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The Department of Nursing Education at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center announces the following programs: "The Oncology Unit," January 24, 1985, Fee \$85.00, 6 contact hours; "Bone Marrow Transplantation: The Nursing Challenge," January 25, 1985, Fee \$85.00, 7 contact hours. For more information contact Alice Gianella, RN, MA, Assistant Director, Nursing Education, M1937, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1275 York Avenue, New York, NY 10021, (212) 794-6884.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM FOR HOME HEALTH ADMINISTRATORS

The Community Health Nursing Area of the University of Michigan School of Nursing is proud to announce a new educational offering that prepares nurses on the master's-degree level for administrative and managerial positions in home health agencies. This is the first organized program in the country designed specifically for home health agency nurse administrators.

The "Home Health Care Concentration" focuses on preparation in administration and management of home health services as well as advanced community health nursing preparation. In addition to a strong emphasis on management theory, the concentration features practical application of theory to management issues. Extensive supervised clinical experiences in outstanding home health agencies with nurse administrator preceptors is provided.

Curriculum content includes principles of marketing, quality assurance, staffing, personnel management, program evaluation and the arts of negotiation and delegation. Through participation in program evaluation, administration and financial management courses, students are given opportunities to develop collaborative and collegial relationships with other health care disciplines.

A strong research component allows students the opportunity to develop skills in research methodologies, data analysis, and scholarly writing. A commitment of the program is to generate significant research in the area of home health care.

For more information contact Dr. Violet H. Barkauskas, Chairperson, Community Health Nursing, 400 N. Ingalls, Room 4153, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-2007, (313) 763-5597.

NURSING SCIENCE COLLOQUIUM

The Boston University School of Nursing will be presenting the Second Annual Nursing Science Colloquium, "Strategies for Theory Development II," March 21-22, 1985, at Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts. This two-day program, designed to provide participants with an opportunity to share knowledge, ideas, expertise and resources, will further address strategies used in nursing theory development. The program will include: (1) nursing-science: perspectives of theory development—past, present, and future; (2) modes of inquiry (meta-analysis, ethnomethodology, phenomenology, theory of reformulation, and model building); and (3) a presentation summarizing the strategies: the received versus nonreceived view. This conference is designed for nurse faculty, clinicians, administrators, researchers, theorists, doctoral and master's students, and those interested in the advancement of nursing knowledge. For more information contact Bianca M. Chambers, Marketing Chair, Nursing Science Colloquium Committee, Boston University School of Nursing,