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Summary Information

Repository
University of Pennsylvania: Barbara Bates Center for the Study of The History of Nursing

Creator
Murillo-Rohde, Ildaura, 1920-2010 -- Archives

Title
Ildaura Murillo-Rohde papers

Call number
MC 172

Date [inclusive]
1930-2005

Extent
23 linear feet

Language
English

Language of Materials note
Languages in this collection are English, Spanish and German.

Abstract
Ildaura Murillo-Rohde (1920-2010) was a psychiatric nursing leader. This collection is unprocessed. A preliminary inventory is given here. Please contact the Center for more information.

Cite as:
Dr. Ildaura Murillo-Rohde papers, Barbara Bates Center for The Study of The History of Nursing, School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania
Biography/History

Ildaura Murillo-Rohde was born on September 6, 1920, in Panama and passed away on September 5, 2010, also in Panama. Coming from a family of health professionals, she first decided to pursue a career in medicine. Because of WW II, she opted for nursing to “join the army and help.” She received her diploma from the Medical and Surgical Hospital School of Nursing in San Antonio, Texas, in 1948. While in nursing school she became interested in psychiatric nursing, obtaining a BA from Teachers College, Columbia University in teaching and supervision of psychiatric nursing. She then received an MA from Columbia University in teaching and curriculum development Psychiatric Nursing in 1953. This was followed by an M. Ed. in Education and Administration from Columbia in 1969. In 1971 she obtained a Ph.D. from New York University in Higher Education in Psychiatric Nursing and Sociology. She later studied at the Institute of Psychotherapy and Psychoanalysis as a basis for a clinical practice in psychotherapy and marriage and family therapy.

She held academic, administrative and consulting positions in several states including Bellevue Hospital School of Nursing in New York City; Wayne County General Hospital, Eloise, Michigan; University of Washington School of Nursing, Seattle, Washington; University of Puerto Rico; University of Antioquia, Columbia; New York Medical College; City University of New York; and finally as Dean and Professor Emerita, State University of New York. She was associated with professional organizations and their activities wherever her teaching career took her.

Dr. Murillo-Rohde was instrumental in founding the National Association of Hispanic Nurses (NAHN) in 1975, when it became apparent the ANA was not meeting the needs of Latina nurses. It evolved from the Ad Hoc Committee of the Spanish-Speaking/Spanish Surname Nurses’ Caucus formed in 1974. In her name, this organization now sponsors an award in any distinguished scholarship area and/or nursing education and a scholarship for Hispanic Students enrolled in a nursing program leading to licensure.

Wherever Dr. Murillo-Rohde found herself, she became active in local issues pertaining to nursing education, AIDS, cancer care, marriage and family therapy, family relations, and cultural diversity. She was influenced by Dr. Hildegard Peplau’s interpersonal theory of nursing when she did her masters and bachelors work at Columbia. Dr. Murillo-Rohde felt that this theory blended well with her own ideas: the concepts of community, respect, optimism and belief in the client being inherent in cross cultural nursing.

Dr. Murillo-Rohde passed away on September 5, 2010 in her native country of Panama.
Scope and Contents

This collection reflects the many facets of Dr. Murillo-Rohde’s interests, activities, and her involvement in local and international arenas. Her philosophy ultimately developed while working with Dr. Hildegard Peplau whose theory of nursing influenced Dr. Murillo-Rohde’s beliefs.

Her philosophy quoted from “Contemporary Minority Leaders in Nursing: Afro American, Hispanic, Native American Perspectives” ANA, 1983 reads: “I believe that nursing is the compassionate, effective, and humane care given by one who is educated and trained in the art and science of nursing to someone who is in need of help because of problems in health or in activities of his daily life. Nursing at its highest level encompasses the teaching of the individual to know his body and its functions for the maintenance and promotion of health and prevention of disease. Self-care can be, and is, very efficacious when people are encouraged and guided to learn to care for themselves, whenever possible…Recognition of human variation is basic to sensitive and effective nursing care and outcomes.”

This collection outlines the various steps in the formation of National Association of Hispanic Nurses (NAHN) and demonstrates Dr. Dr. Murillo-Rohde’s response and action to a perceived need.

She traveled extensively outside of the United States at the request of diverse organizations also in response needs her field.

Administrative Information

University of Pennsylvania, Barbara Bates Center for the Study of The History of Nursing
Finding aid prepared by Donna Ostroff and Christine Rohaly.

Access Restrictions

This collection is unrestricted.

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Immediate Source of Acquisition note

Gift of Patrocinia Murillo, 2011.
Processing Information note

This is a preliminary inventory of the papers of Dr. Ildaura Murillo-Rohde. Twenty-two oversize cartons were received in June-July 2011 (Acc. No. 2011.14). The material has been inventoried in this preliminary list in order to make the files accessible to the donor and to interested researchers until a more thorough processing project can be undertaken. They were received in no particular order and re-boxed, with books, scrap books, and photo albums separated, in a sequence from 1 to 35. Acid-free folders replaced damaged folders. Books are currently located in Room 2015 Suite 2U. They are in the process of being entered into a separate database.

Controlled Access Headings

Form/Genre(s)

- Personal papers

Occupation(s)

- Nurse

Personal Name(s)

- Murillo-Rohde, Ildaura, 1920-2010

Subject(s)

- Nurses, Hispanic American
- Psychiatric nursing
## Collection Inventory

**IMR.0001.**

- Paper of Inez J. Luna.
- Sexuality.
- DISS Statistics Scores.
- Staffing.
- Book.
- Trends.
- Marriage Counseling, N.J.
- NIMH Grant Letter.
- Campus.
  - “Welcome” Open House for new home, soiled white with black lettering, spine broken, personal.


Job.

AIPP Transcript.

Insurance AAMTC.

Certification.


Test for Marriage.

University of Washington.

IMR.0002.

Personal items. nursing licenses; small photo albums; awards; plaques; business cards; ID cards from events; passports.

Small photo albums.

“Amer. Assoc. of Marriage & Family Counselors” Sign white letters on black, 5 11/12” x 2”.

IMR.0003.

Biographical information back of box.

NAHN files.

Misc. files.

IMR.0004.

Misc. files.

Diverse dates of professional teaching materials.

IMR.0005.

Misc. papers. Cancer nursing materials; misc. files; outline for thesis for Ph.D. for Dr. Murillo-Rohde; submission document for partial fulfillment of Ph.D. for Dr. Murillo-Rohde; “El Faro” and misc. newsletters; Hispanic Healthcare International; misc. ARTICLES; CLIPPINS IN Spanish; conferences; letters 1979 – 1983; papers from university degree work; workshops; correspondence 1980.

“History of Hispanic Nurses Organizations” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

Care of Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Mentorship for Career Development and Professional Leadership” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Mentorship for Career Development and Mobility for Hispanic Nurses” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Stages Factores Culturales que Afectan la Vida de la Pareja,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Marriage and Family,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.


“Marriage Counseling with only One Spouse,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

IMR.0006.

Misc. papers and items. Awards; conferences; certificates; letters 1989; magazines; newspaper clippings; course materials for degrees; correspondence 1979; “Training Course for Hispanic Nurses In the Prevention and Early Identification of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Problems,”; Walden University orientation binder;.


“Psychiatric Mental Health with Unique Populations: Elderly, Retarded, Gays, Blacks, Hispanics,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

IMR.0007.

Misc. papers and items. Cancer nursing; articles; newsletters; Project Hope report; letters 19865; course materials; Gorosh letter; letters 1991; NAHN photos dated 2002; book review; trip reports; biographical materials; UNICEF materials; letters 1985; NAHN Planning 1986; letters 2000-2002;
psych materials some in Spanish; directory orders; Cancer Conference 1986; ORTHO documents; sponsor student to come to US to study 1982; letters 1985; personal professional letters 1980-5;.

NAHN Membership Roster; NAHN Incorporation.

“The Nurse as Family Therapist,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

IMR.0008.

Misc. personal and professional items. This box contains many diverse items both personal and professional. A small photo album; many loose photos probably dating from 1970s; other older photos; a printing plate with a portrait; a wooden desk sign, CVs. It appears to be many items packed together randomly. Texts are both Spanish and English. File folders are labeled on bottom of files. Contents of some folders do not correspond to labels.


IMR.0009.


2 binders with professional information including grade transcripts.

File labeled family therapy course N503.
Nurses cap, round, 6” in diameter, stiff white, pleated with black velvet ribbon.

IMR.0010.

“Procedures in Family Therapy” by Brock, Gregory W. and Barnard, Charles P., Allyn and Bacon, Inc., many underlines.

Chapel Hill 4/94.

Folder with several versions of CV. To 1980's.


Santa Fe 9/96.


Loose papers, letters, and misc.

Misc. papers. FOCUS newsletters; misc. files; ANA Affirmative Action Task Force Meeting 1975; clippings in Spanish; Psch papers; SUNY Self-evaluation report for BS program; .

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<td>&quot;Child- Rearing and Parenting Practices of Mainland Puerto Rico” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.</td>
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<td>“Some Theoretical and Practical Considerations for the Practice of Family Therapy,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.</td>
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"Prevention of Role Fatigue in Ourselves and Staff,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Biculturalism in Nursing Education: Implications for Practice and Research in the United States and Mexico,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Does Marriage have a Future?” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Sexual Problems of the Post-Coronary Patient,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“A Personal Approach to Family Therapy,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

"Spanish Speaking Psychiatric Nursing Manpower in the United States; A Report,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Curriculum Development and Inclusion Content to Insure Quality Nursing Care to all Consumer,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Study on Functions of Psychiatric Attendants,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

“Responsabilidad y Obligacion de los Profesionales de Enfermeria de Expresar el Sentimiento de la Profesaiobns y Asegurar los Derechos de la Enfermera,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.


Annual reports Downstate Medical; Center College of Nursing 198-2 and 1984-5, 1980-1985.


‘Family Therapy with Variant (Non-traditional) Families,” by Dr. Murillo-Rohde.

IMR.0012.

Medal of Honor American Biographical Institute, gold with dark blue ribbon, 1986, black velvet presentation box, 3 1/2” x 4 1/2”, 1986.

Business cards, name tags.


Photo album, color and B/W prints, professional and private, some labels, circa 1970’s, c. 1970s.

File with information on Cuna Indians of Panama.

Inter Department envelope with B/W photos and misc. information.

“Our Wedding” white imitation leather 8” x 10 3/4” with silver lettering, photos included with telegrams and messages.

Black binder “American Association of Marriage and Family Counselors” undated.


Misc. professional magazines.


Misc. loose papers and letters.

File Promotion materials.

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**IMR.0013.**

Pleated, sheer nurses cap, round with black velvet ribbon.


File Ed. In Latin America. Panama.


Abstracts & Presentations.

First National Hispanic Nurse Symposium Proceedings.


Promotion.


Group Work.


Chapter 7.

Personal photographs B/W and color.

Florence Nightingale and the First Organized Delivery of Nursing Services 19874.

Family Therapy with various Families, Russia 1982, 1982.

Ass’t to the Dean Candidate Lucina Antrim.

Family Systems Diagram – Indian.

Castillo.

Master Plan Briefing 8/21/84, 1984.

Elderly Book.


Testimony at Hearings.

DHDE Papers for the Public.

Teacher Instrument.

Family Focused Health Care N559.

Misc. convention brochures and booklets.

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International Congress of Psychodrama.


Misc. newsletters, letters, papers.


Folder NAHN.


Minority Nurses Coalit.


FTU.

Misc. letters, journals, folders and loose Christmas cards, etc.
**IMR.0015-IMR.0018.**

Scrap books and photo albums.

**IMR.0019.**

3 scrap books.

Willem Busch Book, in German, red cover with front cover detached, gold (tarnished) edging on top pages.

3 History of Nursing Posters with photographs in color documenting history.

Sony Video Cassette KC-60 “Nurses Role in Changing Mental Health Programs.”.

Sony Video Cassette KC-30, “Nursing Assessment with the Parents of a Newborn Part III. By Maurice Erickson.

Sony Video Cassette KC-60, “Nursing in Psychiatry” and “Nurse in Family Therapy.”.

VHS, T 120, “The Dean’s Hour: Nursing Hispanic Health Care – An Indiana Perspective.”.


VHS, Nursing Approach, Program 3, TRT 26:50.


3 boxes color 35 mm. transparencies.
Magnetic Recording Tape Cartridge, C 120, “Drugs A”.

Ampex 361 C 60, “Drugs”.

“Talking with Puerto Rican Patients” Hospital Spanish 3 & 4.

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**IMR.0020.**

**Yearbooks, 1942-1985.**

Academia Mercantil Anuario 1942, 1942.

Placebo 1946, Medical and Surgical School of Nursing, 1946.

Placebo 1948, Medical and Surgical School of Nursing, 1 copy with Graduate Invitation in front of yearbook, 1948.

Placebo 1948, Medical and Surgical School of Nursing, 1 copy listed as belonging to Beliza Diaz. Leaflet: Clase de Graduandos de la Academia Adventista Hispanoamericana 1940 and 2 Clearance Postcard sized in front of this yearbook, one from Department of Signal Office Canal Zone dated 1942 and other from Air Deport dated July 1942 to 7 October 1943., 1940-1948.

Placebo 1948, Medical and Surgical School of Nursing, 1 copy with many signatures, 1948.

Placebo 1949, Medical and Surgical School of Nursing, 1 copy. Newspaper photo documenting graduation, text in Spanish and “Alocucion del Vice-Presidente del Concejol Municipal Alfonso Perez” in front cover. “Homenaje a la Patria en el Ano del Cincuentenario 1903-1953” in Spanish and “Clase de Graduandos de 1951” Colegio Vocacional de America Centra Alajuela, Coasta Rica” placed inside back cover., 1949.

Downstate Medical Center College of Nursing SUNY Trothos 1983. 1 copy, no inscriptions, 1983.
Downstate Medical Center College of Nursing SUNY Trothos 1984, 1 copy. No inscriptions, 1984.

State Medical Center College of Nursing SUNY Trothos 1985, 1 copy. No inscriptions, 1985.


American Association of Marriage and Family Counselors, Membership, undated.

Proclamation, from Office of County Executive King County, Washington to National Association of Spanish Speaking-Spanish Surnamed Nurses, 1980 with accompanying letter, 1980.
Three fold outs of “History of Nursing” in color.

President of Borough of the Bronx Proclamation 11 ½” x 17 ½”, 7/25/1996, 20th anniversary founding of National Association of Hispanic Nurses (NAHN), 1996.

Award The National Association of Hispanic Nurses Scholastic Achievement 12 ½” x 10 ¼” x 1”, 9/17/1982, 1982.

Award Marquis Who’s Who Board of Advisors undated 12 ½” x 10 ½” x 1”. Undated.

Colored photo of Dr. Murillo-Rohde and President Jimmy Carter. 12” x 11”, undated.


2 scrapbooks containing photos, each about 16” x 12 ½” x 2”.


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Diploma La Sociedad Interamericana de Psicologia 12 ½” x 10” x ¾”, 12/22/1971, 1971.


Award The National Register of Prominent Americans and International Notables, 14 ½” x 12” x ¾”, Composition, undated.

Plaque Minority Fellowship Programs and Cabinet on Human Rights of the ANA, 13 ¾” x 16” x 1”, June 1986, 1986.
**Broken and damaged items.**

1 scrapbook containing photos, each about 16” x 12 ½” x 2”.

**NYU Founders Day Award, April 27, 1972, 11 ¼” x 15 ½” x ½”, 1972.**

Colored photo with Rosalynn Carter, wife of President Jimmy Carter, 7 ¾” x 10”, undated.

**B/W photo of Dr. Murillo-Rohde presenting award to Dr. Ralph Kierley Davidson, 5/14/1982, Denver, Colorado, 8” x 10”, 1982.**

Colored photo of award presentation, 8” x 10”, Dr. Murillo-Rohde with 2 women and one man, unidentified and undated.

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**IMR.0022.**


Peplau, Hildegard E., Interpersonal Relations in Nursing, G/ P. Putnam’s Sons, 1952., 1952.

Szapocznik, José, Editor, Mental Health, Drug and Alcohol Abuse: An Hispanic Assessment of Present and Future Challenges, COSSMHO, 1979., 1979.


Olmedo, Esteban L. and Steven Lopez editors, Hispanic Mental Health Professionals Spanish Speaking Mental Health Research Center, 1977., 1977.


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<td>Health Care for the Hispanic Patient, Transfusion therapy, Critical Care Update, The official publication of the National Critical Care Institute of Education</td>
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<td>Eco Estudiantil Número Especial</td>
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<td>Delivering Health Care to Hispanics Companion Workbook, 3rd edition</td>
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<td>Murillo-Rohde, Dr. Ildaura, Delegation Leader, Journal People to People Mental Health and Psychiatric Care Delegation to the People’s Republic of China</td>
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<td>State University of New York, Downstate Medical Center, College of Nursing College of Health Related Professions Bulletin</td>
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American Association of Sex Educators and Counselors, National Register of Certified Sex Educators, Certified Sex Therapists, 1976., 1976.


Setting the Agenda for the Year 2000: Knowledge Development in Nursing, American Academy of Nursing.

Baly, Monica, edited by, As Miss Nightingale Said… Scutari Press, 12991.

RN Magazine’s Collection of Stamps Honoring Nursing.


Task Force of Nursing Practice in Hospitals, American Academy of Nursing, Magnet Hospitals Attraction and Retention of Professional Nurses, ANA, 1983., 1983.


Department of Psychosocial Nursing University of Washington, Psychosocial Nursing, undated.

Department of Hospital Nursing, NLN, The Head Nurse at Work, 1953., 1953.


Ildaura Murillo-Rohde papers


