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NEWS RELEASE

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The first of what are planned as annual open houses for prospective students and others in the community interested in the possibility of a career in nursing will take place at Cariboo College on Monday afternoon and evening, June 4.

Phyllis Johnson, the College's Director of Nursing Education, will be assisted by faculty members, currently enrolled nursing students, College counsellors and other staff members in explaining the nursing program and conducting demonstrations. She said all persons interested are welcome.

Visitors will start their tour in the College Board Room, where they will get an overview of the program and can discuss it with students before inspecting the classroom and lab facilities. They can begin their visit any time between 4:00 and 8:00 p.m.

Although the excellently equipped nursing laboratory which will become available by early next year when the College's new Science Building is completed is not yet ready for showing, the instructors and students will use the present laboratory on the second floor of the main block to demonstrate various nursing skills.