

**Morehead State University
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Department or Office: Appalachian Adult Basic Education Demonstration Center

Collection Title: Publications, 1965-1980

Record Group Number: RG055-21-05

Date transferred: No date of transfer listed; Transferred from the Kentucky Underground Storage Inc. facility in November of 2019.

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Date Span: 1965-1980 (bulk 1967-1976)

Size of Collection: 8 record center boxes.

Number of Boxes: 12.0 linear feet.

Type of Material: Reports, newsletters, handbooks, budgets, correspondence, field notes, etc.

Condition of Material: Good.

Arrangement: Organized alphabetically by title of publication; Chronological arrangement.

Historical Information: The Appalachian Adult Basic Education Demonstration Center at Morehead State University was established in the summer of 1969 to develop a regional learning and research center to coordinate programs and training to expand adult basic education in thirteen states. The states included were: New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia, Virginia, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi. The Center's mission was to serve as a clearinghouse for resources, publish progress reports, organize conferences, provide training workshops and manage the thirteen state programs via regional board of directors. The Center closed after funding for the project was cancelled in the summer of 1976.

Scope and Content: Collection consists of reports, studies, newsletters, training guides, handbooks, budgets, grant applications and other publications associated with the Appalachian Adult Basic Education Demonstration Center at Morehead State University from 1968 to 1976. Collection also contains the research and field notes of George E. Eyster, executive director of

the Center, from 1967 to 1973. Included with the collection are color photographic slides of the research center field stations where adult basic education was taught.

Subject Headings / Descriptors:

Morehead State University. Appalachian Adult Basic Education Demonstration Center.

Education, Rural.

Adult Basic Education.

Adult Students.

Curriculum Development.

Curriculum Evaluation.

Demonstration Programs.

Educational Research.

Program Descriptions.

Program Evaluation.

Research and Development Centers.

Reports, Research.

Program Descriptions

Educational Research

Adult Students

Notes: The collection was located in a series of boxes delivered to the University Archives in November of 2019 that included records from other offices and departments. The publications related to the Appalachian Adult Basic Education Demonstration Center were removed and placed in an independent collection in March and April of 2021. Selected publications can be viewed online at https://scholarworks.moreheadstate.edu/aabedc_archives/.