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MCG Center for Senior Health Opens

SALLY SIMKINS

The Medical College of Georgia Center for Senior Health, located off Wheeler Road and Augusta West Parkway at 2818 Hillcreek Drive, officially opened Oct. 6 with a ribbon-cutting ceremony and tours of the facility.

The resource center offers comprehensive medical services and consultations by a professional staff experienced in meeting the needs of men and women 55 and older. The staff includes a board-certified geriatrician, family physicians, internal medical specialists, a gerontologic clinical nurse specialist and a licensed clinical social worker trained in providing care for seniors.

Services of the center include:

- Primary care for senior adults in a new, conveniently located center designed and equipped to meet the special needs of seniors. Services are also provided in nursing homes and satellite clinics in senior housing communities.
- Conferences to help families determine the needs of loved ones and long-term care planning.
- Patient education and counseling tailored to meet individual patient needs.
- Seminars on such topics as living with Alzheimer's disease, multi-medication management, preventive medicine and health promotion, depression in the older person and normal aging.
- SOURCE – a long-term care program that offers comprehensive health and community services for adults with one or more chronic health conditions. Participants must have Medicaid SSI or be dually eligible for Medicaid SSI and Medicare.
- AutumnCare, a private facility for Senior Health that provides adult health service.

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Family's Values See Them Through After Father's Untimely Death

CHRISTINE HURLEY DERISO

Dr. Suzi Domel Baxter was only 12 on Christmas day 1970 —young enough to be caught up in the magic of the holiday. But she was too preoccupied to enjoy the festivities. She felt a sense of doom that she couldn't shake. Death was in the air.

"I knew something was going to happen," said Dr. Baxter, associate professor of nutrition in pediatrics at the Medical College of Georgia.

So as she rode with her parents and two siblings to her grandparents' house that day, she sat next to her father and held his hand. Their time together, she knew with inexplicable certainty, was about to end.

Of course, her premonition made no sense; her father seemed fine, other than a headache. But as the rest of the

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LaVerne Domel and Suzi Domel Baxter with Suzi's brother Neal and husband David (back row) and sister Lori with husband Cam and son Dylan (front row) on LaVerne's graduation day

Ms. Simkins Named *Beeper* Editor

Sally Simkins, coordinator of hospital public affairs at the Medical College of Georgia since 1981, has been named editor of the *Beeper*.

Ms. Simkins, a native of Charleston, S.C., attended Tulane University and earned a bachelor's degree in communications from Augusta State University. Before joining MCG, she worked as a city government reporter, medical reporter and assistant city editor for the *Augusta Herald*. She also has staffed the Atlanta bureau for Southeastern Newspapers and worked as a reporter for the *Charleston Evening Post*.

Ms. Simkins has received awards from the American Political Sciences Association, the



Sally Simkins

Georgia and Carolina Press Associations and the Georgia Society for Hospital Marketing and Public Relations.

"Ms. Simkins exemplifies the highest professional standards and has been a tremendous asset to the Medical College of Georgia for 17 years," said Dale Crail, MCG director of public relations and marketing. "In addition to her other responsibilities in the hospital and across campus, her talents and journalism experience are ideally suited to the editorship of the *Beeper*."

Christine Hurley Deriso, MCG publications editor who served as interim *Beeper* editor during

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Tips Help Protect Against Food Poisoning

CHRISTINE HURLEY DERISO

If you think safe food handling is as simple as rinsing off an apple before taking a bite, think again. Protecting yourself from food poisoning requires caution at every stage of food handling, according to a Medical College of Georgia dietitian.

For the consumer, food safety begins at the grocery store, said Dr. Suzi Domel Baxter, associate professor of nutrition in pediatrics. Raw meat and fish should be bagged separately from other food, particularly raw fruits and vegetables. Once purchased, the food should be frozen or refrigerated as soon as possible—and again, away from other foods. Don't overpack the refrigerator; otherwise, the cool air may not circulate sufficiently.

Before preparing food, wash hands with hot, soapy water, and rewash them after handling raw foods. "That sounds simple, but we tend to forget," said Dr. Baxter.

And to avoid cross-contamination, prepare foods with separate utensils, bowls and

cutting boards—or wash these items thoroughly with hot, soapy water before moving on to the next food item.

Dr. Baxter advises using paper towels to clean kitchen surfaces so that germs on a cloth or sponge don't get distributed throughout the kitchen. If you *do* use the latter, wash them frequently with hot, soapy water.

All raw fruits and vegetables—even those with peels or prewashed greens—should be rinsed thoroughly. Eggs should be cooked until firm and never eaten raw, including in recipes.

Ground meat must be cooked well-done. "When meat is ground, the bacteria can spread throughout," said Dr. Baxter. Poultry should be cooked to at least 180 degrees Fahrenheit and steaks and roasts to at least 145 degrees Fahrenheit. None should have pink areas. Fish should be cooked until opaque and flaky. Don't put cooked meat on an unwashed tray or dish that carried raw meat. Marinades should be refrigerated; don't eat those that have covered raw

meat. If the marinade is served as a sauce, prepare it separately.

Cooked food shouldn't be left at room temperature more than two hours indoors or one hour outdoors, Dr. Baxter said. "Refrigerate it as soon as possible. Bacteria just love room temperature."

Leftovers should be stored in shallow dishes so they can cool quickly. When eating cooked leftovers, heat them to at least 165 degrees; if using a microwave, make sure the food

is cooked evenly and thoroughly.

If, despite your best efforts, you have symptoms of food poisoning (vomiting, diarrhea, stomach cramps) contact a physician. For more information about safe food handling, call the Food and Drug Administration hotline at 1-800-332-4010.

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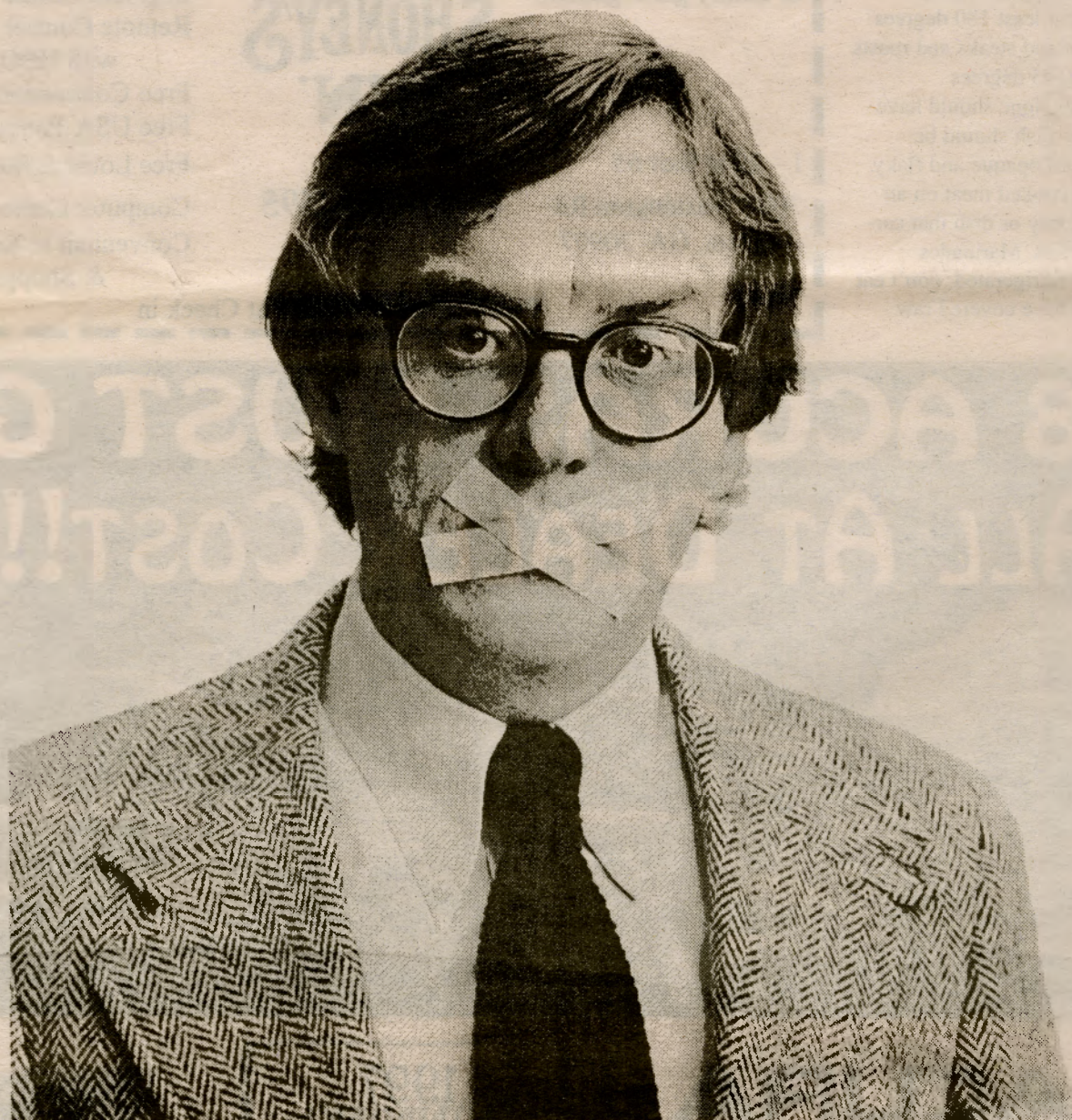
Editor's note: Contact Constance Heard in hospital education, ext. 1-2281 or via e-mail (Cheard) to register for one of the following Children's Medical Center orientation sessions. Sessions are limited to 60 participants.

- Oct. 20—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Greenblatt Library Conference Room (AB-108)
- Oct. 22—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., AB-108
- Oct. 26—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., ACC Conference Room (BP-5270)
- Oct. 28—DIG Orientation (non-moving managers)—10-11:30 a.m., Small Auditorium
- Oct. 29—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., AB-108
- Nov. 3—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., AB-108
- Nov. 4—Moving Managers' Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., BP-5270
- Nov. 5—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., AB-108
- Nov. 10—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., AB-108
- Nov. 11—Faculty/Community

- Physician Orientation, noon to 2 p.m., CMC Conference Center
- Nov. 13—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., AB-108
- Nov. 14—Faculty/Community Physician Orientation, 9-11 a.m., CMC Conference Center
- Nov. 17—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., CMC Conference Center
- Nov. 17—Faculty/Community Physician Orientation, 6-8 p.m., CMC Conference Center
- Nov. 19—General Orientation, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., CMC Conference Center
- Nov. 25—DIG, 10-11:30 a.m., CMC Conference Center

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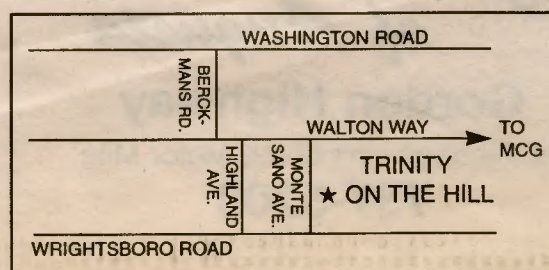
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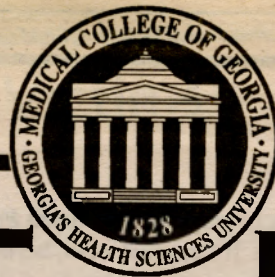
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Internship Cements Nursing Student's Career Goal

CHRISTINE HURLEY DERISO

The first day Mandy Peacock worked with pediatric cancer patients, the reality of her career aspiration hit her, she says, "like a slap in the face."

"It can be overwhelming at first, seeing children so sick," said Ms. Peacock, a School of Nursing senior who interned this summer at St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital in Memphis. "It seems so unfair, and they're so innocent."

But rather than being scared away from the field because of the experience, Ms. Peacock grew more confident than ever that she wants to devote her life to easing the burden of children with cancer.

"Because of research, there is now help for most of these children," she said. "That's so encouraging. The mission [of curing cancer] is an inspiration."

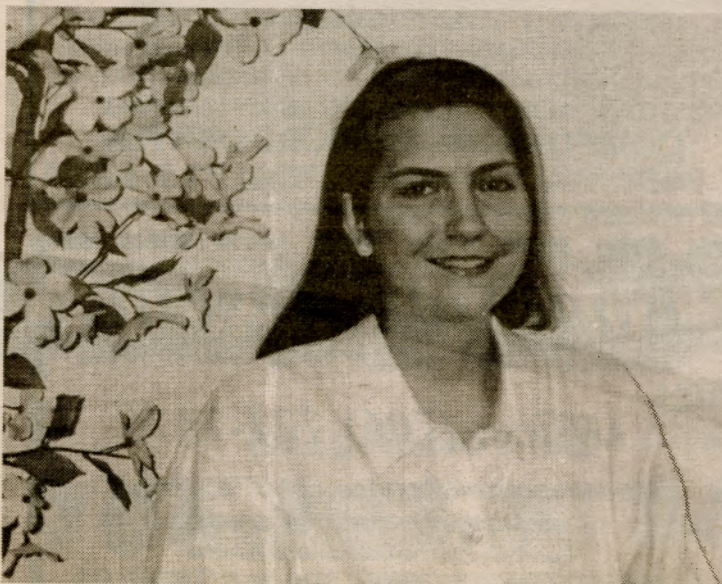
Ms. Peacock, who watched her grandfather die of cancer, has wanted to be a nurse for as long as she can remember. After completing an independent study last year with Dr. Patricia Lillis, associate professor of adult nursing, she decided on a career in oncology. The St. Jude's internship, a highly competitive educational experience, cemented her decision. "I got to participate in research and observe surgery, chemotherapy and other forms of patient care," she said. "Plus, I got to be with the children and play with them. I learned a lot that way."

She also interacted with interns in other health care fields, including medicine. "It was wonderful to work with people from different disciplines. We all had the same goal but different views, and we all came together."

She was spared none of the pain inherent in the field. "It was hard at times," she said. "I worked with one nurse who lost three patients in one week. A lot of people go into the field and find that it's more than they can handle. I turn to God for my strength. I know it will be hard, but I want to pursue it."

She also now knows first-hand how immensely rewarding the career is. "Pediatric oncology nurses get really close to patients and families. I can't even begin to explain how rewarding it is to have a child come up and hug me. I love to see their smiling faces

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Mandy Peacock

Dental Student Doubles as Silver Panthers Quarterback

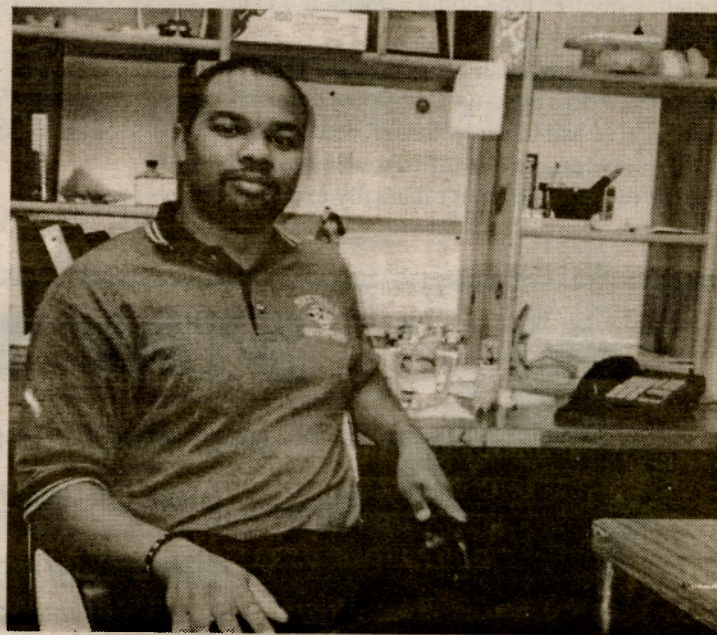
CHRISTINE HURLEY DERISO

Terrence Vandiver has the gentlest of touches when his gloved fingers examine teeth during a dental examination. But those same deft hands have an entirely different mission when he isn't refining his dental skills. And the gentle demeanor is replaced by raw aggression.

Mr. Vandiver, a third-year dental student at the Medical College of Georgia, is also quarterback for the Augusta Silver Panthers, a minor-league football team. If the two endeavors seem like an unlikely pairing, Mr. Vandiver disagrees. In fact, football is what drew him to health care in the first place.

"During a high school football game, I suffered a knee injury that required surgery," he said. "I was fascinated by the whole process, and that's what got me interested in health care."

Mr. Vandiver, an Augusta native, initially wanted to go to medical school. But during undergraduate school at Fort Valley State University, where he played on the football and basketball teams, he got a glimpse of dentistry. "I had an opportunity to work with a dentist, and I



Terrence Vandiver

found a home in dentistry," he said.

After enrolling at MCG, he threw himself wholeheartedly into his studies. But football was never far from his mind. "I don't know what I'd do without football in some form or fashion, be it playing or coaching," he said. "It was my first love and something I've never let go of." So

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Dental School Presents Scholarships

The Medical College of Georgia School of Dentistry presented student awards during its Aug. 26 Welcome Back Assembly, an annual student/faculty gathering sponsored by the School of Dentistry Alumni Association. Guest speaker Edward McNulty, national president of the American College of Dentists, discussed dental ethics during the assembly.

The awards and their recipients are:

- School of Dentistry Alumni Association Scholarship: Brent Stiehl.
- Grover C. Hunter Scholarships: Brian Hodges, Julia Routhier, Barbara Sumner and Victor VanGreuningen
- Georgia Dental Education Foundation Scholarships: Liliya Bardenshteyn, Brittany Berger, Tinsley Choate, Jimmy Cline, Kimberly Garwood, Brett Helton, Vinh Huynh, Kim Jackson, Jed Kelley, Christi Lanier, Jay Mahadik, Binh Nguyen, Seth Patt, Seth Stewart and Hilman Walden III.
- Stan Hopkins Memorial Scholarship: Blair Waldron.

• Georgia Dental Education Foundation Dental Hygiene Scholarships: Amanda Burruss and Cynthia Chau.

• Emile T. Fisher Scholarships: Oleg Ayzenshteyn, Andrew Freedman, Jennifer Key, Sam Kwon and Michael Williams.

• Semon Eisenberg Scholarship: Craig Widener.

• Georgia Dental Association/Georgia Dental Insurance Services Scholarship: Rico Short.

• Southwestern District Dental Society Scholarship: Robert Drawdy.

• Eastern District Dental Society Scholarships: Erin Thomas and Terrence Vandiver.

• Dental Faculty Scholarships: Ritu Bath, Doug Head, Stacy Hammond Story and Michael Williams.

• Georgia Academy of General Dentistry Scholarships: Bradley Roberson and Craig Widener.

• Willis J. Walker Jr. Scholarship: Fionn

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when he was invited to try out for the Silver Panthers earlier this year, he jumped at the chance. The team, coached by former National Football League player Arthur Marshall, began its season in July and will play through November. Third-year dental student Fionn Thomas is also on the team, though currently sidelined with an injury.

The team practices three to four days a week, "but it's really not intrusive," Mr. Vandiver said. "It's two and a half hours at night, which are the same hours I spent watching television or vegging out during my first two years of dental school. This way, I'm spending my free time doing something I enjoy and staying in shape."

But he's clear about his priorities. "Football is a game. There are days I've skipped practice because I've had to study. School comes first."

Nevertheless, he's gratified to demonstrate that the two pursuits aren't mutually exclusive.

He hopes to play for the Atlanta Falcons after graduation. If that works out, he will practice dentistry part time until his football career ends.

His concedes the sport has its disadvantages; for instance, injuries are a part of life. "Some days, the only way I know everything's working is if something's hurting," he said with a laugh. "But over the years, you grow used to living with injuries and your pain tolerance goes up. That's just part of it. I love the physical nature of the game. By the time a game is over, you know who the better man was on that given day. It's a constant struggle to stay on top and try to be the best."

Book Donation Ceremony Scheduled Oct. 19

Medical College of Georgia students, residents and faculty are invited to a book donation ceremony Oct. 19 at 4 p.m. in the Special Collections Room of MCG's Greenblatt Library.

Dr. James Hotz, the inspiration for the movie, *Doc Hollywood*, will present five copies of his book, *Where Remedies Lie*. The novel, co-authored by O. Victor Miller, is the sequel to the book on which the movie was based. The sequel continues the story of fictional Dr. Otis Stone, a city doctor caught in a web of deception by small-town residents desperate for a physician's care. The authors are donating copies of the book to health care libraries in the state hoping to encourage medical students to practice in medically underserved areas.

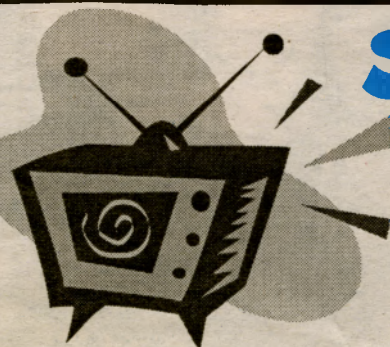
The book's proceeds will be donated to the Southwest Georgia Area Health Education Center, part of the Georgia Statewide AHEC Network, whose goal is to help establish and maintain an equitable distribution of health care providers throughout Georgia.

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and watch them get better."

As she completes her senior year, she's more motivated than ever. "Now that I know what I want, I have something to look forward to and a lot of enthusiasm to work hard. It was the most wonderful experience I've ever had."



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Memory Walk to Benefit Alzheimer's Victims

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One of every three individuals in the 16 counties served by the Augusta chapter of the Alzheimer's Association knows someone who has or has had Alzheimer's disease, according to Pat Sodomka, executive director of Medical College of Georgia Hospital and Clinics and honorary chairman of the Alzheimer's Association's 1998 Memory Walk scheduled Oct. 10.

The 3.1-mile walk around Lake Olmstead will begin at 9 a.m. Participants who raise at least \$10 will be eligible for door prizes. Those raising \$50 or more will receive Memory Walk T-shirts.

"Many people are personalizing their participation by walking in memory or in honor of a friend or family member who has Alzheimer's or who has died from the disease," said Mrs. Sodomka.

Nationally, one in 10 people over 65 and nearly half of those over 85 have the debilitating, life-altering disease that attacks the brain, she said.

Funds from the walk will support Alzheimer's research, resources for those affected by Alzheimer's disease and community education about the disease.

MCG staff members who will participate in the walk include:

- Addie Maye Moore, walking in memory of her grandmother, Addie Story
- Nancy Jiles, in memory of her mother, June Simons
- Monique Young, Peggy Collier, Fonda Harrison, Mary Eash, Michelle Clark and Irametta Cherry in memory of Mary Haynes
- Sally Simkins in memory of her mother-in-law, Sarah Simkins, and in honor of her godfather, William Lott
- Mary Bentley in honor of her mother, Mattie Key
- Shaunna Williams, Carol Sanders and Bonnie Fitzgerald, Kim Anderson, Lisa Arnold, Veeta Scott and Carole Smith, walking for all victims of the disease.

To participate, contact Sally Simkins at 1-4906. Or, register at 8 a.m. Saturday at Julian Smith Casino. Be sure to say you're with MCG.

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Dr. Copeland to Discuss Medical Ethics

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Dr. Lanny R. Copeland, president of the American Academy of Family Physicians, will discuss "Ethics in Medicine" at noon Oct. 21 in the Medical College of Georgia Auditoria Center.

Faculty, residents and students are invited. The lecture, sponsored by the MCG School of Medicine, will be followed by an hour-long discussion session at 1 p.m. Lunch will be provided.

Dr. Copeland, vice president of Primary Care Development at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital in Albany, Ga., is the first Georgia physician to serve as president of the 84,000-member organization of family physicians.

He is a member of the academy's Board of Directors and Executive Committee and is the academy's delegate to the American Medical Association. He has chaired the academy's Committee on Finance and Insurance, the Commission on Special Issues of Clinical Interest and the Congress of Delegates' Reference Committee on Education. He is the academy's representative to the Council on Medical Specialty Societies. Dr. Copeland has served as president, treasurer and Executive Committee member of the American Board of Family Practice. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Georgia Academy of Family Physicians.

Dr. Copeland is a professor in the Department of Family and Community Medicine at Mercer University School of Medicine and associate clinical professor in the MCG Department of Family Medicine.

Newsbriefs

DEADLINES

The deadline for the Oct. 22 issue of the *Beeper* is Oct. 14 at noon. The deadline for the Nov. 5 edition is Oct. 28 at noon.

CHANCELLOR'S VISIT

MCG faculty, staff and students are invited to join Chancellor Stephen R. Portch for an open meeting in the large auditorium of the Auditoria Center Monday, Oct. 19 at 3:30 p.m. The chancellor is revisiting all 34 institutions in the University System to share information and discuss goals. Chancellor Portch also will speak to the Rotary Club of Augusta Oct. 19 and will visit Augusta State University Oct. 20.

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GRANTEE OF THE MONTH

The School of Nursing has named Dr. Sheila Bunting its October Grantee of the Month. The honor recognizes a nursing faculty member's funded research. Dr. Bunting is studying the factors that determine HIV patients' compliance with their medication regimen.

IMPOTENCE STUDY

The MCG Section of Urology is seeking volunteers to evaluate two new treatment options for impotence. Participants may already be under treatment and there is no age requirement. Evaluation and medication will be provided free for approximately 90 days. Participants may be eligible to participate in lengthier follow-up studies. For more information, call Mary Anne Park, study coordinator, ext. 1-0193.

DENIM DAY

Lee Jeans will sponsor Lee National Denim Day Oct. 9. Employees who donate \$5 for breast cancer research are invited to wear denim that day. The national goal is \$4 million, and all proceeds will benefit the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, the

largest private funder of research dedicated solely to breast cancer. Participants will receive a pink ribbon pin, the national symbol for the fight against breast cancer. For more information, call Sara Whisenhunt Mobley or Linda Scott at ext. 1-1308 or 1-1311.

VOLUNTEERS FOR CHILDREN

The Permanent Homes for Children in Georgia Program, designed to prevent children from growing up in foster care, will train volunteers Oct. 15-16 to become the "eyes" of the court and help make permanency plans for these children. Volunteers will meet one Friday a month to talk with parents, children, foster parents and Department of Family and Children Services workers to review the parents' progress in reuniting their family. For more information about volunteering, call Janet Weinberger, (706) 863-2657.

SAFE HOMES

SAFE Homes of Augusta, Inc., a non-profit agency offering comprehensive services to battered women and their dependent children, will have its fall volunteer training session Oct. 19, 22, 26 and 28 from 6-9 p.m. Volunteers are needed for the children's program and shelter aids. For information and

applications, call Vanessa at 736-2499. The deadline is Oct. 16.

ALZHEIMER'S WALK

The Alzheimer's Association Memory Walk will be held Oct. 10 at 9 a.m. at Julian Smith Casino. Registration will begin at 8 a.m. The 3.1-mile walk around Lake Olmstead, sponsored by the MCG Center for Senior Health, will benefit local Alzheimer's patients and caregivers. To walk or form a five-person team, call Cathy Green, MCG clinical nurse specialist and coordinator of the walk, at (706) 651-7300. She can also be reached through GroupWise. Each team raising at least \$50 will receive a T-shirt.

OPEN HOUSE

The Medical College of Georgia School of Nursing will host an open house today from 4-6 p.m. The school is located at 997 St. Sebastian Way. Refreshments will be served. Information will be presented about the following programs:

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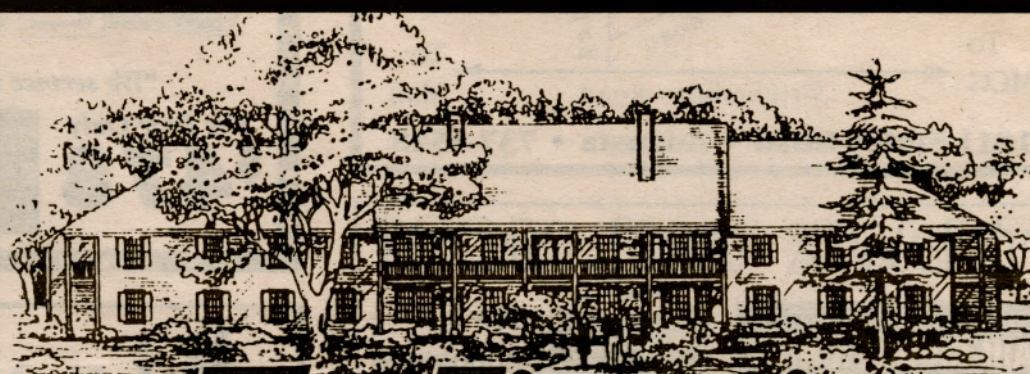
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Hospital Pharmacists Win State Awards

SALLY SIMKINS

Robin L. Southwood and Aman Kipper Peacock, doctors of pharmacy in the Medical College of Georgia Hospital Pharmacy Department, received top awards at the annual meeting of the Georgia Society of Health-System Pharmacists in Athens last weekend. MCG pharmacists also received all

three awards for posters presented at the meeting.

Two additional awards were given to MCG pharmacists for their leadership and contributions to the society.

Dr. Southwood, critical care specialist pharmacist, received the Outstanding Pharmacist Practitioner Award. He also is an adjunct assistant professor

for the University of Georgia College of Pharmacy. Dr. Peacock received the Outstanding Young Health-System Pharmacist Award, recognizing achievement in the first five years of practice. She is the neonatal/pediatric clinical specialist at MCG Pharmacy and an adjunct assistant professor for the UGA College of Pharmacy.

Dr. Southwood and Dr. Peacock joined the MCG staff in 1993. Dr. Southwood

received his doctor of pharmacy degree from Purdue University and completed a critical care pharmacy residency at Shands Hospital at the University of Florida before joining MCG Hospital and Clinics. Dr. Peacock received her Pharm.D. degree from the University of Georgia.

Marjorie Shaw Phillips, Dr. Dianne B. Williams and Dr. Southwood won first place for poster presentations for their presentation on "Reducing the

Risk of Alcohol Withdrawal." Dr. Peacock won second place for "Neonatal Dilutions: Improving the Safety of Intravenous Delivery." Drs. Agnes Ann Love, Williams, William A. Speir and Pamela J. Tatum won third place for "Safety and Efficacy of a Weight-Based Lorazepam Dosing Protocol in the Medical Intensive Care Unit."

Dr. J. Russell May and Dr. Williams presented a poster on "New Drug Update and Pipeline Drugs" at the meeting. Other posters presented by MCG pharmacists at the meeting included those by Dr. Schlesselman, Melissa Frank, Dr. Marjorie Phillips, Dr. Southwood, Agnes Ann Love and Dr. Peacock.

MCG pharmacist Mike Schlesselman was honored as outgoing president of the statewide organization. Dr. Schlesselman also received a leadership award. Dr. Williams was honored as an outgoing member of the GSHP Board of Directors representing the Central Savannah River Area District. In addition, Drs. Schlesselman and Phillips were elected as two of the four Georgia delegates to the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists House of Delegates.

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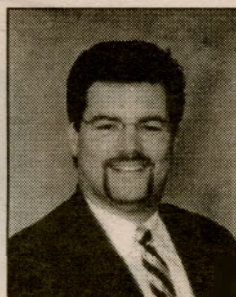
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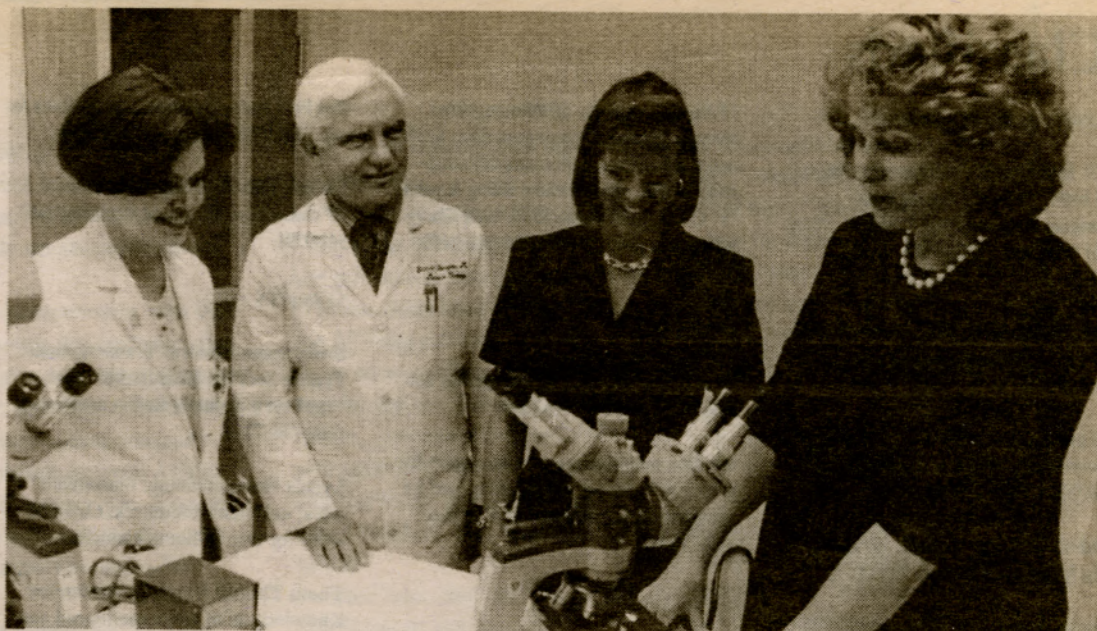
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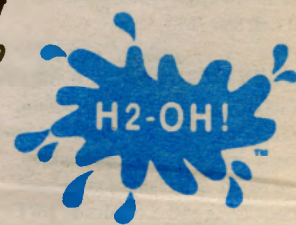


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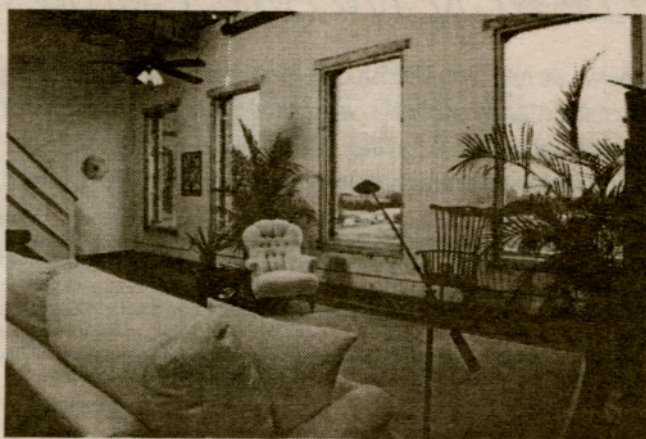
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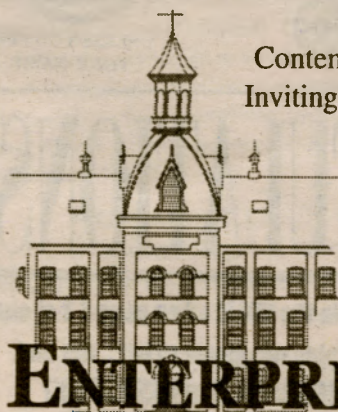
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