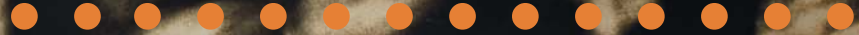


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now is the time

The events of September 11th are a defining moment in the evolution of the U.S. public health infrastructure. We have received a wakeup call and been given an opportunity to learn and enhance our ability to protect and serve the public. Now is the time for the public health community to come together to determine how to address current and future challenges facing our nation.

Michael E. Bird, MSW, MPH, President, APHA, and
Mohammad N. Akhter, MD, MPH, Executive Director, APHA,
October 1, 2001

Since the morning of September 11, 2001,
Americans have been attempting
to make sense
of that day's horrific events.

A Andrew Sullivan, writing in the *New York Times Magazine*, summarized it with a simple observation: “Another world began that day.” Michael Bird and Mohammad Akhter, President and Executive Director of the APHA, respectively, wrote that these events “are a defining moment in the evolution of the U.S. public health infrastructure.” The College of Public Health responded with a statewide conference, “New Models for a New Reality: Improving Iowa’s Preparedness Capacity.”

As an academic community dedicated to the education and training of public health professionals, prevention and public health research, and meaningful community service, the College of Public Health necessarily moved into that New Reality. The establishment of a Center for Public Health Preparedness provided the means to organize the New Reality conference, to offer an innovative statewide training program for Iowa’s front-line public health workforce, to organize a distance learning monthly preparedness grand rounds series, and to create an informational and educational website on public health preparedness. Record research productivity, creation of more new degree programs, recruitment of several new faculty, and outreach to alumni and friends also marked this momentous year. Through it all, the College continued its commitment to help students and society to respond to new and emerging threats, as well as its commitment to address longstanding public health concerns, including water and air quality, aging, cancer, obesity, and tobacco and substance abuse.

Moving forward, the College of Public Health will continue to respond to new challenges, for in these challenges we see opportunities to strengthen the public health infrastructure and to raise the public health profession to a level it must reach if we are to attain our common goal of assuring the health of the public.

James A. Merchant, MD, DrPH
Dean



EARLY DETECTION, RAPID RESPONSE:

Strengthening Public Health Preparedness



As the nation adjusts to a new set of health threats ranging from anthrax-laced mail to “dirty” bombs and smallpox, a heightened awareness of the importance of public health has emerged. State and federal officials have declared that the public health workforce—including first responders, physicians, nurses, laboratory workers, and veterinarians—must be fully prepared to assess and respond to current and emerging health threats.

ENSURING THAT IOWA'S PUBLIC HEALTH PROFESSIONALS have the skills to respond to bioterrorism and other health emergencies is the mission of the Iowa Center for Public Health Preparedness (ICPHP), based in the Center for Public Health Practice. Established in May 2001, the ICPHP is one of 15 academic Centers for Public Health Preparedness located throughout the United States. The center is funded by a grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention through a cooperative agreement with the Association of Schools of Public Health.

Directed by Christopher Atchison, associate dean for public health practice, the ICPHP serves as an important resource for upgrading the training and education of the state's health and emergency providers. The center has undertaken a number of initiatives, including an eight-month train-the-trainer program in public health preparedness. Participants who complete the program will return to their own communities to assist with continuing training efforts.

The center also conducted a series of Grand Rounds sessions on public health preparedness via the Iowa Communications Network. Topics included an overview of preparedness initiatives in Iowa, infectious diseases, biochemical exposures, and mental health/stress disorders. Each session is available on videotape, CD-ROM, and streaming video.

In spring 2002, ICPHP sponsored a statewide conference on improving Iowa's preparedness capacity. The meeting examined how health care, legal, financial, and business systems can connect to improve preparedness capabilities.

The center's program partners include the Iowa Association of Local Public Health Agencies, Iowa Department of Public Health, Iowa Emergency Management Division, Iowa Hospital Association, Iowa Medical Society, Iowa Nurses' Association, Iowa Pharmacy Association, Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine, Iowa State University Extension, and the University of Iowa Hygienic Laboratory.



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BUILDING A BETTER SYSTEM:

Enhancing Patient Safety and Health



When seeking health care, the last thing patients expect is to receive an additional injury from their hospital, doctor's office, or pharmacy. Yet studies show that thousands of Americans die or are harmed each year as a result of medication, diagnostic, surgical, and other medical errors. The Institute of Medicine's 1999 report, *To Err is Human*, challenged the health care system to develop effective methods for preventing errors and improving the quality of care.

IN RESPONSE, THE COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH has partnered with the Iowa Department of Public Health to examine patient safety and health in Iowa, with the goal of making the state a national leader in improving patient care. As part of that joint project, the College of Public Health hosted the conference and workshop, “Enhancing Patient Safety and Health in Iowa” on April 11 and 12, 2001. The meeting provided a forum for critically examining issues, opportunities, and initiatives for improving patient safety at the state and national levels. More than 200 representatives from Iowa’s hospitals, government, health care, business, and labor and insurance organizations attended the conference.

“Medical errors are most often the result of system defects that span more than any one individual’s or organization’s responsibility,” said Christopher Atchison, associate dean for public health practice and principal investigator of the patient safety project. “We need to develop system solutions to address those problems. Patient safety will only be improved through collaboration and coordination between everyone involved in or affected by the health system.”

At the workshop following the conference, a panel of health care experts outlined nine key principles and initiatives to improve patient safety and health outcomes in Iowa. The panel’s recommendations included creating collaborative environments that foster respect, trust, and value among all members of the health care profession; implementing continuous quality improvement methods; and using a “systems thinking” approach to examine how individual policies and protocols work together as a whole.

Other key recommendations included: utilizing an evidence-based approach to develop best practices; creating a learning environment that nurtures information sharing, is non-punitive, and relies on evidence-based research in order to generate innovations; engaging stakeholders to ensure a long-term commitment on a statewide basis; involving consumers in the education, decision-making, and planning process; developing a strategy that addresses the legal issues surrounding the rights and responsibilities of health care providers and patients; and assuring confidentiality for all involved.

Statewide efforts to enhance patient safety and health continue under the direction of the Iowa Department of Public Health, and College of Public Health faculty remain involved in these initiatives through funded research projects.



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CROSSING BORDERS:

International Health in The Gambia

July 4, 2001

At each village we were greeted by women dressed in an array of bright colors with their young children. We were able to watch the children get weighed, receive their immunizations, obtain medicine if they were ill, and watch the antenatal check-ups for the expecting women. The most common ailment was malaria—thousands of children each year are afflicted with this disease in The Gambia alone. I am quite grateful that I have had the opportunity to participate in this program.

Julie Kalkbrenner, MS candidate, epidemiology





STUDENTS INTERESTED IN COMBINING AN INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE with hands-on work in environmental and public health now have the opportunity to study abroad in West Africa. The course “Public Health and Environment: The Gambia” is a six-week summer program offered in collaboration with The Gambia College-School of Public Health.

Co-sponsored by the Center for International Rural and Environmental Health and the University of Iowa Office for Study Abroad, the program is open to UI graduate and undergraduate students as well as public health students from other schools. Students are placed in one or more units under the Department of State for Health and are paired with Gambian students within the work environment.

Twelve students enrolled in the inaugural program in summer 2001: four graduate students from the College of Public Health, one second-year College of Medicine student, five UI undergraduates, and two MPH candidates from other universities. The students participated directly in public health activities, such as administering immunizations to adults and children, joining public health officers during on-site inspections of local establishments, or attending an education session for area nurses and public health workers on adolescent reproductive health.

“This is a unique opportunity for students to gain practical experience in international health, environmental studies, and public health practice,” said Shannon Márquez, PhD, assistant professor of occupational and environmental health and the program’s director and instructor. “They are able to participate in and critically observe field-based programs and health care delivery systems in both urban and rural settings.”

In 2002, the program took an additional 22 students to The Gambia. Opportunities have been added for medical and nursing students to complete clinical rotations at various Gambian health centers and hospitals.

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DANGEROUS WORK:

Seeking Solutions to Workplace Violence

Workplace violence. It is a business problem, a criminal justice problem, a health care problem, and a personal relationship problem. Above all, it is a public health problem that adversely affects millions of American workers and costs billions of dollars each year. Yet, its causes and strategies for its prevention are poorly understood.

It's time for a national commitment to reduce the toll of violence on American workers, and that commitment has to begin with good, solid research.



TO HELP DEVELOP BETTER INFORMATION and a more complete understanding of this complex issue, the Injury Prevention Research Center (IPRC) developed a special “Report to the Nation” in 2001, based on a national workshop the center organized a year earlier. The Workplace Violence Intervention Research Workshop, held in Washington, DC, brought together researchers and representatives of industry, labor, and municipal, state, and federal government.

James Merchant, MD, DrPH, dean of the College of Public Health, led the effort that produced the report. “We have been viewing the problem of workplace violence too narrowly, and in so doing, we’ve not been able to get on top of it,” Merchant said. “It’s not just a crime issue, or a private industry issue, or a labor issue. It’s a much broader public health problem.



“Unfortunately, we really do not understand very well what works, and what doesn’t, to prevent workplace violence. It’s time for a national commitment to reduce the toll of violence on American workers, and that commitment has to begin with good, solid research.”

In the absence of definitive information, employers seeking to prevent workplace violence have responded with a wide variety of measures, depending on the type of business and risk, population served, location of the workplace, and a multitude of other factors. So far, there has not been sufficient research to demonstrate which approach might best prevent which type of workplace violence.

Workshop participants identified key issues related to workplace violence and the intervention research questions that must be answered to effectively address this public health problem. In addition, they recommended that the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) take the lead in developing a national research initiative and urged all those with a stake in preventing workplace violence to press for federal funding for such an initiative. Five review papers written by workshop participants were featured in the February 2001 issue of the *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, a theme issue devoted to workplace violence.

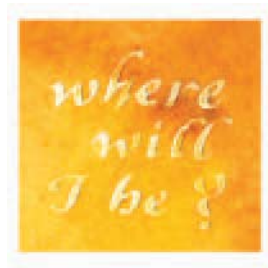
Funding for the national workshop was provided by NIOSH and the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control. Both centers are part of the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The “Report to the Nation” can be accessed on the IPRC website at www.public-health.uiowa.edu/IPRC/NATION.PDF.



CLOSING THE CIRCLE:

Ensuring Quality Care at the End of Life

Planning for the future can provide peace of mind, but many people overlook the importance of outlining their wishes for end-of-life (EOL) care. The mission of the Iowa Partnership for Quality Care in Dying with Dignity is to enhance comfort, choice, and control in care at the end of life throughout Iowa communities. Based in the College of Public Health, the partnership is working to strengthen EOL care practices, improve patient-provider communication, and ease policy, regulatory, and organizational barriers to high-quality palliative care.



“MOST OF OUR HEALTH CARE PROCESSES ARE ORIENTED TOWARD SAVING PEOPLE. Few of them really address end-of-life issues,” said Douglas Wakefield, PhD, professor and head of health management and policy and lead investigator of the EOL project. “We do well with a curing model. Now we need to work on a caring model.”

The partnership also encourages individuals to make clear decisions about EOL care as part of an intentional planning process. “Death and dying can be difficult to talk about,” said Tanya Uden-Holman, PhD, assistant professor of health management and policy and project coordinator for the partnership. “However, as baby boomers’ parents age it is an issue that more individuals are facing. People need to start a dialogue about what their preferences are in the death and dying process.”

Iowa is one of 23 states receiving funding from The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation as part of its grant program, Community-State Partnerships to Improve End-of-Life Care. The Iowa partnership’s diverse membership includes representatives from health care, social service, faith-based, and governmental organizations.

The coalition has established four workgroups to address EOL topics in the state. The goal of the Community Engagement workgroup is to increase community awareness, understanding, and involvement in end-of-life care issues and decisions. The workgroup has facilitated such projects as organizing discussion groups on EOL issues and promoting a national newspaper series on EOL care.

The Oral Health Care workgroup is addressing oral health care needs in nursing homes and long-term-care settings, while the workgroup on Out-of-Hospital Do Not Resuscitate (DNR) Orders helped to draft state legislation (enacted in 2002) that clarifies DNR orders and provides legal protection for emergency medical services personnel.

The Pain Management workgroup is assisting hospitals, home health care agencies, hospices, and other providers to make effective pain management part of routine practice throughout Iowa. With the help of a grant from the John Deere Foundation, the group produced and distributed an implementation manual on pain management for health care organizations and providers in Iowa.

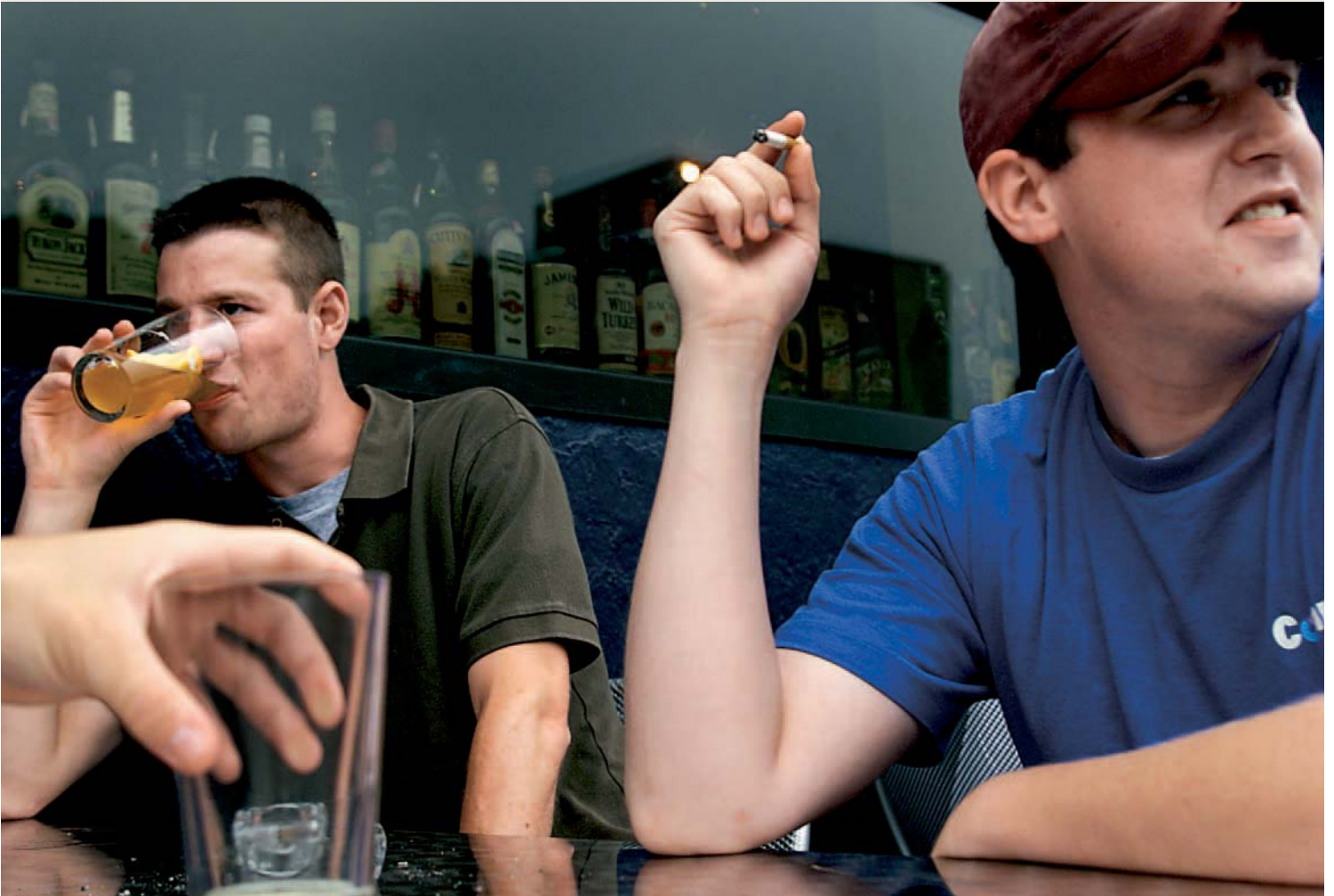
“Iowa is home to a large aging population that will require skilled health care,” said Wakefield. “The work the partnership is doing to enhance EOL care represents a tremendous asset to all Iowans.”

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FORMING HEALTHY HABITS:

Breaking the Cycle of Substance Abuse



Despite the fact that the harmful health effects of tobacco, alcohol, and illicit drug use are well documented, substance abuse continues to burden the health care system, strain the economy, and contribute to the deaths and disabilities of millions of Americans. To address issues surrounding the prevention and treatment of substance abuse, several new centers and projects have been formed in the College of Public Health.

THE IOWA TOBACCO RESEARCH CENTER (ITRC), directed by John Lowe, PhD, professor and head of community and behavioral health, focuses on the research and evaluation of activities in tobacco use and control. Established in February 2001, the center collaborates with key disciplines in the College of Public Health and other health sciences units as well as the liberal arts. While the center focuses on models applicable to Iowa and the surrounding states, investigators also interact with other tobacco centers in the United States and worldwide.

The ITRC operates Quitline Iowa, a toll-free statewide smoking cessation hotline launched in May 2001. Trained counselors assess each caller's readiness to quit and provide individualized information and resources about quitting smoking. Research shows that people who receive phone counseling during the quitting process are twice as likely to remain smoke-free as those attempting to quit on their own.

In December 2001, a team of UI researchers led by Lowe received \$1.1 million from the Association of Schools of Public Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for a three-year study that will use television to educate Iowa women on the health risks associated with alcohol consumption during pregnancy. The researchers will conduct focus groups with participants in the Women and Infant Children (WIC) program for input as to what kinds of messages women feel would be most effective. The investigators plan to air the spots on television stations around the state and then measure their effectiveness.

The Prairielands Addiction Technology Transfer Center (PATTC), directed by Anne Helene Skinstad, PhD, assistant professor of community and behavioral health, provides training, curricula, and resources on substance use issues for counselors, health care professionals, and community members. The PATTC is one of 14 regional centers in the United States and Puerto Rico and serves Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. The center, previously based in the College of Education, relocated to the Department of Community and Behavioral Health in May 2001.

The PATTC, along with the UI Video Center, developed two videos that highlight the issue of substance abuse among Native Americans. *Sucker Punched* and *Nagi Kicopi: Calling Back the Spirit* were screened in November 2001 at the American Indian Film Festival in San Francisco, where *Nagi Kicopi* was nominated for the "Best Public Service" award.



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PHOTOGRAPHIC TREASURE:

Discovering Iowa's Agricultural History

Sometimes buried treasure can appear in the most unlikely places—like on a bookshelf in an office at the UI's Oakdale campus. That's where a cache of farm photographs dating back to the early part of the twentieth century was found. Leslie Loveless, an editor in the Department of Occupational and Environmental Health, discovered the boxes of large black-and-white negatives during a 1999 office move.



THE PHOTOS ALL APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN TAKEN ON IOWA FARMS during the 1930s and 1940s. Most of the photos showed people—adults and children, men and women—at work at everyday tasks in the field, barnyard, and farm home.

Loveless traced the images to photographer A. M. “Pete” Wettach (1901-1976) of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, a self-described “agricultural photographer” who took tens of thousands of photographs during his lifetime. Pete’s son, Robert Wettach, had kept all of his father’s negatives and many prints—more than 30,000 images—stored in his basement for more than twenty years.

Pete Wettach had worked for the Farm Security Administration, the same organization that produced some of the Great Depression’s most famous photographs. While Wettach never worked for the FSA photography project, he was an enthusiastic freelance photographer. In his position as a county supervisor, traveling from farm to farm administering relief programs, he enjoyed regular contact with rural families and he recorded their daily lives in great detail.

After discovering the photographs, Loveless researched the people and times that were photographed by Wettach. She located and interviewed many of the people who appeared in the photos. Not surprisingly, most of the people she interviewed were children when their pictures were taken.

“Pete Wettach’s pictures of farm children are among his most fascinating and engaging photographs,” Loveless said. “The family farm was, and still is, one of the few environments that was both a home and a worksite—and a dangerous worksite, at that.”

Loveless’ efforts have produced a newly-published book, *A Bountiful Harvest: The Midwest Farm Photographs of Pete Wettach 1925-1965* (University of Iowa Press, 2002), which includes many of the stories behind the photographs and chronicles dramatic social and technological changes in agriculture that transformed farm life in the twentieth century.

The Wettach family has donated most of the Pete Wettach collection to the Iowa City branch of the State Historical Society of Iowa, where it is being archived and preserved. In addition, the UI Museum of Art will host an exhibit of Wettach’s work in March 2003 as a part of a museum-wide show on artistic depictions of farming and agriculture. The Wettach exhibit will be available to tour the region after it closes in May. More information and additional photographs can be found at www.public-health.uiowa.edu/wettach.

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Faculty Update

New College of Public Health Faculty

(Photos of new primary/joint faculty Jan 1-Dec 31, 2001)



Mary Aquilino, MSN, PhD
Assistant Professor (Clinical)
Department of Community and Behavioral Health



Carma Bylund, PhD
Assistant Professor
Department of Community and Behavioral Health and Department of Communication Studies (joint)



Gregory Gray, MPH, MD
Professor
Department of Epidemiology



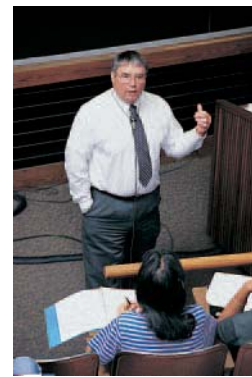
William Heitbrink, PhD
Associate Professor
Department of Occupational and Environmental Health



Peter Nathan, PhD
Professor
Department of Community and Behavioral Health and Department of Psychology (joint)



Faryle Nothwehr, MPH, PhD
Assistant Professor
Department of Community and Behavioral Health



Robert Ohsfeldt, PhD
Professor
Department of Health Management and Policy



David Osterberg, MS
Associate Professor (Clinical)
Department of Occupational and Environmental Health



Corinne Peek-Asa, MPH, PhD
Associate Professor
Department of Occupational and Environmental Health



John Schneider, PhD
Assistant Professor
Department of Health Management and Policy



Anne Helene Skinstad, PhD
Assistant Professor
Department of Community and Behavioral Health

Márquez Appointed Assistant Dean for Diversity



Building on the College of Public Health's goal to enhance the diversity and collaboration among its faculty, students, and staff, Shannon Márquez, PhD, assistant professor of occupational and environmental health, was named assistant dean for diversity on July 1, 2001. In this position, Márquez leads the College in developing new programs to attract and retain a more diverse student body and faculty. She represents the College on university committees dealing with diversity issues and interacts with the public health community on behalf of the College to support diversity.

Márquez also chairs the College of Public Health Diversity Committee, which is comprised of faculty, staff, and students from diverse backgrounds. The committee advises the dean on the recruitment and retention of a diverse faculty, staff, and student body to enhance diversity and increase the number of underrepresented minorities in the College; provides support to students; increases awareness of diversity in the College, the minority health professions workforce, and minority health disparities; and promotes the advancement of minority public health initiatives.

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Woolson Concludes Distinguished Career at Iowa

Over a 30-year faculty career, Robert Woolson, PhD, earned a reputation not only as an outstanding biostatistician, but also as a leader in collaborative research and a strong mentor of students and young professionals.

Woolson's teaching responsibilities have ranged from introductory biostatistics to intervention and clinical trials. His research interests include analysis and design of longitudinal studies, statistical methods, and clinical trials. He has held numerous leadership positions in the American Statistical Association and was elected an ASA Fellow in 1990. Woolson has served on both VA and FDA advisory committees. In 1999, he received the Regents Award for Faculty Excellence.

His tenure on the faculty included 15 years as head of the Department of Biostatistics, a post he stepped down from on June 30, 2001. Throughout the 2001-02 academic year, Woolson continued his work as associate dean for research and professor of biostatistics, before retiring from the faculty in June 2002.

Upon Woolson's retirement, Leon Burmeister, PhD, professor of biostatistics and previously associate dean for academic and faculty affairs, assumed the role of associate dean for research and academic affairs. During the 2001-02 academic year, Burmeister also served as interim head of the Department of Biostatistics. A national search for a permanent Biostatistics Department head identified Kathryn Chaloner, professor at the University of Minnesota School of Statistics. Chaloner assumed her new role at the beginning of the 2002-2003 academic year.



Academic Update

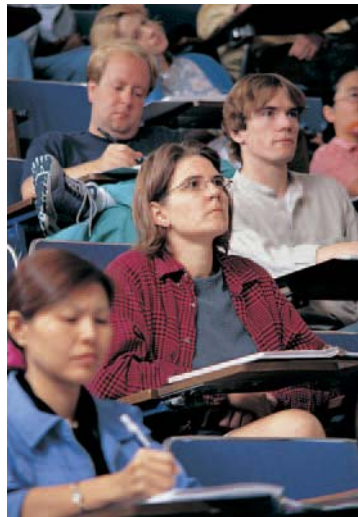
Moving into the Future

Finding one's way around the College of Public Health became a bit more challenging in 2001 due to the relocation of many faculty and staff offices, major renovations of some existing facilities, and ongoing construction on the health sciences campus.

A series of phased moves began in 2001 and will continue through 2002. Ultimately, Steindler Building, the College's administrative home, is to be vacated and demolished as part of the health sciences campus redevelopment. In summer 2001, the departments of biostatistics and epidemiology, the Lipid Research Clinic, and the Preventive Intervention Center moved into newly renovated space in General Hospital. At the same time, the State Health Registry of Iowa moved out of Westlawn into rented space in downtown Iowa City. The departments of community and behavioral health and health management and policy, along with most of the collegiate administrative staff, are scheduled to move from Steindler Building to General Hospital in late 2002. The Department of Occupational and Environmental Health will remain at the Institute for Rural and Environmental Health on the University's Oakdale Campus.

Facilities issues remain the most significant challenge facing the College of Public Health. Continued growth in the number of primary faculty and record-setting research productivity have combined to create a critical shortage of faculty offices and research space. With offices spread across 11 different facilities, fragmentation is another significant aspect of the dilemma. Classrooms, computing, and research areas for the College's growing student population are inadequate as well.

Resolutions, unanimously endorsed by the faculty and the Board of Advisors, outlined key facilities issues and identified the conditions necessary for future collegiate growth and development. Preliminary estimates of



space needs define a building of 105,000 square feet (gross) would be the minimum required to serve as an academic home for the College.

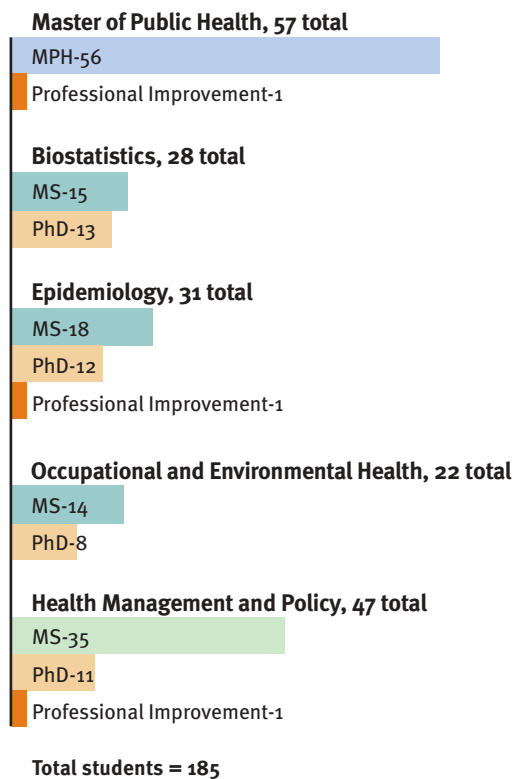
“To function effectively, public health scientists must be in an environment that nurtures communication, interaction, and collaboration,” noted James Merchant, MD, DrPH, dean of the College of Public Health. “The interdisciplinary underpinnings of public health require that faculty and students in the College have ready access to one another and to their primary collaborative partners in the larger university community.”

MD/MPH Dual Degree Program Launched

The Colleges of Public Health and Medicine introduced the joint MD/MPH degree in fall 2001. This new 39-hour program provides students who are pursuing an MD the opportunity to earn a Master of Public Health, the primary professional degree in public health. In this program, the majority of the MPH coursework is typically completed between the second and third year of the medical curriculum. Students who complete the MD/MPH dual degree benefit from expanded career opportunities and draw from the principles of both medicine and public health in their professional practice.

Student Enrollment

In fall 2001, the College of Public Health enrolled 182 degree-seeking students and three professional improvement students (non-degree seeking). Students are pursuing a variety of degrees, including the Master of Science (MS), Master of Hospital Administration (MHA), Master of Public Health (MPH), and Doctor of Philosophy (PhD). The following graph shows enrollment in each program, as of the fall 2001 semester.



Awards and Honors

A Banner Year for Wallace



Robert Wallace, MD, professor of epidemiology, received a number of honors in 2001 for his outstanding work as an educator and researcher. The American Teachers of Preventive Medicine awarded him the Duncan Clark Award for his record of achievement in teaching, research, and service in public health and preventive medicine. Wallace also was one of six University of Iowa faculty members to receive the 2001 Regents Award for Faculty Excellence. Given by the Board of Regents, State of Iowa, the award honors faculty members for work representing a significant contribution to excellence in public education. In October 2001, Wallace was elected to membership in the prestigious Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences.

Wallace, who joined the University of Iowa faculty in 1972, currently serves as the co-director for the UI Center on Aging and is well known for his research in several areas, including aging, cardiovascular disease, and cancer.

McKeen, State Health Registry Earn Double Accolades



The State Health Registry of Iowa (SHRI) earned two awards from the North American Association of Central Cancer Registries (NAACCR) in 2001. Kathleen McKeen, director of the SHRI, was presented with the Calum S. Muir Memorial Award in recognition of her distinguished career in cancer registration. The award is named in memory of Dr. Calum Muir, a pioneer in international cancer registration. McKeen has served as director of the registry since 1982, and her career at the

University of Iowa spans more than 42 years in the field of cancer registration.

The State Health Registry also earned a Gold Standard award from NAACCR in recognition of its quality, completeness, and timeliness of data. The registry is led by principal investigator and medical director Charles Lynch, MD, PhD, professor of epidemiology.

Harkin Named First Hansen Leadership Award Recipient



In 2001, the College of Public Health named Iowa Senator Tom Harkin the first-ever recipient of the Richard and Barbara Hansen Leadership Award and Distinguished Lectureship. The award is given by the College to honor individuals who have made sustained contributions in the health field. The award recognizes exemplary leadership, integrity, and ethical standards and an enduring commitment to improving health care on a national and international level.

Harkin was chosen to receive the award based on his commitment and service to public health policy. In his role as an elected official, he has spearheaded efforts to improve health care access for rural residents, secure funding for public health and biomedical research, enhance women's health care, and protect the rights of Americans with disabilities. The Leadership Award and Distinguished Lectureship is made possible by a gift to the College from Richard and Barbara Hansen of Iowa City.

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Awards and Honors Dinner

The College held its annual Graduation and Honors Dinner and Milford E. Barnes Awards Ceremony on May 11, 2001, to recognize the achievements of students, faculty, and staff members. The following awards were presented at the banquet:

- Milford E. Barnes Master of Public Health Award
Jeanie S. Kirk, MPH
- Milford E. Barnes Award for Biostatistics
Brian J. Smith, MS
- Milford E. Barnes Award for Epidemiology
Allison L. Wright, PhD
- Milford E. Barnes Award for Health Management and Policy
Brett W. Norell, MPH, MHA
- Milford E. Barnes Award for Occupational and Environmental Health
Darrin K. Ott, MS
- John W. Colloton Outstanding Student Award
Jennifer L. Krapfl, MHA
- Frank N. Whitson Award for Academic Achievement
Amy B. Hughes, MHA
- Award for Excellence in Aging and Public Health
Chandan K. Saha, MSc, MA, MS, MS
- Dean's Achievement Award
Stephen B. Jackson, MPH
- New Investigator Research Awards
Rachel L. Anderson, PhD; Shannon P. Márquez, PhD; and Kai Wang, PhD
- Faculty Teaching Award
Jane F. Pendergast, PhD
- Faculty Service Award
Linda G. Snetselaar, PhD
- Faculty Research Award
William R. Clarke, PhD
- Staff Research Award
R. William Field, PhD
- Staff Service Award
Joyce Watts



Research Productivity Fuels CPH Growth

College of Public Health faculty researchers completed back-to-back record-setting years in 2001-02, participating in externally supported research projects that totaled more than \$97 million over this time period.

In fiscal year 2001, College of Public Health faculty were principal investigators on grants and contracts totaling \$19.3 million. Collaborative research projects in which CPH faculty served as co-investigators garnered an additional \$21.8 million in funding. Fiscal year 2002 yielded even more impressive results, with CPH principal investigators securing \$30.5 million in research awards (58 percent increase over 2001) and CPH co-investigators accounting for an additional \$25.7 million (18 percent increase over 2001).

To promote and facilitate collegiate research, the College of Public Health Office of Research developed several new initiatives in 2001. Many activities center around the College of Medicine-College of Public Health Research Enterprise, a joint undertaking that includes a number of shared research programs, including pilot grant programs, Research Week, and various research publications. The Research Enterprise also co-sponsors the New Investigator Research Awards, presented for the first time in 2001. These awards of up to \$10,000 assist newly appointed primary or joint faculty in the College of Public Health or College of Medicine to advance their research activities

In 2001, the Research Office developed a precise system for tracking all grant applications and awards from within the College of Public Health, and strengthened researcher training and support through an orientation session and research ethics training for new College of Public Health faculty. To highlight faculty members' areas of expertise, the Research Office, in cooperation with the College of Public Health Seminar Committee, also established an annual Distinguished Faculty Lecture. In 2001, Robert Wallace, MD, professor of

epidemiology, delivered the inaugural lecture in this series with a presentation on "Harm Reduction and the Safer Cigarette: Public Health Meets Community Values."

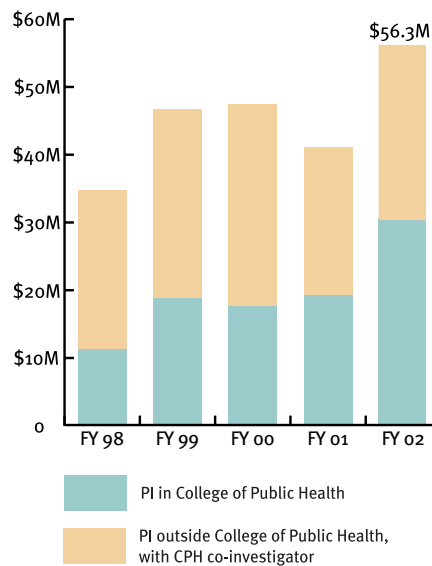
New Investigator Research Awards

In January 2001, three College of Public Health faculty members were awarded College of Public Health-College of Medicine New Investigator Research Awards. The awards, presented for the first time last year, assist newly appointed primary or joint faculty in the College of Public Health or College of Medicine to advance their research activities. Each recipient receives up to \$10,000 of funding for independent research projects.

The recipients were Rachel Anderson, PhD, assistant professor of health management and policy; Shannon Márquez, PhD, assistant professor of occupational and environmental health; and Kai Wang, PhD, assistant professor of biostatistics.

In fiscal year 2002, College of Public Health principal investigators secured \$30.5 million in research awards and CPH co-investigators accounted for an additional \$25.7 million.

College of Public Health Research Awards



Alumni Update

During 2001, the College of Public Health and its departments expanded efforts to build a strong sense of community with all alumni, undertaking several new initiatives and enhancing other established programs.

In Spring 2001, the College launched a new bi-annual newsletter, called *wellspring*, which included alumni as a key target audience. Departmental efforts to communicate with alumni were strengthened by new departmental alumni newsletters from biostatistics, epidemiology, and occupational and environmental health. The Department of Health Management and Policy continued its long traditions of publishing a semi-annual newsletter and hosting a symposium for health care executives.

An important development during 2001 was the appointment of Sue Joslyn, PhD, a graduate of the Department of Epidemiology, as the College's first representative on the UI Alumni Association Board of Directors. An *ex officio* member of the collegiate Alumni Relations Council, Joslyn facilitates interaction between the College and the Board.

The College's Educational Outreach Program, begun in 2000, was further developed and expanded in 2001.



Laurence Fuortes (center), associate professor of occupational and environmental health, responding to questions from community members at an Educational Outreach Program in Burlington, Iowa.

Supported in part by a generous grant from the Principal Financial Group Foundation, the program is a joint effort involving the College, the UI Alumni Association, and local community groups. Faculty members participating in the Educational Outreach Program travel to communities throughout Iowa to present information on local, state, and national public health issues of importance to Iowans. All programs are free and open to alumni and members of the general public. Following is a summary of the programs offered during 2001:

Community	Presentation Topic and Date	Presenter(s)
Burlington	Evaluation of Long-Range Health Conditions of Current Workers at the Iowa Army Ammunition Plant near Burlington, Jan. 24	Laurence Fuortes
Des Moines	Cancer in Iowa, Feb. 28	Charles Lynch
Dubuque	Prevention and Control of Injuries, Feb. 22	James Torner
Des Moines	Building a System to Respond to New Threats, Nov. 15	Christopher Atchison, Mary Gilchrist, James Merchant, LD McMullen, Bret Voorhees
Davenport	Comfort, Choice, and Control at the End of Life, Nov. 19	Douglas Wakefield
Bettendorf	Comfort, Choice, and Control at the End of Life, Nov. 19	Douglas Wakefield
Spencer	Improving Water Quality in Iowa, Dec. 5	David Osterberg



College of Public Health Faculty

(CPH faculty appointments as of December 2001)

Biostatistics

Robert Woolson, Professor and Head
Leon Burmeister, Professor
Trudy Burns, Professor
William Clarke, Professor
Charles Davis, Professor
Jeffrey Dawson, Associate Professor
Jian Huang, Associate Professor (Joint)
Michael Jones, Professor
Jon Lemke, Associate Professor
Jane Pendergast, Associate Professor
Veronica Vieland, Professor
Kai Wang, Assistant Professor
Stephan Arndt, Professor (Secondary)
Mary Cowles, Assistant Professor (Secondary)
Douglas Langbehn, Assistant Professor (Secondary)
Bruce Pfohl, Professor (Secondary)
George Woodworth, Professor (Secondary)
Dale Zimmerman, Professor (Secondary)

Community and Behavioral Health

John Lowe, Professor and Head
Mary Aquilino, Assistant Professor
James Jackson Barnette, Associate Professor
Carma Bylund, Assistant Professor (joint)
Kristi Ferguson, Associate Professor
Peter Nathan, Professor (joint)
Faryle Nothwehr, Assistant Professor
Anne Helene Skinstad, Assistant Professor
Nancy Thompson, Associate Professor
Holly Wardlow, Assistant Professor (Joint)
Elizabeth Altmaier, Professor (Secondary)
Melanie Dreher, Professor (Secondary)
Jennifer Glass, Professor (Secondary)
James Hall, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Randy Hirokawa, Professor (Secondary)
Cynda Johnson, Professor (Secondary)
Keith (Mac) Marshall, Professor (Secondary)
David Rosenthal, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Michael Teague, Professor (Secondary)

Epidemiology

James Torner, Professor and Head
Elizabeth Chrischilles, Professor
Leslie Dennis, Assistant Professor
Gregory Gray, Professor
Charles Lynch, Professor
Paul Romitti, Assistant Professor
Audrey Saftlas, Associate Professor
Helmut Schrott, Professor
Elaine Smith, Professor
Linda Snetselaar, Associate Professor
Robert Wallace, Professor
Trudy Burns, Professor (Secondary)
Michael Cohen, Professor (Secondary)
Bradley Doebbeling, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Gary Doern, Professor (Secondary)
Claibourne Dungy, Professor (Secondary)
Laurence Fuortes, Associate Professor (Secondary)
James Hanson, Professor (Secondary)

Loreen Herwaldt, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Kathleen Janz, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Susan Johnson, Professor (Secondary)
Louis Kirchoff, Professor (Secondary)
Ronald Lauer, Professor (Secondary)
Steven Levy, Professor (Secondary)
Larry Mahoney, Professor (Secondary)
Jeffrey Murray, Professor (Secondary)
Corinne Peek-Asa, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Michael Pfaller, Professor (Secondary)
Don Van Dyke, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Mary Wilson, Professor (Secondary)
Robert Woolson, Professor (Secondary)
Craig Zwerling, Professor (Secondary)

Health Management and Policy

Douglas Wakefield, Professor and Head
Rachel Anderson, Assistant Professor
Christopher Atchison, Associate Professor
Barry Greene, Professor
R. Edward Howell, Professor
Brian Kaskie, Assistant Professor
Samuel Levey, Professor
Sheila McGinnis, Visiting Assistant Professor
Robert Ohsfeldt, Professor
Lawrence Prybil, Professor
John Schneider, Assistant Professor
Tanya Uden-Holman, Assistant Professor
Thomas Vaughn, Assistant Professor
Marcia Ward, Associate Professor
John Brooks, Assistant Professor (Secondary)
Joanne Dochterman, Professor (Secondary)
Julie Ganther, Assistant Professor (Secondary)
Arthur Hartz, Professor (Secondary)
Charles Helms, Professor (Secondary)
Diane Huber, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Robert Kelch, Professor (Secondary)
James Price, Professor (Secondary)
Gary Rosenthal, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Gerard Rushton, Professor (Secondary)
Emmett Vaughan, Professor (Secondary)

Occupational and Environmental Health

Craig Zwerling, Professor and Head
Thomas Cook, Professor
Kelley Donham, Professor
Laurence Fuortes, Associate Professor
William Heitbrink, Associate Professor
Shannon Márquez, Assistant Professor
James Merchant, Professor
Patrick O'Shaughnessy, Assistant Professor (Joint)
David Osterberg, Associate Professor
Corinne Peek-Asa, Associate Professor
Stephen Reynolds, Professor
John Rosecrance, Assistant Professor
Nancy Sprince, Professor
Peter Thorne, Professor
Peter Blanck, Professor (Secondary)
Henri Cuddihy, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Kenneth Culp, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Joel Kline, Associate Professor (Secondary)
Gene Parkin, Professor (Secondary)
Jerald Schnoor, Professor (Secondary)
David Wilder, Associate Professor (Secondary)



College of Public Health Board of Advisors

The College of Public Health receives superb guidance and support from a distinguished Board of Advisors consisting of leaders from academe, business, community health, government, health care, and labor. The board, which meets biannually in Iowa City, discusses key issues and opportunities that confront the College of Public Health, and offers input and advice to the collegiate leadership team.

At the end of 2001, the Board of Advisors (previously the External Advisory Board) welcomed several representatives from another collegiate advisory board –the University Advisory Committee. Representatives of Iowa State University, the University of Northern Iowa, and the state’s community college system were named to the Board of Advisors, reflecting the College’s strong commitment to collaboration with these institutions. At that time, the activities of the University Advisory Board were curtailed. This group had been helpful in facilitating communications and coordination with other academic units during the College of Public Health’s start-up years. The modifications made to the College’s advisory board structure ensures that collaborative activities will remain a high priority for the future.

During 2001, the following individuals served on the Board of Advisors:

- Marilyn Adams**, Farm Safety 4 Just Kids
- Richard L. Bartsh**, MD, John Deere Health Care, Inc.
- Eric Book**, MD, Wellmark Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Iowa
- Brenda M. Booth**, PhD, University of Arkansas
- Steve Brenton**, Iowa Hospital Association
- James Cavanaugh**, PhD, HealthCare Ventures, LLC
- H. Keith Erickson**, Linn County Public Health
- Michael Gemmel**, CAE, Association of Schools of Public Health
- Stephen Gleason**, DO, Iowa Department of Public Health
- Thomas Graf**, The Principal Financial Group
- Richard M. Knapp**, PhD, Association of American Medical Colleges



- James D. Leeper**, PhD, University of Alabama
- Michele Lynberg**, PhD, MPH, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
- LD McMullen**, PhD, PE, Des Moines Water Works
- Melvin L. Moeschberger**, PhD, The Ohio State University
- Thomas Phillips**, Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc.
- Colin C. Rorrie, Jr.**, PhD, CAE, American College of Emergency Physicians
- Maureen Sedlacek**, RN, BSN, Iowa Department of Public Health
- Martin Sepulveda**, MD, FACP, IBM Corporation
- Rizwan Shah**, MD, FAAP, Blank Children’s Hospital
- Thomas Slater**, State Public Policy Group (Board Chair)
- Mark L. Smith**, Iowa Federation of Labor
- Hugh Tilson**, MD, DrPH, University of North Carolina
- Fred Toca**, PhD, CIH, CSP, Atlantic Environmental
- Walt Tomenga**, Three Dimensional, LLC
- Stephen L. Ummel**, Cap Gemini, Ernst & Young, LLP
- George Williams**, PhD, Merck & Co., Inc.

Board members who completed terms in December 2001 were James Cavanaugh, Michael Gemmel, and LD McMullen.

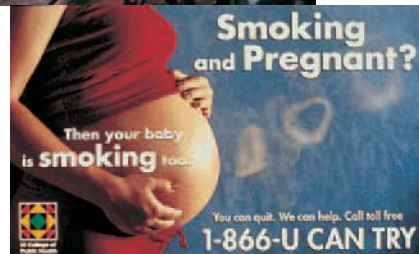
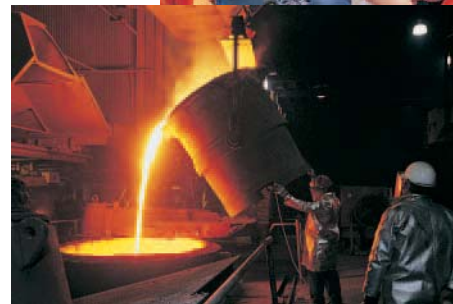
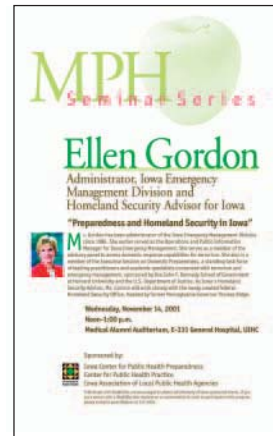
In early 2002, the College appointed new board members Susan Koch, associate provost/associate vice president for academic affairs at the University of Northern Iowa; Norman F. Cheville, dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine and Clarence Hartley Distinguished Professor at Iowa State University; and Robert J. Denson, president of Northeast Iowa Community College.

In addition, the board welcomed new members Peter Roberts, group vice president-provider relations and health management at Wellmark Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Iowa, who replaced Eric Book; Arthur Spies, senior vice president-membership services at the Iowa Hospital Association, who succeeded Steve Brenton; and Thomas West, vice president at Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., who replaced Thomas Phillips.



College of Public Health-based Centers

1. **Biostatistics Consulting Center**
Bridget Zimmerman, director
2. **Center for Health Policy and Research**
Douglas Wakefield, director
3. **Center for International Rural and Environmental Health**
Thomas Cook, director
4. **Center for Public Health Practice**
Christopher Atchison, director
5. **Center for Public Health Program Evaluation**
Jack Barnette, director
6. **Center for Public Health Statistics**
Jane Pendergast, director
7. **Center for Statistical Genetics Research**
Veronica Vieland, director
8. **Center on Aging** (co-sponsored with UI College of Medicine) Robert Wallace, co-director
9. **Clinical Trials Statistical and Data Management Center**
William Clarke, director
10. **Environmental Health Sciences Research Center**
Peter Thorne, director
11. **Great Plains Center for Agricultural Health**
James Merchant, director
12. **Health Effectiveness Research Center of Iowa**
Jim Torner, director
13. **Heartland Center for Occupational Health and Safety**
Nancy Sprince, director
14. **Injury Prevention Research Center**
Craig Zwerling, director
15. **Institute for Quality Healthcare**
Tanya Uden-Holman, director
16. **Iowa Birth Defects Registry**
Paul Romitti, director
17. **Iowa Center for Public Health Preparedness**
Christopher Atchison, director
18. **Iowa Tobacco Research Center**
John Lowe, director
19. **Iowa's Center for Agricultural Safety and Health**
Kelley Donham, director
20. **Lipid Research Center**
Helmut Schrott, director
21. **Prairielands Addiction Technology Transfer Center**
Anne Helene Skinstad, director
22. **Preventive Intervention Center**
James Torner, director
23. **State Health Registry of Iowa/Iowa Cancer Registry**
Charles Lynch, director
24. **Upper Midwest Public Health Training Center**
Christopher Atchison, director
25. **WORKSAFE IOWA**
Craig Zwerling, director



From top: Ellen Gordon, Administrator of the Iowa Emergency Management Division and Homeland Security Advisor for Iowa, visited the College at the invitation of the Iowa Center for Public Health Preparedness; students in the 2001 Environmental Health Summer Institute for Rural Youth, sponsored by the Environmental Health Sciences Research Center; Iowa foundry where WORKSAFE IOWA provides occupational health consultation; statewide advertisement for the toll-free smoking cessation hotline operated by the Iowa Tobacco Research Center.



Fundraising Update

During 2001, the College of Public Health enjoyed steady progress toward key priorities in external fund development. From the time of its formation in 1999 through December 2001, the College received a total of \$6.3 million in gifts and formal pledges, representing 42 percent of its five-year \$15 million goal.

Major components of the College's fund-raising efforts in 2001 included the Founding Partners Initiative and a special campaign to mark the 50th anniversary of graduate studies in health management and policy.

The Founding Partners Initiative focuses on major donors (minimum of \$250,000) who wish to take a leadership role in building a strong foundation for the College of Public Health. In the first year of the initiative, Founding Partner gifts were received from: Richard and Barbara Hansen, who endowed the Hansen Leadership Award and Distinguished Lectureship Series; Wellmark Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Iowa, which created a Professorship in Community Health in the Department of Community and Behavioral Health; and Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., which established the Pioneer Hi-Bred International Professorship/Chair in Rural Health and Safety in the Department of Occupational and Environmental Health.

In 2001, the College recognized the following new Founding Partners:

- the University of Iowa College of Medicine, for outstanding support for the College of Public Health throughout its development;
- the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, for a broad range of support for the College, including the allocation and renovation of space for offices in General Hospital, support for the John W. Colloton Chair in Health Management and Policy, financial assistance for students in the Department of Health Management and Policy, and in-kind contributions of software and technical assistance;

- the Health Management and Policy Alumni Association, for giving to the HMP 50th Anniversary Campaign. This campaign focused on support of scholarships and research assistantships for future HMP students, completing the endowment for the Gerhard Hartman Professorship in Health Management and Policy, development of a management simulation laboratory, and a departmental development fund; and
- Lee and Dorothy Whitson of Minneapolis, Minn., for a bequest which will provide future support for students and faculty in Health Management and Policy. Previous Whitson family gifts fund a scholarship in memory of their son, Frank, who was an HMP student, and provide furnishings for the new Whitson Conference Room and Lecture Facility.

Major gifts also were received from the Merck Company Foundation, which established a new pre-doctoral fellowship in biostatistics; the Wellmark Foundation, which provided support for the College's End of Life Care project, the Certified Safe Farm Program, and the Oral/Pharyngeal Cancer Fund; Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., which supported Iowa's Center for Agricultural Safety and Health; the Principal Financial Group Foundation, which supported the College's Educational Outreach Program; and the John Deere Foundation, which funded a fellowship in occupational medicine in the Department of Occupational Health and a minority scholarship program in the Department of Health Management and Policy. Dr. David Zappella of Encinitas, Calif., also made a very generous gift to the College's general fund.

In 2001, a national search was initiated to identify a highly qualified individual to fill the John W. Colloton Chair in Health Management and Policy, a position established in one of the College's early fund development campaigns.

The College has announced that it will initiate a college-wide annual giving program to build support for targeted departmental needs and/or discretionary purposes. Additional details will be outlined in the College's biannual newsletter, *wellspring*.

honor roll

College of Public Health Founding Partners

The Founding Partners Initiative, launched in the College's inaugural year, recognizes the singular opportunity to build a strong foundation for the College of Public Health. The Founding Partners constitute a select group of leaders who have joined with the state of Iowa and The University of Iowa to assist the College of Public Health in becoming a world-class leader in public health training, research, and service. Founding Partners are those individuals, families, and organizations who have made a contribution of \$250,000 or more to the College.

As of December 2001, the following were recognized as College of Public Health Founding Partners:

Richard F. and Barbara E. Hansen,
Sanibel, Fla.
Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc.,
Des Moines, Iowa
Wellmark Blue Cross and Blue Shield of
Iowa, Des Moines, Iowa
UI College of Medicine, Iowa City, Iowa
UI Hospitals and Clinics, Iowa City, Iowa
Health Management and Policy Alumni
Association, Iowa City, Iowa
Lee S. and Dorothy N. Whitson,
Minneapolis, Minn.

College of Public Health 2001 Honor Roll of Contributors

This honor roll gratefully recognizes alumni, friends, faculty, staff, businesses, organizations, and foundations that contributed \$100 or more to the UI College of Public Health through the UI Foundation in 2001. Those who give gifts of \$100 or more to the UI Foundation for any area of the University will be recognized in the UI Foundation's Annual Report on Giving.

Contributors are listed alphabetically, according to their level of giving during the 2001 calendar year. In some cases, contributions listed represent installment payments on multi-year pledges.

Contributors of \$10,000+

The Baxter International Foundation,
Deerfield, Ill.
Cavanaugh, Esther M., Devon, Pa.
Cavanaugh, James H., Devon, Pa.
John Deere Foundation, Moline, Ill.
The Merck Company Foundation,
Whitehouse Station, N.J.
The Principal Financial Group
Foundation, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa
The University of Iowa Hospitals and
Clinics, Iowa City, Iowa
Wellmark Blue Cross and Blue Shield
of Iowa, Des Moines, Iowa
The Wellmark Foundation,
Des Moines, Iowa

Contributors of \$5,000-\$9,999

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Breon, Richard C., Grand Rapids, Mich.
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Crews, Patricia G., Flagstaff, Ariz.
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Logan, William, Keokuk, Iowa
Miller, Marsha J., Chicago, Ill.
Prybil, Lawrence D., Iowa City, Iowa
Prybil, Marilyn R., Iowa City, Iowa

Contributors of \$2,500-\$4,999

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Burfeind, Raymond F., Cedar Falls, Iowa
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Carson, Patricia L., Longmont, Colo.
Levey, Linda Anne, Iowa City, Iowa
Levey, Samuel, Iowa City, Iowa
Merchant, James A., Iowa City, Iowa
Merchant, Mary L., Iowa City, Iowa

Petersen, H. Rand, Harlan, Iowa
Petersen, Mary Louise, Harlan, Iowa
Vasile, Gennaro J., Manlius, N.Y.
Vasile, Mary Ellen, Manlius, N.Y.

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Brown, Kathleen S., Columbia, Mo.
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Callaghan, Kim L., Iowa City, Iowa
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Caplan, Fredda Ellen, Iowa City, Iowa
Caplan, Richard M., Iowa City, Iowa
Connell, Regan A., Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Courey, Kenneth M., Spring Lake, N.J.
Dolan, Georgia A., Elmhurst, Ill.
Dolan, Thomas C., Elmhurst, Ill.
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Harris, Percy G., Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Horn Memorial Hospital, Ida Grove, Iowa
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King, Paul A., Inglewood, Calif.
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Greenville, Ohio
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Linden, Todd C., Grinnell, Iowa
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Linder, Katherine A. Petersen,
Manson, Iowa
Manas, Julie Stark, Oak Brook, Ill.
Marson, Amanda Jane,
Arlington Heights, Ill.
Meyer, Daniel T., Hickory, N.C.
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O'Deen, Mike, Iowa City, Iowa
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Soper, Robert T., Iowa City, Iowa
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Ummel, Stephen L., Lake Forest, Ill.
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Wakefield, Douglas S., Iowa City, Iowa
Wolbers, Chad M., Ottumwa, Iowa
Zwerling, Lillian, Iowa City, Iowa

Contributors of \$100-\$999

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Benhamou, Reed, West Lafayette, Ind.
Benjamin, Brian K., Murrysville, Pa.
Benjamin, Jane A. Levis, Murrysville, Pa.
Birk, Carol Weise, Indianapolis, Ind.
Blessing, Katherine A.,
Spring Lake, Mich.
Blessing, William H., Spring Lake, Mich.
Boller, Jon P., Shawnee, Kan.
Boller, Peggy, Shawnee, Kan.
Bonnett, Joseph E., Beaver Dam, Wis.
Boone County Hospital, Boone, Iowa

Brill, Doug, Knoxville, Tenn.
 Brill, Tina M., Knoxville, Tenn.
 Brooks, Anthon C., Columbus, Ohio
 Brooks, Kelly A., Columbus, Ohio
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 Iowa City, Iowa
 Buckwalter, Kathleen C., Iowa City, Iowa
 Burgener, Alan J., Iowa City, Iowa
 Burnett, Walter M., Whittier, N.C.
 Caldwell, George B., Lake Forest, Ill.
 Caligiuri, Christine M., St. Paul, Minn.
 Caplan, Daniel J., Chapel Hill, N.C.
 Cline, Phillip E., Kodiak, Alaska
 Conner, Harry F., Iowa City, Iowa
 Cooper, Donna S., Marion, Iowa
 Cooper, Tony A., Marion, Iowa
 Cordes, Donald W.,
 West Des Moines, Iowa
 Cox, Carolyn, Appleton, Wis.
 Cox, Otto L., Appleton, Wis.
 Cyphert, Rosemary W., Iowa City, Iowa
 Cyphert, Stacey T., Iowa City, Iowa
 Davies, Grant C., San Rafael, Calif.
 Davies, Karla A., San Rafael, Calif.
 Davis, Scott J., Pembroke Pines, Fla.
 Diederich, Joanne C., Aurora, Ill.
 Diederich, John A., Aurora, Ill.
 Dowgiallo, Alexander L., North
 Kingstown, R.I.
 Dowgiallo, Cynthia L.,
 North Kingstown, R.I.
 Downer, Jane G., Iowa City, Iowa
 Downer, Robert N., Iowa City, Iowa
 Dwore, Richard B., Salt Lake City, Utah
 Early, Ames S., Rancho Santa Fe, Calif.
 Early, Beryl J., Rancho Santa Fe, Calif.
 Eddins, W. James, Jr., Charlottesville, Va.
 Emrich, Herbert W., Harlan, Ky.
 Filean, Graham P., Des Peres, Mo.
 Filean, Julie Ann, Des Peres, Mo.
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 Ford, Gary L., Indianapolis, Ind.
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 Fry, Bonnie S., Utica, Ill.
 Fry, Willis F., Utica, Ill.
 Furgerson, Betty Jean, Waterloo, Iowa
 Goche-Horihan, Jeanne M.,
 Iowa City, Iowa
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 Goeser, Brenda M., Harlan, Iowa
 Goeser, Stephen L., Harlan, Iowa
 Graham, Fred E., II, Aurora, Colo.
 Greene, Barry R., Iowa City, Iowa
 Greene, Linda G., Iowa City, Iowa
 Hansen, Kenneth C., Wahiawa, Hawaii
 Harrison, Scott M.,
 West Des Moines, Iowa
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 Henry, Wayne M., East Bridgewater,
 Mass.

Hicks, Allen M., Irving, Texas
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 Hoffman, Frances M., Mason City, Iowa
 Horihan, Michael D., Iowa City, Iowa
 Houser, Howard W., Birmingham, Ala.
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 Kisker, Mary Ann, Iowa City, Iowa
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 Larson, Roland E., Boylston, Mass.
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 Legate, William L., Tulsa, Okla.
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 Musser, Beth A., Maple Grove, Minn.
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 O'Grady, Sean T., Chicago, Ill.
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 Olin, William H., Sr., Iowa City, Iowa
 Pennington, Suzette, Bethel, Ohio
 Pennington, Timothy T., Bethel, Ohio
 Pettit, Stephanie F. Van Lier, Clive, Iowa
 Pettit, William R., Clive, Iowa
 Pitzer, Kevin M., Rochester, Minn.
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 Ritter, Robert H., Milwaukee, Wis.
 Schaffer, James J., Jr., Bloomington, Ind.
 Schmidt, Daniel P., Burr Ridge, Ill.
 Scott-Conner, Carol, Iowa City, Iowa
 Selz, Maria C., Libertyville, Ill.
 Selz, Timothy P., Libertyville, Ill.
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