CERTIFIED NURSE ASSISTANCE TRAINING PROGRAM HAROLD WASHINGTON COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Harold Washington College recently joined in the celebration of a 20-year partnership with CASA Central in the training of Certified Nurse Assistants in the Humboldt Park community. CASA Central is a community base organization founded in 1964 by Reverend Daniel Alvarez, former Commissioner of Human Services for the City of Chicago.

that on Thursday, October 2, 2003 Harold Washington College Vice President John Wozniak gave the keynote speech in which he referred to CASA Central as a beacon within the Humboldt Park community and noted that Harold Washington College and CASA Central have been in partnership training CNAs since 1983. In that time over 1,000 Certified Nurse Assistants have been trained.

that the completion rate for the Harold Washington College/CASA Central Certified Nurse Assistant Program is virtually 100%, that while the program is delivered in English, virtually all of the participants are bilingual and upon graduation play a critical role in the Hispanic community providing nursing assistance services in hospitals, long term care institutions, and private homes.

Respectfully submitted

₩ayne D. Watson Chancellor

November 6, 2003

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HAROLD WASHINGTON COLLEGE ADJUNCT FACULTY ORIENTATION

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Harold Washington College provided an adjunct faculty orientation for all adjunct faculty on Friday, September 5, 2003 from 4:30 to 6:30 pm. Attendance was voluntary. All new non-tenured faculty to the College in Fall 2003 were also invited to attend. Participants in the orientation received the *Harold Washington College Adjunct Faculty Handbook* as well as tips on student grading and attendance, course outline presentation, professional development opportunities, building renovation and impact on semester activities and space, and *Blackboard on Campus* availability. Approximately 30 attended the initial orientation.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson Chancellor

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HAROLD WASHINGTON COLLEGE "CONQUERING LIFE'S CHALLENGES" 2003 GALA

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Vincent Van Smith, a Harold Washington College, Office of Vocational Training and Development (OVTD) student, was recognized at the "Conquering Life's Challenges" 2003 Gala sponsored by Community Service Options on September 26, 2003. OVTD Education Specialist, Sharon Taylor, nominated Mr. Van Smith.

Mr. Van Smith thanked Harold Washington College staff, in front of three hundred fifty guests, for the opportunities provided to him by the OVTD and for the support and encouragement given to him by the OVTD and Special Needs staff.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson Chancellor

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HAROLD WASHINGTON COLLEGE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO HOSPITAL ACADEMY

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Harold Washington College was honored by the University of Chicago Hospital Academy (UCHA) on September 5, 2003 for being a long-term education partner. Harold Washington College has also provided credit classes at the UCHA facility in Hyde Park for seven of the ten years the Academy has been opened as a training and recruiting center for the University of Chicago Hospital.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson Chancellor

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TRAINING AND COUNSELING SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP & GUIDANCE ASSOCIATION TRUMAN MIDDLE COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that there is a need to approve the continuation of the contract with Scholarship & Guidance Association (S & GA), Chicago, IL and Truman Middle College High School (TMCHS) for the provision of individual and group counseling services to students, training to faculty and consultation with the TMCHS Principal; and

that S & GA's goals are to assist the at-risk student population to improve coping skills and improve academic performance, work with parents, network with other social service agencies and to consult with staff in maintaining a unified learning strategies/behavioral intervention approach; the proposed contract serves 190 students, from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004 and includes a licensed clinical social worker and a secretary for a total of \$45,000; S & GA has provided these services for the past 15 years for TMCHS; and

that this purchase of professional services is exempt from the District's competitive bidding requirements.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees authorize the Chairman to enter into an agreement with Scholarship & Guidance Association, Chicago, IL to provide the necessary counseling and training services during the period of July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004 in the total amount of \$45,000.00.

Respectfully Submitted:

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