ABSTRACT

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This endeavor truly represents the work of a community of scholars committed to making accessible the growing body of literature on the health of women of color in the United States. We are excited to see how much work is underway which will make this bibliography "outdated" very quickly.
I. **INTRODUCTION**

A. **Purpose:**

This bibliography is designed to draw together major research, reference, background and theoretical works focused on health issues of minority women of color in the United States. It was compiled to provide faculty in postsecondary educational institutions with references to materials which direct attention to health issues of particular salience to minority women. Depending on the level of the institution, the material is appropriate for assigning to students and/or for reading, lecture preparation and preliminary research. The bibliography includes materials appropriate for use in community colleges, universities, graduate programs and health professions schools including nursing, public health, health education and medicine.

We also see the bibliography as a resource for librarians and faculty who face the difficult task of guiding students towards literature appropriate for use in writing term papers and planning independent research. We know from our own experience that few students persist and pursue topics about which faculty declare "there is no literature." This bibliography suggests specific areas in which there is and is not an extant literature. It is not intended to be exhaustive or comprehensive in the range of topics or minority groups included. Rather it is intended to be a stimulus to both teaching and research in areas which for too long have been ignored.

The major focus of the references is on social science perspectives on minority women's health and on topics at the intersection of social science and clinical issues. While some primarily clinical references are included, we have limited our efforts in this direction because of the excellent on-going annotated bibliography "NURSING SCAN: WOMEN'S HEALTH" published by the Graduate Nursing Concentration in Women's Health at the School of Nursing, University of Illinois at Chicago. An order form for this publication is included in the Resources Section at the end of this volume. Scholars interested in the more biomedical aspects of health issues which affect minority women will already rely on resources such as Index Medicus. Students who wish to pursue such topics are urged to seek the assistance of a medical school reference librarian.

We strongly urge you to read the rest of this introduction before attempting to use the bibliography. While the location of some topics is obvious, the location of others is less so and supplemental references may be listed under other categories. No bibliography is perfect and ours is no exception.
B. Description of Sections and Categories

The bibliography is organized into 5 major sections, one of comparative and reference works and the other four focused on specific groups of minority women. The names we have used for each minority group are those recommended by the Thesaurus Project of the National Council for Research on Women and used in all the databases being developed throughout the U.S. by the various Centers for Research on Women. (A list of these Centers can be found in the Resources Section at the end of this volume.)

MAJOR SECTIONS OF THE BIBLIOGRAPHY

1. Comparative and Reference Works
   Includes works which compare different minority group women with each other and/or with white women on various health issues. This section also includes basic background and reference works which provide information on minority women's health such as publications of the Public Health Service. We have attempted to cross-cite all references which noted specific minority groups in the title. For example, an article comparing Japanese and Hispanic women's mental health would be listed in three sections of the bibliography: 1) Comparative Overviews--Mental Health, 2) Asian American Women--Mental Health and 3) Latina American Women--Mental Health. However, many comparative articles do not list groups compared in the title; all such articles are listed ONLY in the Comparative section. Thus, a scholar who is seriously interested in locating literature on Latina American women's mental health would examine references not only in that section but also works in the Comparative Overviews--Mental Health section. We regret that we were unable to examine all of the references cited here and thus were unable to cross-list all citations.

2. Afro-American Women's Health
   Includes works on Black American women of African, Caribbean, Central and South American and Middle Eastern ancestry.

3. Asian American Women's Health
   Includes works on women of Japanese, Chinese, Korean, Hawaiian, Southeast Asian, Pilipina, Pacific Island, Malaysian, Laotian, Cambodian, Thai and Vietnamese ancestry.

4. Latina American Women's Health
   Includes works on women whose heritage is Mexican, Puerto
Rican, Cuban, Central American, Carribbean, South American, and Spanish.

5. **Native American Women's Health**
   Includes works on women of any group of native peoples in the continental U.S. and Alaska. Works on Hawaiian women's health are found in the section on Asian American Women's Health where they traditionally have been included.

**MAJOR CATEGORIES IN EACH SECTION**

Within each major section, references are organized into the following six categories:

1. **General Background and Reference Works**
   To understand minority women's health issues, one must understand the specific social, cultural, spiritual, and economic situations of the minority group in general. In this category we have variously included key classic works, largely on minority women's health but also background readings in which health issues are not necessarily central. In some of these more general works, there are specific chapters or sections on health as well. General bibliographies and reference works for the minority group are also cited here. Specific reference works, such as bibliographies on mental health, are cited under the sub-category "Mental Health, Drugs and Alcohol."

2. **Historical Works**
   This category includes historical works focused directly and indirectly on women's health issues. Some are highly specific while others are more general. There are often very few references in this category as few historical works focused explicitly on minority women's health have been located except for studies and writings of nurses, doctors and other notable persons. These latter historical works are listed only under "Providers of Health Care." Users are strongly urged to examine references in the "General Background and Reference" categories to locate additional historical materials on health issues of the specific minority groups of interest.

3. **Health Status, Behavior, Utilization and Policy**
   This broad category covers many inextricably related topics. Many works on minority women's health status, for example, commonly examine such issues in relation to socio-cultural perspectives on health and illness behavior. Further, many works on utilization of health care systems
relate this to socio-cultural perspectives on health, illness and providers' behavior and make health care policy arguments based on these interactions. The emergent literature on minority women's health in aging is similarly interconnected and thus included here. While this category is broad, we believe that it necessarily so.

4. Reproduction, Sexuality, Material and Child Health –
This category was developed because of the extensive numbers of related references on each minority group and, again, because of the interrelatedness of the issues in policy-making and practice. Topics include fertility, contraception, sexual attitudes and practices, pregnancy, prenatal care, childbirth and infant mortality.

5. Mental Health, Drugs and Alcohol
A wide range of topics related to both adult and child mental health and psychology are included in this category. Because the majority of the references on drug and alcohol use and treatment for minority group women are found in the psychological literature, we include these topics here.

6. Providers of Health Care
This category contains references on providers of health care (e.g. nurses, physicians, midwives, traditional and lay healers) relevant to the specific minority group. Since many articles cover both historical and contemporary information, we include both in this section. Many of the references were written by providers and aim at improving the quality of care of minority group members by taking cultural issues into account. Because such works often contain considerable background information and references on health beliefs and practices of these specific groups, they may be quite broadly useful.

C. Sources Used and Excluded
We have attempted to include all major references in each category which we could locate by September, 1986. We explicitly excluded references to articles in newspapers, very obscure journals and unpublished papers. A number of works have been published by minority group organizations, both in academia and in the community. We only included material which is currently available from those organizations. Scholars interested in pursuing the historical emergence of such material are encouraged to contact the Cleghornhouse on Women of Color at Memphis State University (see Section III, D).

Last, we note that we list a wide variety of references in this bibliography, many written from perspectives within which
individually and collectively we do not agree. Minority women's health, like virtually all emerging areas, is highly political and politicized. We are fully aware that both blatant and subtle forms of racism, sexism and class bias can be found in many of the works cited here. We believe that it is only through coming to grips with such perspectives in the literature by critically examining it in educational settings and in scholarly research that alternative, humane and feminist solutions to health problems in general and minority women's health problems in particular can be found.

D. How to Use the Bibliography

This bibliography can be used in many different ways. For faculty attempting to introduce topics in minority women's health into their courses, we include a two page "Basic Bibliography on Minority Women's Health Issues." This may be photocopied and given to students, colleagues and librarians. We urge faculty ask their libraries to purchase these basic materials. We also urge faculty to ask their libraries to order copies of this bibliography for their Reference Collection and to be placed in the Reserve Reading Collection as an aid to students interested in supplemental reading and preparing term papers.

For more ambitious curricular efforts in minority women's health, this bibliography can serve as the basis for courses on the health of women of color and/or of one particular minority group. Advanced courses on maternal and child health or mental health can be organized by drawing heavily from specific categories. We can envision seminars in which students read, annotate, and discuss all of the work on one or several topics as preparation for undertaking their own research.

Some of the primary historical references may be difficult to locate; we suggest that you contact a major medical or historical library directly or through interlibrary loan. This approach should also be effective for faculty in smaller institutions who wish to gather a wide range of resources in minority women's health.

Researchers especially should note that all of the references listed in this bibliography will be entered into the Database on Women of Color and Southern Women established and maintained by the Center for Research on Women, Memphis State University. They will be assigned keyword codes which will facilitate research use of these citations. The keywords are being developed through a joint effort with the National Council for Research on Women's Thesaurus Project which is working towards standardizing keywords used in databases on women's issues in the United States. Scholars involved in
research in any area of minority women's studies and women's health studies should avail themselves of this extraordinary database service. The Center for Research on Women at Memphis State University has been supported in this effort by a grant from the Fund for the Improvement of Post-Secondary Education. Information on the project and computer database and Search Request Forms for using this database are included here in Section III, D. Please contribute additional references which you locate to this on-going database project. A form for submissions is included here in Section III, F.

In addition to this bibliography, the Women, Health and Healing Program offers a SYLLABI SET ON WOMEN, HEALTH AND HEALING: 14 COURSES and a volume of TEACHING MATERIALS ON WOMEN, HEALTH AND HEALING. Both include extensive sections on the health issues of minority women in the U.S. and strategies for incorporating these issues in a variety of curricula. An order form for these materials can be found at the back of this volume.
A. Comparative and Reference Works

General Background and Reference


Comparative and Reference Works

Influential factors in recruitment and retention of minority students in a community college. Journal of Allied Health, 14(1), 63-70.


Comparative and Reference Works


A. Comparative and Reference Historical Works


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Health Status, Behavior, Utilization, and Policy


Comparative and Reference Works

Health of the disadvantaged - Chart Book II. (1980).
Available from the Division of Disadvantaged Assistance,
Bureau of Health Professions, Room 8A-09, 5600 Fishers Lane,
Rockville, Maryland, 20857, (301)443-3843.

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Comparative and Reference Works


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A. Comparative and Reference

Reproduction, Sexuality, Maternal and Child Health


Comparative and Reference Works


CARASA (Committee for Abortion Rights and Against Sterilization Abuse). (1982). Sterilization: It's not as simple as tying your tubes - some questions and answers. Available from CARASA, 17 Murray Street, New York, NY 10007 ($1.00).


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B. Afro-American Women's Health

General Background and Reference


Black working women/Debunking the myths: A multi-disciplinary approach. Berkeley: University of California, Berkeley Women's Center, 94720. $10.00.


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Providers of Health Care


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Comparative, Overview and Reference Works


Afro-American Women's Health


Royster, J. J. (Curator). (1983). Women as healers, a noble tradition. Women's Research and Resource Center, Spelman College, Box 362, 350 Spelman College Lane, S.W., Atlanta, GA 30314. $6.00.

Asian American Women's Health


Latina American Women's Health


Native American Women's Health


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--- Syllabi Set $10.00 --- Set of all three $20.00

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III. SELECTED RESOURCES IN MINORITY WOMEN'S HEALTH

A. Audiovisual Resources

The following list of films and videos was developed from a variety of resources. The journal Women and Health deserves special mention for regularly publishing helpful film reviews. The Media Network (208 W. 13th Street, New York, NY 10011, (212)620-0877) has published an excellent "Guide to Films on Reproductive Rights" which we also relied upon here.

If you are associated with a university or have access to one, we suggest you check to see if a film/video is already owned by them. You may also wish to urge your school to purchase key films you intend to use regularly.

While we have previewed many, we have not previewed all films listed and therefore recommend that you do so before using them when possible. Since rental costs change (in both directions) and availability may be limited, contact distributors at least six weeks in advance whenever possible. Some distributors may also make video versions available upon request.

Films and videos are listed in the following categories:

- Race/Class/Culture Issues with Health Implications
- Women's Health Care Politics/Issues
- Aging
- Childbirth Education in Cultural Contexts
- Incarcerated Women
- Occupational Health
- Providers of Health Care
- Reproductive Health Issues
- Self Image/Body Image
- Violence Against Women

Race/Class/Culture Issues with Health Implications

THE WOMEN'S FILM. (1971). Focus on how women are especially victimized by class, racial and gender inequalities. Black and white, 40 min., 16 mm. Third World Newsreel, 335 W. 38th St., 5th Floor, NY, NY 10018, (212)947-9277. Rental fee $55.

OUR DEAR SISTERS. (1975). North American Indian woman discusses her life as a single parent and working mother on the reservation. 16 mm, 3/4" videocassette, 15 min. National Film Board of Canada, 1251 Avenue of the Americas, 16th Floor, NY, NY
Audiovisual Resources

10020-1173, (212)586-5131. Purchase only: 16mm $350, video $250.


NEVER TURN BACK: THE LIFE OF FANNIE LOU HAMER. (1982). In 1962, Fannie Lou Hamer, a 44-year old Black woman, decided to register to vote in Mississippi. Ms. Hamer became a powerful force for racial change in the South including health issues. 16 mm or video, 60 min. Rediscovery Productions, Inc., 2 Halfmile Common, Westport, CT 06880, (203)227-2268. Rental fee $120.

FEI TIEN: GODDESS IN FLIGHT. (1983). An American-born Chinese woman encounters older Chinese "bird woman" facing questions of life, death, and passing on traditions. 20 min. color, 16 mm or video. Third World Newsreel, 335 W. 38th St., 5th Floor, NY, NY 10018. Rental fee $50.

SLEEPWALKER. (1972). Features an Asian woman who deals with growing up as an American. 16 mm, black and white, 13 min. Instructional Media Library, UCLA-Powell Library, 405 Hilgard Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90024, (213)825-0755. Rental fee $25.

BLACK WOMEN'S HEALTH. The National Black Women's Health Project is developing a slideshow/video which should be available in early 1987. Focus on special health issues of black women. National Black Women's Health Project, 1237 Gordon St., S.W., Atlanta, GA 30310, (404)753-0916.

FIBROID. Focuses on issues of fibroids particularly affecting black women. Contact distributor for more information. National Black Women's Health Project, 1237 Gordon St., SW, Atlanta, GA 30310, (404)753-0916.

BECOMING A WOMAN. Special issues for black women. Contact distributor for more information. National Black Women's Health Project, 1237 Gordon St., SW, Atlanta, GA 30310, (404)753-0916.
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Women's Health Care Politics/Issues

CHICAGO MATERNITY STORY. Focuses on health care worth fighting for—a hospital/home birth care delivery service serving black, Latina and other immigrant women. The struggle for control of the Center is shown during the period of its takeover and demise after 78 years of community service. 16mm, black and white, 60 min. New Day Films, 22 Riverview Ave., Wayne, NJ 07470, (201)633-0212.

TAKING OUR BODIES BACK: THE WOMEN'S HEALTH MOVEMENT. Explores ten critical areas of the women's health movement, showing women becoming aware of their rights in dealing with the medical industry. Dated but important. Cancer, medical research, the GYN exam, drug company attitudes, hysterectomy, care for women of color, informed consent. 16mm and 3/4" video, 33 min, color. Cambridge Documentary Films, Inc. P.O. Box 385, Cambridge, 02139, (617)354-3677. Rental fee $45.

Aging

SILENT PIONEERS: GAY AND LESBIAN ELDERS. Some older women of color and others discuss distinctive aging issues which confront lesbians and gay men. 16mm and video, 42 min., color. Filmaker's Library Inc, 133 E. 58th St., NY, NY 10022, (212)355-6545. Rental fee $65.

Childbirth Education in Cultural Contexts

MATERNIDAD. In Spanish, a Latino extended family participates in prenatal care and husband-coached delivery in an ABC. 16 mm or video, color, 10 min. Videograph, 2833 25th St., San Francisco, CA 94110, (415)282-6001. Rental fee $25.

DAR PECHO. In Spanish, focused on breastfeeding with special attention to modesty issues, maternal nutrition, and family support. 16 mm or video, color, 10 min. Videograph, 2833 25th St., San Francisco, CA 94110, (415)282-6001. Rental fee $25.

TAMIKA'S BIRTH. Story of a black family's experiences during pregnancy and birth including childbirth education, nutrition, breastfeeding, etc. 16 mm or video, color, 11 min. Videograph,
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PARTO POR CESAREA. In Spanish, story of a couple expecting a prepared vaginal birth who "end up" with a C-section. Emphasis on maintaining family-centered birth including father at C-section and both parents with baby. 16mm and video, color, 16 min. Videograph, 2833 25th St., San Francisco, CA 94110, (415)282-6001. Rental fee $25.

NUEVA VIDA. In Spanish. Both participants and some caregivers are Hispanic and Spanish-speaking. Story of a young father encouraging a friend to participate in the birth of his child by recounting his own positive experiences. Respectful of cultural traditions and extended family life. 16 mm and video, color, 14 min. Videograph, 2833 25th St., San Francisco, CA 94110, (415)282-6001. Rental fee $25.

BREASTFEEDING: A SPECIAL CLOSENESS. (1978). Black, Latina and white women describe their pleasure and the special intimacy of breastfeeding that go beyond its positive health effects. Family involvement in the effort and some difficulties women may encounter are also presented. 16 mm and video cassette, super 8, color, 23 min. Motion, Inc., 3138 Highland Pl., N.W., Washington, DC 20008, (202)363-9450. Rental fee $40.


SAFE AND NATURAL REMEDIES FOR DISCOMFORTS OF PREGNANCY. Available in English, Spanish, Cantonese and Vietnamese. Accompanied by an English script tailored specifically to the target audience. Describes effective, practical and safe alternatives to over-the-counter drugs for the relief of pregnancy discomforts. Color slide-tape program of 110 slides also available in video. Videograph, 2833 25th St., San Francisco, CA 94110, (415)282-6001. Rental fee $40.
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Incarcerated Women

INSIDE WOMEN INSIDE. A film about women prisoners including health issues. 16 mm, color, 28 min. Third World Newsreel, 335 W. 38th Street, 5th Floor, NY, NY 10018, (212)947-9277. Rental fee $40.


LOCKED UP AND LEFT OUT: MOTHERS IN PRISON. (1984). Reveals the emotional and physical trauma to imprisoned mothers and their children, and describes a solution attempted in the State of California. There are over 100,000 women incarcerated in the United States, of whom 80% are mothers. 3/4" VHS and Beta video, color, 40 min. University Media Services, California State University at Sacramento, 6000 J Street, Sacramento, CA 95819, (916)278-6611. Rental fee $45.

Occupational Health

WORKING FOR YOUR LIFE. (1980). Occupational health issues of women in 40 different workplaces of all types. Specific work hazards along with stress and exhaustion are discussed. 16mm, color, 45 min. Film Library, P.O. Box 315, Franklin Lakes, NJ 07417. Rental fee $65.

THE GLOBAL ASSEMBLY LINE. (1984). From Tennessee to Mexico, Silicon Valley to the Philippines, the lives and health issues of women on the global manufacturing assembly line are portrayed. The comparative absence of health regulations outside of the U.S. is noted. 16 mm, color, 58 min. New Day Films, 22 Riverview Dr., Wayne, NJ 07470-3191, (201)633-0212. Rental fee $100 plus shipping.

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Providers of Health Care

ALABAMA GRANNY MIDWIVES. (1984). Interviews with older Black Alabama midwives about their work and strategies for helping birthing mothers. Color documentary, 10 min., slide/tape or video only (3/4 or 1/2 "). Traditional Midwives Center International, P.O. Box 2466, East Orange, NJ 07018, (201)678-7674, evenings. Rental fee $25.

IN THE WAY OF OUR GRANDMOTHERS. (1982). Interviews with 4 midwives and descendants of midwives (of different ethnicities) about their practices and view of a midwife assisted birth. Beta or VHS, color, 26 min. Deborah Susie, 913 Willow Ave., Tallahassee, FL 32303, (904)222-3470. Rental fee $30.

DAUGHTERS OF TIME. (1981). Follows three American nurse-midwives to examine three trends in modern midwifery. The first runs an alternative birth center in a poor, Chicano area of rural Texas. All three providers are white. 16mm, color, 29 min. New Day Films, 22 Riverview Drive, Wayne NJ 07470, (201)633-0212.

MIDWIFE: WITH WOMAN. Traces the history of midwifery in America. Interviews with families, nurses and physicians about alternative childbirth experiences includes black women clients and providers. 16mm, color, 28 min. Fanlight Productions, 47 Halifax St., Boston, MA 02130, (617)524-0980. Rental fee $45.


ALL MY BABIES. (1952). A remarkable midwifery training film made for the Georgia Department of Public Health. Focuses on needs of and care given to poor rural Black women in the south during the 1950s. 16 mm, black and white. Available through Interlibrary loan from the National Library of Medicine (Call numbers WQ160 MP16 No. 1 and HF0929 02NLM). Rental fee $5.
Reproductive Health and Sexuality Issues


IT HAPPENS TO US. (1972). Made before the Supreme Court made abortion legal in 1973. Women of various ages, marital status and races tell about their illegal abortions, and a physician explains abortion procedures. The film gives an idea of what happens to women when abortion is illegal. 16mm film, color, 30 min. New Day Films, 22 Riverview Dr., Wayne, NJ 07470, (201)633-0212. Rental fee $40.

TRYING TIMES: CRISIS IN FERTILITY. Covers both the technical and emotional sides of infertility and includes minority women as clients. 16 mm or video, color, 33 min. Fanlight Productions, 47 Halifax St., Boston, MA 02130, (617)524-0980. Rental fee $45.

ABORTION (STORIES FROM NORTH AND SOUTH). A cross cultural survey across race, class and religious groups showing differences in practice in terms of access, danger and secrecy. Some historical background. 16 mm and video, color, 55 min. The Cinema Guild, 1697 Broadway, NY, NY 10019, (212)246-5522. Rental fee $100.

SICKLE CELL ANEMIA. Scientific information followed by an interview with a family in which parents were inadvertent carriers and children are variously affected. 16 mm or video, color, 22 min. Filmmaker's Library, Inc., 133 E. 58th St., NY, NY 10022, (212)355-6545. Rental fee $50.

THE ULTIMATE TEST ANIMAL. (1985). Documentary examining the injectible means of birth control Depo Provera used extensively in the Third World and promoter's fight to legalize its use as a contraceptive in the U.S. Shows women's experiences and activism to prevent its approval and international use. Raises important issues regarding both racism and sexism in health care. Video only, color, 40 min. Cinema Guild, 1697 Broadway, NY, NY 10019, (212)246-5522. Rental fee $55.

SUDDEN CHANGES: POST HYSTERECTOMY SYNDROME. (1986). Documentary focused on personal interviews with women and physicians about problems which some women confront after hysterectomy including lack of desire for sex, vaginal dryness,
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discomfort. Shows alternatives to hysterectomy in some situations. Video only, color, 29 min. Cinema Guild, 1697 Broadway, NY, NY 10019, (212)246-5522. Rental fee $50.

PERSONAL DECISIONS. (1986). Advocates safe abortions for all women. Interviews with women of different races about their experiences and need for abortion under varied life conditions. 16 mm and video, color, 30 min. Cinema Guild, 1697 Broadway, NY, NY 10019, (212)246-5522. Rental fee $50.

TAKING CHARGE. (1985). Teenage perspectives on birth control with an Hispanic physician and several teenagers discussing issues. 16 mm or video, color, 22 min. Fanlight Productions, 47 Halifax, Boston, MA 02130, (617)524-0980. Rental fee $50.


Self Image/Body Image

KILLING US SOFTLY--ADVERTISING'S IMAGE OF WOMEN. (1979). This film analyzes the $40 billion advertising industry aimed at influencing women's attitudes about their gender, bodies and self-esteem. Examples of sexist advertising designed to exploit, manipulate, and degrade women of different races in different ways. Color, 30 min. Cambridge Documentary Films,
TO LOVE, HONOR AND OBEY. Documentary focusing on the realities faced by women from varied racial and class backgrounds who have survived experiences of physical abuse by men. Social, cultural and psychological issues. 16 mm, color, 60 min, purchase price $80; Beta/VCR purchase price $85. Third World Newsreel, 335 W. 38th St., 5th Floor, NY, NY 10018, (212)947-9277.

SUZANNE, SUZANNE. Three generations of black women recount the legacy and complexities of domestic violence, drug abuse, and alcohol addiction in their households. 16 mm, black and white, 30 min. Third World Newsreel, 335 W. 38th St., 5th Floor, NY, NY 10018, (212)947-9277. Rental fee $50.

RAPE CULTURE. (1983). Interviews women and men of color and whites about attitudes about rape. Includes rape of women and rape of men in prison. 16 mm and 3/4" video, color, 35 min. Cambridge Documentary Films, P.O. Box 385, Cambridge, MA 02139, (617)354-3677. Rental fee $46 plus shipping.

WHY WOMEN STAY. Documentary examines the complex reasons why women remain in violent homes and exposes the social structures that victimize women and contribute to their abuse. 3/4" video, black and white, 30 min. Women Make Movies, Inc., 225 Lafayette St., Suite 212, New York, NY 10012, (212)925-0606. Rental fee $40.

WAKING UP TO RAPE. A documentary focused on three women's (2 are women of color) experiences including social, psychological and other consequences. Focus on empowering women to cope with rape. 16 mm and video (3/4" and VHS), color, 30 min. Women Make Movies, Inc., 225 Lafayette St., Suite 212, NY, NY 10012, (212)925-0606. Rental fee $60.

GIVE IT ALL YOU'VE GOT. Focus on five women of different races who have taken a self-defense class and used these techniques to successfully deter an assault. 16 mm or video, color, 16 min. UCSF Rape Prevention Educational Program, Women's Resource Center, 1308 Third Ave., San Francisco, CA 94143, (415)476-5222. Rental fee $20.
SELECTED EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES ON WOMEN OF COLOR

RESEARCH AND RESOURCE CENTERS

Bethune Museum-Archives National Historical Site
1318 Vermont Ave., NW
Washington, D.C. 20005

Black Careers Women's Center
200 Walnut St., Suite 804
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Center for Research on Women
Memphis State University
Memphis, TN 38152

Center for the Study, Education and Advancement of Women
University of California at Berkeley
Berkeley, CA 94720

Center for Women's Identity Studies
Chicago State University
95th & King Dr
Chicago, IL 60628

Council on Interracial Books for Children
1841 Broadway Ave
New York, NY 10025

CHOYI Resource Center for American Indian and Alaska Natives
National Women's Program Development
2301 Midwestern Parkway, Suite 214
Wichita Falls, TX 76308

Minority Women's Program
Wellesley College Center for Research on Women
Wellesley, MA 02181

Moorland-Spingarn Research Center
Howard University
Washington, D.C. 20059

National Council of Negro Women, Women's Center
Suite 201, 198 Broadway Ave
New York, NY 10038

National Institute for Women of Color
1712 N St., NW
Washington, D.C. 20036

Women's Resource Center
Aguedilla Regional College
University of Puerto Rico
Box 160
Ramey, PR 00604

Women's Institute of the Southeast
% African American Women's Studies Project
Atlanta University
642 Beckwith Street
Atlanta, GA 30314

Women's Research and Resource Center
Spelman College
Atlanta, GA 30314

PUBLISHERS

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P.O. Box 192
Temple Hills, MD 20748

Aware: Research Journal by and about African Women
Anthony Associates, Inc.

2622 Georgia Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20001

Black World Foundation
P.O. Box 908
Sausalito, CA 94965

Conditions
P.O. Box 56
Van Brunt Station
Brooklyn, NY 11215

The Feminist Press
Box 334
Old Westbury, NY 11568

Kitchen Table Women of Color Press
Box 592
Van Brunt Station
Brooklyn, NY 11215

The Naiad Press, Inc.
P.O. Box 10543
Tallahassee, FL 32302

Sage Women's Educational Press, Inc.
P.O. Box 42741
Atlanta, GA 30311

Women Educational Equity Act Publishing Center
Education Development Center, Inc
55 Chapel Street
Newton, MA 02160

Women's International Resource Exchange
2700 Broadway
New York, NY 10025

SPECIAL PROJECTS AND ORGANIZATIONAL EFFORTS

African-American Family History Association
2077 Ben Creek Way, SW
Atlanta, GA 30311

Contact Carole Merritt

African American Studies Project
Atlanta University
Atlanta, GA 30314

Contact Eleanor Hinton Hoyt and Shelby Lewis

Black Studies, Women's Studies Curriculum
Integration Project
English Department
University of Massachusetts
Amherst, MA 01003

Contact Margot Culley

Black Women and the Church Project
Interdenominational Theological Center
Atlanta, GA 30314

Contact Jacquelyn Grant

Black Women in the Mid-West Project
Purdue University
Department of History
University Hall
West Lafayette, IN 47907

Contact Darlene Clark Hine

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The Center for Research on Women at Memphian University was founded in 1982 with an initial grant from the Ford Foundation. The major objectives of the Center are to conduct, promote, and advance research on women of color in the United States and Southern women. To that end we have worked closely with scholars in these developing fields as well as with faculty and students who need information on these groups of women.

From the beginning, we at the Center have been aware of the difficulties in locating social science and historical materials on these groups. The interdisciplinary nature of women's studies complicates the research process for many students, teachers and scholars. The research process is often further complicated because materials on women of color and Southern women are frequently located in journals and publications which are not indexed in many of the major on-line data bases. To address these problems and to aid in locating and disseminating research on women of color and Southern women, the Center for Research on Women developed the Research Clearinghouse.

The Research Clearinghouse on Women of Color and Southern Women is designed to provide scholars, educators, students, policy makers, and the general public with up-to-date bibliographic and human resource information on research which focuses on these two groups of women. This project was initially funded in 1984 by the U.S. Department of Education's Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE).

The Clearinghouse is a computer-based information retrieval system. It includes three major files: (1) a "human resource file" of individual researchers containing such information as institutional affiliation, areas of research interests, published and unpublished work, etc.; (2) an indexed file of full bibliographic citations for works focusing on these groups of women; and (3) a thesaurus type vocabulary of keyword descriptors to enhance the utility of the system.

The Clearinghouse covers social science research produced since 1975 in the fields of sociology, anthropology, economics, political science, history, women's studies, ethnic studies, social psychology and education. The Center collects information on research from a variety of sources including individual researchers, organizations (e.g., ethnic and women's studies centers), bibliographies, and so forth. The data base currently contains 2,500+ up-to-date references to books, journal articles, chapters in books, unpublished works (including doctoral dissertations) and non-print materials.
Until now, there has been no centralized data base of information on women of color and Southern women. Although placement of these groups has been incorporated into some existing data bases, they tend to be limited in any of the following ways: they are restricted to information in certain disciplines; lack information about unpublished or in-progress work; are organized so that information is not retrievable by race, class, gender and region; or contain limited references about research, and no information about researchers working in these areas.

The Research Clearinghouse defines women of color to include Native American Indians; Afro-Americans (West Indian Americans, African immigrants to the United States, etc.); Latinas (Puerto Ricans, Mexicans, Cubans, and other women of Latin origin); Asian Americans (Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Thai, and other women of Asian origin); and Pacific Islanders (Filipinas, Hawaiians, Tongans, etc.). Southern women include women from Washington, DC and from the following states: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia.

In addition to identifying citations from recently published books, leading journals, and many publications not routinely covered by other bibliographic services, a National Advisory Board of over twenty social scientists and historians monitor the new research in their fields and recommend entries for the data base. Each reference in the data base is indexed by up to eight keyword descriptors according to terms employed by the National Council for Research on Women's The Women's Index, a women's studies thesaurus. This thesaurus was developed as a collaborative project of women's research centers across the nation including our Center.

In conjunction with the Research Clearinghouse, the Curriculum Integration Project focuses on disseminating information to Memphis and Mid South area college faculty as well as other faculty across the nation. This is accomplished with the monthly "Seminar on Women in the Curriculum", which is held throughout the academic year. At the end of May, the project hosts the "Annual Workshop on Women in the Curriculum", a 3-day event which demonstrates the Research Clearinghouse data base; provides teachers, faculty and administrators with the opportunity to revise course(s) either being taught or created; and introduces innovative resources for classroom use (e.g., films, visual aids, etc.). The Clearinghouse has recently published the keynote addresses from the 1985 and 1986 Workshops, which are now available for purchase.

For information on Clearinghouse resources, requesting a search, becoming a part of the human resource file, or curriculum workshops, call or write the Research Clearinghouse, c/o Center for Research on Women, at the address above.
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III. F. NEW CURRICULAR MATERIALS IN WOMEN'S HEALTH

New bibliographies, syllabi and teaching materials are now available for graduate and undergraduate teaching and research in social science, health education and women's studies courses. Materials are appropriate for instruction in community colleges, universities and schools in the health professions.

MINORITY WOMEN, HEALTH AND HEALING IN THE U.S.: SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY & RESOURCES

A new bibliography on health issues of minority women, it includes sections on Black, Hispanic, Native American and Asian women. Topics include overviews, history, health status, health beliefs and behavior, utilization, policy, reproduction, sexuality, maternal and child health, mental health, minority women as providers of health care, comparative and reference works.

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TEACHING MATERIALS ON WOMEN, HEALTH AND HEALING

Short articles focus on developing courses appropriate to varied institutions, integrating minority women's health issues into diverse curricula, teaching sensitive policy issues and pedagogical materials.

These curricular materials were developed by Virginia Olesen, Adele Clarke, and Patricia Anderson of UCSF with Sheryl Ruzek of Temple University. Support was provided by the Fund for the Improvement of Post-Secondary Education (DOE), the Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences, and the School of Nursing (UCSF).

DOCTORAL EDUCATION IN WOMEN, HEALTH AND HEALING AT UCSF

The Graduate Program in Sociology, UCSF, offers a track in women, health and healing for doctoral students. Information may be obtained from Susan Benner, Graduate Program in Sociology, Department of Social & Behavioral Sciences, School of Nursing, N-631-Y, University of California, San Francisco, CA 94143, (415) 476-3047.
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