MEETINGS AND COURSES

Annual courses

Title: Courses in Sexual and Reproductive Health. Venue: University of Warwick, Warwick, UK. Details: See display advertisement on page 254

Throughout 2003/2004

Title: Various Courses including Sexually Transmitted Infection Foundation (STIF) Course and the Diploma of the FFPRHC (DFFP) Course. Venue: Glasgow, UK. Details: Suitable for updating requirements of DFFP and STIF. Accreditation: PGEA. Information: Eileen Elder, Training Co-ordinator, The Sandyford Initiative, 2–6 Sandyford Road, Glasgow G3 7NB, UK. Tel: +44 (0) 141 211 8653. Fax: +44 (0) 141 211 8139. E-mail: eelder@glacomen.scot.nhs.uk.

Throughout 2003/2004

Title: Courses on Current Issues in Sexual and Reproductive Health organised by the Margaret Pyke Memorial Trust. Venue: London, UK. Details: See display advertisement on page 256.

Throughout 2003/2004

Title: Scottish Family Planning Medical Society One-Day Educational Meetings on Family Planning and Reproductive Health Care Topics. Details: See display advertisement on page 256.

Throughout 2003/2004

Title: Institute of Psychosexual Medicine (IPM) Training Seminars. Venue: UK-wide venues. Details: Do you need help in dealing with sexual problems presented to you by your patients? An increasing number of GPs, family planning doctors, gynaecologists, GUM physicians and neurologists are experiencing the value of fresh insights into all aspects of their work by training with the IPM. Find out how IPM training can help you in your everyday practice. Information: Director of Training, IPM, 12 Chandos Street, Cavendish Square, London W1G 9DR, UK. Tel: +44 (0) 20 7580 0631. Fax: +44 (0) 20 7436 2786. E-mail: ipm@telinco.co.uk.

17-18 November 2003

Title: Faculty of Family Planning and Reproductive Health Care Current Choices Conference. Venue: Regent's College, London, UK. Details: See display advertisement on page 253.

13-16 January 2004

Title: DFFP Course. Venue: Education Centre, Chesterfield Royal Hospital NHS Trust, Chesterfield, UK. Details: Modules 5 and 6 will be on 13 and 14 January and will take the form of a STIF course with priority given to delegates attending the full DFFP course. Modules 2 and 3 will be on 15 January and Module 4 will be on 16 January. Accreditation: DFFP, PGEA and Section 63. Information: Sarah Bradley, Education Centre, Chesterfield Royal Hospital NHS Trust, Chesterfield S44 5BL, UK. Tel: +44 (0) 1246 512057. Fax: +44 (0) 1246 512685. E-mail: sarah.bradley@chesterfieldroyal.nhs.uk.

20-21 and 27 January 2004

Title: DFFP Basic Theory Course with STI Day. Venue: Trafford Postgraduate Education Centre, Trafford General Hospital, Manchester, UK. Details: See display advertisement on inside back cover.

7-11 February 2004

Title: East Meets West. *Venue:* Chiang Mai, Thailand. *Details:* See display advertisement on page 255.

26-28 February 2004

Title: Potential Instructing Doctors Course. *Venue:* The Cottons, Knutsford, UK. *Details:* See display advertisement on inside back cover.

19 March 2004

Title: Update in Women's Health. Venue: Postgraduate Centre, Freeman Hospital, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK. Details: Open to all doctors and health care staff working in or with an interest in family planning and reproductive health care, organised by Newcastle Contraception and Sexual Health Service. Accreditation: Dr Margaret Hogarth, Newcastle Contraception and Sexual Health Service, Graingerville Clinic, Newcastle General Hospital, Westgate Road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne NE4 6BE, UK. Tel: +44 (0) 191 219 5239. Fax: +44 (0) 191 219 5232. E-mail: margaret.hogarth @ncht.northy.nhs.uk.

20 April 2004

Title: Abortion. Venue: The Royal Society of Medicine, London, UK. Details: This meeting reviews the current state of play in induced abortion from both social and clinical points of view. New publications will be announced and described in outline. Several topics will be covered including services outside hospitals and the contribution of nurses and doctors' training; some innovations in clinical care will also be described. CME/CPD Accreditation: and PGEA. Information: Nikki Collett, The Royal Society of Medicine, 1 Wimpole Street, London W1G 0EA, UK. Tel: +44 (0) 20 7290 3937. Fax: +44 (0) 20 7290 2989. E-mail: sexual. health@rsm.ac.uk.

23-26 June 2004

Title: 8th Congress of the European Society of Contraception. *Venue:* Edinburgh International Convention Centre, Edinburgh, UK. *Details:* See display advertisement on page 255.

25 November 2004

Title: Advances in Abortion Care. Venue: Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, London, UK. Details: Full-day meeting to review and compare developments in abortion care in the UK and overseas. Accreditation: FFP, CME, PGEA and RCN applied for. Information: Alex Sherriff, bpas Head Office, Austy Manor, Stratford Road, Henley in Arden B95 6BX, UK. Tel: +44 (0) 1564 793225. Fax: +44 (0) 1564 792702. E-mail: alex.sherriff@bpas.org.

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FORTHCOMING Meeting

The Current Choices Conference

will take place at Regent's College in London on Monday 17 and Tuesday 18 November 2003

The programme will include recommendations for clinical practice and queries to the clinical effectiveness unit, forgetability in the maintenance of sexual and reproductive health for a sustainable future, adolescent gynaecology, recent contraceptive innovations, competence to consent and confidentiality, the impact of cancers on sexuality, and a debate on the location of STI management and diagnosis. A trade exhibition will also be held in conjunction with the meeting.

For further information please contact the FFP and RHC Secretariat at: Meeting Makers, Jordanhill Campus, 76 Southbrae Drive, Glasgow G13 1PP, UK. Tel: +44 (0) 141 434 1500. Fax: +44 (0) 141 434 1519.

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