

THE LEWIS CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH SALUTES THE LEGENDARY DR. JACQUELIN PERRY!

As we celebrate Women's History Month, our thoughts turn to the Grande Dame of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation Medicine, the incomparable Dr. Jacquelin Perry, who passed away earlier this month at age 94. Dr. Perry was one of America's first woman Orthopaedic Surgeons. She shattered the glass ceiling in the operating room in the mid-1950s by devising and performing innovative spinal fusion surgeries that allowed thousands of polio victims to walk again. She was also one of the world's most respected researchers and educators, with more than 400 peer-reviewed journal articles to her credit, as well as full professorships at three major universities. The Lewis Center for Educational Rsearch in Apple Valley, CA celebrates the courage, tenacity and sheer brilliance of this extraordinary woman who inspired countless doctors and therapists in her legendary career. We challenge the girls we teach to learn from Dr. Perry's example and blaze their own new trails in creating the women's history of the future!