Changing the Face of Medicine

August 30 - October 6, 2006
UF Health Science Center Library, Gainesville

You are invited to view a special exhibition honoring the contributions of women physicians, and to join us in events celebrating the many ways women have influenced and enhanced all areas of health science and healthcare.

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Changing the Face of Medicine (left to right)
1. Eliza Ann Grier, MD ~ the first African-American woman licensed to practice medicine in Georgia
2. Susan M. Love, MD ~ co-founder of the National Breast Cancer Coalition
3. S. Josephine Baker, MD, DrPH ~ the first director of the New York City Bureau of Child Hygiene, the first such bureau in the US
4. Rebecca Rainer Pauly, MD, FACP ~ Associate Chair, Dept. of Medicine for Medical Student Education, UF College of Medicine:
   Dr. Pauly is one of only two Florida women featured in the ‘Local Legends’ section of the Changing the Face of Medicine website
5. Sharon Malotte, MD ~ first indigenous Nevadan to become a doctor
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1600 SW Archer Road, Gainesville FL

Learn how American women have influenced and enhanced the practice of medicine. This multimedia traveling exhibition tells the remarkable story of women's struggle for the right to study and practice medicine in the US, and features the life stories of more than 300 of yesterday's and today's physicians. From Elizabeth Blackwell, who in 1849 became the first woman to earn an MD degree in the US, to today's women doctors, they have succeeded in work once considered 'unsuitable' for a woman. Women now make a difference in every area of medicine - as researchers, educators, surgeons, family practitioners, specialists, policymakers and government officials.

Admission is free and open to the public. Groups of 10 or more are welcome by prior arrangement. You are welcome to visit the exhibition anytime the HSC Library is open: M-Th 7:30a-mid // Fri 7:30a-7p // Sat 8a-5p // Sun 1p-mid.

EVENTS and LECTURES
The exhibition arrives amidst 50th Anniversary celebrations for the HSC Libraries, Colleges of Medicine and Nursing, and the Office of the Senior Vice President, Health Affairs. To complement the exhibit, from August - October, the Gainesville HSC Library has planned several events and lectures involving participants from all six HSC colleges. Although the exhibition focuses on women physicians, the HSC Libraries invite viewers to discover the many ways that women have influenced and enhanced ALL areas of health science and healthcare.

All lectures and events are free and open to the public - however, we ask that you preregister online at www.library.health.ufl.edu or by phone at 352.392.2362.

PARKING
Public parking is available near the Health Science Center / Shands@UF complex off SW Archer Road. Visitors may park in garages west of the hospital off Mowry Road (garages #2 and #3), or east of the Shands Emergency Center entrance off Newell Drive (garage #10). The fee for parking is $3 per day on weekdays from 7:30am - 9:30pm (pay upon exiting the garage). Parking in these garages is free on weekends and holidays.

August 30: Opening Celebration for Exhibition
3pm: Welcoming remarks from HSC Libraries' Director Faith Meakin and Rebecca Rainer Pauly, MD, who is honored as a 'Local Legend' within the exhibition.
3:30-5pm: Reception, food & drinks on Library's 1st floor.
5-6:30pm: Deans’ Roundtable: The Changing Face of Health Science - Deans on Diversity in Their Professions. All six HSC deans will speak briefly on changes to their professions over the last 50 years, particularly regarding the rise and prominence of women ~ PHHP Auditorium.

September 8: Keynote Speech
3pm: Regina Morantz-Sanchez, PhD, professor of history at the U. of Michigan, speaks on Gynecological Surgery and Public Controversy: Dr. Mary Dixon-Jones on trial, 1892 ~ MSB Auditorium.

September 12: Whatever Happened to the Women's Health Movement?
Noon: The Influence of the Women's Health Movement on Healthcare Today
Blyllye Avery, M.Ed (Founder, National Black Women's Health Project) and Betsy Randall David, RN, PhD, Center for Creative Education, will both speak, offering historical and sociopolitical perspectives on women's influence on health care (lunch will be provided) ~ CommunCore rm. C1-11.
3-4:30pm: Whatever Happened to the Women's Health Movement?
Mary Ann Burg, LCSW, PhD, UF Women's Health Research Center director, will moderate a panel with speakers drawn from the original founders of the Gainesville Women's Health Center, including Blyllye Avery, Betsy Randall David, Randi Cameon, Marilyn Mesh and more! ~ Reitz Union, rm. 361.

September 19: HSC Talk @ Noon
Noon-1pm: Nina Stoyan-Rosenzweig, Historian & HSC Archivist, will speak on Women and the Health Center ~ CommunCore rm. C1-15.

September 20: Healthcare Career Fair
The HSC Libraries and the Center for Precollegiate Education & Training will host a healthcare career fair for students from Gainesville high schools ~ Around the HSC & Library.

September 26: HSC Talk @ Noon
Noon-1pm: Donna Parker, MD, College of Medicine Asst. Dean for Minority Cultural Affairs will speak on African-American Women in Medicine, closing out the AMA-sponsored 'Women in Medicine Month' ~ CommunCore rm. C1-15.


ALSO ON DISPLAY AT THE HSC LIBRARY THROUGH OCTOBER
A new series of RxEAD posters, featuring trailblazing women from each of the six HSC colleges. Previous entries may be viewed at www.library.health.ufl.edu/pub/RxEAD_thumbs1.html

An exhibit on 'reflective writing' from the Shands Arts In Medicine program, featuring poems and essays from medical students.

The Changing Face of Medical Education at the UF College of Medicine. A montage of colorized composite class photographs that show increasing diversity in the medical school classes, as well as quotes from discussions among current medical students and alumni.

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