

North Carolina Collection

Durham Interagency Roundtable Records

Collection #:	NCC.0058
Title:	Durham Interagency Roundtable Records
Inclusive Dates:	1973-1987
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	Community organization -- North Carolina -- Durham.
	Durham (N.C.) -- Social conditions.
	Durham County (N.C.) -- Social conditions.
	Family social work -- North Carolina -- Durham.
	Human services -- North Carolina -- Durham.
	Public welfare -- North Carolina -- Durham County.
	Social service -- North Carolina -- Durham County.
	Youth -- Services for -- North Carolina -- Durham.
Abstract:	The Durham Interagency Roundtable records span 1973 to 1987 and document the activities of the group of agencies representing efforts to improve education, health, welfare, and human resources in Durham. Items include organizational guidelines, financial reports, agendas, monthly meeting minutes, sign-in sheets, meeting RSVPs, and mailing lists. The collection is ordered in the following series: 1973-1976; 1977; 1978; 1979; 1980; 1981-1982; 1983-1984; 1985-1987; Mailing Lists; Finance 1973-1982; and Executive Committee, 1973-1981.
Scope and Content:	The Durham Interagency Roundtable (DIA) papers illustrate communication and information sharing over fifteen years between a varying membership of community agencies from 1973 to 1987. The collection contains loose materials including organizational guidelines, roundtable and executive committee meeting agendas, minutes and summaries, financial reports and monthly flyers announcing next meeting. Meeting materials from 1973 to 1976 included a call for North Carolina prison chaplains and the State of North Carolina Department of Correction "A New Direction: Prisons, Adult Probation and Parole" newsletter. Meeting topics and presenters varied and in 1978 included the North Central Legal Assistance Program, Child Advocacy Commission, and Community Planning Services (United Way). Meeting topics in 1980 included senior centers. In 1982 meeting topics and presenters included Durham's Dispute Settlement Center, industrial technology displacing textile, tobacco, furniture, and services to "violent and aggressive young people". Meeting topics and presenters also included speakers from the Lesbian and Gay Health Project, Community Kitchen (1983), North Carolina Independent newspaper (1984), and treatment of sexually abusive families (1984). Sign in sheets show a diversity of representatives from many social services organizations including the American Red Cross, Durham Housing Authority, North Central Legal Assistance Program, YMCA, Volunteer

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	<p>housing Authority, North Central Legal Assistance Program, YWCA, volunteer Service Bureau, Department of Social Services, Community Planning Services, Human Relations Task Force on Community, the Research Triangle Lung Association, and the Mental Health Association in 1977. Attendees in 1978 also included staff from the Children's Home Society, Durham County Health Department, Day Care Council, Edgemont Community Center, United Way, and Durham Day Care Council. Participants in 1979 included representatives from Project LIFT, Durham County Library, Retired Senior Volunteer Program, Drug Council & Evaluation Center, Agricultural Extension Service, Offender Aid And Restoration, NC Employment Security Commission, Hassle House, Eno River Unitarian Fellowship, American Lung Association, Durham City Schools, and the Durham Mental Health Center.</p>
Related Materials:	
Restrictions:	The collection is open for research.
Biographical/Historical Note:	<p>The Durham Interagency Roundtable (DIA) was organized in 1973 and as of 1977 its organizational guidelines defined that its membership was "open to personnel of all public and private agencies and institutions in Durham County" with the purpose "to move toward a better service delivery system for meeting human needs so that there will be an improvement in the quality of life for Durham County residents." Members paid dues and an executive board of officers organized monthly meetings including guest speakers discussing community services in prison, healthcare, and education and services for children and seniors. Monthly meetings were held at the central YWCA on West Chapel Hill Street and later the Red Cross building. A lack of participation was cited as the reason for dissolving the roundtable in 1987.</p>
Condition Notes:	The collection is in good condition.
Organization of Collection:	1. 1973-1976
	2. 1977
	3. 1978
	4. 1979
	5. 1980
	6. 1981-1982
	7. 1983-1984
	8. 1985-1987
	9. Mailing Lists
	10. Finance 1973-1982
	11. Executive Committee 1973-1981
Arrangement Note:	<p>This collection is arranged chronologically by series according to year and or subject. The collection is arranged in the following series: 1973-1976; 1977; 1978; 1979; 1980; 1981-1982; 1983-1984; 1985-1987; Mailing Lists; Finance 1973-1982; and Executive Committee, 1973-1981.</p>
Container List	1973-1976 Durham Interagency Roundtable meeting materials
	Materials include a call for North Carolina prison chaplains and the State of North Carolina Department of Correction "A New Direction: Prisons, Adult Probation and Parole" newsletter.
	1977 Durham Interagency Roundtable meeting materials
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	1981-1982 Durham Interagency Roundtable meeting materials
	1983-1984 Durham Interagency Roundtable meeting materials
	1985-1987 Durham Interagency Roundtable meeting materials
	Mailing Lists for Durham Interagency Roundtable
	Finance 1973-1982
	Treasurer's Reports and statements of expenses
	Executive Committee 1973-1981
	Includes meeting materials, correspondence and completed surveys of interest from members

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