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PSYCHOLOGY CENTER USES PLAY THERAPY--During an open house to show off the new \$450,000 quarters of the University of Montana Clinical Psychology Center, UM psychologist John G. Watkins, kneeling, explains to UM Vice President J. Michael Easton, left, and President Neil Bucklew how doll houses and other toys are used to treat children. Watkins says the playroom was incorporated into the building because children use playthings rather than words to communicate feelings. Besides providing clinical service to clients of all ages, referred by courts, doctors and others, the center is a research facility. It also is a training ground for UM doctoral students in clinical psychology. (UM/Howard Skaggs)

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