

Arctic Health Research Employees Awarded

Three employees of the Arctic Health Research Center received recognition Friday at a special awards ceremony. One step increases in pay were awarded to Mrs. Merlie Hughes, administrative librarian, and to Miss Betsy Williams, geneticist, for sustained high quality performance.

Mrs. Carol Norton, biological aid in the Virology laboratory, received a seventy-five dollar cash award for a suggestion made by her contributing to safety and efficiency in the laboratory.

Mrs. Hughes was cited for the library's excellent support service to AHRC scientists and for

her assistance to other government agencies, libraries, and scientists, and to graduate students.

Mrs. Hughes has been responsible for the direction and development of the center's library since 1959, during which time acquisitions to the library have trebled and its interlibrary loan service vastly extended.

Grateful users have commented that it is one of the most complete libraries on arctic science and history. Design and services of AHRC's modern library, completed in 1967, reflect her imagination and understanding of the needs of today's research personnel.