

General notes

SYMPOSIUM

THE Department of Otolaryngology, National Naval Medical Center, is sponsoring a symposium on "Current Therapy for Malignancy of the Oral Cavity and Related Structures" to be held 2-4 June, 1977, in Bethesda, Maryland.

For further information, contact Alan D. Kornblut, CDR, MC, USNR, Department of Otolaryngology, National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Maryland, 20014.

A WORKSHOP IN PAEDIATRIC E.N.T.

This will be held in Sydney at the Royal Alexandra Hospital for Children on 11-13 May, 1977.

Guest Professor David Mitchell, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto.

This meeting precedes the Jubilee General & Scientific Meeting of The Royal Australasian College of Surgeons to be held in Melbourne the following week.

For details of registration write to:—

Dr. Robert Payten,
Secretary, New South Wales Section,
O.L.S.A.,
30-35 Atchison Street,
St. Leonards, N.S.W. 2065, Australia.

TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE

The Ear Research Institute announces a two-week Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Course demonstrating the multiple approaches to the structures of the temporal bone as currently used by members of the Otologic Medical Group, Inc.

Each day the course members spend four hours in the dissection laboratory and four hours observing live color telecasts of surgery which correlates with the dissection of the day. Evenings are devoted to lectures illustrated by slides and motion picture demonstrations. Video tapes in color from the Institute's Otologic Seminar Library are available for study by course participants.

Twenty-four board certified or board eligible otolaryngologists and residents will be accepted in each course. Courses will be presented: February 20-March 4, April 3-15, June 19-July 1, July 24-August 5, October 23-November 4, 1977. The tuition fee for otolaryngologists is \$1,200 and for residents \$900 in United States currency. Applications of residents must be accompanied by a letter from their Chief of Service.

For further information address communications to: Malcolm D. Graham, M.D., Ear Research Institute, 256 South Lake Street, Los Angeles, CA 90057.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE
OFFICE FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION and
the DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY
FIRST AUTUMN SCHOOL IN AUDIOLOGY
MELBOURNE 23-27 MAY 1977

The School will provide a programme for audiologists and otologists through a variety of lectures, demonstrations and seminars over the range of specialist areas of audiology. The programme will also provide opportunities for participants to gain practical experience in the areas of most interest to them through sessions at the Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital and other venues.

There will be sessions on Impedance Audiometry, Prevention of Deafness, Hearing Aids, Audiological Services, Industrial Deafness, and Central Auditory Disorders.

The principal contributors to the School are Professor James Jerger, Head of the Division of Audiology and Speech Pathology at Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas and Dr. med Ole Bentzen, Head of the State Hearing Centre, Aarhus, Denmark.

Further detailed information is available from the Office for Continuing Education, University of Melbourne, Parkville, Vic 3052, Australia. (Telephone Melbourne 345 1844)

UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM
COURSE IN CLINICAL OTOLARYNGOLOGY
27-29 MAY 1977

A THREE-DAY course suitable for candidates for the Part II D. L. O. and the Final F.R.C.S. (E.N.T.) examinations will be held at the Birmingham and Midland Ear and Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3, from 27 to 29 May, 1977. The course fee will be £15.00 and applications to attend should be addressed to: The Director, Board of Graduate Clinical Studies, The Medical School, Birmingham, B15 2TJ. Cheques should be made payable to the 'University of Birmingham' and crossed.

THE 23RD ANNUAL JAMES YEARSLEY LECTURE

The 23rd Annual James Yearsley Lecture will be held on Friday March 4th, 1977 at 5.00 p.m. at the Royal Society of Medicine. Professor W. Burns, C.B.E. (Dept. of Physiology, Charing Cross Hospital) will lecture on—
REFLECTIONS ON OCCUPATIONAL HEARING IMPAIRMENT AND
ITS PREVENTION.

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UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER DEPARTMENT OF AUDIOLOGY AND EDUCATION OF THE DEAF

COURSES FOR OTOLOGISTS AND NEUROLOGISTS IN THE DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT OF HEARING AND SPEECH DISORDERS IN CHILDREN, AND HEARING AND BALANCE DISORDERS IN ADULTS.

NON-RESIDENTIAL COURSE—SEPTEMBER 5th-9th, 1977.

Lectures and Clinical Demonstrations will be given of testing procedures used with all age groups together with interpretation of results. Consideration will also be given to the Management of young deaf children and their parents, Speech and Language and Problems of childhood. Particular emphasis will be placed on those disorders which are not especially amenable to surgical treatment.

The Lecturers will be drawn from the Department's own staff, together with a number of distinguished Guest Lecturers.

Approved under the advanced postgraduate training scheme.

Further Details from:

Professor I. G. Taylor, M.D., M.R.C.P., D.P.H.,
Department of Audiology,
The University, Manchester M13 9PL.

INSTITUTE OF SOUND AND VIBRATION RESEARCH UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHAMPTON

1977 CLINICAL AUDIOLOGY COURSE

A further Course in Clinical Audiology will be given by the Operational Acoustics and Audiology Group of the ISVR during the period 28 March to 1 April 1977. The Course is intended primarily for specialists in otolaryngology and trainees in the speciality and will consist of lectures and demonstrations of the latest audiological and vestibulometric techniques.

Non-residential fees are likely to be £80-85 and help could be given in obtaining single rooms in one of the university student halls within walking distance of the main campus, if required.

To prevent overcrowding of demonstrations, it is necessary to limit the number and early reservation of a provisional place is therefore advised.

The Course is recognized by the DHSS under its Advanced Postgraduate Training Scheme.

Further details may be obtained from the Conference Secretary, Institute of Sound and Vibration Research (Mrs. O. G. Hyde), The University, Southampton SO9 5NH. Telephone: Southampton (0703) 559122 Extension 2310 (Mrs. Hyde) or 2288 (Audiology Secretariat).

