

Presentation

The fac-símile named *Subjects that will be argued in the International Congress of Nurses, that will have place in London, July of 1937*, published in the Revista Anais de Enfermagem (Magazine Annals of Nursing), year V, n. 10, p. 35-37, september 1937. An original version of this article it is at disposal of the researchers in the Center of Documentation of the Anna Nery School of Nursing (EEAN), of the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ). For this presentation the following thematic's structure was proposal for the event: In Section I - Education of Nurses - Is noticed that in that time the international nursing demonstrated a concern with the formation of the nurses, as much in the scope of the pre-nursing education, or minimum requirements for the access to the schools of nurses, as the curricular organization of the nursing, detaching the areas that would have to offer a education such practical as theoretical of nursing (public health, psychiatry, obstetricises, pediatrics and dietetics), also followed this quarrel the education methods, the insertion of the schools of nursing in the universities. In Section II - the Profession of Nurse, Organization and Administration – As for the professionalization they had been distinguished, the conditions and the opportunity of work in the public and the private sector, the nurse as administrator, and the fight for a nursing legislation that contemplated aspects of the social security, the exercise and the ethics in the profession.

In Section III - Public Health - Amongst the specialties of the medical field, it was distinguished public health nursing, to be developed since the domiciles, passing for the community, until the organizations of the health services. In Section IV - Some problems of nursing - Finally, the main problems, that the nurses had prioritized to debate had been to the necessities of the professional register, the definition of its responsibilities, and, of the occupation of strategical positions in the governmental departments, in the field of the health. It fits to signal, at this time, beginning of the New State, landmark of the insertion of the education of nurses in the University of Brazil, that the trajectory of the Brazilian nursing met contextualizada and lined up with the main points of the fight of the nurses in the field of the international nursing, signaled in this Congress, in July of 1937, in the City of London.