

DR. MARY LLOYD IRELAND

Event: Physician, U.S. medical staff, assigned to women's gymnastics, women's basketball and backup duties at urgent treatment unit

Age: 39

Residence:
Lexington

Hometown:
Lexington

School: Sayre High School; Memphis State (undergraduate); Tennessee-Memphis (medical)

Occupation: Orthopedic surgeon, Kentucky Sports Medicine Clinic; team physician University of Kentucky and Eastern Kentucky University

Greatest accomplishments: 1992 U.S. Olympic medical staff, and head physician, 1990 U.S. Olympic Festival. A former competitive swimmer, she swam the 100-meter breaststroke in the 1973 World University Games in the Soviet Union.

Where she was four years ago: Practicing orthopedic surgery and traveling with women's U.S. basketball team at Jones Cup in Taipei, Taiwan

Quote: "It's one of those situations where you'd like to go over there and not be busy at all, but you get psyched up to take care of most any problem."

