OFFICIAL NOTICE

Martha Brizendine has resigned from her position as SALIS Chair. Martha left NCALI in late summer to take another position with KAPPA systems and is no longer working in the substance abuse field. Vice-chair Andrea Mitchell will replace her until the next SALIS Conference when new officers will be elected. If you have any recommendations for new officers, or want to take an active role yourself, please contact either Jane Bemko, TRIMS, or Andrea Mitchell, Alcohol Research Group. Help is needed in planning for the SALIS 5th Annual Conference. What are your suggestions for themes, papers, projects, times, places? Have you sent in your comments - replies concerning the idea of having a joint conference with LISA next fall?

NEW SALIS CONTACTS

Correction: In the last issue of SALIS News, the new librarian at DISCUS was incorrectly named "Elaine" Ehrenreich; "Ellen" Ehrenreich is the correct name.

The new librarian at the Alaska Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse is Jennifer Reed. She is replacing Pat Orlandi. The Alaska Council is in the addendum to the SALIS 82 Directory.

ATTENTION: SUBSTANCE ABUSE LIBRARIANS

I am glad to inform you that I am in the process of compiling a subject Authority List in substance abuse literature which should be useful for the organization and retrieval of information in substance abuse literature. Contact:
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NEW PUBLICATIONS FROM NCALI

(Use stock number when ordering)

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** Item 

BK110 Planning Alcoholism Counseling Education: A Curriculum and Instructional Resource Guide (PACE)
Developed by the National Center for Alcohol Education, PACE "provides a resource which the States, alcoholism counselor credentialing bodies, and institutions of higher education can use to make instructional programs more relevant to the job of alcoholism counseling, increase their number, and create greater consistency among programs."

MS255 Resource List for Information on Alcohol-Related Audiovisuals
"An annotated resource list of audiovisual materials currently available on alcohol abuse and alcoholism. For each selection, information is provided regarding media-type, audience, availability, and cost... A subject area index is included at the back of the resource list."

IFS 99 Information and Feature Service, dated August 30, 1982
The circularization form in IFS 98 (July, 1982) should be returned to continue the newsletter subscription.

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HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION (HPE) SERIES CURRICULUM GUIDES

These publications are part of the Clearinghouse HPE Project's efforts to encourage health professions educators to incorporate comprehensive instruction on alcohol and drug abuse into the pre-clinical curricula of physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, psychologists, and social workers. New publications in the series include:

Stock Number Item

PH187 Alcohol Abuse Curriculum Guide for Nurse Practitioner Faculty, by Judith Hasselblad
Teaches skills needed for the recognition, diagnosis, and management of alcoholism. Core content is presented in outline form and is supported by listings of recommended texts, background readings, and teaching methodologies.

PH193 Alcohol and Drug Abuse Teaching Methodology Guide for Medical Faculty, by Jeptha R. Hostetler
Designed for instructors in medical and osteopathic schools. Presents a variety of approaches for teaching substance abuse disorders, reviewing effective methodologies and recommending resources useful in developing alcohol and drug curricula.

PH194 Alcohol and Drug Abuse Curriculum Guide for Psychiatry Faculty, by Donald M. Gallant
Explains and summarizes the core material important for medical student to learn, including development of positive attitudes toward the substance abusing patient; the psychological, cultural, and biological aspects of substance abuse, and diagnosis, intervention, treatment, and prevention approaches.

AAS#8 Alcohol Awareness Service, dated August, 1982
Bi-monthly publication provides selective announcements and content summaries of current material from major publications in the alcohol field.

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HOW TO BE PROPOSITIONED BY AN EDITOR;
or, "SHOW AND TELL" TIME FOR READERS
OF SALIS NEWS

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We are inviting our readers to become active participants in the publication of this newsletter. Readers of SALIS News have a vital interest in receiving information about any new research or publication that pertains to our field. Since many of the organizations that receive SALIS News publish findings about alcohol and drug abuse that would be of great interest to this readership, we invite our readers to send us information or a review of these publications. If you would like a publication reviewed, please send a copy to the author of this column. You would be doing all the readers a real service for which we would be grateful. Reviews of new publications are particularly welcome if the publication is timely and would be of interest to the readers. We will reserve the right to decide whether to print or not and to edit, of course.

There is an explosion of information being published pertinent to our field today. Some of this information is so vital to decision-makers that it is important to make the profession aware of its existence before it is formally published. SALIS News wishes to continue to be an important source of the most recent and important publications in the field, and to make this information accessible to those who need it.

If you have information of recent publications on the subjects listed below, please send them. If you wish us to review recent publications on the following subjects, please check:

- Minimum drinking age
- Cocaine
- Children of alcoholics
- Prevention of alcohol and drug abuse by young people
- Reduction of traffic fatalities by drunk or drugged drivers
How to provide quality services with less funds
Other

Please write and let us know of any feature you think would be an addition to the newsletter. We hope that this invitation is a proposition that will entice our readers to respond. Not only would we like to hear from you soon, but as often as the spirit moves.

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WHAT’S NEW IN REFERENCE SOURCES

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Last month "Reference Sources" looked at a few selected statistical works. Since there are so many, this issue will continue with the same focus. Admittedly, there has been no effort to group these statistical works in any particular order. Most of the following are concerned with consumption, production and trade. "Alcohol Problems" statistics are provided in the Canadian and Australian documents.

CANADA

The bulk of this document is devoted to statistics on Canada’s alcohol and drug consumption and related mortality, morbidity, crime and traffic accidents, and economics: revenues, employment, advertising and social costs. Tobacco and Caffeine consumption are also included for Canada along with international statistics on alcohol and tobacco consumption and liver cirrhosis mortality. The time covered for Canadian data is current to the year 1978-79. International coverage is from 1970-77. All tables give source references in full and there is a subject index. A final note -- a very readable description of the Jellinek and Ledermann Formulas is provided in the technical notes.

The Finnish Foundation for Alcohol Studies compiled these statistics from a variety of sources including an actual data collection from some 80 national statistical authorities. Tables provide data on production, exports, imports and consumption of beer, wine and spirits for 177 countries. Temporal coverage is 1950-1972. It is important to note also that this work describes the technical and methodological difficulties of compiling such a source document.

Hoeveel alcoholhoudende dranken worden er in de wereld gedronken? (How many alcoholic beverages are being consumed throughout the world?) Produktschap voor Gedistilleerde Dranken Westmolenstraat 2, 3111 BS Schiedam — Nederland.
As the title indicates, the focus here is on production and consumption of beer, wine and spirits for approximately 50 countries. Consumption is given in 100% alcohol litres per capita; production in 1000 hectolitres. An annual publication since 1960, the current 1981 edition provides figures on 1980 data. This is a reliable and respected source document.

These statistical tables from Rutgers have been published every two years since 1960 with one 4 year gap between 1976 and the current 1980 edition. Figures are compiled from a variety of sources; references are provided. The following are a selection of the tables: consumption of beer, wine and spirits and absolute alcohol in each beverage class, in US gallons per capita by state, and in litres per capita by 27 different countries; expenditures for alcoholic beverages and other personal consumption, U.S.A.; seizures and arrests for liquor law violations, U.S.A.; deaths from alcoholism and alcoholic psychoses and cirrhosis by age, sex and race; hospital admissions with alcohol disorders as percentage of total admissions; and percentages of state populations residing in legally dry areas.

AUSTRALIA

This is the second edition of statistics on alcohol in Australia; a third is in preparation. Fifty-seven tables provide figures on economics: manufacturing, exports, imports and revenues; per capita consumption of beer, wine and spirits with selected years from 1903 to the present; expenditures from 1949; morbidity, mortality and other social costs: hospital admissions, deaths due to cirrhosis, alcoholism and psychoses, alcohol and traffic offenses, and dissolution of marriages associated with drunkenness. References to sources used in compilation are provided.

OTHER NEW REFERENCE SOURCES:
New NIDA AV Catalogue available.
The NIDA Resource Center has recently updated their AV catalog. Contact: Ilse Vada
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5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10A54
Rockville, MD 20857

Twenty-three pages of references to books/booklets, published articles, pamphlets, unpublished papers and
ALCOHOLISM TREATMENT RESEARCH EVALUATION PROJECT

The Alcoholism Treatment Research Evaluation Project's goal is to produce a comprehensive, objective, and systematic assessment of some 1000 alcoholism treatment research outcome studies. These studies, whose major purpose is to test the effectiveness of treatments for alcoholism, have all been published in English and cover a time frame from 1940 to the present. The project is being conducted by the Human Relations Area Files in New Haven, Connecticut with David Levinson serving as project director.

The main purpose of the project is to provide clinicians, researchers, administrators, information specialists and other interested people with a research tool which will help them evaluate the relative effectiveness of the various treatments for alcoholism currently in use. This new tool—a series of five reference guides to the empirical literature on the treatment of alcoholism—is the major product of the project. Each of the five reference guides contains profiles of the findings and the research methods which produced those findings for a particular treatment approach. Volumes I and II, already in print, cover behavior modification and drug treatments. Volume III, forthcoming in the spring, covers counseling and Alcoholics Anonymous. Volumes IV and V will cover psychotherapy and residential programs.

The unique feature of the reference volumes is the detailed information provided about the research designs and methodologies used in testing the effectiveness of alcoholism treatments. Standardized information about the data collection method, sampling procedures, statistical tests and ratings are provided on eighteen methodological factors thought to be indicators of research quality.

This project is one in a series of such projects on a variety of topics being conducted by the Human Relations Area Files. Other projects focus on tests of theories of homicide and socio-biology. Completed projects have resulted in reference guides to the empirical literature on worldwide tests of social theory and worldwide patterns of economic development.

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CANBERRA CORNER

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The antipodean winter months saw a few meetings, conferences, workshops on substance abuse but few exciting new publications.

The Australian Medical Society on Alcohol and Drug-Related Problems (AMSADRDP) held its second annual conference in Adelaide from 29-31 July, 1982. It did not entirely escape the notice of the press that the conference opened with cocktails and ended with a tour of the local wineries!

The theme of this year's meeting was post-graduate education on alcohol and other drug problems, primarily for medical practitioners.

Key papers included one by Professor Griffith Edwards, Professor of Addiction Behaviour at the University of London, on the reluctance of medical practitioners to acknowledge substance abuse problems, and their own susceptibility to them. The conference proceedings will be published in Vol. 2(1) of the Society's journal, the Australian Alcohol/Drug Review. Available from the Marketing Division, AFADD, PO Box 477, Canberra City, A.C.T. 2601 Australia for A$16 subscription.

Hobart was the setting for the 11th International Conference on Health Education in August, on the theme "Health for all by the year 2000." Key speakers included the Director-General of WHO, Dr. Halfdan Mahler; the Director of the Health Education Council (U.K.) Mr. Ian Sutherland; Dr. Frank Ledwini, research fellow with the Scottish Health Education Group; and Mr. Ronald Labonte, formerly with the Ministry of Health in British Columbia.

Legislative changes include the so-called "two kilometre" law, which comes into force in the Northern Territory at the end of August, and which provides for, amongst other things, a ban on the drinking of liquor within 2km of licensed premises. Its ostensible purpose is to stop people drinking in public places, except those especially exempted, such as sporting grounds. However, much concern has been expressed that the law is racist, being primarily directed at those who normally do their drinking in public, namely the Aboriginals.

The Australian budget, brought down on 17 August, increased the excise rate on beer and tobacco, the former by 15% (up 8 cents, from 52 to 60 cents per litre) and the latter up 20%.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS INCLUDE:
1. 1981 Autumn School of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs: proceedings of seminars, Melbourne: Department of Community Medicine, St. Vincent's Hospital, (1982). Edited by Dr. Joe Santamaria, and available from Department of Community Medicine, Victoria.
Parade, Fitzroy, Vic 3065, Australia, at a cost of A$5 + postage. The 1981 school focussed on substance abuse problems in various professional groups; the role of acupuncture in the treatment of addictions; halfway houses and preventive programs; the neurophysiology of the endogenous opioids.


4. Egger, Garry. The sport drug. Sydney: George Allen and Unwin, 1981. A$5.95. Egger, the co-ordinator of Health Promotion in the N.S.W. Department of Sport and Recreation, maintains in this book, that like using drugs, playing sport can transport people from mundane physical reality to a higher plane. Since sport itself may become addictive, Egger discusses the possibility of substituting it in the place of drugs, in the rehabilitation process.

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LIBRARY HIGHLIGHT

New York State Division of Substance Abuse Services Resource Center
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Binu Chaudhuri, Librarian

The New York State Division of Substance Abuse Services, through its Bureau of Training and Resource Development, operates a statewide substance abuse training system for staff providing treatment and prevention services. As another part of its efforts to insure the wide spread dissemination of up-to-date knowledge about substance abuse, the Bureau also operates a Resource Center.

The Resource Center provides a wide variety of information and services to those interested in learning about substance abuse both individually and as a follow-up to training programs in which they participate.

In addition to its own collection of materials, the Center also ties into city, state and national information networks which greatly increases the volume and scope of information available.

THE BASIC COLLECTION OF MATERIALS

The Resource Center of the Bureau of Training and Resource Development has a collection of materials on substance abuse and related fields. All aspects of substance abuse -- medical, legal, social and psychological -- are covered. Materials in related fields which affect substance abuse such as education, counseling and pharmacology are also collected on a selective basis. The collection contains all types of media, including books and journals as well as other non-print materials. The Resource Center also maintains a complete collection of materials published by New York State's Division of Substance Abuse Services, including research reports, policy and procedure manuals, and public documents.

WHO MAY USE THE RESOURCE CENTER

The Resource Center is open to all substance abuse workers in New York State. Those in related fields who are involved with substance abuse treatment and prevention are also encouraged to use the services to update their knowledge.

The general public also has access to the pamphlets and information material available through the Center. However, limitations are placed on circulating material to insure the continued availability of the resources.

NATIONAL NETWORKS

The Resource Center is a member of the Drug Abuse Communications Network (DRACON) and Substance Abuse Librarians and Information Specialists (SALIS).

SERVICES AVAILABLE

The Resource Center is able to conduct online searches through its access to the Lockheed Dialog System. Other services available to OASIS staff include interlibrary loan, a current contents of journal articles, a monthly newsletter which contains a listing of recent acquisitions, and selected bibliographies to enhance training programs.

The information in this article is from the Resource Center's brochure. If you would like a copy of the complete brochure or more specific information, please contact the librarian as listed.

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GIVEAWAYS

The Drug Information Services, 3-160 Health Sciences Unit F, 308 Harvard Street SE, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN 55455, (612) 376-7191, Linda Walter, Librarian has the following giveaways.

Addictive Behaviors
Vol. 3, No. 1,2,3/4 1978
Vol. 4, No. 1,2,3/4 1979
Vol. 5, No. 1,2 1980

Alcoholism: Clinical & Experimental Research
Vol. 3, No. 1,2 1981
American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse
Vol. 8, No. 1, 2 1981

Drug Abuse & Alcoholism Review
Vol. 1, No. 1, 2, 4 1978
Vol. 2, No. 1, 2, 3, 4 1979

Drug and Alcohol Dependence
Vol. 1, No. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 1975/1976
Vol. 2, No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5/6 1977
Vol. 3, No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 1978
Vol. 4, No. 5, 6 1979
Vol. 5, No. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 1980
Vol. 6, No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 1980

Family Process
Vol. 20, No. 1, 2, 4 1981
Vol. 21, No. 1 1981

The International Journal of the Addictions
Vol. 6, No. 1, 2, 4 1981

Journal of Ethnopharmacology
Vol. 3, No. 1 1981

Due to a printing error in the August SALIS News, the following journals and issues were not accurately listed; therefore, they are republished in this issue.

The following journals are needed by SCCADA

Alcohol, Health and Research World
Vol. 1 No. 2
Vol. 2 No. 1, 2, 4
Vol. 3 No. 2
Vol. 4 No. 1, 2, 3

Contemporary Drug Problems
Vol. 1 No. 1, 4 1972
Vol. 2 No. 1 1973
Vol. 4 No. 2 1975
Vol. 6 No. 2, 3 1977
Vol. 7 No. 4 1978

Drug Dependence
Vol. 6 No. 5 1978

Drug Forum
Vol. 6 No. 3 1977/78

Focus on Alcohol and Drug Issues
Vol. 1 No. 61 1978
Vol. 3 No. 3, 5 1980
Vol. 4 No. 6 1981

Foundation News
Vol. 17 No. 1, 2, 6 1976
Vol. 18 No. 1, 2, 4 1977
Vol. 19 No. 3 1978

Journal of Drug Issues
Vol. 3 No. 1, 2 1973
Vol. 8 No. 4 1978
Vol. 11 No. 2, 3 1981

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