

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION

The following courses will be offered: "2002 Update: Pediatric Emergencies" (Maui, Hawaii, Jan. 26–Feb. 2); "Anti-Aging Medicine 2002" (Maui, Hawaii, Feb. 2–9; San Diego, Calif., Oct. 24–26); "Wilderness and Sports Medicine" (Kona, Hawaii, Feb. 23–March 2); and "2002 Update: Controversies in Emergency and Primary Care" (Kauai, Hawaii, March 2–9).

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AMA GUIDES AND DISABILITY MEDICINE

The Review Course and Exam will be offered in Orlando, Fla., Jan. 26 and 27; in Sydney, N.S.W., Australia, Feb. 16 and 17; in Hawaii, Feb. 23 and 24; in Chicago, May 4 and 5; in Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 18 and 19; and in Miami, Oct. 16 and 17. The sessions are jointly sponsored by the American Board of Independent Medical Examiners and the Chicago Medical Society.

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UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

The following meetings will be held in Tucson, Ariz., unless otherwise indicated: "American Association of Community Psychiatrists Winter Conference and 1st Annual Institute on Community Integrated Treatment" (Jan. 12–15); "Spanish Language Workshops for Health Care Professionals" (Los Angeles, Jan. 25 and 26; Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 15–18); "Advanced Hazmat Life Support (AHL) Program" (Jan. 16–18, March 20–22; Kansas City, Mo., March 12 and 13); "Pathology Education Review: General Surgical, Upper Gastrointestinal, Lung, Liver Pathology, and Transfusion Medicine" (Snowmass/Aspen, Colo., Feb. 10–16); "11th Annual Psychopharmacology Review Course: Current Clinical Practice" (Feb. 18–22); "33rd Annual Tucson Seminar in Obstetrics and Gynecology" (Feb. 25–27); and "Converse en Español" (La Paz, BCS, Mexico, March 2–9, Oct. 25–Nov. 2).

Contact Office of CME, Univ. of Arizona, P.O. Box 245121, Tucson, AZ 85724-5121; or call (520) 626-7832; or fax (520) 626-2427; or e-mail uofacme@u.arizona.edu.

BAYLOR COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

The following courses will be offered in Houston, unless otherwise indicated: "18th Annual Frontiers of Cardiology" (Winter Park, Colo., Jan. 2–5); "New Advances in the Treatment of Mixed Dyslipidemia" (Jan. 12); "Gastroenterology 2002: Best Practices" (Feb. 15 and 16); "17th Annual Cullen Course: Clinical Advances in Ophthalmology for the Practicing Ophthalmologist" (Feb. 22–24); and "36th Comprehensive Review Course in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation" (March 16–24).

Contact Baylor Coll. of Med., Office of CME, 1709 Dryden, Ste. 534, Houston, TX 77030; or call (713) 798-1775; or fax (713) 798-6600; or e-mail rahh@bcm.tmc.edu.

NATIONAL MARFAN FOUNDATION

An "Emergency Medicine Campaign" has been launched, making available new educational materials on the diagnosis, treatment, and risk of aortic dissection. The materials include a 55-minute AMA-accredited video entitled "Emergency Diagnosis and Treatment of Aortic Dissection."

Contact Jonathan Martin, NMF, 382 Main St., Port Washington, NY 11050-3121; or call (800) 862-7326, ext. 16; or e-mail jmartin@marfan.org.

AMERICAN HEADACHE SOCIETY

The following meetings will be held: "Headache Now 2002!" (Bal Harbour, Fla., Jan. 18–20) and "44th Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Headache Society" (Seattle, June 21–23).

Contact AHS, 19 Mantua Rd., Mount Royal, NJ 08061; or call (856) 423-3195; or fax (856) 423-0082.

CLINICAL CARDIOLOGY

The course will be offered in Orlando, Fla., Dec. 28–30. It is sponsored by the University of Wisconsin Medical School.

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BOSTON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

The following conferences will be held: "Obstetrics, Gynecology, Perinatal Medicine, Neonatology, and the Law" (Kauai, Hawaii, Jan. 2–6); "Medical Negligence and Risk Management in Medicine, Surgery, Emergency Medicine, and Radiology" (Kauai, Hawaii, Jan. 5–8); "New Concepts in the Treatment of Hypertension" (Boston, Jan. 31); "Behavioral Pediatrics: Clinical Problems in Primary Care" (Cambridge, Mass., March 8 and 9); "Virtual Colonoscopy: Third International Symposium" (Boston, April 8–10); and "State of the Art on Cutaneous Lymphomas" (Cambridge, Mass., Sept. 28 and 29). The two conferences held in Kauai, Hawaii may be attended as a joint conference for a reduced fee.

Contact Dept. of CME, BU School of Med., 715 Albany St., A305, Boston, MA 02118-2394; or call (617) 638-4605; or fax (617) 638-4905; or e-mail cme@bu.edu; or see <http://www.bu.edu/cme>.

GRAYLYN SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE ON OFFICE-BASED SURGERY

The conference will be held in Winston-Salem, N.C., on Jan. 19. It is sponsored by Wake Forest University School of Medicine.

Contact Dr. Gloria F. Graham, Dept. of Dermatology, WFUSM, Medical Ctr. Blvd., Winston-Salem, NC 27157-1071; or call (336) 716-9276; or fax (336) 716-7732; or e-mail ggraham@wfubmc.edu.

ADULT PRIMARY CARE MEDICINE

The following courses will be offered in Dedham, Mass.: "Men's Health" (Jan. 12); "Hematology/Oncology" (Feb. 9); "Risk Management" (March 9); "Cardiovascular Medicine" (April 13); and "Neurology" (May 11).

Contact the Core Curriculum Committee, 50 Beacon St., 3rd Fl., Boston, MA 02108; or call (617) 557-7045; or fax (617) 557-7070; or e-mail tony.alves@healthstream.com; or see <http://www.healthstream.com>.

FALK FOUNDATION

The following symposia and workshops will be held: "Malignant Liver Tumors: Basic Concepts and Clinical Management" (Leipzig, Germany, Jan. 24 and 25); "Exogenous Factors in Colonic Carcinogenesis" (Würzburg, Germany, May 2 and 3); "VXII International Bile Acid Meeting" (Freiburg, Germany, May 30–June 1); and "Gastroenterology Week Freiburg 2002" (Freiburg, Germany, Oct. 4–10, 2002).

Contact FFeV, Congress Div., Leinenweberstr. 5, P.O. Box 6529, D-79041 Freiburg, Germany; or call (49) 761-15-14-0; or fax (49) 761-15-14-359; or e-mail symposia@falkfoundation.de.

CORRECTIONS

A Comparison of Lorazepam, Diazepam, and Placebo for the Treatment of Out-of-Hospital Status Epilepticus (August 30, 2001;345:631-7). On page 637, the sentence that begins on line 14 of the left-hand column should have read, "We recommend that ambulances carrying lorazepam be restocked every 60 days when ambient temperatures are 30°C or less," not "30°C or more," as printed.

Severe Coagulopathy as a Consequence of Smoking Crack Cocaine Laced with Rodenticide (August 30, 2001;345:700-1). On page 701, in Table 1, the first entry in the first column should be "coagulation factor II," not "coagulation factor I," as printed. We regret the error.

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