

## ORGANIZATION SECTION

### TWENTY-SECOND POSTGRADUATE COURSE JANUARY 29-31

"Diabetes in Review: Clinical Conference 1975," the Twenty-second Postgraduate Course of the American Diabetes Association, will be held at The Drake in Chicago, Illinois, Wednesday through Friday, January 29, 30 and 31.

The course, open to Doctors of Medicine and other professional personnel, will be presented under the direction of the Committee on Professional Education of which Karl E. Sussman, M.D., Denver, is Chairman, and will be given by the Association in cooperation with The Abraham Lincoln School of Medicine, University of Illinois; Chicago Medical School; Northwestern University Medical School; The Pritzker School of Medicine, University of Chicago; Rush Medical School; and Stritch School of Medicine, Loyola University.

The program was developed by Norbert Freinkel, M.D., Chicago, Director of the course, and Co-Directors Theodore B. Schwartz, M.D., and Donald F. Steiner, M.D., both of Chicago, along with a Coordinating Committee: Morton D. Bogdonoff, M.D., Ms. Nike Bradley, Lawrence A. Frohman, M.D., Ann M. Lawrence, M.D., Ph.D., Boyd E. Metzger, M.D., Arthur H. Rubenstein, M.D., Will G. Ryan, M.D., Sant P. Singh, M.D., Joseph H. Skom, M.D., Howard S. Traisman, M.D., and Helen M. Wilks, M.D.

**DIABETES EDUCATION:** A one-day session entitled "The Education of the Diabetic" will be presented on January 28. George Steiner, M.D., and Patricia A. Lawrence, R.N., will be chairmen of the morning and afternoon sessions, respectively.

**FEES:** \$100 for members of the Professional Sections of the Association and \$125 for nonmembers. Residents and interns in a training status who have not completed five years of formal training immediately following graduation from medical school (excluding the period of obligated government service) from outside the area of the course may register for a fee of \$25. Residents, interns and fellows in the training status cited above from the area of the course may attend without charge and should register by January 1. The full fee is payable when applications are made. The fee, less a cancellation charge of \$10, will be refunded upon written request received not later than January 1. If space permits, medical students may register without charge after January 1.

The Preliminary Program was published in the November issue of this Journal. The Program, including an application form, has been mailed to all members of the Association, to subscribers to

DIABETES, and to most internists, pediatricians, general practitioners and other interested physicians throughout the country. This form should be completed and mailed with the registration fee as soon as possible to: Harry A. Hansen, Director of Business Operations, American Diabetes Association, 1 West 48th Street, New York, N. Y. 10020. Applications will be accepted in the order received and registrations will be officially confirmed. Additional registration forms are available on request.

### THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS JUNE 15-17

The American Diabetes Association will hold its Thirty-fifth Annual Meeting at the Americana Hotel in New York City. June 15-17 are the dates of the Scientific Sessions.

### SEVENTH ALLIED HEALTH POSTGRADUATE COURSE

As previously announced, the Seventh Allied Health Postgraduate Course in Diabetes will be presented by the American Diabetes Association at the Crown Center Hotel in Kansas City, Missouri, April 14-16, 1975. The course will be presented under the direction of the Committee on Professional Education of the Association, chaired by Karl E. Sussman, M.D., of Denver.

The course is offered in recognition of the need to convey the most current knowledge and teaching technics to members of the health team who are concerned with instruction of diabetic patients and their families. It is directed in particular to nurses, nutritionists and dietitians.

The printed program, which will include a registration form, will be sent to all members of the Association and to thousands of leaders in dietetics and nursing throughout the country. The form should be completed and mailed with the registration fee as soon as possible.

### ORAL AGENTS REVISITED IN NEW *DIABETES FORECAST*

The place of oral hypoglycemic agents in the treatment of diabetes is discussed by Alexander Marble, M.D., in the November-December issue of the new and expanded *DIABETES FORECAST*. Copies of the issue are available at 50 cents each.