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To all European psychiatrists,

The exchange of knowledge and experience among the more than 50,000 psychiatrists working in Europe in a variety of health care systems provides great potential for the growth and development of European psychiatry. The AEP (Association of European Psychiatrists) is the largest international organisation of psychiatrists in Europe, working with the objective of stimulating and integrating educational, scientific and policy activities in the whole domain of psychiatry within a European framework.

The 11th Congress of the AEP will take place in Stockholm, Sweden, 4-8 May 2002. The theme for this Congress is "European Psychiatry, Science and Humanity in Health Care". The integration of these concepts within the rapidly developing scientific bases for the diagnosis, treatment and care of mental disorders is a challenging task for this Congress. Thousands of European psychiatrists are expected to come. There will be a focus on the **YOUNG GENERATION OF PSYCHIATRISTS** through quality assured **EDUCATIONAL COURSES** in a number of different fields of psychiatry. **The NOBEL LAUREATES** in physiology or medicine 2000, Arvid Carlsson, Paul Greengard and Eric Kandel, have kindly agreed to come to Stockholm in 2002. They will present their views of how brain research can stimulate future developments of psychiatry in plenary lectures at this Congress.

On the basis of more than 100 proposals the Scientific Committee has developed a scientific programme of the highest standard, with CME courses, state of the art lectures, symposia, workshops, debates and poster sessions. We now invite our colleagues from all over Europe to enroll in this event and to submit abstracts for interactive poster presentations and thematic sessions before 5 November 2001. Come and participate in further developing the identity and tradition of European Psychiatry and in creating networks for action in the field of psychiatry.

An exciting cultural programme will complement the endeavours in science. By joining various components of this programme or by exploring on your own, you will also be able to enjoy the charm and the Nobel spirit of Stockholm.

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