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DALLAS--The School of Allied Health Professions of
The University of Texas Southwestern Medical School will hold
its first commencement exercises Sunday (Aug. 22), conferring
38 degrees and certificates on candidates in four specialized
health service fields.

Ceremonies will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Weiss Educational Building Auditorium, 209 Oakenwald, at Methodist Hospital of Dallas.

Commencement addresses will be given by Col. Jerold

L. Wheaton, commander of the School of Health Care Sciences

at Sheppard Air Force Base, and by Dr. John W. Schermerhorn,

dean of the School of Allied Health Professions.

This is the initial commencement for the health education institution which opened its doors last September with 57 students enrolled in four programs. Authorized by The University of Texas System Board of Regents to help relieve shortages of medical professionals, the institution now has around 50 full and part time faculty.

Additional programs are in planning stages.

Presiding at the Sunday ceremonies will be Dr. Harry J.

Parker, associate dean of the School of Allied Health Professions.

For the academic procession, Dr. Donald A. Pool will be marshall and Donald M. Woerz will be assistant marshall.

Invocation and benediction will be by Rev. James N. Swafford, chaplain at Methodist Hospital. Kenneth Nienhuis will be organist.

Dr. Joe T. Nelson, member of The University of Texas System Board of Regents from Weatherford, will confer degrees and certificates.

Candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Science are:

Carole Ann Harper Traweek, medical technology; Venita Sue Lovelace,

physical therapy; Daniel Hinkson, William W. James III, Naomi

Langley Robinson and Jean Curtis Wright, rehabilitation science.

Candidates for certificates in Physical Therapy are:

Vicki Jane Bergman, Julia Sue Bottenberg, Bennie Richard
Chandler Jr., Jani L. Collins, Robert Douglas Crew, Charles Lauri
Davis, Nancy Marie Davis, Marilyn Dianne Feaster, Sally June Graham,
Laura Irma Hall, Lynda A. Hoover, Venita Sue Lovelace, Katheryn
Elizabeth McGuigan, Kenneth J. Morris, Kathleen Morton, Pamela J.
Overall, Georgia Young Pantilla, David Lynn Peck, Janet Marie Smith,
Roy Robert Taylor, Robbie L. Walker, Sandra Adele Westbrook, Suzy
M.M. Williams and Holly Elizabeth Wilson.

Candidates for Dietetic Internship certificates are:

Mardette Jean Hemann, Judy Vodvarka, Janet Smith Presley,
Patricia Elizabeth McAdams, Sharon Sue Bozarth, Olivia Harris Lustig,
Carol Ann Krumm and Ruth Ann Duncan.