



Ford Foundation records, Asset Building and Community Development Program (ASSETS), Human Development and Reproductive Health (HDRH), Office Files of Virginia Davis Floyd

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Summary Information

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Biographical / Historical

Virginia Davis Floyd is a physician whose career has included positions in public health, philanthropy, and higher education. From 1997 to 2002, she was Director of the Ford Foundation's Asset Building and Community Development Program (ASSETS), Human Development and Reproductive Health (HDRH) unit.

Prior to joining the Ford Foundation, Floyd had a series of public and family health positions. In 1979, she was a medical officer for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and was based in Cameroon. She then joined the National Health Services Corps in Palmetto, Georgia before going to Morehouse College to establish a family medicine residency program. From 1984 to 1997, she served as director of family health at the Georgia Department of Human Resources.

After leaving the Ford Foundation, Floyd became a visiting scholar at Spelman College in 2003. She joined the faculty of Morehouse College in 2006.

Floyd completed her undergraduate education at Spelman College and spent her final year of college studying at Sophia University in Tokyo, Japan. She earned her Doctor of Medicine from Howard University College of Medicine in 1976 and did a residency program at Emory University Hospital. In 1987, she earned a Master's Degree in public health from Emory.

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Scope and Contents

HDRH files of Virginia Davis Floyd.

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Arrangement

Arranged in 3 series:

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Processing Information

Level 1 Minimal Processing has been conducted to establish basic intellectual and physical control of the material and assess immediate preservation and conservation needs. Material remains as received, in original folders and storage boxes.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Ford Foundation archive was deposited at RAC in 2011. Ford Foundation records, correspondence, reports, program files and officers papers were transferred to, and accessioned by, RAC beginning in 2011. Accessions continue as necessary.

Conditions Governing Access

Open for research with select materials restricted as noted. Brittle or damaged items are available at the discretion of RAC. Researchers interested in accessing digital media (floppy disks, CDs, DVDs, etc.) in this collection must use an access surrogate. The original items may not be accessed because of preservation concerns. To request an access surrogate be made, or if you are unsure if there is an access surrogate, please contact an archivist.

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Ford Foundation Publications and Working Papers, 1986-1992	box 1
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The AIDS Challenge -- A Ford Foundation Response, 1987 December	box 1
Reproductive Health Papers, 1990-1994	box 1
Reproductive Health -- A Strategy for the 1990s, 1991 June	box 1
Reproductive Health in Indonesia -- A Program Paper, 1991 September 20	box 1
Violence Against Women -- Addressing a Global Problem, 1992	box 1

Program Strategies in Reproductive Health and Population -- Bangladesh, 1992 January	box 1
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Report on Visit to China, 1993 February	box 1
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