



Winter 2004

Health Focus at Upcoming Activities

World Conference 2004 Events Planned

March 27, 2004 *General Membership Meeting/ Election of Officers 9-12 AM at Indep. Regional Health Center lower auditorium. Current members may vote.*

Nominations include: President - Howard Broby, MD-retired
President Elect - Ralph Ruckman, DD5
Secretary - Shannon Hattey, RPh
Treasurer - Roger Sacry, MD

Board Members at Large (Currently 6 but want to amend bylaws to include 10):

Jean Brookens, Registered Dietician
John Evans, MD
Diana Guthrie, Nurse Practitioner, Marriage and Family Therapist
Betty Minton, RN
Don Potts, MD - retired
Diane Pulford, Cardio Pulmonary Neuro Technician
Dennis Sartwell, Respiratory Therapist
John Smith, DDS
Wally B. Smith, Chaplain, MD - retired
Mark Thoman, MD-retired
Joy Weydert, MD
Dick Young, DDS

March 27, 2004 Chaplain Committee Meeting 12 noon following business meeting,
March 27, 2004 HMA Banquet 6:30 PM at Indep. Reg. Health Center lower aud. Guest speaker: Matt
Naylor of Outreach International. Cost is \$18. Space is limited so please register early.
Contact Paula at 800-825-2806 ext 2262.
March 30, 2004 HMA Reception 4-6 PM Graceland Univ. Indep. Campus
March 27-April 4, 2004 HMA Conference Booth Auditorium lower level.

Come by and say "Hello" and check out our new logo shirts.

Nurses are needed in the First Aid room during conference. If you have a current MO. license and can volunteer. Please contact Shelley Ruhlman at 833-1000 ext 3071.



Diane Rogers, Sharon Davids, Fran Atkins, Marva Wclborn, Janie Neeley, Diana Guthrie, Joyce Richard, Shirley Dauzvardis

First Class of Congregational Health Ministers Trained at Winter Field School

Sharon Davids and Fran Atkins coordinated and taught the First Congregational Health Minister course during Winter Field School to train nurses and other interested persons on ministering to the health needs within a congregation. Other guest speakers were Steve Hatch, Roy Schaefer, Allison Norwood, Alice Sims, and Pat Trachsel,

The course had 20 modules that covered subjects of standards of care, ethical and legal issues; grief and loss; health promotion; role of the church in health, healing, and wholeness; and role of the nurse as teacher, counselor, and referral agent. The course ended with a Dedication and Commissioning service in the Temple Chapel.



Above: Fran Atkins and Sharon Davids



Left: Steve Hatch teaching Theology of Health, Healing, and Wholeness,

HEALTH LITERACY WORKSHOP RECEIVES AWARDS FROM PFIZER



Howard Braby, Pres, Elect; Paula Rumniel, Exec - Assist; Kalhryn Siska, Pfizer Labs, and Fran Atkins, PhD Guest Lecturer,

COUPON

Good for \$5.00 off one **HMA** Banquet Meal or one HMA logo clothing item with Membership /Renewal

\$5

Offer Expires **April 4, 2004**

\$5

CONTRIBUTION AND/ OR MEMBERSHIP FORM

Information may be taken over the phone by calling 1-800-825-2806 ext 1262 Mon., Thurs., or Friday

Name _____ Phone _____ Occupation _____

Address _____

Email _____ Signature _____

Level of Membership: \$ _____ Member (\$25-\$99) \$ _____ Sponsor (\$100-\$249) \$ _____ Patron (\$250 & up)

Additional Contributions: \$ _____ Onil Stoves/ Ruth Humbert support in Guatemala @ **\$100 each**
\$ _____ General Fund, \$ _____ Missions Fund, \$ _____ Chaplain Ministries, \$ _____ Cong. Health Ministries

Payment Method: _____ Check *Please mail to:* Health Ministries Assoc. 1001 W. Walnut Independence, Mo 64050
____ VISA _____ MasterCard # _____ Exp. Date _____ Amt. _____

Pledge amount: \$ _____ monthly, \$ _____ quarterly. Will make by check _____, Make by credit card _____

Ministry and Committee interests: _____

MISSION STATEMENT

The Health Ministries Association is a charitable organization of volunteer health care providers dedicated to promoting health care, advancing health education, promoting wellness, and networking with others to empower the physical, mental, and spiritual well being of those we serve.

UP-COMING EVENTS

HEALTH MISSION March 17-25, 2004 Leader- Ron Edwards Redwards@rollanet.org

WORLD CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES-

March 27, 2004 General Membership Meeting 9 AM @ Indep. Regional Health Center

March 27, 2004 Chaplain Committee Meeting 12 Noon @ IRHC lower auditorium

March 27, 2004 HMA Banquet @ IRHC lower auditorium

March 30, 2004 HMA Reception @ Graceland Univ. Campus

March 27-April 4, 2004 HMA Booth, lower Auditorium

OPEN BOARD MEETING- July 11, 2004 9 AM @ Temple Independence, MO

Congregational Health Ministers Course August 1-6, 2004 CLW @ Graceland Univ. Lamoni, IA

2nd Annual Health & Spirituality Workshop Sept 17-18, 2004 @ Temple Independence, MO

OPEN BOARD MEETING- October 17, 2004 9 AM @ Temple Independence, MO

HEALTH MISSION October 2004 Leader - Ron Edwards Redwards@rollanet.org