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# MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE PROJECTS

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MM/SE 14 March 1977



# "The Abnormal Offender"

Dr D A Sime Consultant Psychiatrist Royal Western Counties Hospital

WGC/JR

<u>Aim</u>: To provide a public ation reserve to enable members of the King's Fund Centre Working Party on the Abnormal Offender to produce a pamphlet covering ideas and conclusions of the Working Party on way of improving the service to this group of people.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8589 on 25 Mar 1976 of £500.

Project 253

### Association of Medical Records Officers

Mr J G Myson, Honorary Secretary

KM

 $\underline{\text{Aim}}$ : To investigate the role and function of the Medical Records Officer in the supervision and operation of records systems.

Grant approved by the Management Committee, Min 8487 on 15 May 1975 of up to £4,000 and Min 8587 of March 1976 £453 and Min 8636 of July 1976 £15,000.

Balance at 30 Nov 1976

£15,000.00

Report "A Study of the Work Role of Medical Records Officers" issued February 1976 by Inbucon Management Consultants.

# Association of Occupational Therapists

Sir Christopher Nixon Secretary of above association

WGC/HOA

<u>Aim:</u> To enable a suitably qualified candidate from the Association to undertake a research course at the University of Manchester for the award of an MSc degree.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8251 on 26 Jul 1973 of up to £11,000 for a three year period commencing October 1973.

(Min 8488 - Recruitment Film, £500 given).

Grant increased by £1,500 - Management Min 8581 on 25 Mar 1976.

Report expected to be completed by March 1977.

Man 8652

# Campaign on Access

Mr G Wilson Director, Central Council for the Disabled

WGC

Aim: To assist in reconstituting the Access and Egress Committee, which aims to activate and guide local organisations on monitoring and inspecting Local Authorities' Planning Registers, and to investigate long term policy by the streng thening of legislation or improvement of codes of practice dealing with access.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8652 on 28 Oct 1976 of £2,500 pa for two years.

# Centre for Extension Training in Community Medicine

Dr C E Gordon Smith
Dean, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

WGC

Aim: To support a proposal that two joint appointments should be made between the Dept of Epidemiology & Statistics in the School of Hygiene and the Centre for Extension Training in Community Medicine.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8255 on 26 Jul 1973 of up to £20,000 over a three year period.

Project 236

Combat Huntington's Chorea

Mrs M Hart National Secretary

WGC

Aim: To assist in the establishing of this national voluntary organisation.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8335 on 28 Mar 1974 of £2,000 pa to be paid for two years and Min 8557 on 15 Dec 1975 of £5,000 pa for two years.

Balance at 30 Nov 1976

£5,000.00

### Course in Health and Social Services Planning

Professor Brian Abel-Smith
Professor Ralf Dahrendorf, Principal, London School of Economics

**DMH** 

Aim: To help launch a new MSc course in Health and Social Services Planning, to teach future senior planners and research staff of Social Services Departments and of Health Authorities.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8562 of 15 Dec 1975 of £7,000 pa for three years

Project not yet launched.

Man 8609

Easy Access Work Stations for the Disabled

Researchers, Henry Mara, Penny Thrift Grant administered through Disabled Living Foundation

WGC/WAR

<u>Aim</u>: To produce a handbook describing two different types of work stations for sedentary office workers who are disabled.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Mins 8609/8621 on 22 Jul 1976 of £5,000.

Balance at 30 Nov 1976

£2,000.00

# Education in Hospital Schools for the Mentally Handicapped

Dr Gordon Bland Brockhall Hospital School, Blackburn

DD/JR

<u>Aim</u>: To revise the booklet "Education in Hospital Schools for the Mentally Handicapped".

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8583 on 25 Mar 1976 of £1,000.

Man 8632

Family Flat for Use of Families with Mentally Handicapped Children

Miss R Wyman, Director Centre for the Mentally Handicapped at Sunley House Toynbee Hall

DD/JR

Aim: To provide a supplementary service for families in Tower Hamlets, City and Hackney who need short term care, weekend facilities, extra day care or baby-sitting/child minding facilities for their mentally handicapped members.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8632 on 22 Jul 1976 of £4,000 pa for three years.

Project to commence upon the appointment of the project organiser.

### Institute of Hospital Engineering

DWH,

J E Furness, Secretary

KFC Representative: S E T Cusdin

Aim: To establish a bursary to enable an English engineer to broaden his or her knowledge and experience by overseas travel or by obtaining further training or industrial experience which was particularly relevant.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8648 in October 1976 of  $\pounds 500$  pa to be reviewed after two or three years.

Project 255

### Medical Records Research Project

Professor Maurice Backett Dr David Metcalfe, Senior Lecturer Dept of Community Health University of Nottingham

WGC/KM

 $\frac{Aim}{with}$ : To prepare proposals for a general study of records procedures with particular reference to systems of innovation and interest.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8378 on 11 Jul 1974 of £12,000 pa to be paid for three years.

Increased by £3,500 pa for three years from April 1975, Min 8487

Balance at 30 Nov 1976

£17,625.00

# Medical Services Study Unit

Dr David Pyke, The Registrar Royal College of Physicians

WGC

Aim: To examine deaths or other medical disasters, which should be preventable, to define as far as possible why they were not prevented and thus to reduce the chances of similar misfortunes happening again.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8604 on 27 May 1976 of £20,000 in the first year and £22,000 in the second year.

Man 8677

Centre 76/31

Mental Handicap Project

Dr G B Simon Institute of Mental Subnormality

WGC/DD

Aim: To enable the IMS to take over the Mental Handicap Bulletin and the publication of Research Papers in the mental handicap field.

Grant recommended by Centre Committee and approved by Management Committee, Min 8677 on 15 Dec 1976 of £15 000 to be paid over two years (1977/78).

### MIND Information and Advice Centre

Mrs T Jowell
Assistant Director, Social Services Dept, MIND

WGC/HGE

Aim: To support an experimental scheme for the evaluation of the service to be provided by a new advice and counselling centre to provide a "walk-in" service for those in emotional distress and in need of help in the London Borough of Islington, to be jointly sponsored by MIND, and the Tavistock Institute.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8532 on 23 Oct 1975 of £3,000 pa over two years.

Man 8657

Patients Needs and Responses to the Health Service

Professor D Miller Department of Community Medicine Middlesex Hospital Medical School

WGC

Aim: To define the problems which concern patients entering the health care system. To identify the factors that influence successful patient-staff interaction. To test the effect of changes in communication practice on patient responses and their ultimate welfare.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8657 on 28 Oct 1976 of £10,000 pa for three years.

# Performance, Priorities and Policies in Medical Care

Sir George Godber chairs a Steering Committee

Co-ordinator:

W G Cannon

Aim: To perform a radical re-appraisal of health care phi losophy and objectives, by bringing together a small group of knowledgeable individuals with the task of formulating a set of propositions for the consideration of the profession and of the public.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 8519 on 23 Oct 1975 of £16,050 over a period of three years.

Project 254

Problem Oriented Medical Records

Professor Ian McColl Department of Surgery Guy's Hospital

WGC

Aim: To extend the work already begun, by a study to identify information which could be routinely collected to provide a basis for continuing evaluation of medical care in hospitals and to develop a system of feedback of this information which would be acceptable and useful to medical staff.

Grant approved by Management Committee, Min 4394 on 18 Feb 1976 of £50,000 to be paid over two years.

This extension to the project began in April 1976.

### A Scheme for the Study & Application of the Problem Oriented Medical Record

Dr Neil McIntyre Senior Lecturer in Medicine Royal Free Hospital Steering Committee: Sir Francis Avery Jones Dr Howard Baderman Dr David Morrell

WGC

Aim: To develop a system using the POMR which is not "standardised" but which can incorporate individual requirements within an overall design common to all, and which makes the benefits and practicality of POMR obvious even to the most critical observer.

Grant approved by Research & Development Committee, Min 16 on 6 Dec 1973 of £15,000 for the first year, and £14,000 pa for the following two years.

Management Committee Min 8487 approved an increase to this grant of £7,100 for one year and £17,900 for one year.

Report received on progree of project in May 1976.

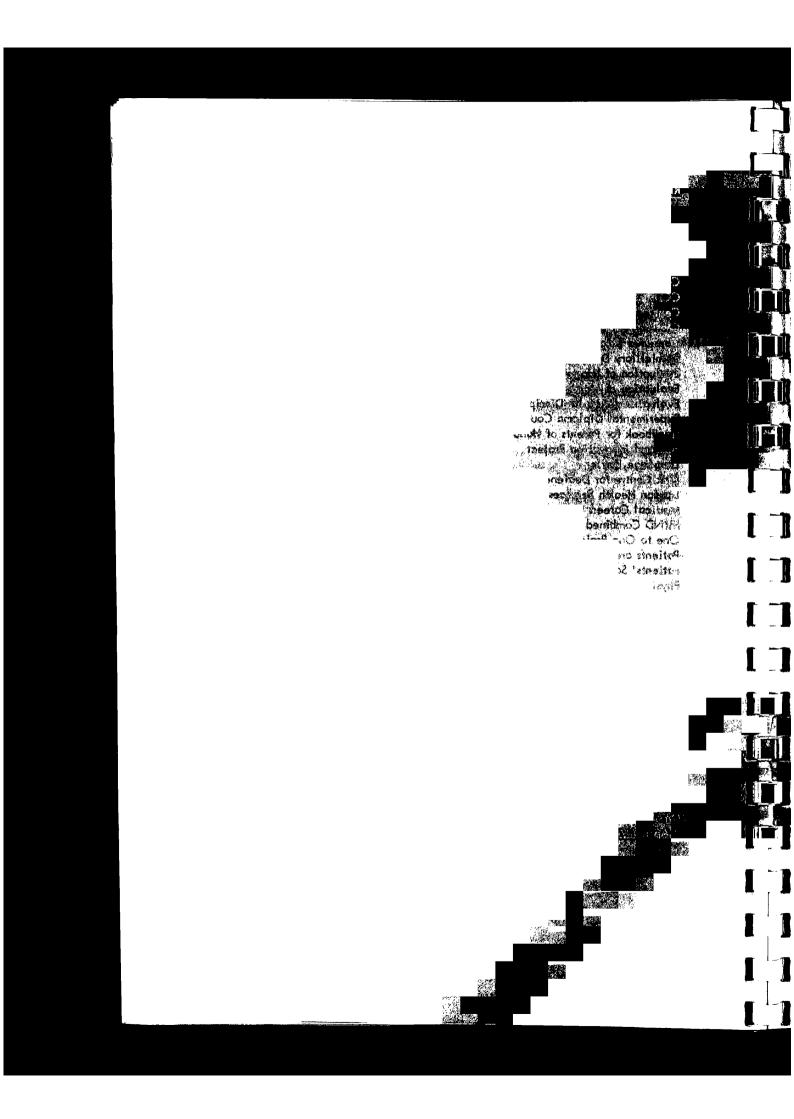
Balance at 30 Nov 1976

£49,680.44

### RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE RESEARCH PROJECTS

Anchor House Project Appliances for the Handicapped (St Bartholomews) Audit of Primary Care Care of the Elderly CCD: Fire Regulations Centre for Mentally Handicapped Clothing for Long Stay Patients Consumer Based Study to Improve the Treatment of Patients in Hospital Domiciliary Dementia Service Evaluation of 'Home Care' provided by St Christopher's Hospice **Evaluation of Management Audit** Evaluation of Multi-Disciplinary Teaching Experimental Diploma Course for Remedial Therapists Handbook for Parents of Handicapped Children Hospital Innovation Project Language Barrier Link Centre for Deafened People London Health Services Research Group Medical Careers Information Centre MIND Combined Training Venture One to One Project Patients are Individuals Patients' Satisfaction Studies Physiotherapy in General Practice Preparing Volunteers for Mental Health Services St Thomas' User-Related Financial Information System Student Liaison Officer - Mental Health Study of the Functions of Outpatients Departments Study of Health Policies Terminal Care and Relief of Pain Thamesmead Inter-Disciplinary Project

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Anchor House Project, Orpington

Orpington Mental Health Association Chairman: Lady Avebury

DD

Aim: To develop new patterns of community care including programmes of training and support for volunteers, support for relatives of the mentally ill, and to provide placement opportunities for social workers in training.

Grant allocated by R & D Committee Min 13iii on 6 Dec 1973, £2,000 pa for three years, + £250 allocated once, Min 81 on 7 Mar 1975. 1976 (3rd) payment of grant is suspended until 1977.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£2,000.00

Project 272

Appliances for the Handicapped and Disabled

Dr B W Watson Research Unit for the Handicapped St Bartholomew's Hospital

WGC/DD

Aim: To fund the appointment of a production engineer to the small team in the Research Unit, to enable the flow of designs to be maintained while at the same time making sure that these items are manufactured for wider distribution.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Minute 122 on 8 Jul 1976 of £25,000 over a three year period.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£8,333.00

Audit of Primary Care: A Study of the Relationship between the Components of such Audit, and Postgraduate Activities centred on a District General Hospital

Dr John Stevens General Practitioner : Aldeburgh, Suffolk

WGC/DMH

<u>Aim</u>: To examine in detail the various components of the audit of primary care using a District General Hospital, its satellite practices, and a satellite Community Hospital.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 134 on 25 Nov 1976 of £10,701 to be paid over a three year period.

Project began Dec 1976

Project 239

Care of the Elderly

Mrs M Munday, Research Co-ordinator Mr J D Hamson, Director of Social Services, Devon

DD/WAR

Joint Project: Devon County Council, Institute of Biometry & Community Medicine, University of Exeter

Aim: To devise and implement a simple and cheap method of ensuring that the health and welfare needs of the elderly are regularly assessed, and to provide a means of co-ordinating the medical and social support provided.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 26(ii) on 5 Apr 1974 of £3,500 in 1974, £6,500 in 1975 and £3,340 in 1976. Grants for latter years to be confirmed upon receipt of satisfactory interim reports.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£1,670.00

Central Council for the Disabled : Fire Regulations and their Restrictions on Disabled People

Mr George Wilson Director

WGC/DD Mr S Goldsmith serves on the Steering Committee

Aim: To review progress of the Implementation of Section 4 of the Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Act, and to investigate the administration of existing fire regulations in the light of that report.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 33 on 5 Apr 1974 of £1,000 to be paid annually for two years.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£1,000.00

Project 235

Centre for Mentally Handicapped

Acting Warden: Mrs M Press, Toynbee Hall, The Universities' Settlement in East London

DD

Aim: To support the setting up of the Centre for a three year period, as an experimental base to assist the development of mentally handicapped children, to provide support and information to their families, and to constitute "a Centrepoint for mental handicap, a place in which professionals, volunteers and parents might meet and on which a number of supporting services might be based".

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 26(iii) of 5 Apr 1974, of £8,000 to be paid initially, and £6,000 annually for two years.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£4,500.00

### Clothing for Long Stay Patients III

Researcher: Miss Elaine Clulow, Senior Research Officer, Textile Products Division, Shirley Institute

DD/WAR

Aim: To supplement the Garment Catalogue for the Handicapped, to update the Mail Order Catalogue, to maintain and update the Travelling Exhibition.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 19(c) on 6 Dec 1973:£8,650 Grant approved by the Management Committee, Min 8434, Dec 1974:£350

Balance at 30 Nov 1976

£744.76

Project 264

Consumer Based Study to Improve the Treatment of Patients in Hospital

Director: S J Steele, FRCS FRCOG Middlesex Hospital School

WGC/HOA

 $\frac{\mathsf{Aim}}{\mathsf{between}}$ : To research into deficiencies and difficulties in communication between patients and medical staff, and to seek remedies for these.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 94 of 18 Sep 1975 of £4,720

Balance at 30 Nov 1976

£4,720.00

R & D Minute 140 of 25 Nov 1976 of £4,750 to be paid for one year.

### A Domiciliary Dementia Service

Dr A M Braverman, Consultant Physician in Geriatric Medicine, St John's Hospital, London

WGC/DD

Aim: To assess, on a non-urgent basis, the problems presented by elderly dementing people living in the community, and to institute action where possible, using a multi-disciplinary approach, in a health district which has only a minimal psycho-geriatric service.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 135 of 25 Nov 1976 of £410

Project 250

Evaluation of 'Home Care' provided by St Christopher's Hospice

Dr C Saunders, Medical Director

Dr C Murray Parkes, Consultant Psychiatrist

DD

Aim: To test the hypothesis that families who receive support from the Home Care Programme will differ from families who receive no such support in the number of unmet needs and amounts of pain, distress and insight into the illness which they perceive in the patient and in the levels of anxiety and strain which they report in themselves.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 68 of 7 Mar 1975 of £7,080 for a period of one year. Research completed September 1976, and a Report is being prepared.

# **Evaluation of Management Audit**

Professor M Scottwright Mr A Huczywski (Research Worker) Dept of Nursing Studies, University of Edinburgh

DMH

 $\frac{Aim}{audit}$ : A major study following a previous pilot study to evaluate management audit as applied to the roles of senior nursing staff.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 84(iv) on 18 Sept 1975. £12,347 to be paid over a period of two years.

Grant terminated as from 31 Dec 1976 (Min 102). A project report has been produced, and possibly a conference will be convened to discuss the results.

Project 273

# Evaluation of Multi-Disciplinary Teaching

Dr John Wedgewood Consultant Physician in Geriatrics Middlesex Hospital

HOA

Aim: To organise and assess a pilot scheme in the multi-disciplinary teaching of geriatric medicine for medical students and student nurses.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 124 on 8 Jul 1976 of £2,250 to be paid for one year.

Project began on 1 August 1976

# Experimental Diploma Course for Remedial Therapists

Professor H J Glanville, Europe Professor of Rehabilitation Southampton University

HOA

Aim: An experiment to establish a one year post-registration university diploma course to provide physiotherapists, occupational therapists, remedial therapists and other interested students with management and leadership skills and to encourage by educational means integration and rationalisation of rehabilitation services in the UK.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 89 of 18 Sept 1975 of £3,500 to be paid annually for three years, beginning with 1976/77 academic year.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£3,500.00

Project 219

Handbook for Parents of Handicapped Children

Dr E Green, Consultant Psychiatrist Dr R Taylor, House Surgeon in Professorial Unit

DD/JR

Aim: To produce a handbook for parents and ancillary staff to cover the question of diagnosis, the meaning of assessment, the details of development and training, the use of special equipment and the social problems involved in having a retarded child.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 5A(xiv) on 6 Jun 1973 of £500.

### Hospital Innovation Project

Mr J R Melleney District Administrator Cambridge Health District (T)

**DMH** 

<u>Aim</u>: To establish and test the value of a new social research advisory role within Fulbourn Hospital

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 61(iii) on 7 Mar 1975 of £10,200 over a two year period.

Project began in June 1975, and the researchers hope to produce a report in the latter half of 1977.

Project 261

Language Barri er

Pathway Further Education Centre Miss E Davies (Senior Lecturer)

WGC

<u>Aim</u>: The production of Information Booklet(s) about the background of overseas patients for the guidance of English hospital staff, as a further development of the Language Barrier Project.

Grant allocated by R & D Committee, Min 113 on 18 Feb 1976 up to £4,250 (+ remainder from previous project, No.199).

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£4,462.97

Project 48/KFC

### The Link Centre for Deafened People

Director: Miss Rosemary McCall

DD/WAR

Aim: To develop the work of the Link Centre as a Regional rehabilitation service for the South East Thames region, and to evaluate the work with a view to encouraging other regions to develop similar centres.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 71 on 7 Mar 1975 of £5,000 pa for three years, subject to the submission of satisfactory annual reports.

Project began in January 1976.

Project 263

London Health Services Research Group

Acting Secretary, Derek Mowbray

DMH

<u>Aim</u>: To assist in the setting up of this group, and to cover their estimated running expenses for the first 18 months.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 87 of 18 Sep 1975 of £2,500.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£923.11

# Medical Careers Information Centre

British Postgraduate Medical Federation Professor G A Smart (Dean)

WGC/KM

Aim: To see whether a suitable administrative system could be designed to ensure that details of all training posts and of the holders of those posts in the four Thames Health Authorities (the area of responsibility of the BPMF) could be received and continually updated by an office run by the BPMF.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee in July 1976, Min 118 of £3,500 paid initially, £8,000 to be paid in the first six months and £26,000 to be paid in the second year.

Project 266

### MIND-NAMH Combined Training Venture

Mr J Barter, Assistant Director, MIND

HOA

Aim: An action research project for the detailed study and improvement of the content of professional training programmes, designed to improve the quality of training for staff working in the personnel services in hospitals and in the community.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 108, on 18 Feb 1976 of £4,160 to cover part of the expenses of nurse tutors from hospitals for the mentally ill and mentally handicapped, to enable them to attend training courses.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£3,004.00

One to One Project

Nigel Evans, The Spastics Society Project Organiser, Michael Brown

DD

 $\frac{\text{Aim:}}{\text{and}}$  To encourage the greater use of volunteers in Mental Handicap and Psychiatric hospitals, and to encourage closer links between such hospitals and their surrounding communities.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 131 on 25 Nov 1976 of £2,250 to be paid as a final grant.

Final report to be produced.

Project 221

Patients are Individuals

Joan Rush

DD/JR

Aim: To produce a handbook consisting of narrative and checklists on the personal and social needs of the patient as an individual as well as the physical environment in which he is being cared for. The study makes reference to all categories of patients in long stay hospitals.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 5B(xviii) of 6 Jun 1973 of £1,500 to be paid in 1973 and £2,000 to be paid in 1974.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£2,914.62

# Patients' Satisfaction Studies

Mrs W Raphael

**DMH** 

Aim: The general aim of this series has been to pioneer a method of studying patients' satisfaction, in general and psychiatric hospitals, to apply this method in particular units and produce individual reports, and to conduct general surveys, for example on attitudes of patients in the psychiatric units in general hospitals.

The latest area of work has been in Outpatient departments in General and Psychiatric Hospitals. A report is now complete and is to be published in April 1977.

Grant allocated by R & D Committee, Min 5A(viii) on 6 Jun 1973 of £1,100 to be paid in 1974, £1,400 to be paid in 1975, and £300 to be paid in 1976.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£2,238.05

The next area of work in this series, already begun is:

Project 288

Opinion Survey of the Views of Old People in Hospital

Mrs W Raphael

DMH/DD

Aim: To discover the views about their life in hospital, of patients who have been in geriatric hospitals for three months or more, and to compare these with the views of their visitors and of the staff.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 137 on 25 Nov 1976 of £1,500 pa to be paid for two years.

Project began in January 1977.

### Physiotherapy in General Practice

Dr James Fisher
General Practitioner, Bournemouth

WGC

Aim: To collect data on the contribution made by the presence of a part-time physiotherapist in a group practice, as part of a wider study being undertaken by Professor M D Warren at the Health Services Research Unit, University of Kent.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Minute 44 on 8 Nov 1974 of £600 pa for two years.

Report to be published on this work early in 1977.

Project 220

### Preparing Volunteers for Mental Health Services

National Association for Mental Health Mrs E Morgan, Deputy Director

HOA/HGE

<u>Aim</u>: To extend the work already started by the Local Associations' Department of MIND, by producing guidelines on preparing and training volunteers for mental health work.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 5A(xv) of 6 Jun 1973 of £750.

Balance of £200 to be paid on publication of guidelines.

# St Thomas' User-Related Financial Information System

St Thomas' Health District,
Department of Community Medicine

**DMH** 

Aim: To develop a user-related financial information system for the health and social service resources of a District.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 118(d) of 8 Jul 1976 of £7,000 pa for two years.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£7,000.00

Project 193

Student Liaison Officer - Mental Health

National Association for Mental Health Research Worker, Mr Tim Gauntlett

WGC

<u>Aim</u>: To encourage the development of mental health activities in colleges and universities.

Grant for fourth year of project approved by R & D Committee, Min 72 on 7 Mar 1975 of £4,340.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£500.00

Study of the Functions of Outpatients Departments in London Hospitals

Professor D L Miller, Department of Community Medicine Middlesex Hospital Medical School

WGC/DMH

<u>Aim</u>: To describe the pattern of use of outpatient departments in London as a health service resource and to clarify the determinants of the efficient and satisfactory use of this service.

Grant approved by R & D Committee, Min 118(f) of 8 Jul 1976 of £8,946 in the first year and £8,478 in the second year. Project began 1 Sep 1976.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

£6,709.50

Project 259

Study of Health Policies

WGC/DMH

Researcher : Dr Peter Draper, Unit for the Study of Health Policy Guy's Hospital Medical School

Miss Goldsmith and Mr Lindon serve on the Advisory Committee

<u>Aim</u>: To set up an interdisciplinary team to develop previous work on the academic study of issues of health policy.

Grant approved by the R & D Committee, Min 49 of 8 Nov 1974. Up to £16,000 pa for 5 years, payment for the latter two years being confirmed in the light of a review and report at the end of the second year.

Project started in January 1975.

### Terminal Care and the Relief of Pain

Dr J W Lloyd, Consultant Anaesthetist, Pain Relief Unit, Abingdon Hospital, Oxfordshire AHA (T)

DD

<u>Aim</u>: To assess the value of the Pain Relief Unit in relation to cancer and the community.

Grant approved by the Development Committee, Min 71/8 on 12 Feb 1971 of £2,875.

Bal ance at 31 Dec 1976

£1,336.92

Project 260

# Thamesmead Inter-Disciplinary Project

Miss M Hamilton serves on the Steering Committee

Professor P M Higgins
Dept of General Practice, Guy's Hospital Medical School

HOA

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 $\frac{Aim}{in}$ : To test the feasibility of inter-disciplinary education and training in fields of health and welfare.

Grant allocated by R & D Committee, Min 90 of 18 Sep 1975 of £12,000 to be paid in the first year and £10,000 pa for two following years. Project began March 1976.

Balance at 31 Dec 1976

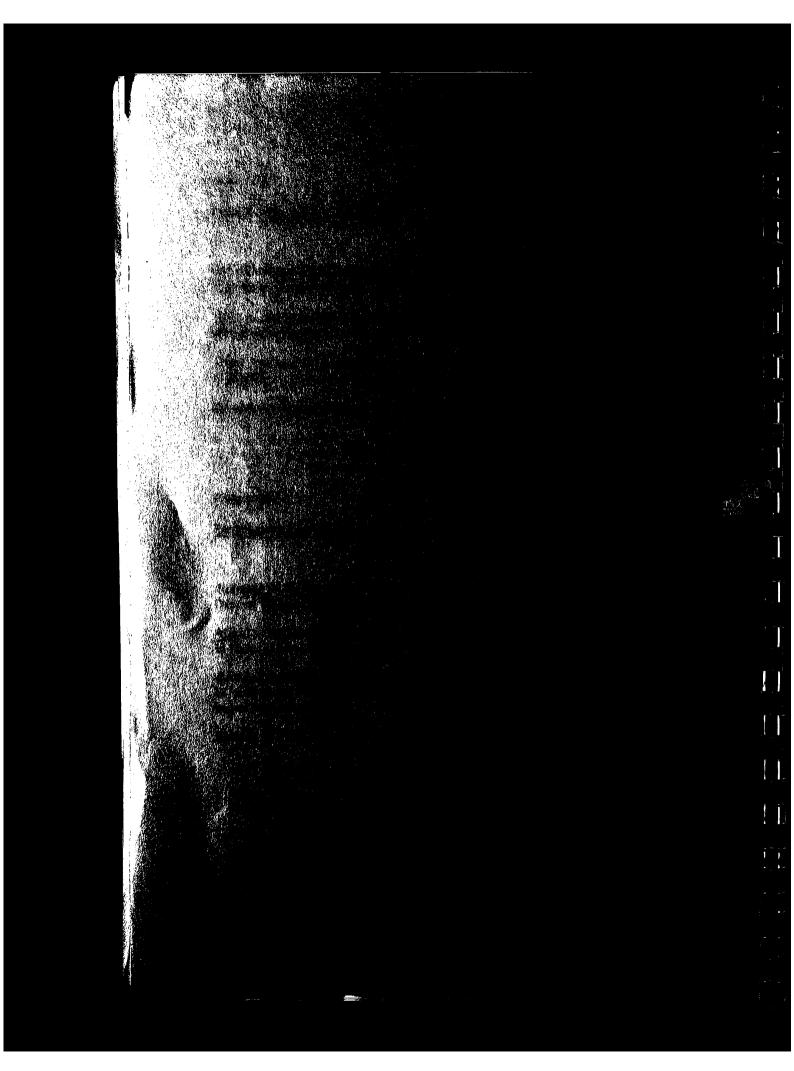
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# **EDUCATION COMMITTEE PROJECTS**

Combined Training for the Remedial Professions
Decision Analysis
Research on the Effect of Decisions in Financial Management in the NHS

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# **Combined Training for the Remedial Professions**

Under Overall Direction of

Dr J C Marsden Head of Department & Life Sciences Polytechnic of Central London

**PJT** 

<u>Aims:</u> To support a small team consisting of an occupational therapist, a physio-therapist and a remedial gymnast to research into comprehensive combined training for these three professions.

The project began in 1974: R & D Committee Minute 13(i) on 6 December 1973 of £ 7,500pa for 2 years.

Grant recommended by Education Committee and approved by Management Committee Minute 8584 (iii) on 25 March 1976 of £11,000 to meet additional cost of final stage of this project and Management Minute 8611 on 27 May 1976 of £6,800 to enable the project to continue for 2 years by which time it is hoped that the professions concerned will have consolidated their arrangements for combined training.

Balance at 30 Nov 1976: £6546.82

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#### Decision Analysis

WFJ

Overall Direction: Dr Larry Philips Decision Analysis Unit, Brunel University Institute of Organization and Social Studies

Project work undertaken by:
Dr Adrian Smith
Department of Statistics and Computer Science,
University College, London

Aim: To set up a trial course at King's Fund College to present Decision Analysis to selected NHS personnel who are in a position to judge the potential applicability and usefulness to the Health Service of this approach to decision-making.

Grant recommended by Education Committee (Min. 33/76 on 10 November 1976) and approved by Man. Committee Min. 8681 on 15 December 1976

of £1,500

Project to run from 1 October 1976 to 30 September 1977

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# Research on the Effect of Decisions in Financial Management in the NHS

Dr Anthony Hopwood
Oxford Centre for Management Studies

PJT

Aims: To investigate the existing resource allocation and financial management process in the Oxford Region, to investigate the role which financial management, management information and financial and economic advice might play in improving the effectiveness of the Region's activities, and to implement selected improvements.

Project jointly financed by Oxford RHA and the King's Fund.

Grant recommended by the Education Committee (Min. 35/76 on 10/Nov/76) and approved by Management Committee Min. 8681 on 15 Dec 1976

of £5,000 pa for 3 years.

# CENTRE COMMITTEE PROJECTS

National Association for the Welfare of Children in Hospital The Psoriasis Association Role of the Volunteer in the Community Care of Discharged Patients

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The National Association for the Welfare of Children in Hospital

Mrs A Rumbold Chairman

<u>Aim</u>: To support the appointment of an Educational Development Officer for a two year research project, to develop visual aids.

Grant recommended by Centre Committee and approved by Management Committee, Min 8677 on 15 Dec 1976 of £9,000 in 1977, £4,000 in 1978 and £4,000 in 1979.

Man 8677 Centre 76/27

The Psoriasis Association

J H Wyatt Director

Aim: To meet the cost of urgently needed additional staff and facilities to cope with the expansion of the Association.

Grant recommended by Centre Committee and approved by Management Committee, Min 8677 on 15 Dec 1976 of £10,912 in 1977 and £11,655 in 1978.

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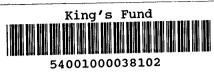
The Role of the Volunteer in the Community Care of Discharged Patients

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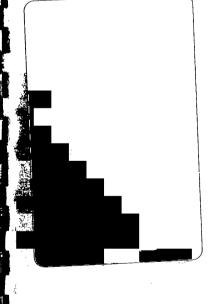
 $\frac{Aim}{of\ volunteers'}$ : To provide information about the extent and effectiveness of volunteers' contribution to the care of patients who have been discharged from hospital.

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