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Henderson, Margaret Mary

(1915 - 2017)

Nationality Australian

Born 13 November, 1915, Kew Victoria Australia

Died 16 August, 2017, Victoria Australia

Occupation Physician

Summary

Margaret Henderson, a consultant physician to the Royal Melbourne Hospital in 1981, was appointed Officer of the Order of the British Empire on 12 June 1976 for her services to medicine. She enjoyed a long association with the Royal Melbourne Hospital in the capacity of honorary physician from 1947-1975 and specialist physician from 1976-1981. She was also consultant physician at the Queen Victoria Hospital for Women from 1959. During World War II she served as a captain in the Australian Military Forces from 1941-42. She completed her medical training at the University of Melbourne, graduating MB BS in 1931 and MD in 1941. She was a Fellow of Janet Clarke Hall, at the University of Melbourne from 1966.

Published resources

Edited Book

Who's Who in Australia 1998, Neto, Maryanne (researcher), 1997

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Resource

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Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Site Exhibition

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