Forthcoming events

Keele University Department of Psychiatry are currently recruiting for their Diploma and MSc courses in General Psychiatry for 1997. Further information: Miss Tracy Brittain (Tel: 01782 716019; Fax: 01782 747319; e-mail: pca02@keele.ac.uk).

A nationwide series of roadshows entitled **Schizo-phrenia: Path to Understanding**, run by the National Psychosis Service from London's Bethlem and Maudsley NHS Trust, is continuing throughout 1997 for the fifth year. Further information: Olivia Woodhouse/Lynne Herbert, Greenlines Healthcare Communications, Blythe Hall, 100 Blythe Road, London W14 0HB (Tel: 0171 371 1510; Fax: 0171 371 4598).

The **1997 Summer meeting of the BNPA** will be held jointly with the American Neuropsychiatry Association on July 20–22 at Robinson College, Cambridge, UK. Further information: Suzanne Miller, 44 Roan Street, London SE10 9JT (Tel: 0181 858 2699; Fax 0181 853 4416; e-mail: wight@compuserve.com).

The University of Southampton is the venue for the **15th Annual Learning Disability Nursing Conference**, to be held on 28 and 29 July 1997. Further information: Conference Office, English National Board for Nursing, Midwifery and Health Visiting, Victory House, 170 Tottenham Court Road, London W1P 0HA (Tel: 0171 391 6214/6285; Fax: 0171 388 6957).

An **Art, IT and Mental Health exhibition**, featuring work from eight mental health centres in the UK, is currently touring the UK. Organised by the National Council for Educational Technology, the exhibition is still to visit four venues: Coventry Central Library, 28 July-2 August; St Mary's Hospital, Isle of Wight, 4-15 August; Café Surf, Birmingham, 1-12 September; and Education Northern Ireland, Kings Hall, Belfast, 30 September-1 October. Free information sheet: (Tel: 0800 387560).

The Association for Medical Education in Europe will be holding their 1997 conference in Vienna. The conference, entitled **Teaching and Learning in Medicine**, will take place from 31 August-3 September and will look at current trends in medical education and take an in-depth look at

facilitating learning, postgraduate education and assessment. Further information: (Tel: 44 1382 631962; Fax: 44 1382 645748).

Forthcoming events for 1997 organised by the charity Mind include **Diverse Cultures – Diverse Minds; Profiling Black Mental Health** to be held on 8 September in London, and **Working with Postnatal Illness** which takes place in Birmingham on 7 October. Further information: Mind Conference and Training Unit, Granta House, 15–19 Broadway, London E15 4BQ (Tel: 0181 519 2122, ext 213; Fax: 0181 522 1725).

A National Training Conference on Health and Immigration Control, jointly organised by Greater Manchester Immigration Aid Unit and the Department of Community Studies at Manchester Metropolitan University, will take place on Thursday 11 September 1997. The venue is Manchester Metropolitan University. Further information: The Administrator, Greater Manchester Immigration Aid Unit (Tel: 0161 740 7722; Fax: 0161 740 5172).

The CTI Centre for Medicine will be holding a conference entitled **Learning Technology in Medical Education** from 22–24 September at the Redwood Lodge Hotel and Country Club, Bristol. The theme of the conference will be Internet and Intranets: global and local delivery of high quality learning materials. Further information (Tel: 0117 928 7492; Fax: 0117 928 8473: e-mail: cticm@bristol.ac.uk).

Partnerships in Care Limited has organised a **National Conference on Forensic Psychiatric Rehabilitation**, to be held at the Royal Society of Medicine on Wednesday 24 September 1997. Further information: Mole Conferences, 33 High Street, West Molesey, Surrey KT8 2NA (Tel: 0181 941 1364; Fax: 0181 873 0511).

The 4th Triennial Congress of the European Society for Mental Health and Deafness is due to take place from 2–4 October 1997 at the Town Hall, Manchester. The conference aims to bring together deaf and hearing professionals working in the field of mental health and deafness. Further information: Dr B. T. Monteiro/Mr Carlo Laurenzi, Congress Office,

British Society for Mental Health and Deafness, 1 Annington Road, London N2 9NB (Tel/Fax: 0181 444 3448).

For the first time 1997 sees the 12th International Symposium for the Psychological Treatments of Schizophrenia and other major psychoses taking place in the UK. The event will be held at the Queen Elizabeth II Conference Centre, London from 12–16 October. Further information: Joyce Piper, 5 Windsor Road,

London N3 3SN (Tel: 0181 349 9873; Fax: 0181 343 3197).

The Institute of Psycho-Analysis will be hosting a one day conference on **Psychoanalysis and Philosophy** on Saturday 8 November 1997. Fee: £30 including lunch, £5 for students. Requests for tickets should be sent to: Events, The Institute of Psycho-Analysis, 63 New Cavendish Street, London, W1M 7RD. Please include a cheque made payable to the Institute of Psycho-Analysis and an s.a.e. Further information: 0171 580 4952.

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