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## LIBRARY HOURS

Monday–Thursday	7:00 am–Midnight
Friday	7:00 am–9:00 pm
Saturday	9:00 am–5:00 pm
Sunday	1:00 pm–10:00 pm

The Library will be closed on Monday September 4, 2000 for Labor Day.

## CIRCULATION POLICIES

Audiovisual materials:	7 days, 2 renewals
Books:	2 weeks, 2 renewals
Bound journals:	Same day, non-renewable
Nursing journals:	In-house use only
Unbound journals:	2 hours
RENEWALS:	Call 799-7147

## OVERDUES

Overdue charges are \$1.00 per item per day. Unpaid fines result in the suspension of borrowing privileges.

## TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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Knowledge Network Services	799-7161
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Publications Services	799-7120

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Regional Medical Library	790-7030

## WORLD WIDE WEB ACCESS

<http://www.library.tmc.edu>

## FOURTH ANNUAL HOUSTON CONFERENCE ON HEALTH INFORMATICS



*Paul Theerman, PhD  
NLM*



*Kim Dunn, MD, PhD  
UTH-HSC*



*Dennis Dillon, MA, MLIS  
UT-Austin*



*NN/LM SCR Exhibit*



*Medsite Exhibit*



*Speakers and Panelists in the Fourth  
Annual Conference on Health Informatics*



*John Harold, MLIS, PhD, teaching Health  
Resources on the Web*

## FOURTH ANNUAL HOUSTON CONFERENCE ON HEALTH INFORMATICS



J. Robert Beck, MD

***Digitization: Designing the Future, Preserving the Past*** was the theme of the Houston Academy of Medicine–Texas Medical Center (HAM–TMC) Library's ***Fourth Annual Houston Conference on Health Informatics***, held Monday June 5, 2000 in the Kleberg Auditorium at Baylor College of Medicine.

J. Robert Beck, MD, Program Chairman and Interim Executive Director of the HAM–TMC Library, gave the opening remarks, addressing conference attendees from Chicago via WebCam.

Presentations included: Dennis Dillon, Head of Collections and Information Resources, The University of Texas Austin General Libraries, *The Varieties of Electronic Pricing: New Road, New Ruts?*; Paul Theerman, PhD, Head of Non-Book Collections of the History of Medicine Division, National Library of Medicine, *Digital Manuscripts: How will the User of the Future Interact with the Documents of the Past?*; Kim Dunn, MD, PhD, Assistant Professor of Health Informatics, University of Texas Houston Health Science Center, *Telemedicine: From Promise to Reality*. Donald A. Barclay, MA, MLS was Master of Ceremonies.



Donald Barclay,

A panel response and audience questions followed each presentation. Participating panelists included: Charles F. Bearden, Rice University; Paul Bracke, UTMB; Ana Cleveland, UNT; Marylin Goff, TWU; Fannie Hawkins, TSU; Cathy Montoya, BCM; Jeremy Corry, Elizabeth Davies, and Jack Smith, UTH–HSC; and Richard Jasper and Dennis Moser, HAM–TMC Library.

The Gale Group, Medsite, Swets Blackwell, MD Consult, National Law Library, Texas Cancer Data Center, NN/LM SCR, and HAM–TMC Library exhibited at the conference. Elsevier Science B.V., Majors Scientific Books, The Institute of Scientific Information and UT Graphis Communication Group were sponsors. There were 100 conference attendees and 119 hits were recorded on Webcast. After the conference, John Harold, MLIS, PhD, Technology Coordinator at the NN/LM SCR taught *Health Resources on the Web*.



Texas Cancer Data Center Exhibitor

## FALL LIBRARY CLASS SCHEDULE

**Basic HTML:** September 13, 3:00-5:00

**CINAHL:** August 30, 10:00-11:00; September 7, 2:00-3:00, September 20, 9:00-10:00

**Creating Tables & Graphs:** September 20, 2:00-4:00

**End Note (Fee):** August 22, 3:00-5:00; September 19, 3:00-5:00

**Internet for Medical Research:** August 28, 9:00-11:30; September 12, 2:30-5:00

**Navigating Full-Text Journals:** August 18, 29, 1:00-2:00; September 6, 12, 25, 11:00-12:00; September 21, 1:00-2:00

**Power Point (Fee):** August 29, 9:00-11:30; September 8, 9:00-11:30

**PubMed:** August 18, August 29, 12:00-1:00; September 6, 12, 21, 25, 12:00-1:00

**Reference Manager (Fee):** August 22, 10:00-12:00; September 19, 9:00-11:00

Registration for Fee classes is \$ 25.00 for faculty, staff, residents, and post-docs. Those holding valid student ID's from TMC-affiliated institutions may attend any of these classes free. Register at: <http://library.tmc.edu/classform.html>

## ***FINDARTICLES.COM HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE LIBRARY'S LIST OF DATABASES***

*FindArticles.com* (<http://www.findarticles.com/PI/index.jhtml>) provides full-text articles (without illustrations) from over 300 magazines and journals. You can search the entire database, search subject areas, or search specific journals. It is a free database and will be especially useful for those who do not have remote access to the Library's electronic journals or who just need a quick article or two.

The health and fitness publications in *FindArticles.com* are:

<i>Age and Ageing</i>	<i>Geriatrics</i>	<i>Muscle &amp; Fitness</i>
<i>American Family Physician</i>	<i>Health Services Research</i>	<i>Natural Health</i>
<i>Annual Review of Psychology</i>	<i>IDEA Health &amp; Fitness Source</i>	<i>Nursing</i>
<i>BBI Newsletter</i>	<i>Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology</i>	<i>Nutrition Action Healthletter</i>
<i>British Medical Journal</i>	<i>Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry</i>	<i>Nutrition Forum</i>
<i>Business &amp; Health</i>	<i>Lancet</i>	<i>Nutrition Research Newsletter</i>
<i>Chest</i>	<i>Medical Economics</i>	<i>Nutrition Today</i>
<i>Dermatology Times</i>	<i>Men's Fitness</i>	<i>Sex Roles: A Journal of Research</i>
<i>Diabetes Care</i>	<i>Mental Health Weekly</i>	<i>Urology Times</i>
<i>Drug Store News</i>		<i>Vegetarian Times</i>
<i>Family and Community Health</i>		

## ***LIBRARY FORUMS: ON OUR OWN TERMS***

Based on the Bill Moyers Series *On Our Own Terms: Moyers on Dying* to air on PBS, Channel 8 starting September 10, at 8:30 pm, the HAM-TMC Library will host in conjunction with KUHT and the Houston Hospice, four discussion forums as follows:

- *Living with Dying* will discuss the many ways of perceiving death based on tradition, religion, and family experience in a multicultural society. Susan Krauter, MD, Keynote Speaker. October 5, 2000, from 12:00-2:00 at KUHT, 4343 Elgin Road, on the University of Houston campus.
- *Community Panel on Palliative Care* will discuss how palliative care is evolving as a major treatment mode for terminally ill people. Porter Storey, MD; Margaret Caddy, RN; Jane Sidwell, RN; Todd Edwards, Panelists. October 19, 2000, from 12:00-2:00 at KUHT.
- *A Death of One's Own* a National Issues Forum (NIF) will moderate the discussion on the importance of controlling choices of care at the end of life. Jule Zimet, NIF Facilitator. November 2, 2000, from 12:00-2:00 at KUHT.
- *Improving End of Life Care in Our Community: A Time To Change* will focus on the future of end of life issues in our community. Rabbi Samuel Karff, Keynote Speaker; George Gaston, PhD; Maureen Kelly, PhD; Marcia Levetown, MD; Kim Szeto, Breakout Session Leaders. November 18, 2000 from 10:00am-3:00pm, St. John the Divine Episcopal Church, 2450 River Oaks Blvd.

For more information contact: Beatriz Varman, Assistant Director of Public affairs at (713) 799-7160 or [beatrizv@library.tmc.edu](mailto:beatrizv@library.tmc.edu)

## NOTEWORTHY



*Terri Smalls-Hall and Willetta Smith coordinated the Library's Food Drive*

This year Library's donations totaled 352 pounds of food and \$257.99.



*Library staff volunteers*



*Dancer the Clown with Smoothie King*

## WELCOME



Maria Tripovich, MA, JD is the new Institutional Advancement Officer for the Library. Recently, she worked as the Fund Development Manager for the Houston Public Library.

Maria has worked for the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, Department of Gastroenterology as a fund raiser. After law school, she worked for the Galveston County Criminal Attorney. Upon returning to Houston, she wrote grants for the Asian immigrant community, especially the Chinese Community Center's social service programs in immigration law, education, daycare, and eldercare.

Marsha Sullivan, MLIS, is the Library's new Consumer Health Librarian. She was previously Consumer Health Librarian for the NN/LM SCR.



Mary W. Jackson, MLS, is the Library's new Outreach Reference Librarian. She was previously Outreach Coordinator for the NN/LM SCR.



## FAREWELL

Elizabeth Williams, MLS, Consumer Health Librarian, has moved to Fresno California to start a new job at the California Community College.

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