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TO UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA

MISSOULA--

The Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation at the University of Montana has received a \$500 grant from the Missoula County Chapter of the March of Dimes National Foundation (MDNF).

Norma Staael (pronounced Steel), a professor of physical therapy in the department, said the grant will be used to purchase books and periodicals for the education of physical therapy students at UM.

The grant was presented to Miss Staael during the physical therapy meeting of the Montana Chapter of Physical Therapists in the new physical therapy facilities on the floor ground of the UM Women's Center June 13.

The MDNF also awarded a plaque to the Montana Chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association for distinguished voluntary leadership in the fight against birth defects.

The plaque was presented in behalf of Basil O'Connor, MDNF president, on recommendation of Gomien Brown, Great Falls, who is director of the national foundation.

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