PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT ■ MAINE MEDICAL CENTER ■ PORTLAND, MAINE 04102

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# A VISIT WITH THE DIRECTOR

A series of informal meetings has been arranged this week during which Philip K. Reiman, MMC executive director, will discuss hospital events, progress and policies with employees. A total of four sessions have been planned to allow attendance by as many members of the MMC family as is possible. The meetings, to which all employees are invited, will be held in the Rolland Irish Classrooms as follows:

Tuesday, June 19 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 20 1 p.m. Thursday, June 21 3 p.m. Friday, June 22 8 p.m.

# BREATHE, PLEASE

If you're 30 or older--and willing to admit it--you can help with a study underway in the Division of Pulmonary Medicine today. It's a painless, five-minutes procedure that consists of breathing into an apparatus that measures lung capacity. If you'd like to participate, and we hope you will, visit the Pulmonary Function Lab on the third floor, General Building, between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. today (June 18).

# THE UNCONSCIOUS PATIENT

Members of the Staff Development department will present an inservice program on "Care of the Unconscious Patient" on Monday, June 25, and Friday, June 29, at 8:15 a.m. and 2 p.m. on both days. The program, to be held in the Rolland Irish classrooms, will cover trach care, tube feeding, psychological support and chest physiotherapy for the unconscious patient. The speakers will include Miss Barbara Haas, R.N., and Miss Marge Ditolla, P.T. Everyone is invited.

#### FOR CHAPLAINS

Two nuns, two priests and eight seminarians of both Roman Catholic and Protestant faiths are enrolled in a 12-week course in Clinical-Pastoral Education that began last week. They are members of the fifth class in a hospital training program that has been in operation since 1966, directed by Rev. Karl S. Anderson, senior hospital chaplain, assisted since 1970 by the Rev. John N. Simpson, MMC associate chaplain. Chaplain Andersen describes the program course as a training experience in a clinical setting, designed to help the student apply his classroom study in the practical day-to-day stresses and crisis situations faced by hospital patients and their families.

#### NAMED TO MEDICAL STAFF

Two physicians have been named to the Associate Medical Staff by action of the Board of Trustees. They are Frances M. Dyro, M.D., 300 Danforth St., Portland; and Donald W. Klopp, M.D., Anesthesia Dept., MMC.

# PARKING AT MMC

A new booklet that deals with parking facilities and the regulations for their use has been published and is being distributed throughout the hospital and beyond. If you'd like a copy, or would like to send one to an anticipated visitor, they're available in the Parking office, ground floor, Pavilion.

# TO RECEIVE M.T. PINS

Ten students of the MMC School of Medical Technology will receive pins from Dr. Joseph E. Porter June 22 in ceremonies that will mark their completion of the course. They are: Mrs. Sylvia Hunt, Cherie Sprague, Nancy Gunzelmann and Laura Johnson, all University of Maine; Maureen Thomas, Mrs. Joanna Fasulo, Diane Dubois and Mrs. Anita Oliver, all of Westbrook College; Richard L. Chasse, II, Merrimack College and Brenda Johnson, Moorshead State College, Minnesota.

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