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## Science Notes - Natural History Potpourri Workshop for Elementary and Middle School Teachers

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## SCIENCE NOTES

### **News & Features Publication Available from NIH**

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) offers a publication titled *News & Features from NIH* free of charge to interested science educators.

An appropriate resource for teachers and students of high school level and above who are studying human health-related biological topics, the magazine-style publication features informational articles on such topics as drug research, diet and nutrition, AIDS and cancer research. A recent issue titled "Toward a Better Tomorrow" focused entirely on aging.

If you would like to receive *News & Features from NIH*, contact the NIH News Branch, Building 31, Room 2B-10, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20892.

### **Pamphlets Available on Teenage Sexuality**

The March of Dimes has made available several free informative pamphlets on teenage sexuality. Included in the publications are flyers designed to help junior high and high school students make wise choices regarding sexual activity.

Several of the pamphlets have teenage pregnancy as their main focus, including information on the March of Dimes' Project Alpha program (Project Alpha explores the problem of teenage pregnancy from the male perspective). Other areas of focus are AIDS and Positive Peer Pressure.

To receive the pamphlets, contact the Community Service Department, March of Dimes, Birth Defects Foundation, 1275 Mamaroneck Ave., White Plains, NY 10605.

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### **Natural History Potpourri Workshop for Elementary and Middle School Teachers**

The topics of trees, prairie plants, birds, pond animals and rocks will be explored via field trips, classroom presentations and application activities during the week-long workshops to be presented at the Iowa Conservation Education Center at Springbrook State Park. The beginning dates for the workshops are June 3 and June 17. Graduate credit and stipends are available. To obtain a brochure and registration form call University of Northern Iowa, Division of Continuing Education at 1-800-772-1746.