Counselors to discuss new roles

One of the goals of the North County Vocational Counselors Conference which will meet here Tuesday afternoon is to form a North County Vocational Guidance Association.

The purposes of the conference are to exchange ideas about effective career planning programs, to acquaint counselors with each other and their roles, and to discuss how counselors can better be utilized.

Another purpose is to familiarize vocational counselors from other schools with the certificate or vocational programs offered here at Palomar College and to inform the counselors of the regional Occupational Programs that help students to be job-ready at all times.

Palomar College offers approximately 60 certificate programs. These occupational programs range from the Arts to welding.

Guests invited to participate are from high schools, Human Resources Development (HRD) Vocational Counselors, Rehabilitation Counselors and several members of the faculty and administrators.

Guests scheduled to speak are:

Bobby Graham, HRD Representative, will speak about the labor market in North County.

Dr. Buzz Webb, Director of Career Planning and Placement, C.S.U.S.D., will talk about various Career Planning Programs he has observed throughout the country and how he sees the role of vocational counselors in the educational system.

Mr. Earl Leach, ROP Director, Palomar College, will disseminate information of the ROP programs, explain the registration process and his role as ROP Placement Officer.

Gerry Badlo, Representative, South Bay Trade Schools, will speak about the programs of the South Bay Trade Schools.

Susan Kuzamek, HRD Training Division, San Bernardino office, will talk on the use of tests in vocational guidance.

Participants will have the opportunity to observe vocational guidance equipment manufactured by Audio Graphics.

Coordinators of the conference are John Dise and Linda Walters of the Counseling Department.

Minority recruiter speaks

Nov. 14 on health science

Minority students interested in being health science majors may meet with a recruiter from UC Medical Center November 14 here.

There will be a short film, discussion, and applications to help students get acquainted with the process of pursuing degrees in any of the health science fields at the UC Medical Center.

Meetings with the recruiter will be held at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. in room LS-16.

For further information, contact John Dise, vocational counselor, extension 251.