A group of 17 employees at UT Southwestern are celebrating 35-year anniversaries. Of those, 16 were hired in 1981 and 11 currently serve at William P. Clements Jr. University Hospital.

**At UTSW**

- UT Southwestern establishes the first Center for Human Nutrition in an American medical school. Dr. Scott Grundy is named Director.
- The International Office opens to assist foreign-born students and visitors.
- Dr. Morris Ziff is the first faculty member to be named an Ashbel Smith Professor, the highest academic tribute in the UT System.

**National Scene**

- The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention report that five men in Los Angeles have a rare form of pneumonia seen only in patients with weakened immune systems, marking the first recognized cases of AIDS.
- President Ronald Reagan is shot outside a Washington, D.C. hotel by John Hinckley Jr. Two police officers and press secretary James Brady are also wounded.

**Around Dallas**

- The county population sits at almost 1.6 million residents. The city itself grows as well, annexing the previously unincorporated Audelia community, site of the present day Lake Highlands area.
- The expansion Dallas Mavericks put the finishing touches on their inaugural NBA season, finishing with a 15-67 record under head coach Dick Motta. The Mavericks finish sixth in the Midwest Division and 12th in the Western Conference.
- The Rolling Stones perform two historic shows at the Cotton Bowl on Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 as part of their American Tour 1981. More than 156,000 tickets are sold for the two shows, which also features opening acts ZZ Top and The Fabulous Thunderbirds.