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Dear Mrs. Ferguson,

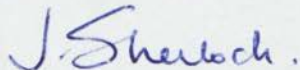
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Thank you for your letter about library provision for your subject.

The information you have provided will be most helpful in the discussions I will be having with Professor Burton and others on this matter.

I will write again when I can tell you something more definite.

Yours sincerely,



Miss J. Sherlock,
Acting Librarian.

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Miss Jill Sherlock
Acting Librarian
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1 February 1985

Dear Miss Sherlock

re: Nursing Studies

I am writing to you in relation to Nursing Studies Students Library requirements for the Academic Year 1985/86.

As far as I know at the moment the Nursing Studies Unit will remain on the Regent's Park site with teaching and consultation being conducted both at Bedford Square and at Regent's Park.

This is to enquire whether the Nursing Studies Journals and the small Nursing Library can be housed in my room on the site. The Journals are as follows:

Nursing Times
" Research
" Bibliography, Nursing Forum
International Nursing Review
" J. of Advanced Nursing
" Nursing Index
American J. of Nursing.

I also share with Medical Sociology the reading and consulting of their Journals and at the moment we conduct a very satisfactory arrangement which involves the sending of Journals to each other. These Journals are:

Soc. Sci. of Medicine
Soc. of Health and Illness
Int. J. of Health Studies
British Med. Journal
Lancet
New England J. of Medicine.

Books:

The students will require reading material for their dissertation and usually they use it from a broad perspective of the social sciences with a preference to the medical social sciences.

I will discuss with them their dissertation plans and suggest if you agree,

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that they take a number of books home over their summer holidays, for me to collect at the beginning of October 1985 and return to you when I come out to Egham, once a week for a course I am teaching together with Mrs. B. Martin (Women and Society). I cannot see how the Nursing Students can come out to Egham to use books because their last year's time-tabling is extremely tight as it is laced heavily with practical and theoretical work. I hope that Professor Burton will be able to make an ad hoc arrangement for one year only for borrowing rights perhaps with the LSE and the Institute for Tropical Medicine. But these thoughts are still very much in the air and I fear for the students' needs not being met.

Yours sincerely

Marion Ferguson
Director, Nursing Studies.