978, to work as chairman of Psychiatry at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, initially directing Coastal Mental Health Services in the Department of Health, then later serving as Acting Deputy Director, Department of Mental Health.

He has travelled through fortyfour countries and developed a
special interest in the problems
of foreign students while he was
at the University of Wisconsin;
he then decided to travel to
Asia to continue his research.
He became the Chairman of the
American Psychiatric Association

Task Force on Foreign Medical Graduates, and the Task Force on Liaison with International and Foreign Psychiatric Organizations. He is fairly fluent in Chinese and lectures in this language.

Dr. Miller has been married to Harriet Sanders Miller for thirty-two years, and they have three children: Bruce L. Miller, M.D., age 29, Jeffery M. Miller, age 27, and Marcia Susan Miller, age 26.

Harriet Miller is currently the Executive Director of the Palos Verdes Art Center. Her watercolors and painted drawings have been exhibited all over the world, and she has taught painting at the College of British Columbia. She received her Master's Degree in Fine Arts from Columbia University.

Dr. Bruce Miller is a resident in In ternal Medicine in Vancouver. He is married to Debby Heintz Miller, who is currently finishing her Ph.D. in English.

Jeffrey Miller is now working on a Medical Clerkship at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, which is comparable to a Junior Intern position for those who received medical training outside of the U.S. He has completed four years of Medical School in Taiwan.

Marcie Miller speaks fluent Chinese and is currently working on an educational program, organizing state of the art seminars. She received her B.A. from the University of Wisconsin in Asian Studies and is working on a M.A. in Communications.

Dr. Miller describes himself as a very serious minded individual who developed a greater sense of humor due to the "roller coaster" experience of raising children in the 60's and 70's. He loves sharing in the excitement of people getting to know themselves, and feels the U.S. affords greater opportunities now for the mentally ill, Blacks, the elderly, the young, the developmentally disabled, and for women. He feels very positive about the changing self-concepts of these groups.

Dr. Miller's latest book is called If the Patient Is you or Someone You Love-Psychiatry Inside Out. He is currently working on another book called Chinese Facts of Life.

ALLAN G. RAWLAND, MSW

Allan G. Rawland, the former Regional Deputy Director of Orange County's Human Services Agency, has been appointed Deputy Director of the Los Angeles County Mental Health Department's San Gabriel Valley Mental Health Regions.

Mr. Rawland brings to this position over ten years of varied experience in the human services. Mr. Rawland is one of those rare individuals in Mental Health Administration who came up through the ranks to be selected for this important post. Mr. Rawland's career started with the Sacramento Probation Department. While working on his B.A. in Social Welfare, Mr. Rawland worked full time on the graveyard shift in a juvenile facility. After graduation in 1967, Mr. Rawland worked briefly for the Sacramento Welfare Department before returning to Sacramento State University Graduate School of Social Work. After Graduation in 1971, Mr. Rawland returned to Orange County where he held a variety of important positions that culminated in the position of Regional Deputy Director. Mr. Rawland is the first social worker appointed to a positon of this caliber in the history of Los Angeles County Mental Health. He was appointed however, not because of academic degree but rather because of demonstrated administrative ability in a variety of health care programs. Mr. Rawland is married and his wife, the former Debora Skarshaug, is a pediatric occu- pational therapist consulant for the Anahiem School District. Her

expantise is devaloping motor devalopment programs.

The Rawlands' are currently living in A wport Beach where Mr. Rawland enjoys sailing and skiing as relaxation. Rawlands' expect to move in the near future to the San Gabriel Valley area. Mr. Rawland lists as high priories: (1) A high quality comprehensive community based Mental Health Program that will serve as an alternative to hospitalization and institutionalization and a Community Education Program to address to needs and concerns of the community i.e. prevention and early intervention, so as to reduce the trauma associated with the social costs associated with mental illness.

ALFONSO PAREDES, M.D.

Alfonso Paredes, M.D. has been appointed as Deputy Director of the Central Mental Health Services Region.

Dr. Paredes was born and educated in Mexico. He received his B.Sc. in Biology in 1944 and his M.D. in 1951, from the University of Mexico. His professional training includes an internship at St. Joseph's Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri, a Fellowship in Psychiatry at Herrick Memoral Hospital in Berkeley, a residency in Psychiatry at the University of Kansas, University of Maryland, and the University of Oklahoma Medical Center. He is licensed to practice medicine in California, Oklahoma, Delaware and Pennsylvania, and was certified in Psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, Inc., in 1960.

Dr. Paredes was appointed as the Assistant in Psychiatry, University of Maryland from 1955-56, a Research Associate in Psychiatry, University of Oklahoma, from 1958-60, and an Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, University of Oklahoma from 1960-1964. He was also appointed Associate professor of Psychiatry, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania from 1964-1969, and Professor of Research Psychiatry, University of Oklahoma from 1969-73.

Or. Paredes has been a Psychiatric Consultant to the Peace Corps and to the Veterans Administration Hospitals in Pennsylvania and Oklahoma. He has also been the Director, Division of Alcoholism, Oklahoma Department of Mental Health, and has been very active in various branches of the American Psychiatric Association.

Dr. Paredes has written approximately fifty publications ranging to topics from Human Sexuality to Alcoholism to Psychosomatic Research.

FRANK W. HAYES, M.D.

Dr. John Richard Elpers, Director of the newly created Los Angeles County Mental Health Department, announced the appointment of Dr. Frank W. Hayes as Deputy Director of the Southeast Region.

Dr. Hayes was selected after a nationwide search for a qualified Mental Health Administrator to fill this important post.

Dr. Hayes credentials read like a Who's Who in Psychiatry. He received his education and medical training at Indiana University, graduating with Honors with his AB in Anatomy and Psysiology in 1954 and received his Medical Degree in 1957.

Dr. Hayes interned at St. Catherine's Hospital of East Chicago, Indiana, and held residency positions at the Air Force School of Aviation Medicine and a residency in General Psychiatry at Letterman General Hospital in San Francisco. Dr. Hayes is board certified in Psychiatry and licensed in Indiana, California and Washington.

Dr. Hayes is a twenty year air force veteran, reaching a rank of Colonel in 1972. Dr. Hayes

received several military awards which include the Legion of Merit Medal and Vietnam Service Medal with three (3) stars. During his twenty years in the Air Force, Dr. Hayes' travels allowed him to observe mental health systems throughout the country as well as abroad. Dr. Hayes was a troubleshooter for Air Force Mental Health programs, and during period from 1975 to the present time was a member of thirty important mental health committees. These committees included every area of the health services child abuse, alcohol drug abuse, standards for family counseling services and various committees pertaining to military problems.

Dr. Hayes has held several teaching and consultant positions. Among them, Assistant Clinical Professor, University of California at Davis Medical School, a Guest Lecturer at Ball State and a regular instructor at the Convent of St. Louis Secondary School, Bury St. Edmunds, England. Dr. Hayes' honors including Alpha Omega Alpha, Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Eta Zigma, William L. Bryant scholar, Indiana University Dean's Honor List for three years, Who's Who in the West 1976, William C. Porter Lecture Award 1976.

#### Losses

Carlo Anthony Weber, Ph.D. longtime head of Preventive Services, retired July 31 to pursue private interest. Carlo's retirement Luncheon at the Dorothy Chandler Pavillion brought out all the old-timers including Dr.'s. Brickman and Swartz.

Joseph Boyd, M.D., two time Regional Chief in Southeast Region with a stint at East Los Angeles in between appointments, announced his retirement. A luncheon is planned for September 28th also at the Dorothy Chandler Pavillion.

Mr. Herbert McRoy longtime Administrator, is retiring October 19 to accept a position at St. John's Hospital. More information on Mr. McRoy in this issue. Ms. Kathlene D'Anna Snook has been appointed Acting Assistant Director to fill the post vacated by Mr. McRoy's resignation. More about Ms. Snook in the next bulletin.



KATHLENE D'ANNA SNOOK

## Gains

Jenkins, M.D. former Regional Chief Southeast Mental Health and Director of Los Angeles Child Guidance Clinic returned to Mental Health Services September 1, to work in the Children's Division of the Program Services Bureau.

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