

### **MFP FellowsFY 2000 - 2001**

From July 2000 – June 30, 2001, the MFP retained ten (10) Fellows. Seven (7) Fellows research focus was in mental health and three (3) in substance abuse. Of those ten (10), two (2) were terminated for not being in compliance with federal guidelines and/or unable to meet the rigor of the program. One (1) new Fellow was appointed. This Fellow accepted the appointment, but soon declined the Fellowship for personal reasons. Therefore of the ten (10), only seven (7) were retained in the MFP FY 2000 – 2001.

Fellows by Name and Focus:

1. **Carmen Berrios**

Hispanic/Puerto Rican

Major: Mental Health Nursing at New York University

Research Title: An Exploratory Study of Culturally Syntonic Model of Mental Health Care for Latino Populations

Expected to complete dissertation in June 2002

2. **Margaret Brown**

African American

Major: Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing at Boston College

Research Title: Depression in African-American Women Post Breast Cancer Surgery

Terminated in October 2000 for non-compliance with SAMHSA guidelines

3. **Maureen Campesino**

Hispanic/Puerto Rican

Major: Psychiatric Nursing at the University of Arizona

Research Title: Spirituality in Bereavement among Mexican American Women Coping with the Violent Death of a Child

Expected to complete dissertation in December 2001

4. **Deanette Devereaux**

African American

Major: Psychiatric Nursing at the University of Arizona

Research Title: Assessment of Resiliency Characteristics in Siblings of a Chronically Ill Child: Preventing Psychopathological Outcomes

Appointed November 2000; Accepted then declined for personal reasons in December 2000

5. **Ezra Holston**

African American

Major: Neuropsychobiology Nursing at New York University

Research Title: Neurobiologic Behavior and Depression in Adults with Alzheimer's Disease

Expected to complete dissertation in 2004

6. **Sandra Jones**

African American

Major: Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing at the University of Maryland at Baltimore

Research Title: Substance Abuse Prevention: Youths Age 12 Years and Younger

7. **Pamela Lee**

African American

Major: Psychiatric Nursing at Loyola University, Chicago

Research Title: Substance Abuse: The Relationship Between Recovery, Self-Efficacy, Perception of Racism, Readiness to Change, and Addiction Severity in African American Males in Intensive Alcohol Treatment

Expected to complete dissertation in January 2002

8. **Tomas Rodriguez**

Hispanic/Mexican

Major: Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing at the University of Texas at Houston

Research Title: Psychological Effects of Thyroid Hormones

Expected to complete dissertation May 2002

9. **Lola-Ligaya Suzuki**

Asian American/Filipino

Major: Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing at the University of Washington at Seattle

Research Title: Intergenerational and Cross-Cultural Similarities and Differences in Filipino and Caucasians Definition of Responses to Elderly Mistreatment

Expected to complete dissertation August 2001

10. Linda Wingo

African American

Major: Psychiatric Mental Health at the Catholic University of America

Research Title: Substance Abuse: Recovery/Relapse in African American Women who have Participated in a Drug Treatment Program

Terminated in December 2000 for non-compliance