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TWO QUARTERLY JOURNALS. Persons in many fields and from many nations rely on the Journal of Marriage and the Family for news of significant advances in family research from all parts of the world. Recent special issues have focused upon "Poverty and the Family," "Adolescents," and "Governmental Programs and the Family." The May 1968 issue is devoted to "Family Planning, Fertility Control and Population Dynamics."

Directed toward the family practitioner, the Family Coordinator: Journal of Education, Counseling and Services emphasizes the applied aspects of family theory and research. It stresses the implications for education, counseling and action programs which serve families.

A QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER OF COUNCIL AFFAIRS contains announcements of awards, conferences and workshops, official reports and proceedings, employment information, and activities of NCFR members.

ANNUAL MEETINGS are among the major scientific and professional events of the year. Hundreds of professional persons from all fields report progress in their own activities and hear the reports of others. Sessions on research, counseling, education, and the topic chosen for special emphasis for the year are held simultaneously. Abstracts are published in the conference Proceedings with the full texts of plenary speakers. Recent conference themes have been "Family Potentials in a Cybernetic Culture," and "Family Communication." The 1968 meeting will be in New Orleans, October 16-19 on the theme "The Man and His Worlds."

FELLOWSHIP WITH FAMILY SPECIALISTS in the professions of medicine, law, government, ministry, counseling, education, and others. Members are eligible for election as officers or directors or for appointment to the executive committee. Annual awards are made for meritorious contributions to teaching and research.

OBJECTIVES OF THE NCFR

The NCFR was founded in 1938 and exists today as an organization which unites professional persons with an interest in the well-being of American families. The NCFR supports the International Scientific Commission on the Family as a member of the International Union of Family Organizations. The NCFR encourages: ▶ Lively local, state, and regional councils, conferences, and workshops. ▶ Curriculum development in the schools and universities and in the graduate training programs of professional persons. ▶ The establishment of professional standards and accreditation for family life educators. ▶ The coordination of research and educational efforts, and the extension of community services for families.