

Organization Section

News of Affiliate Associations FIFTH ANNUAL NEW MEXICO METABOLISM SYMPOSIUM

The American Diabetes Association, New Mexico Affiliate, will hold its Fifth Annual Metabolism Symposium, on February 28, 29, and March 1, 1980, in Taos, New Mexico. Discussions will focus on evolving concepts in the broad area of metabolic alterations related to diabetes.

For further information, contact Martin J. Conway, M.D., Lovelace Medical Center, Office of Medical Education, 5400 Gibson Boulevard S.E., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87108; phone (505) 842-7353.

AMERICAN BOARD OF INTERNAL MEDICINE RECERTIFICATION EXAMINATION

The third Internal Medicine Recertification Examination of the American Board of Internal Medicine will be administered at test centers throughout the United States on Saturday, October 25, 1980. Any internist who was certified or recertified in internal medicine before 1975 is eligible to take this examination.

The purpose of the examination is to provide the practicing certified internist an opportunity to demonstrate his or her current clinical knowledge and problem-solving abilities that relate to the provision of excellent care in internal medicine. The fee is \$175.

For further information, please write to American Board of Internal Medicine, 3624 Market Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104.

ENDOWMENT FUND ESTABLISHED FOR RESEARCH IN DIABETES MELLITUS

The Galveston County Medical Society has provided The University of Texas Medical Branch with more than \$41,700 to establish an endowment fund for research in diabetes mellitus.

According to medical society spokesman Cam Stiernberg, M.D., members of the organization established the endowment to recognize and support diabetes research efforts at UTMB, and that the fund was initiated to support research in juvenile-onset diabetes. Dr. Stiernberg also said that interest accrued from the permanent endowment will support research projects nominated by the dean of medicine.

COURSE IN TEAM MANAGEMENT OF DIABETES

The Diabetes Education Center (a component of the St. Louis Park Medical Center Research Foundation) will sponsor a comprehensive five-day program, "Clinical Experience in the Team Management of Diabetes Mellitus." The course is designed for health professionals, patients, and/or family members.

The dates of the classweeks for the first half of 1980 are as follows: January 7-11, 21-25; February 4-8, 18-22; March 3-7, 24-28, and March 31-April 4 (juvenile week); April 14-18, April 28-May 2; May 12-16, 19-23; and June 2-6, 9-13, 23-27.

Tuition is \$200 for health professionals and patients; undergraduates are eligible for reduced rates. The course is approved for 34 contact hours of continuing education for physicians and nurses, and for 30 clock hours for dieticians, pharmacists, and others.

For further information, contact Carolé Mensing, R.N., Health Professional Coordinator, Diabetes Education Center, 4959 Excelsior Boulevard, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55416, (612) 920-6742.

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR CLINICAL NUTRITION: ANNUAL MEETING

The 1980 Annual Meeting of the Society for Clinical Nutrition is scheduled from May 9-11 at the Sheraton Washington Hotel, Washington, D.C. The meeting will consist of short scientific paper presentations, a symposium on a topic of current interest to those working in clinical and human nutrition areas, and the Society annual luncheon and awards ceremony.

The Annual Meeting of the Society is scheduled in conjunction with the National Meeting of the American Federation for Clinical Research, the American Society for Clinical Investigation, and the Association of American Physicians.

For further information on the Annual Meeting write to the American Society for Clinical Nutrition, Inc., 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, Maryland 20014. For more information on the National Meeting of the clinical groups, write Charles B. Slack, Inc., 6900 Grove Road, Thorofare, New Jersey 08086.

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