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1030 RECEPTION

1100 Presentation of Working Papers

Communication and Child/Family Welfare Programmes in Asia
by Dr. Benjamin Lozare, University of the Philippines

Early Stimulation in Children
by Dr. Edith H. Grotberg,
Chairman: Dr. P.R.R. Sinha

1300 LUNCH

1430 Country Reports on the Status of Child & Family Welfare Programmes and the role of Communication
(10 minutes each)
Chairman: Dr. Paul Vesin, Programme Director, International Children's Centre

1600 COFFEE BREAK

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INTRODUCTION

Within the framework of the International Children's Centre (ICC), Paris - Department of Health & Human Services (H/HS), Washington, Programme of "Development of Information on Early Childhood", an international meeting has been organized jointly in Singapore by ICC, H/HS and AMIC (Asian Mass Communication Research and Information Centre). This seminar on "Communication and Child/Family Welfare" was chaired by Dr. P.R.R. Sinha, Director, AMIC; Dr. Edith H. Grotberg, Director, Administration and Evaluation Division (H/HS), was vice-chairman. The aim of the seminar was to develop the collaboration between health, education and mass media specialists involved in activities dealing with child and family welfare. Representatives of Bangladesh, the Republic of Korea, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Nepal, Pakistan, the Philippines, the Republic of Singapore, Sri Lanka and Thailand attended the meeting, presented reports and participated to the Working Group's activities and the discussions. They were Public Health, Education, Mother and Child Care Specialists, Representatives of Family Associations, Journalists, Communication and information experts. Experts from the ICC/H-HS Programme Steering Committee from France, Great Britain, the German Federal Republic, India and the USA served as Resource Persons. Two international Organizations, UNICEF and the International Planned Parenthood Federation, were also represented; there were observers from England, France, New Zealand and Sri Lanka. The meeting was honored by the presence of Dr. Ow Chin Hock, Parliament Secretary, Ministry of Culture, Government of Singapore, who delivered the opening adress. The Ministries of Public Health, Education and Social Affairs were also represented by high-ranking officers.

The following publication gathers working papers, working group reports, other documents of interest presented at the meeting and the conclusions and recommendations of the seminar.
PRESS RELEASE

REGIONAL SEMINAR ON CHILD AND FAMILY WELFARE

Amic will be organising a regional seminar on "Communication and Child/Family Welfare" from 27 to 31 October, 1980 at the Royal Ramada Hotel. This seminar is being held in cooperation with the International Children's Centre (France) and the United States Department of Health and Human Services. The seminar will be opened by Dr. Ow Chin Hock, Parliamentary Secretary (Culture) on 27 October, 1980 at the Royal Ramada Hotel, Newton Road.

The seminar is aimed at bringing together child-care professionals and media practitioners from both the developed and developing countries onto a common platform for discussion.

About forty-five participants from Bangladesh, France, West Germany, India, Pakistan, Nepal, Philippines, Indonesia, South Korea, Malaysia, Singapore, New Zealand, Sri Lanka, Thailand, United Kingdom and the United States are expected to attend this one-week seminar. There will be ten participants from Singapore representing the Ministry of Education, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Affairs, the Singapore Council of Social Services and members of the press.

Participants will discuss in-depth the following issues as related to child and family welfare: Communication and Child/Family Welfare Programmes in Asia and Singapore; Early Stimulation in Children; Breastfeeding; Accidents; the Role of Local Commercials in Family Welfare Communication; and Immunization. There will be a panel discussion on the problems and prospects of child/family welfare programmes in developing countries. Participants will also discuss the role of communication in nutrition education and the development of a communication module for child/family welfare programmes in separate working groups.
"Communication and Child/Family Welfare" is perhaps the first programme of its kind to be organised in this region where the role of communication in furthering the cause of child welfare programmes will be thoroughly discussed.

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