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# Clinic Saves $\$ 23,864$ First Year 

> Records for fiscal year 1940 -41 show total of 22,569 patients treated; 18,649 prescriptions filled in drug room; 1,803 persons given hospital care at average cost of $\$ 21.13$ each.

The Tulsa County Medical Society at the close of the present fiscal year on June 30, $19+1$ points to the official figures in the County Clerk's office as proof of the fact that the indigent sick of Tulsa County can be given adequate medical and hospital care and at the same time show a substantial reduction in costs over former years before the establishment of the Clinic.

With a record of treatment of 22,569 persons at the Free Clinic, the hospitalization of 1,803 persons in the Tulsa Hospitals on a per diem basis, the disbursement of $18,6+9$ prescriptions, 1,240 X-Ray pictures and fluroscopic examinations and 926 X-Ray treatments at a net savings to the taxpayers of Tulsa County of $\$ 23,86+.61$.

Comparing the present fiscal year with the fiscal year, 1938-39, the last
full fiscal year before the establishment of The Medical Clinic, the Clinic Committee pointed out that the drug account had been reduced from the previous figure of $\$ 32,7+9.92$ to exactly $\$ 12,980.00$ this year which represents a reduction of $\$ 19.767 .92$ in the drug item alone. The White Hospital account dropped from $\$ 61,154.27$ to $\$ 4+, 408.54$ this year or a saving of $\$ 16,745.73$ in this item.

In reflecting a net saving of $\$ 23$,864.61 through the operation of The Clinic, the committee pointed out that during the year 1938-39 the County spent $\$ 121,133.53$ for the following items: Drugs for County Farm; Special Doctors; Serums and Vaccines; Regular Doctors; Drugs; White Hospitals, Clinic Maintenance and Jail Physician, while for the fiscal year just closing Tulsa County reduced this fig-

ure to $\$ 97.268 .92$, or a saving of $\$ 23$,864.61. These are the items in the charity budget over which the Clinic Committees have supervision. Complete budget report appears on page 8 .

During the past year the actual maintenance of the clinic, including all salary items, X-Ray department, laboratory, Pharmacist; intake clerks, nurses and contingent operating expense totaled exactly $\$ 16,906.68$. This shows a savings of approximately $\$ 600$ under the budget of $\$ 17,500$ set up by the County Commissioners at the beginning of the fiscal year. The Clinic Committee is asking an increase in the Clinic Budget for the coming fiscal year of $\$ 2,000$ which would bring the clinic maintenance account up to $\$ 19,500$. Fcllowing is a recapitulation of the budget figures for the past year and the comparison for 1941-42.
duced from $\$ 2.400$, where it was set by the county commission last year.

The Clinic Committee seeks an appropriation of $\$ 93.900$ for the next fiscal year on the strength of a reduction from $\$ 121,133.93$ to $\$ 97,268.92$ in the last two years.

If county commissioners approve the request, it will continue the drop in charity hospitalization and medical costs begun when the clinic opened its doors in November, 1939.

The request revealed that drugs for the Tulsa county farm, which cost $\$ 6$,450 in 1938, have been eliminated entirely after a $\$ 300$ appronriation last year went unspent. A $\$ 300$ approbriation for serums and vaccines, made in 1938-39-40 also was eliminated after only $\$ 73.70$ was spent during the latter year.

The clinic asked $\$ 12,500$ for special

|  | Expenses | Budget | Proposed |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal Year | Fiscal Year | Budget for |
|  | 1940-1941 | 1940-1941 | 1941-1942 |
| Salary four nurses | \$ 5,000.00 | \$ 5,100.00 | \$ 5,100.00 |
| Miss Calhoun, Clerk | 900.00 | 900.00 | 1,200.00 |
| Laboratory technician | 900.00 | 900.00 | 900.00 |
| Assistant Clerk |  |  | 600.00 |
| Pharmacist | 2,300.00 | 1,800.00 | 1,800.00 |
| X-Ray Department | 4,206.68 | 4,800.00 | 4,800.00 |
| Operating Expense | 3,600.00 | 4,000.00 | 5,100.00 |
| Totals | \$16,906.68 | \$17,500.00 | \$19,500.00 |

Clinic maintenance would be boosted from $\$ 17,500$ to $\$ 19,500$, an increase of $\$ 2,000$ a year.

This would provide a $\$ 25$-a-month increase in the salary of Miss Norine Calhoun, receptionist, who now gets $\$ 75$ a month, and an appropriation of $\$ 5,100$ for contingent operating expenses, as compared to $\$ 4,000$ a year ago. Of the $\$ 4,000$ appropriation last year, only $\$ 3$,600 was spent.

The county also is asked to take over the $\$ 600$-a-year salary of an assistant clerk now paid by the medical society, and to appropriate $\$ 5,100$ for four nurses' salaries; $\$ 900$ for a laboratory technician ; $\$ 4,800$ for an X-ray department and $\$ 1,800$ for the pharmacist.

The pharmacist's salary would be re-
doctors' fees, $\$ 4,500$ for regular doctors, $\$ 12,000$ for drugs, $\$ 40,000$ for hospitalization, $\$ 19,500$ for clinic maintenance, and $\$ 5,400$ for the county physician's salary.

The year before the clinic was established, the county spent $\$ 14,250$ for special doctors, $\$ 7,299.92$ for regular doctors, $\$ 26,279.34$ for drugs, $\$ 61$,154.27 for hospitalization, and $\$ 5,400$ for the physician.

Last year, a $\$ 35,000$ appropriation for hospitalization was overspent, the final figure reaching $\$ 44,408.54$, but the $\$ 12,000$ drug appropriation was overspent only $\$ 980$.

The clinic's budget would restore the county physician's salary to $\$ 450 \mathrm{a}$
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# PRESIDENT'S PAGE 

Will you pardon me if I take a few moments to point with pride to the record established by the Tulsa County Medical Society through its operation of the Tulsa Free Clinic for indigent patients of Tulsa County and to say-"We told you so"?

Elsewhere in this issue of The Bulletin is a complete report and statistical resume of the operations of the Tulsa County Indigent Medical program which was administered by committees from the Medical Society. But just ponder these facts:

22,569 persons received treatment at the Clinic.

2,100 X-Ray pictures, fluoroscopic examinations and $X$-Ray treatments were given at the clinic.

18,649 prescriptions were filled at the Clinic Drug room at a total cost, including pharmacists' salary, of 29.8 cents each.

1,803 persons were hospitalized an average of 6.9 days each and at a cost of $\$ 21.13$ each.

White hospitalization cost was reduced from $\$ 61,154.00$ to $\$ 44,000$.

Drug costs were reduced from $\$ 32,749.00$ to $\$ 12,980$.

THROUGH THE ADMINISTRATION OF THESE FUNCTIONS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE TULSA COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY THE TAXPAYERS OF TULSA COUNTY SAVED $\$ 23,864$ during the past year.

And again, I would like to point with pride to this outstanding record of public service,

Very truly yours,


## Medical Calendar

TUESDAY, July 1st:
Clinic Meeting, 1202 Medical Arts Bldg., 12:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, July 4th:
Radio Broadcast at 1:45 p. m. Station KTUL. Dr. H. Lee Farris.

MONDAY, July 7th:
Hillcrest Hospital Staff Meeting.

FRIDAY, July 11th:
Trustee Meeting, 1202 Medical Arts Bldg.
Radio Broadcast at 1:45 p.m. Station KTUL. Dr. J. E. McDonald.

MONDAY, July 14th:
No Tulsa County Medical Society Meeting.

TUESDAY, July 15th:
Office Assistant's Meeting. Definite plans have not bee completed but be sure and watch for announcements regarding our picnic meeting.

FRIDAY, July 18th:
Radio Broadcast at 1:45 p. m. Station KTUL. Dr. Ned R. Smith.

MONDAY, July 21st:
St. Johns Hospital Staff Meeting.

FRIDAY, July 25th:
Radio Broadcast at 1:45 p. m. Station KTUL. Dr. Marvin D. Henley.

MONDAY, July 28th:
No Tulsa County Medical Society Meeting.

# The BULLETIN 

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Committce.................

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## PHYSICIANS IN POLITICS

Physicians should exert a more effective influence on poltical events than they do today. To protect the public welfare against politics in health, and to guard the profession of medicine against influences bound to retard its progress, doctors must take a more active interest in politics. No group outside the medical profession is competent to guide the policies of the government in matters of health. It is the responsibility of the medical profession to provide this guidance. Under our system of government there is one way, and only one way, that such responsibility can be exercised-and that is through political effort.

Two points must be understood if the political effort of individual doctors and medical organizations is going to have any effect upon the policies of the government. To appreciate them fully, it is going to be necessary that some firmly settled illusions be discarded. First, local politics is very much more important than national politics. Second, the primary is vastly more important than the general election. Any citizen can exert a great deal more influence upon the political trends of the national govern-
ment by quietly interesting himself in the politics of his own neighborhood precinct than he can by writing brilliant letters to his congressman. Furthermore, he will find that the time to convince a politician regarding any fundamental issue is before the election, and not afterwards.

These are stirring times in America -times during which the cloak of "national defense" can be used to usher in radical innovations in the function of the national government. Now is the time for all good doctors to come to the aid of their nation. They can aid their country and protect the interests of the people by once more occupying a prominent place in the civic and political life of the community.-Mac F. Cahal in Radiology.

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# Date set for 1942 State Meeting 

> Choose May $4-5-6$ so there will be no interference with neighboring state meetings; plans to be launched immediately to make "golden anniversary" of Oklahoma Medicine a huge success.

In order to eliminate any conflict and to launch an early start on preparations for the 1942 meeting of the Oklahoma State Medical Association, dates were tentatively selected as May 4-5-6 in preliminary plans for the "Golden Annivery" meeting next year.

The Oklahoma meeting was set the first week in May in order that there would be no conflict with Missouri, Texas or Kansas this next year to eliminate any trouble for exhibitors and guest speakers. Because the Petroleum Exposition is held in Tulsa later in May, the earlier dates were picked to allow the delegates to the state meeting the best possible hotel and entertainment facilities.

Although the records have hardly been closed on the last state meeting, arrangements are going ahead for the 1942 meeting here. Exhibitors have been contacted and arrangements will be announced well in advance for the coming meeting which state officers intend to make outstanding.

Members of the Tulsa County Medical Society have been appointed and elected to a number of the outstanding committees of the state organization. Tulsans on the Standing and Special Committees are as follows:
scientific Work: Dr. C. R. Rountree, Oklahoma City: Dr. T. H. McCarley, McAlester; Dr. R. C. Pigford, Tulsa.

Publicity: Dr. L. J. Starry, Oklahoma City ; Dr. A. Ray Wiley, Tulsa; Dr. M. D. Carnell, Okmulgee.

Conservation of Vision: Dr. Charles H. Haralson, Chairman, Tulsa: Dr. E. H. Coachman, Muskogee; Dr. F. Maxey Cooper, Oklahoma City.

Conservation of Hearing: Dr. H. F. Vandever. Chairman. Enid; Dr. Hugh Evans, Tulsa: Dr. T. R. Lutner, Lawton.

Crippled Children: Dr. C. R. Rountree, Chairman. Oklahoma City; Dr. Ian MacKenzie, Tulsa: Dr. Thomas McElroy. Ponca City.
Post-Graduate Medical Teaching: Dr. Henry H. Turner, Chairman, Oklahoma City ; Dr, H. C. Weber, Bartlesville: Dr. M. J. Searle, Tulsa. Study and Control of Cancer: Dr. C. P. Bondurant, Chairman, Oklahoma City; Dr. W. S. Larrabee, Tulsa; Dr. Paul B. Champlin, Enid.

Study and Control of Tuberculosis: Dr. F. P. Baker, Chairman, Talihina; Dr. R. M.

Shepard, Tulsa; Dr. Carl Puckett, Oklahoma City.

Study and Control of Venereal Diseases: Dr. Joe Fulcher. Chairman. Tulsa: Dr. S. F. Wildman. Oklahoma City; Dr. F. J. Baum, McAlester.

The following physicians have been elected officers of the various scientific sections at the recent state meeting in Oklahoma City.

General Surgery: Dr. A. Ray Wiley, Chairman, Medical Arts Bldg.. Oklahoma City; Dr. Ralph McGill. Vice-Chairman, Medical Arts Bldg. Tulsa: Dr. Oscar R. White. Secretary, 1200 Forth Walker, Oklahoma City.
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat: Dr. F. Maxey Cooper, Chairman, Medical Arts Bldg.. Oklahoma City: Dr. Frank Vieregg. Vice-Chairman. Clinton: Dr. Roy W. Dunlap, Secretary, Medical Arts Bldg., Tulsa.

Dermatology and Radiology : Dr. Onis G. Hazel, Chairman, 1200 North Walker, Oklahoma City: Dr. L. S. McAlister, Vice-Chairman. Muskogee: Dr. M. O. Nelson, Stecetary, Medical Arts Bldg.. Tulsa.
Crology and Syphilology: Dr. Robert H. Akin, Chairman, 400 West Tenth, Oklahoma City: Dr. E. Halsell Fite, Vice-Chrirman, Muskogee: Dr. D. W. Branham, Secretary, Medical Arts Bldg., Oklahoma City.

General Medicine: Dr. W. W. Rucks, Jr., Chairman, 301 West Twelfth, Oklahoma City; Dr. John B. Morey, Vice-Chairman, Ada; Dr. Philip M. Schreck, Secretary, Medical Arts Bldg., Tulsa.
Neurology, Psychiatry and Endocrinology : Dr. Felix M. Adams, Chairman, Vinita: Dr. Jess D. Herrman, Vice-Chairman, Medical Arts Bldg., Oklahoma City ; Dr. Moorman Prosser, Secretary. Norman.

Pediatries: Dr. David J. Underwood, Chairman, Medical Arts Bldg., Tulsa; Dr. E. E. Beechwood. Vice-Chairman, Bartlesville: Dr. Clark H. Hall, Secretary, Jedical Arts Bldg., Oklahoma City.
Public Health: Dr. John A. Morrow, Chairman, Sallisaw: Dr. W. L. Pickhardt. ViceChairman, Sapulpa: Dr. John F. Hackler, State Health Department, Oklahoma City.
Obstetrics and Gynecology: Dr. Dick Lowry, Chairman, 1200 North Walker. Oklahoma City: Dr. Charles Ed White, Vice-Chairman, Muskogee; Dr. L. G. Neal, Ponca City.

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Meakins, Jonathan C., M.D. The Practice of Medicine, 1936
Trueta, J., M.D. Treatment of War Wounds and Fractures, 1940 Both of these the gift of Dr. Ian MacKenzie.
Gifts-of the Month
Dr. A. W. Roth, Year Books of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, 1936-37-39.
Dr. H. D. Murdock, Surgery, Gynecology and Obsterics, 1918 to 1939: Recent issues of Archives of Surgery and the International Surgical Digest.
Dr. T. B. Coulter, Current issues of the Journal of the American Medical Assn.
Dr. W. J. Trainor, The American Heart Journal, 1939 and 40, and current issues for 1941: recent issues of Archives of Internal Medicine, the Southern Medical Journal and the Digest of Treatment, 1938-4.
Dr. Frank A. Stuart, current issues of the Proceedings of the Staff Meetings of the Mayo Clinic, and Diplomats of the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery, 1941-42.
Blood Transfusion Association of New York, The Report of the Blood Transfusion Association concerning the Project of Supplying Blood Plasma to England, which has been carried on jointly with the American Red Cross, Jan. 1941.
Merck and Co., Vitamin B6, (Pyridoxine) annotated Bibliography, February 1941: Panthothentic Acid, annotated Bibliography, Feb. 1941: Vitamin K, annotated Bibliography, January 1941: Sulfanilamide, Pharmacological Activity and Clinical Use, March 1941.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

In answer to many requests, we are happy to say that we now have the "Medical and Surgical Clinics of North America" also, the new Journal of the American Medical Association, entitled "War Medicine" published bi-monthly.
Missing from the Library: Archives of Internal Medicine, May 1941: The American Journal of the Medical Sciences, May 1941.

## Corner of Medical Library


—Photo by Tom Clark

## Will the Automobile Ever

 Replace the Horse?At this date, we can be pretty sure in saying yes. It looks like a pretty sure shot. But twenty-five years ago there were plenty of us who guessed wrong. There seems to be a part of human nature that is resistive to change. It is so much easier to do it the old way. Especially if you do not have to take your feet off the desk to do it. But no matter how we feel, changes do take place, and sooner or later we find ourselves falling in line.

However, this is not getting to the point. But the fellow, who, when asked if he read many books replied, no, he had tried one once and did not like it,
seems to have something in common with our horse fancier. This brings us a little closer to the point.
Changes will take place and one of the most encouraging is that which has taken place in the Society Medical Library. Now do not stop reading here with the thought, "Oh, a library! A place where they keep books in their old age." You were wrong about the horse; you might be wrong about this too.

A library can be much more than this. A library can be like an efficient, well managed department store where you can get what you want without waste of time or energy. It can be like a fine restaurant where the service is good and the food served hot. That is, is can be if the same care and interest is put into it that made the efficient
department store and the fine restaurant.
That is the change we are talking about. Your library-I say your library, because it is just that-has undergone a considerable change. It is now in the hands of a librarian who is eager and able to show what a library can give you. You say that's fine, but you're too busy to use the library? Now I'm sure you're the fellow who bet on the horse! You might be too busy if it was just a collection of books instead of a library. But that's what a library is for, to save you time. Do you know that it is now completely catalogued and classified? Do you know that it contains fifty current medical journals? Do you know that the librarian can get any other journal you need within a few days? Maybe you want a certain article or reference, but do not know where to find it. But your librarian does, and she will get it for you if you only take the time to phone her. And please do not tell me you do not need to use the library. I know a little better than that.

You probably think, "Well, if he has such a juicy plum, why doesn't he keep it all for himself?" It just can't work that way. A library is like almost anything else. Without care and pride and interest and activity, without being able to play a dynamic role, it becomes sterile and lifeless, a collection of books and nothing more.
-M. D. Spottswood, M.D.

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Born in Downs, Kan., he graduated from Northwestern State Teachers' College at Alva in 1904 and from the University of Oklahoma in 1907. Since coming to Tulsa in 1919 Dr. Johnson has been active in the affairs of the Tulsa County Medical Society.

For a time he was head of the science department at Northwestern. He graduated from the St. Louis University medical school in 1914 and served on the faculty of the medical school for several years.

Dr. Johnson was deeply interested in music and coached his two daughters, who are accomplished musicians and graduates of the University of Chicago.

Mrs. Johnson, was formerly Miss Blanche Allen, whom he had married at Arkansas City, Kan., in 1910.

Mrs. Johnson is in civic affairs, having served as state P.-T. A. president for five years and on boards of the Tulsa Y. W. C. A. and welfare organizations.

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## CLINIC REPORT <br> SHOWS BIG SAVING

## (Continued from Page 9)

month. It was cut to $\$ 400$ a month in last year's budget.

In addition, the clinic directors suggested the following appropriations:

Medical appliances, $\$ 300$; hospital inspectors, $\$ 4,800$; appliances for children, $\$ 100$; Tulsa County Public Health association, $\$ 350$; ambulances and burials, $\$ 6,000$; crippled children, $\$ 11,000$; tuberculosis and public health, $\$ 9,310$ municipal hospital salaries, $\$ 12,500$, and municipal hospital maintenance, $\$ 6,500$.

This would provide a total expenditure of $\$ 50,860$, against $\$ 53,131.99$ a year ago.

The medical society has no control over expenditures in this bracket, which during the last two years, have increased from $\$ 45,035.25$ to $\$ 53,131.99$, a boost of $\$ 8,096.74$.

Also significant, it was pointed out, is the fact that records show the county spent $\$ 61,154.27$ for the care of indigent patients in white hospitals in 1938-39, while only $\$ 44,000$ was necessary during the last fiscal year because hundreds of minor cases were treated and disposed of at the clinic.

Although 1,803 persons were given hospital treatment during the year by the county, only 192 were sent from the clinic. Of this figure, 343 were on St. John's hospital, 579 in Hillcrest Memorial, 299 in Tulsa General, 188 in Flower, 292 in Mercy, and 102 in nursing homes.

The average cost per patient was $\$ 21.13$; the average confinement, 6.9 days.

During the same period, 22,569 is
indicated by the fact that but $\$ 93,900$ is being requested in the 1941-42 budget for the same items.

Records also show that these 1,803 persons were hospitalized in white institutions for 12,500 hospital days, or an average of 6.9 days per person at an average cost of $\$ 21.13$ per patient in the last 12 months. No records are available for prior years for comparative purposes.
The clinic drug shop filled 18,171 prescriptions during the last year at an average cost of 19.6 per prescription, including the cost of medicine, pharmacists' salary. The drug shop supplies drugs to the county jail, county farm, Negro hospital and for a time supplied all drugs for indigent patients in the five white hospitals. Tabulated report on page 19 .
The wide scope of medical service provided by the free medical clinic is shown by the number of persons treated and the type of treatment rendered. Classified, they are:

Minor surgical surgery cases, 1,908 ; rectal, 486; diathermy, 471; urology, 648; gynecology, 1,318; pediatrics, $1,-$ 121; orthopedrics, 535 ; dental, 1,972; dermatology, 616; eye, 1,013 ; tonsils, 317; nose and throat, 762; neurology, 198; varicose, 432; tumor, 393; cardiac, 470 , and internal medicine, 9,424 .
In addition to these services, the clinic made X-Ray pictures for 463 persons; flouroscopic examinations for 777; gave X-Ray treatment to 926 ; laboratory examinations to 3,430 ; making a total number of individual services rendered by the clinic during the last 12 months of 22,569 . Tabulated report on page 19.

# Caution in Opening Medical Accounts Assures Prompt Payment 

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#### Abstract

St. Louis given A.M.A. meeting again in 1944, following Atlantic City in 1942 and San Francisco in 1943; house of delegates as U. S. aid in arranging medical assignments.


Dr. Fred W. Rankin of Lexington, Ky., was elected new president-elect of the American Medical Association at Cleveland in June.

Dr. Rankin, a man of stocky build, forceful manner and distinct military bearing, is surgeon at St. Joseph's Good Samaritan Hospitals in Lexington. During the war he was a major in the medical corps. While in France he was attached to the First Army Corps, 4th and 26th divisions, and was commanding officer of Base Hospital No. 26. He is now a colonel in the medical corps reserve.

Other officers chosen by the house of delegates were Dr. Charles A. Dukes, Oakland, Cal., vice president; Dr. Olin West, Chicago, secretary ; Dr. Herman L. Kretschmer, Chicago, treasurer ; Dr. H. H. Shoulders, Nashville, Tenn., speaker of the house; Dr. Roy W. Fouts, Omaha, Neb., vice speaker.

Trustees elected were Dr. Ernest E. Irons, Chicago, to succeed Dr. Austin A. Hayden, Chicago, deceased ; and Dr. Charles W. Roberts, Atlanta, Ga., to succeed Dr. Thomas C. Cullen, Baltimore, who had served two five-year terms, which is the limit in the organization.

Dr. Harvey B. Stone and Dr. Russell B. Haden of Cleveland were elected members of the council on medical edu-
cation and hospitals, succeeding Dr. Fred Moore, Des Moines, and Dr. Rankin, respectively.

Dr. Walter F. Donaldson, Pittsburgh, was reappointed to the judicial council and Dr. Fred A. Coller, Ann Arbor, to the council on scientific assembly, succeeding Dr. S. P. Mengel of Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

With invitations from Atlantic City, New York, Philadelphia and St. Louis for the 1944 convention, the house chose the latter city. Next year's convention will be held at Atlantic City and that in 1943, in San Francisco.

The house of delegates of the American Medical Association passed a resolution yesterday urging that the United States arrange immediately for the establishment of a central assignment authority with representatives of the civilian medical profession.

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