

Forthcoming

BMA & BMJ Conferences

Evidence-Based Mental Health

Commonwealth Institute, Kensington High Street, London W8 6NQ

Monday 16th February 1998

The aim of the conference is both to introduce clinicians to the strategies of evidence-based practice for the first time and to assist practitioners in developing skills in teaching evidence-based practice in the field of mental health. The conference will be of interest to clinicians, managers and purchasers working in the field of mental health.

Pre-Hospital Immediate Care: Towards Evidence-Based Pre-Hospital Care

Commonwealth Institute, High Street Kensington, London W8 6NQ

Thursday 5th March 1998

The conference will focus on evidence-based pre-hospital care - a method ensuring that clinical decision making is based on the best available evidence. The conference will be of interest to Pre-Hospital Care and the emergency services, emergency doctors and nurses, paramedics, EMT's and anyone with a strong interest in pre-hospital care.

European Forum on Quality Improvement in Healthcare

Hofburg Conference Centre, Vienna, Austria

Thursday 16th - Saturday 18th April 1998

The aims of the meeting are to provide a setting for the exchange of sound, practical ideas on how to improve health care among health professionals and patients. Open to all, the forum is aimed at doctors, nurses, managers, other health professionals, health care leaders, policy makers, researchers, patients and patients' representatives. It will benefit both beginners and those experienced in quality improvement.

Second International Conference on Priorities in Health Care

Queen Elizabeth II Conference Centre, Westminster, London SW1

Thursday 8th - Saturday 10th October 1998

The conference is jointly organised by the British Medical Journal, the King's Fund and the Health Services Management Centre, the University of Birmingham. The aims of the conference are to help those responsible for running health services develop effective mechanisms for setting priorities, to share worldwide experience on setting priorities in health care and to provide a platform for the development of an international society for priority setting in health care.

50 Years of Clinical Trials: Past, present and future

Westminster Central Hall, Storey's Gate, Westminster, London SW1H 9NH

Thursday 29th - Friday 30th October 1998

The BMJ published one of the world's first randomised controlled trials in October 1948. This international multidisciplinary conference - which will examine all aspects of the past, present and future of clinical trials - is being held to celebrate 50 years of this most powerful methodology. The conference will be of interest to clinical trialists, historians, statisticians, social scientists, clinicians, patients' representatives, ethicists and other health care professionals.

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