### New-and Old-Directions

This issue of *Public Health Reports* is the first to be published under the aegis of the Health Resources Administration. I am proud to welcome the journal to HRA, and I would like to assure readers that it will continue to focus on the broad spectrum of responsibilities of the Public Health Service.

The journal began in 1878 as a modest one-page bulletin issued by the Supervising Surgeon-General of the Marine Hospital Service. After 46 issues, the Bulletin of the Public Health expired. Publication was resumed in 1887 as the Weekly Abstract of Sanitary Reports, and in 1896 the Abstract became Public Health Reports.

In 1952, the weekly was amalgamated with three technical periodicals of the Public Health Service. the Journal of Venereal Disease Information, the CDC Bulletin, and the monthly Tuberculosis Control issue of PHR to form the monthly Public Health Reports. The journal's format continued relatively unchanged until 1971, when organizational changes in the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare brought about a redesigned format and a new name, HSMHA Health Reports. Fourteen months later the name was again changed to Health Services Reports, to reflect a major emphasis of the Health Services and Mental Health Administration.

With the resumption of the title, Public Health Reports, I would reiterate Surgeon General Leonard A. Scheele's statement in the January 1952 issue. "The pages of the new Public Health Reports, like those of its predecessors, will be open to responsible authors, outside as well

as within the Federal service, in the United States as well as abroad."

The first issues of the Bulletin in 1878 carried reports of the great Mississippi Valley yellow fever epidemic that claimed 20,000 lives; today's public health practitioners face very different challenges. Our aim in 1974 is to make the journal a real forum for the exchange of ideas and a stimulus to new concepts in health planning, administration, and research.

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COVER—Special psychological training is necessary for dentists who plan to specialize in pediatric dentistry. Here a child cooperates with a dental student by holding the saliva ejector. (Photo from the Bureau of Health Resources Development, Health Resources Administration) The impact of Medicaid and neighborhood health centers on the use of dental services in an urban area is examined in an article beginning on page 325.





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## Exposure To Inorganic Arsenic And Sulfur Dioxide At Workplace

■ The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) recommends reducing the Federal standard for occupational exposure to inorganic arsenic and sulfur dioxide. The current standard for arsenic and its organic compounds, except arsine and lead arsenate, is 0.5 mg As per cubic meter; the level recommended is 0.05. The current standard for sulfur dioxide is 5 ppm for up to a 10-hour day, 40-hour week, over a working lifetime; the level recommended is 2 ppm.

NIOSH estimates that 1.5 million workers are potentially exposed to inorganic arsenic, which is primarily produced in smelting ores of other metals (mainly copper). It also estimates that 500,000 workers are potentially exposed to sulfur dioxide, which is encountered in many industrial operations. The NIOSH recommendations have been published in new criteria documents.

Inorganic arsenic. The arsenic document cites an increased incidence of cancer upon exposure to airborne arsenic at levels of 0.2 mg As per cubic meter. There are no data on health effects below this level. Nevertheless, compliance, with the NIOSH-recommended standard of 0.05 will reduce the incidence of

cancer in arsenic workers. In addition to causing cancer, exposure to inorganic arsenic can result in disorders of the skin, gastrointestinal tract, central nervous system, optic nerves, and peripheral nervous system.

Sulfur dioxide. NIOSH has concluded from experimental and epidemiologic studies that exposure to sulfur dioxide at the existing Federal standard of 5 ppm can cause adverse respiratory effects by increasing airway resistance in a significant number of workers. Some workers are especially sensitive to these effects. In addition, there is evidence that the effects produced by sulfur dioxide are enhanced by airborne particulate matter and that sulfur dioxide may promote the carcinogenic action of other airborne substances. Compliance with the NIOSH-recommended standard of 2 ppm should prevent sulfur dioxide from having adverse effects on the health and safety of workers.

Single copies of the complete criteria documents, "Criteria for a Recommended Standard . . . . Occupational Exposure to Inorganic Arsenic" and "Criteria for a Recommended Standard . . . . Occupational Exposure to Sulfur Dioxide," are available from the Office of Technical Publications, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Post Office Building, Cincinnati. Ohio 45202. Include self-addressed mailing label.

## education notes

■ Institutes in the Care of Premature and Other High-Risk Infants. In the fall of 1974, the Institutes for Physicians and Nurses in the Care of Premature and Other High-Risk Infants, sponsored by the New York State Department of Health and the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, will begin their 26th year. The institutes are designed to meet the needs of physicians and nurses in charge of hospital high-risk and premature nurseries and special centers of teachers in medical schools and schools of nursing, and medical and nursing directors and consultants in State and local programs for the care of such infants.

The attendance at each institute is limited to six physicians and six nurses. Early application is essential since plans are contingent on the number of applications received. Participants pay no tuition fee, and stipends are provided to help cover expenses during attendance.

For fiscal year 1974-75, the following five institutes are scheduled:

#### **PHYSICIANS**

Mar. 5, 12, 19, and 26 and Apr. 2. May 12–23.

#### **NURSES**

Sept. 16-Oct. 11. Jan. 6-31.

Mar. 3-14, 19, and 26 and Apr. 2.

Joint physician-nurse sessions will be held on the Wednesdays of the March-April institute. This institute is intended for persons who can commute daily to the New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center.

For additional information: Box 143, Institutes in the Care of Premature and Other High-Risk Infants, New York Hospital, 525 East 68th St., New York, N.Y. 10021.

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