ACTION
SPEAKS
LOUDER...

MINNESOTA'S
GOVERNOR'S
CONFERENCE ON
MENTAL RETARDATION

September 25 & 26, 1966
Saint Paul Hilton Hotel
St. Paul, Minnesota

State of Minnesota
KARL F. ROLVAAG, Governor
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Sunday, September 25, 1966

7:00 p.m. REGISTRATION ....................... Foyer, Lower Level
MUSIC TO REGISTER BY ................. Faribault State School
and Hospital Resident Band, Dewey Cates, Director.

8:00 p.m. OPENING SESSION ..................... Ballroom
Presiding ......... Sally Luther, Chairman, Minnesota Mental
Retardation Planning Council.
GREETINGS ........ Hon. Thomas R. Byrne, Mayor of St. Paul
INTRODUCTION ........ Hon. Karl F. Rolvaag, Governor of
Minnesota.
KEYNOTE ADDRESS .......... Eunice Kennedy Shriver, Vice-
President, Joseph P. Kennedy, Jr. Foundation, Washington,
D.C.

9:30 p.m. RECEPTION FOR MRS. SHRIVER ............... Capitol Room
All attending are invited to meet Mrs. Shriver.
Coffee will be served.

Monday, September 26, 1966

8:00 a.m. REGISTRATION ......................... Foyer, Lower Level
MUSIC TO REGISTER BY ............ Melody Ramblers, Cambridge
State School and Hospital Resident Band, Mary Wilcox,
Director.

9:00-10:00 a.m. GENERAL SESSION ........... Minnesota Ballroom East
Presiding....Raymond W. Doyle, President, Minnesota Associa-
tion for Retarded Children.
ADDRESS ........ "A Bill of Rights for Minnesota's Mentally
Retarded", Hon. Karl F. Rolvaag, Governor of Minnesota.

10:00-10:30 a.m. COFFEE, Dutch Treat ............... Capitol Room

10:30 a.m.-12:00 Noon TASK FORCE REPORT SESSION-WabashaRoom
Presiding .......... Sally Luther, Chairman, Minnesota Mental
Retardation Planning Council.
Reporting...., Chairmen, Minnesota Mental Retardation Planning
Council Task Forces.
Prevention, Diagnosis & Treatment.... Edward LaFond, M.D.
Residential Care . . . Howard L. Paulsen, Director, Family
Counseling Services, Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota.
Education & Habilitation .......... Maynard Reynolds, Ph.D.,
Director, Department of Educational Psychology, University
of Minnesota.
Community-Based Services  
Wabasha Room  
Panel: Richard Tudor, M.D., Chairman; Thomas Olson, Consultant, Hennepin County Health and Welfare Council; Betty Hubbard, Coordinator of School-Community Services to Parents of Retarded, St. Paul Public Schools; Frances Ames, Supervisor, Section on Mental Deficiency, Division of Medical Services, Minnesota Department of Public Welfare.

Employment  
Indian Suite West  
Panel: Eugene Spika, Chairman; Axel L. Peterson, Assistant Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Corrections; Mel Hansen, State Senator.

Staffing, Training & Recruiting  
Authors Suite West  
Panel: S.L. Held, Chairman; Edwin Lane, Assistant Director, Minnesota Civil Service; Stanley Holmquist, State Senator; Father Michael McDonough, Chaplain, St. Mary's Hospital.

Research  
Senate Suite East  
Panel: Gregory Stone, Chairman; Arthur Gallese, Ph.D., Research Coordinator, Division of Medical Services, Minnesota Department of Public Welfare; Harold Stevenson, Ph.D., Director, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota.

Volunteer Services  
Senate Suite West  
Panel: Alice Huston, Chairman; William Judkins, Community Planning Consultant, Division of Field Services, Minnesota Department of Public Welfare; Arvin T. Jackson, Director of Community Services, Minnesota Association for Retarded Children.

Law  
Authors Suite East  
Panel: Melvin D. Heckt, Chairman; George Adzick, Assistant-Attorney General, Minnesota Department of Public Welfare; Gary Flakne, State Senator.

Public Awareness  
Indian Suite East  
Panel: Howard Huelster, Chairman; Connie Burchett, State Representative; Lucy Cook, Public Information Writer, Minneapolis Association for Retarded Children.

4:00-4:15 p.m. COFFEE, Dutch Treat  
Capitol Room

4:15 p.m. CONCLUDING SESSION  
Ballroom  
OVERVIEW: "Action Speaks Louder . . ". . . Sally Luther, Chairman, Minnesota Mental Retardation Planning Council.

5:00 p.m. Adjournment
ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

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Research  Gregory Stone, Ph.D., Professor of Sociology, University of Minnesota.
Volunteer Services  Alice Huston, Director of Christian Education, Minnesota Council of Churches.
Public Awareness  Howard Huelster, Assistant Dean, Macalester College.
Law  Melvin D. Heckt, Attorney

12:00 Noon LUNCHEON Ballroom
MUSIC TO BE SEATED BY  Rhythmaires, Brainerd State School and Hospital Resident Band, Mary Schmid, Director; Ron Larson, Master of Ceremonies; Marlys Bischer, Vocalist.

Presiding  Arthur Bennett, D.D.S., President, St. Paul Association for Retarded Children.
INVOCATION  Rev. Rueben K. Youngdahl, Pastor, Mount Olivet Lutheran Church, Minneapolis.

REACTOR PANEL  Robert Barr, M.D., Secretary and Executive Officer, Minnesota Department of Health, and David Vail, M.D., Director, Division of Medical Services, Minnesota Department of Public Welfare.

2:00-4:00 p.m. WORKSHOPS
Prevention, Diagnosis & Treatment  Pioneer Suite
Panel: Edward LaFond, Chairman; A.B. Rosenfield, M.D., Director, Division of Special Services, Minnesota Department of Health; Charles Branthaver, Professor of Pediatrics, University of Minnesota.

Residential Care  Capitol Room
Panel: Howard Paulsen, Chairman; Gerald Walsh, Executive Director, Minnesota Association for Retarded Children; Harold Popp, State Senator; Morris Hursh, Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Public Welfare.

Education & Habilitation  Minnesota Ballroom West
Panel: Maynard Reynolds, Ph.D., Chairman; Duane Mattheis, Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Education; Mervin Healy, Executive Director, Opportunity Workshop.