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## Summary Information

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### Cite as:

Mary Starke Harper papers, Barbara Bates Center for The Study of The History of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania
Biography/History

Mary Starke Harper, RN, PhD, FAAN (1919-2006), devoted her 60-year career to nursing and leadership in health policy posts. Born in rural Alabama the oldest of eight children, Harper aspired to be a nurse from an early age and earned a nursing diploma from Tuskegee University in 1941. She received a bachelor’s degree in education (1950) and a master’s degree in nursing education with a psychiatric nursing clinical specialty (1952), both from the University of Minnesota, where she was the first African American graduate and nursing instructor of the school of nursing. In addition, she completed a doctorate in clinical psychology and medical sociology at St. Louis University (1963).

In the 1940s, Harper participated in the infamous Tuskegee syphilis study without being informed of the full nature of the study. When the details of the study became public in 1972, Harper expressed her outrage and became an advocate for improving the informed consent process for studies supported with government funds. In the same year, Harper began working at the National Institute of Health’s National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH). She was instrumental in organizing the first NIMH Minority Fellowship program and went on to direct the program. Subsequently, Harper served as an advisor on mental health and aging for Presidents Carter, Reagan, G.H. W. Bush, and Clinton. Following her formal retirement in 1995, Harper served on the National Institute of Aging’s National Advisory Council and as a board member or advisor to numerous other organizations, foundations, and universities. Harper died in 2006.

Scope and Contents

The collection consists primarily of research files which Dr. Harper assembled from 1972-1988, when she held leadership posts at the National Institute of Mental Health, and read, spoke, and wrote widely on all facets of geropsychiatric nursing and the care of the minority elderly. The files contain texts of many of the 180 articles and 5 books in which Dr. Harper addressed issues ranging from overmedication, institutional mistreatment, and undiagnosed mental illness as problems among the elderly, drawing insights from her own long career as a nurse educator, researcher, and colleague of many thousands of health professionals who benefitted from the NIH’s Minority Fellowship Program which she directed. In addition to the manuscript files, the collection contains hundreds of pamphlets and other printed items. Together these materials represent an enormously valuable resource for understanding the development of geriatric nursing; the emergent awareness of specific illnesses of the elderly such as Alzheimer’s; and one nurse leader’s unceasing efforts to learn more about the needs of elderly African American, Native American, and Asian American populations.
Administrative Information

University of Pennsylvania, Barbara Bates Center for the Study of The History of Nursing
Finding aid prepared by Gail E. Farr, updated by Bethany Myers.

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## Collection Inventory

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Speech-Healthy aging congressional briefing.

Congressional briefing “Health aging: a research-based overview for policy makers”—copy of speech “special issues for older women – the needs of women of color” by MSH.

Race, ethics & health care: speaking truth to power, a community forum agenda and handwritten notes.

Speech-Pine Bluff Arkansas.

Steel magnolias: focus on urban African-American older women, 1995 white house conference on aging. A final report.

“Future of ethnic curriculum and research in the United States” by MSH.

Proclamation of Dec 5, 1998 as “Dr. Mary S. Harper’s Day”.

First annual scholarship and awards banquet sponsored by Pine Bluff Arkansas Black Nurses’ Association.
Ethical issues on mental health research from a minority perspective – MSH.

Senior beacon newspaper Vol 4 No 8.

Cover story of Innovations in Aging (Issue IV 1997) – High quality mental healthcare for seniors? We still have a long way to go – conversation with MSH by Elizabeth Joyce.

Meet Mary Harper-Interview from journal of psychosocial nursing 1993 Vol 31 No 8.

Research: Minority-human experimentation.

National minority conference on human experimentation-Ethical Issues on mental health research from a minority perspective – MS.

Copy of Caring for the Special Aging Feb 1996 Vol 3 No 4 – Needs of Minorities by MSH.

Copies of speeches/presentation by MSH.

Serving the elderly chronically mentally ill at International Assoc. of Psychosocial Rehabilitation Services.

Mental health and older adult.

Grantsmanship and some funding resources presented at Univ. of Illinois at Chicago.

Depression in the elderly presented at Pennsylvania Association of Non-profit homes for the aging.

Aging mentally handicapped Mississippians presented at Boswell Retardation Center.

Interdisciplinary education for the health sciences/disciplines and contemporary issues in the care of the elderly presented at Norfolk Community Hospital Interdisciplinary Rotation Team Members.
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<td>Psychosocial isolation: behavioral, social and mental disorders in</td>
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**Book chapters by MSH.**

| Chapter 13: Statistics, quantitative methods, and grantsmanship: methodological adequacy of research grant applications. |                                                                        |
| Chapter 12: Mental Health and mental health services in book, Services to the Aging and Aged. |                                                                        |

**Manuscripts by MSH for books.**


Manuscripts by MSH for journals.

Mental health of the black elderly – manuscript to be published in Dimensions newsletter of the American Society on Aging.

Mental health/mental illness of the elderly who are homeless – manuscript to be published for Journal of the Association for Black Nursing Faculty in Higher Education.

Challenge for Vocational Education to prepare workers to care for an aging population, to be published in Jan 1990 issue of Vocational Education Journal.

Geropsychiatric Nursing – for publication in OASIS.

Psychogeriatric Nursing – for Provider’s Magazine Nov 1990.

References on loneliness compiled by MSH.

Health of the elderly --- an agenda issue for the eighties by MSH.


Special populations in extended care facilities: psychosocial and cultural perspectives.

Psychosocial care for racial and ethnic minority elderly by Marion E. Primas and Mary S. Harper.

Public policy and long term care: domestic and international perspective – MSH.

Drugs and the elderly: use and misuse - MSH.

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Celebration of Life and Legacy of Dr. Mary S. Harper at Phenix City Intermediate School.

Calendar made with photos from reception at Phenix City School.

NYU Steinhardt School of Education division of Nursing alumni association present eleventh annual Estelle Osborne recognition ceremony with Mary S. Harper as guest speaker.

American Academy of Nursing; designated as Living Legend.

REACH Boston Elders 2010.

Health report on the elderly.
Warren Conference Center & Inn.
Pamphlets on dedication for the Mary Starke Harper Geriatric Psychiatric Center.

Photos from a conference in Staples packet.

Correspondence from Mary M. Edmonds from Stanford University with photo of them together.

Correspondence from President George W. Bush with his photo with message thanking for support of the Republican National Committee.

Print out of Nursing World | Minority Fellowship Program website of celebrating Black History Month with salute to Dr. Mary Starke Harper.

Congressional briefing “Healthy aging: a research based overview for policy makers”.

Stanford Geriatric Education Center honoring Dr. Mary Harper (invitation print out).

Medical University of South Carolina commencement (honorary degree).

Dedication of the Mary Starke Harper Geriatric Psychiatry Center Workshops.

Brief resume of Mary Starke Harper.

National Centers of Excellence in Women’s Health: minority women’s health initiative November 1999.

ANA Conventions Awards: Mary S. Harper as 1978 recipient of Mary Mahoney Award.

Newspaper of The Tuscaloosa News (Vol 182 No 31) with Mary S. Harper article front page.

Black and white photos of Mary S. Harper and other people.

Section of Mary S. Harper featured in Monitor On Psychology.

Copies of Brief resume.
A cold matter of neglect article copies.

Correspondences from Benjamin Roy.

Veterans Administration (1962) VAH Montrose – White House Conf/Regional.

Newspaper scraps of Montrose V.A.

Workshop seminar.


Vulnerable populations.

Written notes on mental health of the vulnerable elderly.

Mental health of the vulnerable elderly –Mary Starke Harper.

Suicide among the elderly presented at conference by Mary S. Harper.

Training: Health care and the educational process –Mary S. Harper.

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Retirement.

Flyer of Mary Harper’s Retirement.

Documents related to her salary, federal employment, claim for veteran preference.

Copies of her retirement speech.

Farewell from VAH, Montrose, NY 1970.


Correspondences, notes, and letters from people saying farewell for her retirement.

Newspaper scraps of Harper’s retirement.

Newspaper featuring Harper “Speakers focus on nursing improvements”.

Correspondence from PANPHA accepting her proposal regarding Aging Issues/Gerontology into the program.

APA Monitor newspaper (Oct 1999), The Birmingham News newspaper (Wed 9 2001), MetroState newspaper (May 8 2001), and Columbus Ledger-Enquirer newspaper (Nov 7 2005).

Mental Health Association.

NMHA Affiliate Update.

State of Alabama Dept. of Mental Health and Mental Retardation.

NMHA Memorandum.

NMHA affiliate directory.

2001 Delegate Assembly.

Office of Women’s Health.

National Women’s Health Information Center brochure.

Correspondence from Dept. of Health and Human Services informing selection to serve on its Minority Women’s Health Panel of Experts.

Fact Sheet U.S. Public Health Service’s Office on Women’s Health – Health of Minority Women.


NIMH.

Mental Health/Mental Illness (NIMH) Alzheimer’s Disease pamphlet.

NIMH Cerebrovascular Disease and Mental Disorders in Late Life (May 15 1998) notes.

Assessments.

Chapter 13 Office Assessment tools.

Measuring mental health, health, function, and coping in the chronically mentally ill elderly.

The rapid disability rating scale.

Neuropathologically validated scales for Alzheimer’s disease.


Diagnosis in psychiatry and the mental status examination.

Inventory of depressive symptomatology.

Alzheimer’s and Elderly.

Increasing number of older alcoholics puts new demands on treatment programs.
Many women 60 and older abuse alcohol and prescribed drugs, study says.

Alcohol use disorders in the elderly conference at Georgia Historical Black college and University - Center for Gerontology.

Aging No.362 1990 journal.

Review of the problems associated with screening instruments used for alcohol use disorders in the elderly.

Alcoholism and Elderly.

Notecards on alcoholism.

The Female Alcoholic by Judy Fraser.

A profile of alcohol and prescription drug abuse in a high-risk community-based elderly population.

The Alcoholic Women – AH&RW.

Preventing late-onset alcohol abuse in the elderly-a resiliency enhancement approach.

Abuse and Elderly.

How prevalent is nursing home abuse?.

Journal of elder abuse & neglect.

Aging.

VHA Criteria, standards, and guidelines for VA psychogeriatric programs.

Ageing international, global ageing: challenges and opportunities of the next century.
AAIA Board meeting agenda and notes.

AAIA financial statements and report of independent certified public accountants.

Alone.

The commonwealth fund. Who are the elderly people living alone? A fact sheet.

Aging Alone: profiles and projections – a report of the Commonwealth Fund Commission on elderly people living alone.

Elderly people who live alone – figures.

Literature review: loneliness, depression and social support of caregivers of spouses with Alzheimer’s disease or a related disorder.

Components of burden: interventive implications.

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Album titled “My Retirement”.

Photos from her retirement event.

A card from George congratulating her on the hospital opening.

2 photographs of babies, written “Eli Stuart Lobowitz 7 mos” on the back of one, and “Raura Harvest Lebowitz 15 mos” on the back of another.

Correspondence from Department of Health and Human Services congratulating MSH on the dedication of the Mary Starke Harper Geriatric Psychiatric Center in Tuscaloosa.
**MSH Congress Records/Nurse Leader/My app’t to VA.**


Copies of ADAMHA HONOR AWARD recipients. MSH is one of them.

Copies of Medical Publishing News from Pergamon Press—“Geriatric Drug Use—Clinical and Social Perspectives”.

Scrap and photo copies of Aging Newspaper, “Roots of elderly ills hard to trace, treat”.

Copies of “Concerns about nursing homes: overmedication of residents, poorly trained staffers, sterility of environment (no plants, no pets)—these are a few of the things that worry an expert on care for the elderly” written by Millie Ball (MSH was interviewed).

Correspondence from the Times-Picayune writer Millie Ball saying she hopes MSH approves of the story and that she enjoyed meeting with MSH. Enclosed newspaper scraps of other stories Millie Ball wrote (“Creativity blossoms in the 80s”).

School Highlights of Tuskegee University School of Nursing and Allied Health, highlighting the research funding for project “Nursing Experience with Rural Black Elderly Females,” and MSH as the Research Chair.

The Elvireita Lewis Foundation Elder Press – Spring 1986 newsletter.

Copies of correspondence regarding her position as Junior Graduate Nurse and salary of $1620 per annum.

The American Nurses’ Association ethnic/racial minority fellowship programs and cabinet of human rights sponsor Women’s Honors in Public Service luncheon—MSH as one of the honorees.

Copy of MSH recognition of 40 years’ service as an employee of the Government of the U.S.A. (Dept. of Health and Human Services).
“NIDA Staff Provide Support for Free Clinics Meeting”—highlight on MSH.

“Must focus on elderly, expert says” by Rhonda Pines; expert is MSH.

Staff News—NIMH staffer honored for 40 years of Achievements, highlight on MSH.

Copies of the Profile of MSH.

MSH profile in Nursing’86, November.

Geriatric Update (Vol II No 2, Spring 1987)—highlighting the speakers including MSH.

Florida Chapter Spring Conference program.

Dr. Mary Starke Harper Distinguished Nurse Scholar in the diploma cover.

Correspondence from Tuskegee University congratulating MSH on her retirement.

Rural Aging.

Elevating the Voices of Rural Minority Women article.

Chapter 9 of Health services for rural elders, “Mental and Social health of the rural elderly”.

Telepsychiatry and Geriatric Care.

Newspaper scraps about TB rates, medicare cuts, approval of use of Prozac in children, surgery reducing traffic risks, and reduction of stroke risk by fish consumption.

NIMH rural mental health research—Fact Sheet.

A better test for heart risk? From Consumer Reports on health.

Powerpoint slides of “an introduction to dementia care mapping” by Louise Crawford Mead.

Rural/Urban residence and the aging population.

Rural mental health Winter 2002 publication.

Family Caregiver Alliance-National center on caregiving.

Alzheimer’s.

Psychiatric Complications of Dementia – Dementia Education and Training Program.

Program of activities of daily living for the cognitively impaired.

Learning about Alzheimer’s disease pamphlet.

Alzheimer’s Disease fact sheet.

Dementia-education notes for community nurses (commonwealth dept. of veteran’s affairs).

Progress report on Alzheimer’s Disease.

Guide for understanding and caring for person with Alzheimer’s.

The calcium rationale in Alzheimer’s Disease.

A 30 week randomized controlled trial of high-dose tacrine in patients with Alzheimer’s disease.

Family information manual for Alzheimer’s Disease.

Alzheimer’s Disease: causes, treatment, diagnosis, assessment, behaviors, impact on family and care by health providers, family members and significant ones.
**Long term care/Nursing home.**

Correspondence from contemporary long term care congratulating MSH on being selected as one of “20 who made a difference”.

Trends in long-term care for the elderly.

**Survey of drug use and mental disorders in nursing homes presented at drug information association workshop by MSH.**

The president’s health plan and older persons: where do we fit in? A special report from United Seniors Health Cooperative.

**1993 white house conference on aging – multidisciplinary mental health working group, long-term care.**

20th anniversary for contemporary long term care (June 1998 journal).

**Medicare/Medicaid/Home Health Care/ QMB.**

**Public policy institute – Bridging the gaps between Medicare and Medicaid: the case if QMBs and SLMBs.**

Medicare reference guide for home health agencies coverage guidelines.

Learning about Medicare Health Plans…Six Steps to Choosing a Medicare Health Plan.
Family and caregiving.

Urban Research Review Vol. 11 No. 14 “Strong black families: research findings”.

Copy of Chapter 13: Stressful life events and illness: a research area in need of conceptual development.

Widows as a minority group.

The extended family as a source of support to elderly blacks.

Mental health support systems in black families, final report.

The black family fact or fantasy booklet.


The state-of-the-art of black family research: a review of black family research funded by the center for minority group mental health programs of the national institute of mental health.

A summary listening to America’s families; action for the 80’s (White House conference on families).

Families.

New Federalism: National Survey of America’s Families. “Beyond the Two-Parent Family: How Teenagers Fare in Cohabitng Couple and Blended Families”.

Copy of Chapter 2 The black family in American society.

The personnel and guidance journal, March 1977.
The Family Coordinator journal of education, counseling and services. Special Issue: aging in a changing family context.

Copy of A new look at black families, second edition.

Living language conversation manual—French basic course.

Gerontological—manuscripts.

Journal of Gerontological Nursing: editorial advisory board/review panel meeting agenda.


Filled out manuscript review forms.

Minority supplements.

Dept. of Health and Human Services, public health service, National institutes of health. NIMH. Program Announcement. MINORITY MENTAL HEALTH RESEARCH CENTERS.

ADAMHA research training and career development opportunities.

National institute on alcohol abuse and alcoholism. Request for Application MH-92-11. The role of the family in preventing and adapting to HIV infection and AIDS.

Copies of pages 10-11 from Social Policy, a letter to Thomas Jefferson.

**Health promotion.**


Copy of Healthy People 2000.

Staying healthy after 85: exercise, religion, and a positive attitude are the factors elders said most contributed to their longevity.

“Models that work” 1996 campaign with handwritten notes.

Newspaper scraps about helping children from broken homes.

**Heart diseases and the elderly.**


Addressing cardiovascular health in Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders: a background report.

Building healthy hearts for American Indians and Alaska Natives: a background report.


Multi-infarct vascular dementia folder # Multi-infarct dementia fact sheet # Progress report on Alzheimer’s Disease.

The ABC digest of urban cardiology Mar/April 1996 Vol.3 No. 2.

Creating community: public housing agency approached to integrating elderly and severely mentally ill persons in today’s public housing.

Federal Council on Aging.

The need for long term care information and issues: a chartbook of the federal council on the aging.

Summary of minutes quarterly meeting September 13-14, 1994.

Homeless men.

Photocopy of book, Old men of the bowery, strategies for survival among for homeless.

Copy of chapter 2: the homeless mentally ill and mental health services: an analytical review of the literature.

Mental health and aging.

Photocopy of the mentally ill Vol. 1 No. 6.

Occasional paper series – personal and social problems commonly experienced by older adults.

Photocopy of International journal of geriatric psychiatry Vol. 8 No. 1.

The interpersonal context of mental health interviews.

Mentally illness in the elderly.
Mental health and aging: clinical programs, problems and practice.

Alabama healthcare hall of fame fifth annual awards luncheon—MSH as one of the 2002 honorees.

Dedication for the Mary Starke Harper Geriatric Psychiatry Center pamphlet.

Commemorative resolution to bestow life-time fellowship to recognized “living legends” award to MSH.

Medicare policy.

Manual of psychiatric nursing care plans.

Consensus statement on the upcoming crisis in geriatric mental health.

GAO nursing homes—many shortcomings exist in efforts to protect residents from abuse.

Public policy folder.

Public policy institute—managed care and Medicare.

Public policy institute—Medicaid Estate recovery: a survey of state programs and practices.

Public policy institute—Reforming Medicare: strategies for higher quality, lower cost care.

Public policy institute—decisions, decisions: service allocation in home and community-based long-term care programs. A four-state analysis.

Public policy institute—estimated cost savings from the use of home and community based alternatives to nursing facility care in three states.

Public policy institute—pre-retirement pension distributions in the health and retirement study.
Public policy institute-determining the need for long-term care services: an analysis of health and functional eligibility criteria in Medicaid Home and Community Based Waiver Programs.


Media.

2000 media guide to health care experts pamphlet.

Beyond the headlines: how the media cover women’s health issues.

The Woodhull study on nursing and the media: health care’s invisible partner, final report.

Television and behavior: ten years of scientific progress and implications for the eighties Vol. I summary report.

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Manpower in Aging.

Analysis and Planning for Improved Distribution of Nursing Personnel and Services.

Coalition on Mental Health and Aging.

Minutes from the Coalition on Mental Health and Aging meeting.

Mentoring.

“Mentoring and the Minority Professor” article.

“Hidden Messages in the Pursuit of Equality” article.
Co-Morbidity.

The Health Consequences of Multiple Morbidity in the Elderly.

Correspondence from James E. Birren on priority topics on aging and elderly.


Nursing Academy.

American Academy of Nursing application for AAN Fellowship.


Manpower.

Physician Manpower Needs in Geriatrics: Projections and Recommendations.


Memory Problem Checklist Pamphlet.

Mental Health Managed Care and Workforce Training Project Final Report.

Copies of older adult panel report.
Minority Mental Health Services Research Conference Proceedings.

White House Conference on Aging: American Indian Elderly Issues.

Minority Elderly: Articles and reports on elderly issues in African-Americans.

Asian Elderly.

- Research papers on Asian-American elderly on disabilities, ethnic attitudes, health services, and intergenerational relations.


Martha Mohler Nurse Staffing.

- Letter from Martha Mohler.

- Articles on shortages of staffing in hospital, nurse mistake-related deaths, and nursing home staffing and quality relations.

Loose materials.

- The Challenges of Diversity article.

- RCMAR Outline and Report.

- Mental Health: Culture, Race, and Ethnicity: a supplement to mental health: a report of the surgeon general article.

- Access to Primary Care: The role of race and income article.

- Articles on Mental Health and minority elders.
Diverse Voices: The Inclusion of Language-Minority Populations in National Studies: Challenges and Opportunities.

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