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An Appeal to Physicians

National Liver Foundation is a voluntary non-profit organization working towards help, information and support to patients suffering from liver diseases and to their families. As you are already aware, Wilson’s disease (WD) is a genetic disease, and being progressive in nature can be fatal if treatment is not instituted early. As more than one individual from the same family could be affected, it causes a financial drain to the family. NLF would like to work towards ensuring that no child with Wilson’s disease goes untreated because of financial reasons.

We have received a donation of 50,000 Artamine tablets which we would like to distribute to the most needy children with Wilson’s disease.

Kindly direct your WD patients at the below mentioned address, so that NLF can provide whatever help required.

Contact : National Liver Foundation 303, Doctor House, Opp. Jaslok Hospital, Peddar Road, Mumbai-400026.
Tel: 23535591/23516591.
5th International Symposium on Diabetes

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5th International Symposium on Diabetes

Venue: Mumbai
Date: 21st & 22nd January 2006
Theme: Master Class for Clinicians and Educators for Emerging Treatments in Diabetes and Complications

Course Directors:
Prof. Robert Rizza, President, American Diabetes Association
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CME Credits will be awarded
Send DD payable at Mumbai in favour of "Mayo IID Update" - Rs. 2500/- before 15.12.2005 or Rs. 3000/- after 15.12.2005

For further details contact: Organising Secretary, Dr. Shashank R. Joshi
Joshi Clinic, 12, Golden Palace, Turner Road, Bandra (W), Mumbai – 400 050.
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National Conference on Infectious Diseases

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National Conference on Infectious Diseases on 17th and 18th December 2005 at Hotel Hyatt Regency, New Delhi.

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Third Madras Diabetes Research Foundation (MDRF)

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Third Madras Diabetes Research Foundation (MDRF) - American Diabetes Association (ADA) Postgraduate Course on Diabetes, at Chennai, India, September 2006.

The Third MDRF-ADA Postgraduate Course on Diabetes will be held from 29th September to 1st October 2006 at Chennai, India.

The meeting will be hosted by the Madras Diabetes Research Foundation, Chennai.

For further details contact: Dr. V Mohan, M.D., FRCP, Ph.D., D.Sc. Madras Diabetes Research Foundation and Dr. Mohans’ Diabetes Specialities Centre, No. 4 Conran Smith Road, Gopalapuram, Chennai 600 086, India.

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E-mail: mvdsc@vsnl.com Also visit our website at www.mdrf-ada.com or www.drmohansdiabetes.com for details regarding registration etc.
API – TB Guidelines

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API – TB Guidelines have been put up on the JAPI Website [www.japi.org](http://www.japi.org) for comments so that same can be incorporated if found suitable. Kindly send your comments by 15th December 2005 to

Dr S B Gupta on sbgupta@vsnl.net  
Dr Jyotsna M Joshi on drjoshi@email.com
INDO-FRENCH CME

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INDO-FRENCH CME on “IV immunoglobulin (IVIG) in autoimmune and inflammatory disorders: Current situation and future prospects” on January 28, 2006. Organised by Department of Medicine, JIPMER, Pondicherry.

Eminent research scientists and clinicians from France and India will speak about their experience, current guidelines and future prospects for clinical usage of IVIG. The CME will benefit practicing physicians, pediatricians, neurologists, nephrologists, hematologists, rheumatologists, immunologists, critical care specialists and their postgraduate students.

For further details contact: Prof RP Swaminathan / Dr VS Negi; Department of Medicine, JIPMER, Pondicherry - 6. Phone: 9443366002/9443433974. E-mail: ivigcme@jipmer.edu. Registration form and other details can be downloaded from our institute website www.jipmer.edu
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Medicine Update 2005


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Registration Amount : Delegates Rs.600/-, Post Graduate Rs.400/- upto 30th November. Spot: Rs.1,000/-. Please send your complete registration form* alongwith Draft drawn on ‘Medicine Update 2005’ to Dr. R.S. Ahalwat, Department of Medicine, 118-C, B.L. Taneja Block, Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi - 110002

For details contact: Dr. Richa Dewan, Organizing Director: 23236497 (O); 9810301848 (M)
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* You can download the registration form from website:www.mamc.ac.in
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IANCON - 2006

14th Annual Conference of Indian Academy of Neurology Jointly organized by Department of Neurology, National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (NIMHANS) and ACIAN (Bangalore) Trust held on 6-8th October, 2006 at Convention Center, NIMHANS, Bangalore.

Secretariat: Dr D Nagaraja, President and Dr P Satishchandra, Organizing Secretary; Department of Neurology, NIMHANS, Hosur Road, Bangalore - 560 029.

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This book aims to provide a concise desk-top guide to the common emergencies encountered by physicians in day-to-day practice. The chief editor has drawn heavily on his experience of more than 3 decades, and assembled a team of authors with vast experience. The result is a book relevant to the needs of a resource sensitive country like India. The focus is on common emergency situations faced in real life and not an academic curiosities. Consequently, the book should benefit not only consultant physicians but also residents, postgraduates and undergraduates.

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Pharmacology and Pharmacotherapeutics

Book Review

Pharmacology and Pharmacotherapeutics
Revised Nineteenth Edition
RS Satoskar, SD Bhandarkar, Nirmala N Rege

The revised and updated 19th Edition of Pharmacology and Pharmacotherapeutics by Dr. RS Satoskar, Dr. SD Bhandarkar and Dr.(Smt) Nirmala N Rege features a reader-friendly format, logical arrangement of text material, and authoritative guidance on current therapy of diseases, especially tropical diseases, which has made it useful to the students and the practitioners alike.

The book not only gives information about various drugs but also provides guidelines for how to choose a drug for a given patient and then use it wisely.

It integrates pathophysiology of diseases with pharmacology, and correlates basic concepts with rational therapeutics. The information and recommendations are clear, concise, unambiguous and practical for the management of both inpatients and outpatients. Bold headings, plenty of summary tables and an extensive index allow easy access to the specific information one requires.

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- Management of osteoporosis and osteoarthritis
- Newer insulin analogues
- Monoclonal antibodies in therapy
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- COPD management
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