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Seventeenth Postgraduate Course Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania January 21-23, 1970

Entitled "Diabetes in Review: Clinical Conference 1970," the Seventeenth Postgraduate Course of the American Diabetes Association will be held at the William Penn Hotel in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, January 21, 22, and 23. It will be presented under the direction of the Committee on Professional Education of the American Diabetes Association, chaired by Stefan S. Fajans, M.D., of Ann Arbor, and given in cooperation with the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. Open to Doctors of Medicine, the program was developed by T. S. Danowski, M.D., Pittsburgh, Director of the Course;

James B. Field, M.D., Francis D. W. Lukens, M.D., and I. Arthur Mirsky, M.D., all of Pittsburgh, who are Co-Directors; and a planning group of the Committee: George F. Cabill, Jr., M.D., Boston; Norbert Freinkel, M.D., Chicago; and Dr. Fajans.

REGISTRATION: A Preliminary Program which includes an application form will be mailed to all Members of the Association, to subscribers to DIABETES, and to most internists, general practitioners and other interested physicians throughout the country. This form should be filled out and mailed together

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with the fee to J. Richard Connelly, Executive Director, American Diabetes Association, Inc., 18 East 48th Street, New York, N. Y. 10017. Applications will be accepted in the order received and registrations officially confirmed.

The Registration Desk will be open at the William Penn Hotel on Tuesday, January 20, from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., and at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday. Everyone is urged to register before 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday. At the time of registration for the Course each registrant will receive a syllabus containing abstracts or outlines of the lectures.

WORKSHOPS: Registrants should indicate their order of preference for each day's workshops at the time of registration and assignments will be made in the order requested in so far as possible. Cards with the title of the Workshop and the location will be issued at the Registration Desk.

FEES: \$75 for the three-day Course for Members of the American Diabetes Association; \$100 for nonmembers. The

full fee is payable at the time of filing application and includes the cost of the Banquet to be held Wednesday evening, January 21. The fee will be refunded by the Association to any registrant who submits a written request not later than January 9. Fellows in a training status, who have not completed five years of formal training (excluding the period of obligated governmental service), residents and interns, may attend the Scientific Sessions without charge; they should register by January 9. If space permits, medical students may register without charge after January 9.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS: The William Penn Hotel will serve as the headquarters hotel and a room reservation card will be sent with the application acceptance. The hotel cannot guarantee reservations received after January 9.

LUNCHEON: The luncheon on Thursday will be by subscription and a reservation form will be sent with the confirmation.

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Each lecture will be twenty-five minutes, followed by five minutes' discussion.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21
FOCUS: WHAT IS DIABETES?

Forenoon

- 8:55 Welcome by J. D. MYERS, Professor of Medicine, Chairman of the Department of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
Introduction by ROBERT C. HARDIN, President
ROBERT C. HARDIN, *Chairman*
- 9:00 What is Diabetes?—T. S. DANOWSKI
- 9:30 Control of Glucose Metabolism (Hepatic Aspect)—
GEORGE F. CAHILL, JR.
- 10:00 The Regulation of Fat and Carbohydrate Metabolism during Fasting—ERNST KNOBIL
- 10:30 Intermission
- 10:50 Insulin and Proinsulin—ALBERT I. WINEGRAD
- 11:20 Control of Insulin Secretion—DAVID M. KIPNIS
- 11:50 Lipid Metabolism in Diabetes—GEORGE F. CAHILL, JR.

Afternoon

T. S. DANOWSKI, *Chairman*

- 2:00 Conditions in which Diabetes Occurs—FRANCIS D. W. LUKENS
- 2:30 Emotional and Other Implications of Making a Diagnosis of Diabetes—I. ARTHUR MIRSKY
- 3:00 Intermission
- 3:30 to
5:00 Workshops (see page 792)
- Evening
- 6:30 Social Hour (by subscription)
- 7:30 Banquet

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22

FOCUS: VASCULAR AND OTHER CONCOMITANTS AND COMPLICATIONS

Forenoon

FRANCIS D. W. LUKENS, *Chairman*

- 9:00 Biochemical Basis of Vascular Disease—ALBERT I. WINEGRAD
- 9:30 Vascular Lesions in Diabetes—EDWIN R. FISHER
- 10:00 Neurologic Lesions in Diabetes—HENRY B. HIGMAN
- 10:30 Intermission
- 10:50 Vascular Pathophysiology in Diabetes—ALVIN P. SHAPIRO
- 11:20 Optimal Diet and Prophylaxis of Vascular Disease—
MARGARET J. ALBRINK
- 11:50 Retinopathy—RICHARD A. FIELD

Noon

- 12:30 *Luncheon*
to
2:15 Should Diabetes be a Certified Subspecialty?—J. D. MYERS

Afternoon

J. D. MYERS, *Chairman*

- 2:15 Infections in Diabetes Mellitus—EDWARD B. ROTHERAM, JR.
- 2:45 Realistic Goals in Diabetes Therapy and Their Relationship to Complications—ROBERT F. BRADLEY
- 3:15 Intermission
- 3:30 to
5:00 Workshops (see page 792)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23

FOCUS: THERAPEUTIC PROBLEMS IN DIABETES

Forenoon

I. ARTHUR MIRSKY, *Chairman*

- 9:00 The Adolescent with Diabetes—
ROBERT L. JACKSON
- 9:30 Clinical Clues to Recognition and Management of Reactive Hyperglycemia—JAMES B. FIELD

- 10:00 Nondiabetic Hypoglycemias—STEFAN S. FAJANS
 10:30 Intermission
 10:50 Management of Pregnancy in Diabetes—DANIEL H. MINTZ
 11:20 Ketoacidotic Coma—EDMUND B. FLINK
 11:50 Nonketotic Coma in Diabetes—
 T. S. DANOWSKI

Afternoon

JAMES B. FIELD, *Chairman*

- 2:00 Acute Phase Therapy of Diabetes Mellitus—HARVEY C. KNOWLES, JR.
 2:30 Prevention and Therapy of Foot Lesions in Diabetes—
 HAROLD ZAROWITZ
 3:00 Intermission
 3:30 to Workshops
 5:00

WORKSHOPS

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY
 JANUARY 21, 22, and 23

Workshops will be held each afternoon from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m.

1. Comas in Diabetes—EDMUND B. FLINK, ALBERT I. WINEGRAD, and JERROLD D. HYDOVITZ
2. Eye Problems in Diabetes—RICHARD A. FIELD, ROBERT F. BRADLEY, DAVID A. HILES and JEROME H. AARONS
3. Lipids and Vascular Disease—MARGARET J. ALBRINK, WAYNE V. GREENBERG, MANUEL TZAGOURNIS, and DAVID M. KIPNIS
4. Therapies of Adult Type Diabetes—LEWIS B. FLINN, ROBERT C. HARDIN, MARTIN G. GOLDNER, and L. LEWIS PENNOCK
5. Labile and Brittle Diabetes, Including Juvenile—DONNELL D. ETZWILER, FRANK M. MATEER, WILLIAM G. KLINGBERG, and CLIFFORD F. GASTINEAU
6. The Hypoglycemias—JAMES B. FIELD, HOLBROOKE S. SELTZER, ALLAN DRASH, and JAMES E. PARRISH
7. Criteria for Diagnosis of Diabetes—STEFAN S. FAJANS, WILLIAM R. CLARKSON, I. ARTHUR MIRSKY, and MAX MILLER
8. Management of Overweight—GEORGE SABEH, JOANN V. NARDUZZI, THADDEUS E. PROUT, and MARK E. WILLIAMSON
9. Acute Problems in Diabetes Excluding Coma, but Including Pregnancy—O. PETER SCHUMACHER, ADDISON B. SCOVILLE, JR., HARVEY C. KNOWLES, JR., and DANIEL H. MINTZ
10. Outpatient and Office Management of Diabetes—CHARLES R. SHUMAN, DAVID C. BORECKY, JAMES V. BONESSI, and THOMAS P. SHARKEY

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THIRTIETH ANNUAL MEETING

As previously announced, the Riverfront Inn in St. Louis, Missouri, will be the site of the Thirtieth Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association. Scientific Sessions will be held June 13-14, 1970.

Physicians and other scientists who would like to present papers at the Scientific Sessions are invited to submit abstracts to Stefan S. Fajans, M.D., Chairman of the Committee on Scientific Programs. Nine copies of the abstracts, which are

requested in order to expedite review by the Committee, should be sent as soon as possible, but not later than March 1, 1970, to Dr. Fajans in care of the American Diabetes Association at 18 East 48th Street, New York, N. Y. 10017.

1970 RESEARCH GRANTS PROGRAM

The Research Grants Program inaugurated two years ago by the Committee on Research of the American Diabetes Association, as approved by the Board of Directors, is being continued for the current year. Awards in excess of \$5,000 will not be made and applications for amounts between \$3,000 and \$5,000 are appropriate. These grants carry no commitment for overhead costs and expenditure for travel is not permitted.

The funds are unencumbered other than that they are to be used in research activities related to diabetes mellitus. Their purpose is to provide, for example, a necessary piece of equipment for which funds are not otherwise available, which would be useful on several projects in a given laboratory. The grant may be used for equipment and/or supplies and/or salary for technical assistance. The funds may be used in connection with a single research project or may be employed in more than one.

Applications should be by letter addressed to Mr. J. Richard Connelly, Executive Director, American Diabetes Association, Inc., 18 East 48th Street, New York, New York 10017; and be endorsed by the director of the laboratory, the chairman of the department, the dean of the school, and, when required by the parent university, the institutional officer authorized to sign grant requests. Grants are limited to institutions within the United States and its possessions.

The letter of application should include the following:

1. A complete resume of the applicant's past and present research activities, including dates, preceptors, institutions and description of work.
2. A proposed budget listing in *itemized* form the envisioned use of the research grant.
3. A list of all related current support from other sources giving total *amounts*, *source* and *period* over which each grant extends.
4. Reasons for which application is being made for this grant.

Letters of application for grants *must be postmarked no later than March 1* of the academic year in which the grant is desired. The grant will be made July 1. *Eleven* copies of the letter of application, as well as all supporting papers, reprints, etc. are required. The applicant's name and address should be written on the front of the enclosed postal card and returned with the application. It is necessary that this card accompany the application so that acknowledgment can be made to the applicant.

DECEMBER 1 DEADLINE FOR LILLY AWARD NOMINATIONS

Names of nominees for the 1970 Lilly Award must be received by the American Diabetes Association on or before December 1. The Award, the fourteenth in Association history, will be given at the Thirtieth Annual Meeting. The following stipulations govern the contest for this annual award,

which is supported by Eli Lilly and Company and consists of \$1,000 and a medal.

Purpose: To recognize demonstrated research in the field of diabetes, taking into consideration independence of thought and originality.

Eligibility: Any investigator in an appropriate field of work, closely related to diabetes, who is less than forty years of age on January 1 of the year in which the award is made. The research will not necessarily be judged in comparison to the work of more mature and experienced workers. The candidate should be a resident of the United States or Canada.

Nominations: Nominations for the award will be solicited from the Members of the American Diabetes Association. Such nominations will be requested by repeated notices to be published in DIABETES. Names of nominees must be received before December 1 of the year preceding the award. The nomination should be accompanied by full information concerning the nominee's personality, training and research work. Six copies of each item should be submitted. No Member may send in more than one nomination. A list of the nominee's publications, if any, and six copies of the publication or manuscript for which the award is to be given should also accompany the nomination. The award may be given for work published during the year prior to December 1 of the year preceding the award. The nominee should be actively engaged at that time in the line of research for which the award is to be made.

Announcement: The name of the winner will be announced in DIABETES. The winner will be invited to present a paper on his work at the Annual Meeting. Papers considered for the award must be submitted with the idea that they will be published in whole or in part in DIABETES if found acceptable to the Editor and/or Editorial Board. If the Committee should decide that no outstanding work has been presented for this consideration, the award will not be made.

Award: In addition to the monetary award and medal, traveling expenses will be given to make it possible for the recipient to receive his award in person at the Annual Meeting.

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"WHEN A NATURAL DISASTER STRIKES"

The September-October issue of ADA FORECAST features an article dealing with safeguards for diabetics in the event of emergency such as might occur in blackouts, hurricanes, floods and earthquakes. Entitled "When a Natural Disaster Strikes," the article lists supplies diabetics should have on hand, together with a temporary diet for use in an emergency. Copies of the September-October issue are available at 35¢ each or six for \$2.00.

NEWS OF
AFFILIATE ASSOCIATIONS

The COLORADO DIABETES ASSOCIATION will hold its Seventh Annual Diabetes Institute in Aspen, Colorado, March 19-23, inclusive. Guest speakers will include David Kipnis, M.D., St. Louis; Alexander Marble, M.D., Boston; and George Molnar, M.D., Rochester, Minnesota. A program will be available after December 15 through the Colorado Diabetes Association, 1375 Delaware Street, Denver, Colorado 80204. Housing arrangements should be made well in advance through the Aspen Association, Aspen, Colorado.

NEWS NOTES

SYMPOSIUM ON DIABETES

The Second Annual Symposium on Diabetes was held at St. John's Mercy Hospital in St. Louis on October 21. Members of the American Diabetes Association who participated in the program included: Henry E. Oppenheimer, M.D., St. Louis, Moderator; John A. Galloway, M.D., Indianapolis ("Chemistry and Characteristics of Insulin and Proinsulin"); Robert L. Jackson, M.D., Columbia, Missouri ("Control of Diabetes with Insulin"); Holbrooke S. Seltzer, M.D., Dallas ("Insulinogenic Index"); and Francis A. Zacharewicz, M.D., St. Louis ("Indications for Insulin Therapy. Time-action Characteristics").

GERMAN DIABETES SOCIETY MEETING

The fifth meeting of the German Diabetes Society will be held in Bonn, May 8-9, 1970. Further information concerning the meeting may be obtained from the Chairman, Prof. Dr. H. Hungerland, 53 Bonn, Adenauerallee 119, who asks that abstracts of lectures intended for presentation be received by December 31.

UNITED STATES PHARMACOPEIAL
CONVENTION

The decennial meeting of The United States Pharmacopeial Convention will be held at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington, D.C., April 8-10, 1970. A special program will be presented on April 9 honoring the 150th anniversary of the founding of The United States Pharmacopeia. Inquiries concerning the meeting should be directed to the Secretary of the U. S. Pharmacopeia, 4630 Montgomery Avenue, Bethesda, Maryland 20014.