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Editor's Note

UCC is anxious to provide as much conversion assistance as possible to those users of the Health Sciences CDC 3300 system who wish to convert to the UCC Cyber systems. For this purpose I have been appointed UCC Conversion Coordinator for the Health Sciences. I will coordinate all program and data conversion assistance and education as well as assisting Health Sciences users in obtaining Cyber account numbers and validations.

Many tools and procedures for converting programs and data have been developed and more will be developed. These include software that rectifies language differences and programs that automatically convert both character and binary data files. Also Cyber procedures that are functionally equivalent to those on the 3300 are being compiled. Seminars and documentation are being prepared to present this material. If you wish to participate in this conversion program, please fill out the attached registration form and sent it to me.

Conversion Seminars

Several conversion aid seminars will be held in the Health Sciences complex beginning in April. Topics to be covered include:

1. An introduction to UCC and the Cyber systems.
2. Useful manuals and documentation and where they can be obtained.
3. Data conversion software and procedures.
4. Language and program conversion methods, problems, and aid.
5. Cyber software and procedures that are equivalent to those on the 3300.

It will be assumed that the attendees will be familiar with CDC 3300/MASTER.

This newsletter will announce the dates, times and locations of the seminars. It will also contain highlights from the seminars.

Following the seminars there will be special offerings in the Health Sciences complex of regular UCC short courses if there is sufficient interest.

Finally a conversion aid manual will be published putting together all of the conversion related information.

Registration

Those individuals or groups who are interested in continuing to receive this newsletter or in attending the conversion aid seminars should register by sending the attached form to the Conversion Coordinator. Those individuals or groups who are registered will receive future issues of this newsletter, related conversion information, and seminar schedules.

Also, individuals who do not have their own programmers or who feel that the conversion of their applications cannot be accomplished with only the aid indicated but who will need, instead, outside programmers to do the conversion for them should register as well. These individuals will be contacted independently by members of the conversion staff to discuss their problems and needs.

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CONVERSION REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Contact Person _____

Department/Organization _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Date _____

I wish to attend seminars YES _____ NO _____. If yes, how many people will attend? _____

I may need outside programmer help _____.

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