

**VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY**

The following meetings will be held in Richmond, Va., unless otherwise indicated: "10th Annual Women in Medicine and Science: Pathways to Leadership Conference" (March 1); "6th Annual Virginia Liver Symposium" (March 2); "Women's Health 2002: Clinical Insights for the Practitioner" (Williamsburg, Va., April 19-21); "30th Annual Hans Berger Symposium" (May 19-21); "26th Annual Williamsburg Traumatic Brain Injury Conference" (Williamsburg, Va., June 6-9); and "24th Annual Pediatric Primary Care Conference" (Virginia Beach, Va., July 26-28).

**Contact** VCU Office of CME, P.O. Box 980048, Richmond, VA 23298; or call (800) 413-2872 (natl.) or (804) 828-5419 (Va.); or fax (804) 828-7438; or see <http://www.medschool.vcu.edu/cme/calendar.html>; or e-mail [cmefinfo@vcu.edu](mailto:cmefinfo@vcu.edu).

**SURGICAL NEUROPATHOLOGY**

The course will be offered in Costa Mesa, Calif., on June 2. It is sponsored by the California Tumor Tissue Registry.

**Contact** CTTR, c/o Loma Linda Univ. School of Med., 11021 Campus Ave., AH 335, Loma Linda, CA 92350; or call (909) 558-4788; or fax (909) 558-0188; or e-mail [cttr@linkline.com](mailto:cttr@linkline.com).

**UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA COLLEGE OF MEDICINE**

The following meetings will be held in Tucson, Ariz., unless otherwise indicated: "11th Annual Psychopharmacology Review Course: Current Clinical Practice" (Feb. 18-22); "33rd Annual Tucson Seminar in Obstetrics and Gynecology" (Feb. 25-27); "An Introduction to the Genetics and Genomics of Complex Lung Disease" (Feb. 27); "Converse en Español" (La Paz, BCS, Mexico, March 2-9, Oct. 26-Nov. 2); "Advanced Hazmat Life Support (AHLs) Program" (Kansas City, Mo., March 12 and 13; March 20-22; Atlanta, March 29-31; Jacksonville, Fla., April 3-5; Washington, D.C., April 4-7); "Department of Ophthalmology Science of Eye Disease Seminar Series" (March 13); "27th Annual Primary Care Update" (March 18-21); "10th Annual Spring Desert Cardiovascular Update" (March 22 and 23); and "Spanish Language Workshops for Health Care Professionals" (March 22-25; San Francisco, May 3-6; San Diego, Calif., May 31-June 3; Phoenix, Ariz., June 14-17).

**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](mailto:uofacme@u.arizona.edu).

**AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION**

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

**Contact** Christine Petrou, 1769 Skimmer Ct., Carlsbad, CA 92009; or call (760) 431-1670; or fax (760) 431-8638; or see <http://www.ai-pe.org>; or e-mail [cpetrouaipe@aol.com](mailto:cpetrouaipe@aol.com).

**RADIOLOGY & IMAGING COURSES**

The following courses will be held in Orlando, Fla., unless otherwise indicated: "5th Annual Symposium State of the Art Spine Imaging and Image Guided Intervention" (Nassau, Bahamas, Feb. 25-28); "Breast Imaging 2002" (Naples, Fla., March 4-7); "Neuroradiology and Head and Neck Imaging" (Naples, Fla., March 18-21); "14th Annual Radiology Review Course: 'What You Need to Know'" (March 17-22); "6th Annual Mammography Update" (March 22-24); and "15th Annual Review of Vascular & Interventional Radiology" (San Diego, Calif., March 30).

**Contact** Ryals & Associates, P.O. Box 380, Springville, AL 35146; or call (205) 467-3158; or see <http://www.ryalsmeet.com>; or fax (205) 467-3199; or e-mail [info@ryalsmeet.com](mailto:info@ryalsmeet.com).

**OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY & HEALTH EDUCATION & RESEARCH CENTER**

The following courses will be offered in Chapel Hill, N.C.: "Domestic Preparedness Training" (Feb. 21 and 22); "Supervising Lead Abatement Programs" (Feb. 25-28; Refresher Course, July 11); "Building Inspection and Management Planning for Asbestos" (March 4-8; Refresher Course, Feb. 11); "Lead Inspector" (March 18-20; Refresher Course, March 25); "Comprehensive Industrial Hygiene (CIH) Review Course" (March 18-22); "Lead Risk Assessor" (March 21 and 22; Refresher Course, March 26); "Certified Safety Professional (CSP) Review Course" (April 8-12); and "Sampling and Evaluating Airborne Asbestos Dust (NIOSH 582)" (April 15-19).

**Contact** OSHERC, Univ. of North Carolina, 3300 Hwy. 54 W., Chapel Hill, NC 27516-8264; or call (888) 235-3320 (natl.) or (919) 962-2101 (N.C.); or fax (919) 966-7579; or e-mail [oshercww@sph.unc.edu](mailto:oshercww@sph.unc.edu); or see <http://www.sph.unc.edu/osherc/>.

**ALIGNED MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATES**

The following conferences will be held: "CREF 2002 — The 22nd Annual San Diego Cardiothoracic Surgery Symposium: Pathophysiology and Techniques of Cardiopulmonary Bypass" (San Diego, Calif., Feb. 21-23) and "Outpatient Ophthalmic Surgery Society — 2002 Annual Meeting" (Philadelphia, June 3 and 4).

**Contact** AMA, 1835 S. Centre City Pky., PMB 513, Escondido, CA 92025; or call (760) 839-1200; or fax (760) 839-1250.

**CORRECTION**

Characteristics of Patients with Uncontrolled Hypertension in the United States (August 16, 2001;345:479-86). On page 485, the standard errors for prevalence in Table 5 were incorrect. The corrected table appears below.

**TABLE 5. PROPORTION OF CASES OF UNCONTROLLED HYPERTENSION IN EACH POPULATION SUBGROUP ATTRIBUTABLE TO IDENTIFIED RISK FACTORS.\***

RISK FACTOR	LACK OF AWARENESS OF CONDITION			ACKNOWLEDGED, UNCONTROLLED HYPERTENSION		
	RELATIVE RISK	PREVALENCE	ATTRIBUTABLE RISK	RELATIVE RISK	PREVALENCE	ATTRIBUTABLE RISK
Age ≥65 yr (vs. <65 yr)	7.69	0.13±0.0072	0.46	2.08	0.44±0.0153	0.32
Male sex (vs. female sex)	1.58	0.48±0.0046	0.22	1.30	0.43±0.0104	0.12
Non-Hispanic black race (vs. non-Hispanic white)	1.45	0.11±0.0063	0.05	—	—	—
No visits to physician in past 12 mo (vs. ≥1 visits)	1.40	0.25±0.0062	0.09	1.89	0.10±0.0099	0.08

\*Attributable risk is calculated as  $P(RR - 1) \div [P(RR - 1) + 1]$ , where P is the prevalence of the risk factor in the population and RR is the relative risk associated with the presence of the factor. Dashes indicate that non-Hispanic black race is not a significant risk factor in the model.