

SEPTEMBER PERIODICAL PART II

The following items were unfortunately not included in the recent mailing of THE PERIODICAL. Apologies for the omission.

Member News

SMCR past presidents Joan C. Chrisler and Ingrid Johnston-Robledo recently published a book entitled Woman's Embodied Self: Feminist Perspectives on Identity and Image (American Psychological Association [APA Books]). The book considers how women relate to their bodies and how attitudes toward the body affect women's sense of self. Topics include attractiveness, sexuality, reproduction, illness and disability, and aging. The closing chapter (titled "Managing and Resisting Negative Embodiment") contains advice for women and girls and their therapists, including ways to engage in activism and advocacy. Many members of SMCR are cited in this compelling book.

Women's Reproductive Health News

The winter issue of our journal is in press (vol. 4, no. 3); look for it in December. The issue includes a special section on "Menstrual Health: A Matter of Human Rights," edited by Chris Bobel and Amy Agigian. The section contains interesting studies of girls' menstrual and menarcheal experiences in Ethiopia and Zambia, as well as a very comprehensive guide to conducting evidence-based research on menstrual hygiene interventions.

We are happy to announce that Women's Reproductive Health will soon be indexed by the Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature (CINAHL). We continue to work with representatives for Medline, PsycINFO, and Scopus; our acceptance by CINAHL should help in our efforts. Scopus wants to see more citations of work published in our journal. You can help with that: Read WRH and cite us in your own work.

Remember: Women's Reproductive Health will become a quarterly in 2018! That means we need more submissions, so send us your work – and encourage your colleagues to do the same. As always, questions and comments about the journal, as well as submissions, should be addressed to the Editor, Joan C. Chrisler, jcchr@conncoll.edu. Suggestions about books and media to be reviewed, and offers to do a review, should be address to the Book Review Editor, Jessica Barnack-Taylaris, jbarntav@gmail.com.

Deadline to submit for the next newsletter is December 10th.