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Applications, accompanied by a cheque for the appropriate fee, should be sent to Mr. W. F. Davis, Deputy Secretary, Royal College of Surgeons, Lincolns Inn Fields, London, W.C. 2 (Holborn 3474).

Faculty of Anaesthetists. Courses of lectures and tutorials, October 12 to 30, and March 25 to April 14, 1954. Fee for lectures only £15 15s. od., fee for clinical
work £3 3s. od. Scientific meeting, November 21, on 'The consideration of circulation in certain pathological conditions.' Admission free. Course of pharmacology lectures, October 19 to 30, and May 10 to 21, 1954.

Applications for entry and all details from Mr. W. F. Davis, Secretary, Faculty of Anaesthetists, Royal College of Surgeons, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, W.C.2 (Holborn 3474).

Faculty of Dental Surgery and Institute of Dental Surgery. Courses of clinical demonstrations and lectures in general, oral and dental surgery, will be held from October 26 to December 19, 1953, and again from May 3 to June 25, 1954. Fees, clinical demonstrations and lectures, £31 10s. od.; lectures only, £10 10s. od.

Applications for further details should be addressed to Mr. W. F. Davis, Secretary, Faculty of Dental Surgery, Royal College of Surgeons, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, W.C.2 (Holborn 3474).

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Courses for general practitioners will be held as follows:

Rehabilitation in General Practice
September 14 to 18. Roffey Park Institute, Horsham (residential).

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September 21 to 26. Lewisham Hospital.

General
September 28 to October 2. London Undergraduate and Postgraduate Teaching Hospitals.

Applications for places on the above courses should be made to the Secretary, British Postgraduate Medical Federation, and should state if the application is or is not made under the scheme for N.H.S. practitioners.

Extended and Week-end Courses

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September 30 to November 14 (extended). St. Luke's Hospital, Guildford.

October 2 to December 11 (extended). St. Helier Hospital, Carshalton.

Applications for places on the above courses, and enquiries about unspecified dates, should be made to the Hospital.

All the courses are available to N.H.S. practitioners, for whom fees and allowances (travelling expenses, locum fees, etc.) are provided for courses equivalent to 22 half-day sessions in an academic year, subject to certain conditions. Other practitioners may attend on payment of a fee of 10 guineas for two weeks, 5 guineas for one week, or extended course of 11 sessions, 1½ guineas for a week-end course.

Applications for further information should be made to the Secretary, British Postgraduate Medical Federation, 3 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1.

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The Institute co-operates with other specialist Institutes of the Federation in providing facilities for practical work and instruction in the basic medical sciences. Twice a year there is a full demonstration and lecture course which is full-time and extends over a period of three months. Applications for this course are strictly limited, and the next course will begin on October 5, 1953. In addition, there are two revision courses a year of lectures only, which take place at the same time as the other course. Applications for this course can be accepted up to a month before the course begins. Fees: demonstrations and lectures, £63; lectures only, £36 15s. od. The next course will take place from April 5 to July 2, 1954. A two-months' course for Primary F.D.S. candidates is also held twice a year in January and July. The course is full time and the fee £26 5s. od. The courses in 1954 will take place January 11 to March 5, and again from July 12 to October 1 (excluding August).

For further information please apply to the Secretary, Institute of Basic Medical Sciences, Royal College of Surgeons of England, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, W.C.2.

INSTITUTE OF CANCER RESEARCH
(Royal Cancer Hospital and Chester Beatty Research Institute)

Postgraduate lectures and courses of instruction are held in biophysics for students studying for the M.Sc. degree in Biophysics, and for students studying for Diploma in Medical Radiotherapy.
Enquiries should be made to the Dean, Institute of Cancer Research, Royal Cancer Hospital, Fulham Road, London, S.W.3.

INSTITUTE OF CARDIOLOGY
(National Heart Hospital) (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
Full time courses of instruction lasting three months are available. Fee £26 5s. od. A limited number can be accepted part-time, which includes out-patient sessions and lectures. Special short courses lasting two weeks are given at intervals. Fee £12 12s. od.
Further details and applications for admission to these courses, should be made to the Dean, Institute of Cardiology, 35 Wimpole Street, London, W.1.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST
(Brompton Hospital and The London Chest Hospital) (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
The Institute of Diseases of the Chest (Medical School of the Hospitals for Diseases of the Chest) is situated in the grounds of the Brompton Hospital, S.W.3. 
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Surgical
A whole-time course in chest surgery is conducted during the terms beginning in October and January. It includes attendance at out-patient clinics, operating sessions, ward clinics, case demonstrations and lectures, and is held partly at the Brompton Hospital and partly at the London Chest Hospital.
Radiology
Part-time instruction in radiology of the chest for trainee radiologists only is given each term. The scale of fees is at present under revision.
For further general information application should be addressed to the Dean, Institute of Diseases of the Chest, Brompton Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W.3.

INSTITUTE OF CHILD HEALTH (Hospital for Sick Children) (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
The Institute of Child Health is associated with The Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, the Postgraduate Medical School of London at Hamme-smith Hospital, and the Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children. In its programme teaching on every aspect of child health is provided. Visits are arranged to the department for the new-born and premature infant at the Postgraduate Medical School of London, Hamme-smith Hospital, Maternity and Child Welfare Clinics, Nursery Schools, etc. The Institute provides tuition throughout the year in three terms of 12 weeks' duration each, beginning in January, May and September. In addition a series of lectures by specialists and experts in various spheres is given during the autumn and winter terms. Three or four guest lectures are given during the summer term by visiting paediatricians from abroad. The fees are 20 guineas for one term and 35 guineas for two terms.
Applications should be addressed to the Dean, Institute of Child Health, Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.1.

INSTITUTE OF DENTAL SURGERY
(Eastman Dental Hospital)
The Institute holds courses in orthodontics (full- and part-time, up to one year), and in periodontia, conserva-tive dentistry, prosthetics, minor oral surgery and children's dentistry (variable length, full- and part-time). Full-time refresher courses of two weeks' duration are arranged twice yearly for general practitioners. Courses are also held in conjunction with the Faculty of Dental Surgery of the Royal College of Surgeons and are particularly recommended for candidates preparing for the final examination for the Fellowship in Dental Surgery of the College. These begin in June and January (lasting for approximately six months), fee £50, and in April and October there are revision courses lasting eight weeks, fee £31 10s. od. Special arrangements can be made for students requiring courses of study and research experience not falling within the scope of the courses listed above.
For further information apply to the Dean, Institute of Dental Surgery, Eastman Dental Hospital, Gray's Inn Road, London, W.C.1.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY
(Medical School of St. John's Hospital for Diseases of the Skin) (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
Hospital Practice. This includes clinical instruction in the Out-Patient Department twice daily, attendance in the Department of Pathology and other departments of the Hospital. Fees: Two guineas for one week, 25 guineas for one year. Discussion of special cases takes place at 10 a.m. on the majority of Saturdays.
Laboratory. The facilities for students include techni-cal work in histology, bacteriology and medical mycology.
Lectures. A winter course, extending over six months, begins in October, and a summer course is held in May and June. Both these courses consist of lectures at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays on general dermatology, branches of pathology and X-ray, and clinical demonstrations on Fridays which are designed for those taking the M.R.C.P.
Enquiries should be made to the Dean, Institute of Dermatology, St. John's Hospital for Diseases of the Skin, Lisle Street, Leicester Square, London, W.C.2.

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(British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
A comprehensive course lasting 32 weeks and designed to cover the whole field of the speciality is held twice a
year beginning in February and September. This consists of lectures, demonstrations and attendance on the practice of the hospital, with facilities for dissection. A special point is made of the anatomy, physiology and pathology related to the subject. There is also an intensive lecture course of four weeks twice yearly in preparation for practical clinical training and a week's intensive course in endoscopy for senior students twice yearly. Advanced students may obtain additional experience by appointment as Out-patient Assistants. An Advanced Revision Class (10 weeks) for M.S. and F.R.C.S. students is also given twice yearly. The composite fee, including enrolment as a clinical assistant, attendance on the hospital practice and at one of the comprehensive courses, but excluding dissection, is £52 10s.

For further information application should be addressed to the Dean, Institute of Laryngology and Otology, 330 Gray's Inn Road, W.C.1.

INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGY (The National Hospital, Queen Square, and the Maida Vale Hospital for Nervous Diseases) (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)

The teaching is mainly by attendance on the hospital practice. Some advanced students are appointed as full-time clinical clerks at the National Hospital, Queen Square, or to the electro-encephalographic or one of the other special departments, or to the research laboratories. A limited number of part-time clinical clerkships are available at the Maida Vale Hospital with opportunity for examining patients.

In addition two full-time courses of ten weeks' duration are given each year, namely, in the Autumn and Spring terms. The first portion of the course deals with the anatomy and physiology of the nervous system, neuropathology and psychology, and consists mainly of lectures and demonstrations. The second portion deals with clinical neurology, medical and surgical, neuro-ophthalmology, neuro-otology and radiology, and includes lectures and demonstrations. Special lectures by neurologists from outside London and from abroad are held throughout the courses. Fees, for the ten weeks' full-time course, 20 guineas; for attending hospital practice, 15 guineas for three months or 28 guineas for six months.

Part-time teaching is given in the Out-Patient Department, at the National Hospital, Queen Square, on five days a week throughout the year (public holidays excepted), and at Maida Vale Hospital.

Courses of Clinical Demonstrations are given on Wednesdays and Saturdays at the National Hospital, Queen Square. Advertisements concerning these appear from time to time in the medical journals.

The following lecture will be given in the Lecture Theatre at 5 p.m. Admission free.

August

31 Dr. A. P. Friedman (U.S.A.). Vascular headaches. For further particulars please apply to the Dean, Institute of Neurology, National Hospital, Queen Square, London, W.C.1.

INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)

Incorporates the teaching facilities of Queen Charlotte's Maternity Hospital, the Chelsea Hospital for Women, and the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology of the Postgraduate Medical School. Graduates must hold a registrable medical qualification.

On enrolment, graduates are posted to one of the constituent hospitals and also attend combined classes at the other two hospitals. The enrolment fee is £3, and the charge for one term is £5.

An intensive course suitable for those preparing for higher examinations will be held in December and June.

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Postgraduates may attend the practice of the hospital at the Postgraduate Medical School and Queen Charlotte's Hospital during the vacation, when a charge of £1 a week is made. Hostel accommodation is available at the Postgraduate Medical School and at Queen Charlotte's Hospital.

Applications for further information and for enrolment forms should be made to the Secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, Dovehouse Street, S.W.3.

INSTITUTE OF OPHTHALMOLOGY (Royal London Ophthalmic, Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, Central London Ophthalmic Hospitals) (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)

Courses of lectures and classes beginning March 1 and October 1 each year to meet the requirements of candidates entering for the examination for the Diploma in Ophthalmology and other ophthalmological examinations will be given by members of the staff of the Hospital and Institute. Each course is designed to extend over two terms of approximately 18 weeks each and is normally divided into two parts.

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Part II. All clinical branches of the subject together with bacteriology and pathology. Students can attend the daily clinical practice of the two branches of the Moorfields, Westminster and Central Eye Hospital, and hold the appointments of Junior Clinical Assistants and Clinical Assistants concurrently with the above courses. A composition fee of £26 5s. od. will admit students once to the lectures and tutorial classes of any one term, with six months' clinical practice in the hospital.

Extra Courses. Slit lamp microscopy (fee £5 5s. od.); orthoptic training (one week's intensive course, fee £5 5s. od.); contact lenses (one week's intensive course, fee £5 10s. od.). Additional courses by arrangement.

Hospital Practice only. Fees as follows: one month, £2 2s. od.; three months, £5 5s. od.; six months, £10 10s. od.

Facilities for research.

For further information apply to the Dean, Institute of Ophthalmology, Judd Street, London, W.C.1.
INSTITUTE OF ORTHOPAEDICS (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
The Institute is concerned with postgraduate education in orthopaedics and with research. The practice of the Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital (both at the town section in Great Portland Street, and at the country section at Stanmore) is open to postgraduates, who may join at any time. In addition to hospital practice, formal courses of various lengths are held during academic terms. Facilities for advanced clinical work are available for selected candidates having a suitable scientific or surgical training.

Winter Courses
October 5 to 10. Poliomyelitis.
March 20 to April 3. Advanced clinical orthopaedics.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Dean, Institute of Orthopaedics, Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital, 234 Great Portland Street, London, W.1.

INSTITUTE OF PSYCHIATRY (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
The Institute, which was formerly the Maudsley Hospital Medical School, is now associated with the Joint Bethlem Royal Hospital and Maudsley Hospital. It is concerned with postgraduate education in psychiatry and allied subjects, and with research. A course of instruction covering up to three years and starting in October yearly, is provided for medical practitioners who wish to specialize in psychiatry or to prepare for the Diploma in Psychological Medicine.

Clinical instruction, which includes case conferences, seminars, and practical experience in case taking, is given at associated hospitals in the mornings, and systematic lectures and demonstrations are arranged for the afternoons. Students may also enrol for shorter periods, or for single series of lectures.

The subjects covered include anatomy and biochemistry of the nervous system, neurophysiology, pathology of nervous and mental diseases, psychiatry of children and adults, delinquency, principles of psychotherapy, forensic psychiatry and criminology, psychology, mental testing and statistics. There is a special six months' course in child psychiatry, comprising clinical instruction and lectures, which starts on October 1. Lectures on subjects of special interest are arranged from time to time. The tuition fee for a full year's course is £53 10s. od., including enrolment fee. For shorter periods the fee varies with the type of course chosen. Selected students are eligible for appointments on the staff of the Joint Hospital.

Facilities for research and supervision of study for higher degrees can be provided in clinical work and in biochemical, physiological, neuropathological and psychological laboratories.

A course for Honours Graduates in Psychology is available in clinical psychology for the Academic Postgraduate Diploma in Psychology. In conjunction with the Institute of Neurology, a course in the techniques of electroencephalography is provided for doctors who expect to take up electroencephalographic appointments in hospitals.

Further information may be obtained from the Dean, Institute of Psychiatry, Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, London, S.E.5.

INSTITUTE OF UROLOGY (St. Peter's, St. Paul's and St. Philip's Hospitals) (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
Week-end courses of lectures and demonstrations, beginning on Friday afternoon (operating session) and ending on Sunday about tea-time, are given about once a month, as advertised. Alternately 'Essentials of Urology' and 'Advanced Urology.' Fee £5 5s. od. for each course. Weekly lectures are given from October, 1953, to March, 1954, on Wednesdays at 5 p.m. Admission free. Guest lectures are given twice a year at the Royal College of Surgeons.

Applications should be addressed to the Secretary, Institute of Urology, 10 Henrietta Street, Covent Garden, London, W.C.2.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON (British Postgraduate Medical Federation)
The Postgraduate Medical School of London (formerly the British Postgraduate Medical School) is associated with the Hammersmith Hospital, Ducane Road, W.12. It has University Departments in Medicine, Surgery, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, and Pathology. The Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, together with Queen Charlotte's and the Chelsea Hospitals, now forms the Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology. The teaching in the clinical departments, which is of an advanced nature and based on ward work, is continuous and is supplemented by lectures during three ten-week sessions starting in January, April and October. Suitable students are encouraged to undertake research work. A course for the University Diploma in Clinical Pathology, lasting one year, is available for a limited number of selected students. This commences in October. In anaesthetics, short practical courses lasting a fortnight, and longer periods of training for six months, are provided. The Department of Radiology of the Hospital provides courses for the Diplomas in Medical Radiology of the University and Conjoint Board. The fees vary from £3 for one week to £75 for a year.

For further information application should be made to the Dean, Postgraduate School of London, Ducane Road, W.12.

EAST HAM CHEST CLINIC
Out-patient teaching. Mondays and Thursdays at 2.30 p.m.
Apply Senior Registrar, East Hampton Chest Clinic, Katherine Road, Forest Gate, London, E.7.

LONDON SCHOOL OF HYGIENE AND TROPICAL MEDICINE (University of London)
Courses of study are arranged for the C.P.H. and D.P.H. (London University); D.T.M. & H. (Eng.); and Academic Diploma in Bacteriology. Short courses are arranged in the Principles of Medical Statistics and Epidemiology, Statistical Methods and their Application in Medicine, and Applied Helminthology.

For further information and enrolment applications should be addressed to the Secretary, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1.
NORTH LONDON POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL INSTITUTE

Courses in advanced medicine, advanced surgery, and obstetrics and gynaecology. Instruction in pathology, anaesthetics and radiodiagnosis. Clinical instruction at Bearsted Memorial Hospital, Chase Farm Hospital, North Middlesex Hospital, The Prince of Wales's General Hospital and St. Ann's General Hospital. During the coming academic year there will be eight-week courses in advanced medicine suitable for those taking the M.R.C.P. examination, and eight-week courses in advanced surgery suitable for those taking the F.R.C.S. examination, also two-week courses for those taking the D.Obst.R.C.O.G. examination.

For further information apply to the Dean, the Prince of Wales's General Hospital, London, N.15.

PLAISTOW HOSPITAL CHEST UNIT

In-patient round every Thursday at 4.30 p.m.

Apply Registrar, Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, Plaistow, London, E.13.

ROYAL LONDON HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL

Clinical Tutorials. Practical instruction in the application of homoeopathic principles is given by the Tutors, Dr. W. L. Templeton and Dr. D. M. Foubister, at their tutorial clinics in the O.P. Department on Monday at 2 p.m. and Thursday at 1.30 p.m. throughout the year. Open to medical practitioners without fee.

A set course of Instruction in homoeopathy is given at intervals during the year.

For further information application should be made to the Dean of the Education Course, Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.1.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL

(Rheumatism Unit)

Two concentrated week-end courses in the Rheumatic Diseases are given each year, in March and in October, under the auspices of the Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine.

A limited number of postgraduates can attend the Out-patient sessions of the Unit on Wednesday and Friday mornings at 10 a.m.

Applications for attendance at these sessions should be made to the Medical Registrar, Rheumatism Unit, St. Stephen's Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W.10.

EMPIRE RHEUMATISM COUNCIL

Lecture courses in rheumatic diseases are arranged for general practitioners and other postgraduates periodically.

Particulars are obtainable from the General Secretary, Empire Rheumatism Council, Tavistock House (N), Tavistock Square, London, W.C.1.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR MENTAL HEALTH

Courses on Educationally Subnormal Children and Mental Defectives are organised by the Association in conjunction with the Extra-Mural Department of the University of London. A course will be held from October 12 to 30, 1953, at the University of London Examination Hall, Imperial Institute Road, South Kensington.

Applications for further information and enrolment should be addressed to the Education Secretary, National Association for Mental Health, 39 Queen Anne Street, London, W.1.

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND HYGIENE

The Royal Institute of Public Health and Hygiene conducts recognized courses of instruction (starting annually in March and October) for the examinations of the Conjoint Board of the Royal College of Physicians of London and the Royal College of Surgeons of England for the Certificate in Public Health. These lead to courses (beginning in January and August) for the D.P.H. and, similarly (in February and July), for the D.I.H. Students are also prepared for the D.I.H. examinations of the Society of Apothecaries of London. Any of the courses may be taken whole-time or part-time. They consist of both lectures and visits. Candidates desiring a course for either the D.P.H., or the D.I.H. of the Conjoint Board, are required by them to produce evidence of being in possession of a recognized C.P.H. For the C.P.H., lectures are given by specialists on the various sociological aspects, and in the D.P.H. the practical work is carried out at a county borough. The D.I.H. entails visits to all types of factories and to coal mines, etc. The next course for the C.P.H. will begin on October 2, 1953.

Prospectuses, enrolment forms and full particulars may be obtained from the Secretary, The Royal Institute of Public Health and Hygiene, 28 Portland Place, London, W.1. Telephone: Langham 2731/2.

TUBERCULOSIS EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE

A refresher course will be held in Cambridge, September 1 to 4, on chemotherapy. Three-day clinical courses will be held as follows: Cheshire Joint Sanatorium, Market Drayton, October 14, 15 and 16; King George V Hospital, Goldsming, September 30, October 1 and 2.

Further information may be obtained from the Secretary, Tuberculosis Educational Institute, Tavistock House North, Tavistock Square, London, W.C.1.

BRISTOL

Medical Postgraduate Department of the University of Bristol

Session 1953-1954. Provided that there are sufficient applicants the following postgraduate courses will probably be arranged beginning in October, 1953.

Course in Child Health. This will be whole-time and will last for three months. Fee £21. The course will be under the direction of the Head of the Dept. of Child Health in co-operation with the Depts. of Preventive Medicine, Medicine, Surgery, Pathology, etc., and will include lectures, demonstrations, ward rounds and visits to clinics and ancillary institutions. The University does not itself grant a Diploma in Child Health. Diploma in Psychological Medicine (D.P.M., Bristol). (a) Part I. This will begin in October, 1953, and will cover a period of two terms. It will include lectures and demonstrations in special anatomy and physiology, pharmacology and applied psychology. Fee £21. (b) Part II. This will be designed primarily for Part II of the D.P.M. (Bristol) and will be held in the autumn and spring terms and part of the summer term, 1953-54. It will consist of lectures and demonstrations in the clinical aspects of adult and child psychiatry, mental deficiency and associated subjects. Fee £26.5s. The
course will be open to a limited number of physicians practising in psychiatry, in addition to those preparing for the D.P.M. (Bristol).

Courses in Medical Radiology. The diplomas granted by the University have been discontinued. It may occasionally be possible to arrange tuition for those wishing to prepare for the Diplomas (D.M.R.D. or D.M.R.T. of the Conjoint Board.

Further information, copies of regulations for the Bristol Diploma and application forms for the courses may be obtained from the Director of Medical Postgraduate Studies, The University, Bristol 8.

CAMBRIDGE
Cambridge University Medical School

Summary of postgraduate facilities for general practitioners from October 1, 1953, to July 31, 1954. At Addenbrooke's Hospital, unless otherwise stated.

First week in each month. Monday: Abnormal ante-natal clinics, 10.30 a.m. (Miss J. Bottomley), Maternity Hospital; Diagnosis and treatment of cancer, 2.30 p.m. (Prof. J. S. Mitchell). Tuesday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Psychiatry, 2 p.m. (Dr. R. A. Noble). Thursday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Cardiac clinic, 2.15 p.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Orthopaedic cases, 2.30 p.m.(325x108) (Mr. T. J. Fairbank). Friday: Chest diseases, 2 p.m. (Dr. W. Puton, Phillip and Mr. C. Parish), The Clinic, Shire Hall, Castle Hill. Saturday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Ophthalmic cases, 10.30 a.m. (Mr. E. G. Recordon).

Second week in each month. Monday: V.D. clinical demonstration, 2.30 p.m. (Dr. S. M. Laird); Medical cases, 2.30 p.m. (Dr. L. C. Martin). Tuesday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Radiodiagnosis, 2.30 p.m. (Dr. D. Donnelly). Wednesday: Dermatological clinic, 2.30 p.m. (Dr. C. H. Whittle). Thursday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Plastic surgery clinic, 9.30 a.m. (Mr. L. M. Rouillard); General surgery, 2 p.m. (Mr. P. H. R. Ghey); Cardiac clinic, 2.15 p.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole). Friday: Medical cases, 2.30 p.m. (Dr. A. P. Dick). Saturday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole).

Third week in each month. Monday: Surgical cases, 2 p.m. (Mr. B. McN. Truscott). Tuesday: Gynaecological cases, 9.30 a.m. (Mr. O. Lloyd); Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Clinical psychiatry, 3 p.m. (Dr. E. Beresford Davies). Wednesday: General surgery, 10.30 a.m. (Mr. V. C. Pennell); Radiological demonstration, 2.30 p.m. (Dr. F. R. Berridge); Clinico-pathological conference, 5 p.m. (Dr. A. M. Barrett), Lecture Theatre, Dept. of Pathology, Tennis Court Road. Thursday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); E.N.T. cases, 10.30 a.m. (Mr. A. S. H. Walford); Cardiac clinic, 2.15 p.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole). Friday: Paediatric cases, 2.15 p.m. (Dr. D. M. T. Gairdner). Saturday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole).

Fourth week in each month. Monday: Ophthalmic cases, 10 a.m. (Mr. G. F. Wright). Tuesday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Demonstration of cases, 2 p.m. (Mr. J. B. L. Blizard). Wednesday: E.N.T. cases, 2 p.m. (Mr. K. F. Wilsdon). Thursday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Cardiac clinic, 2.15 p.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole); Orthopaedic cases, 2.30 p.m. (Mr. R. W. Butler). Friday: Haematological clinic, 10 a.m. Saturday: Medical ward round, 10.30 a.m. (Dr. L. B. Cole).

One-day symposia will be held monthly on Saturdays from 10.30 a.m. to 5 p.m., except during August and September. Each symposium will consist of three to five lectures or lecture-discussions, and demonstrations either of clinical cases or to illustrate modern methods; the subject matter and clinical material will be chosen for its special appeal to general practitioners. Detailed timetables will be available on application to the Secretary, Cambridge University Medical School, Tennis Court Road, Cambridge.

CARDIFF
The Welsh National School of Medicine
C.P.H. Wales (Certificate in Public Health). Three months' full-time course, October to December.

D.P.H. Wales (Diploma in Public Health). Twelve months' part-time course, January to December.

T.D.D. Wales (Tuberculous Diseases Diploma). Five to six months' full-time course, January to June.

D.M.R.D. Eng. (Diploma in Medical Radiodiagnosis). Eighteen months' full-time course from October.

The number of admissions to each of the above courses is strictly limited and early application should be made to the Secretary, The Welsh National School of Medicine, 34 Newport Road Cardiff.

DUBLIN
University College

The following courses will be held during the session 1953-54—

C.P.H. Course and examination. Michaelmas Term.

D.P.H. Course. Hilary and Trinity Terms.

Examinations. Summer Term.

D.P.M. Course and examination. Michaelmas Term.

D.C.H. Course and examination. Hilary Term.

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the Registrar, University College, Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin.

EDINBURGH
Edinburgh Postgraduate Board of Medicine

General Surgery. A three months' course of postgraduate surgery is arranged to start on September 28, 1953. It is suitable for surgeons requiring a refresher course in the current outlook on general surgery, or for graduates preparing to specialize in surgery; approximately 275 hours of instruction are provided. Fee £31 10s. od.

Internal Medicine. A course lasting 12 weeks, suitable for graduates wishing a refresher course, or to specialize in medicine, begins on September 28, 1953. This course consists of 320 hours' instruction, comprising lectures, clinical demonstrations and ward visits. Fee £31 10s. od. Additional instruction in clinical paediatrics is arranged in conjunction with the course in medicine, for which there is a small fee; the numbers are limited.

Medical Sciences. Two courses, each of ten weeks' duration, in applied anatomy, physiology, pathology, bacteriology and biochemistry have been arranged by the Royal College of Surgeons under the aegis of the Post-Graduate Board. These start on October 5, 1953, and January 4, 1954. Fee 25 guineas. These courses are suitable for postgraduates wishing to take the Primary Fellowship Examination, as a final preparation in these subjects. Considerable basic knowledge is highly desirable prior to taking this course.
Applications for enrolment should be addressed to Director of Postgraduate Studies, Surgeons’ Hall, Edinburgh, 8, supplying particulars of qualifications and postgraduate experience.

Royal Medical Society
The meetings of the Society are held in the Society’s Hall on Friday evenings during the Autumn and Spring Terms. Meetings consist of Private Business (at 7 p.m.) and Public Business (at 8 p.m.) in which dissertations by members or addresses by prominent medical men on subjects of medical interest are given. Clinical meetings are held periodically in the Royal Infirmary and film shows of the latest medical films are given in the Society’s Rooms. Prospective members will be welcomed on any Friday evening in the Society’s Hall before public business.

Applications for further information should be addressed to the Secretary, Royal Medical Society, 7 Melbourne Place, Edinburgh, 1.

GLASGOW
Postgraduate Medical Education Committee, University of Glasgow
Primary Examination for the Surgical Fellowships.
A course of instruction in anatomy, physiology, biochemistry, pathology and bacteriology suitable for candidates preparing for the Primary examination of the Fellowship qua Surgeon of the Royal Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow will be held from October 12 to December 4. (The Primary examination conducted by the Glasgow Royal Faculty is accepted by the Royal Colleges of Surgeons of Edinburgh, of England, and in Ireland, in lieu of the corresponding examinations of these bodies.) The course will comprise a total of approximately 150 hours’ instruction given daily from Mondays to Fridays, from 12 noon to 5 p.m. The course will be open to the junior staff of hospitals in the Western Region of Scotland and also to other suitable applicants. Applicants not employed in the hospitals of the Western Region will, so far as can be arranged, be given an honorary clinical attachment to one of the surgical teaching units. Fee for the course, £26 5s. od.

Chemotherapy. A short intensive course on the principles and application of chemotherapy in acute and chronic infectious diseases will be held at Ruchill Hospital, Glasgow, from October 5 to 10. Fee for the course, £5 5s. od. The usual arrangements for financial assistance are available to N.H.S. practitioners attending the course whereby the fee, cost of travelling and subsistence, and locum expenses may, subject to certain conditions, be recovered from Government sources.

Mental Deficiency. If there is sufficient demand, a short intensive course will be held from October 12 to 30. The course will comprise lectures and demonstrations in various aspects of mental handicap and mental deficiency; instruction in mental testing; visits to institutions. The course will be limited to 20 practitioners, and the fee will be £15 15s. od.

Applications for further particulars and for enrolment should be made to the Director of Postgraduate Medical Education, The University, Glasgow, W.2.

LIVERPOOL
University of Liverpool
The following postgraduate courses of instruction are offered—

Surgery. A full-time course of one year suitable for candidates who have already completed the Primary Examination of the F.R.C.S., or undertaken postgraduate study in anatomy and physiology. On completion of the course students become eligible to take the Mastership of Surgery (Ch.M.) of this University provided they are graduates of an approved University or otherwise comply with the regulations. The fee for the course is £60. The course begins in September.

Orthopaedic Surgery. A full-time 12-month course leading by examination to a Mastership in Orthopaedic Surgery (M.Ch.Orth.) open to all medical graduates of approved Universities (and to graduates in other faculties with qualifications in medicine) who hold an F.R.C.S. of one of the British colleges or its equivalent. The fee for the whole course is £70. The course normally begins in January.

Radiology. A full-time course of two academic years leading to a D.M.R. (D. or T.) open to medical graduates of approved Universities and to medically qualified candidates who hold approved higher medical diplomas and a degree in a faculty other than medicine. The fee for the full two-year course is £83. The course begins in October. The degree of D.M.Rad. may, after report by the Faculty, be conferred on holders of the D.M.R. (D. or T.) of this University under certain conditions.

Public Health. A full-time one-year course leading to the Diploma in Public Health, open to candidates with a medical qualification from an approved medical school or licensing body. The fee is £60. All courses of instruction begin in October.

Tropical Medicine and Hygiene. A full-time four-month course leading to the Diploma in Tropical Medicine and Hygiene (D.T.M. & H.) open to candidates with a medical qualification from an approved medical school or licensing body. The course begins in September and January. Fee £14.

Anaesthesia. A full-time course of post-graduate instruction, limited to ten students, begins on October 1 and lasts for one year. The course combines instruction in the practical administration of anaesthetics with lectures and demonstrations in anatomy (including dissection), physiology, pathology, physics, pharmacology, medicine and surgery, and anaesthesia. For the purpose of gaining practical experience, the students are found suitable appointments in recognised General Hospitals within the Liverpool area. The fee for the course is £60.

Applications for further information should be addressed to the Dean, Faculty of Medicine, The University, Liverpool 3.

OXFORD
Postgraduate Medical Education, United Oxford Hospitals
Summary of ward rounds, clinics, demonstrations, etc., open to general practitioners from September 1953 to July 1954.

Medicine, ward rounds, Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 10.15 a.m., Radcliffe Infirmary. Medical Concilia, Wednesdays, 5 p.m. (alternate weeks), Radcliffe Infirmary. Clinical demonstrations, Thursdays, 2.15 p.m., Radcliffe Infirmary. Clinicopathology, conferences, Wednesdays, 5 p.m., Maternity Lecture Theatre, Radcliffe Infirmary (alternate weeks in full term). Chest Diseases, clinical demonstrations, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 2 and 3 p.m., Osler Pavilion. Tuberculosis, ward rounds, Fridays, 2 p.m., Osler Pavilion. Paediatrics, clinical
demonstrations, Saturdays, 10.30 a.m., Radcliffe In- 
firmary; out-patients, Thursdays, 2 p.m., Radcliffe 
Infirmary. Child Welfare, clinics (City) day and time 
by arrangement with Dr. Mary Fisher. Infectious 
Diseases, clinical demonstrations, day and time by 
arrangement with Dr. Warin, Slade Isolation Hospital. 
Psychiatry, clinical demonstrations, Fridays, 4 p.m., 
Park Hospital. Geriatrica, clinical demonstrations, 
Monday, 2.15 p.m., Cowley Road Hospital. Neurology 
(medical and surgery), out-patients, Tuesdays and 
Wednesdays, 2 p.m., Radcliffe Infirmary. Clinical 
demonstrations, Thursdays, 5 p.m., Radcliffe Infirmary. 
Venereal Diseases, out-patients, Mondays, 6 p.m., 
and Wednesdays, 2.30 and 5.30 p.m., and Saturdays, 
2.15 p.m., Radcliffe Infirmary. Skin Diseases, out- 
patients, Mondays and Fridays, 2 p.m., Radcliffe In- 
firmary. Surgery, accident service, daily, 10.30 
a.m., Radcliffe Infirmary. Ward rounds, Mondays and 
Fridays, 9.30 a.m., Radcliffe Infirmary, Tuesdays, 9.30 
a.m., Churchill Hospital. Clinical demonstrations, 
Tuesdays, 4.30 p.m., Radcliffe Infirmary. Plastic 
Surgery, out-patients and clinical demonstrations, 
Fridays, 2 p.m., Churchill Hospital. Orthopaedic 
Surgery, clinical demonstrations, Thursdays and 
Saturdays, 9 a.m., Wingfield-Morris Hospital. Ob- 
estetrics, lecture demonstrations, Mondays, Tuesdays 
and Fridays, 9.15 a.m., Maternity Lecture Theatre, 
Radcliffe Infirmary. Gynaecology, ward rounds, 
Wednesdays, 10.30 a.m. and 5 p.m., Radcliffe Infirmary. 
Obstetrics and Gynaecology, concilia, monthly, 
alternate Thursdays and Fridays, 3 p.m., Maternity 
Lecture Theatre, Radcliffe Infirmary. Ante-natal 
clinics, out-patients, Mondays, 2 p.m., Maternity 
Home Radcliffe Infirmary and Churchill Hospital, 
Thursdays, 2 p.m., Radcliffe Infirmary Maternity 
Home, Fridays, 9.15 a.m., Maternity Lecture Theatre. 
Post-natal clinics, out-patients, Tuesdays, 10 a.m., 
Wednesdays, 2 p.m., Radcliffe Infirmary Maternity 
Lecture Theatre.

General practitioners wishing to avail themselves of the 
facilities set out in this schedule should apply to the 
Secretary, Postgraduate Medical Committee 11 Keble, 
Road, Oxford.

CONFERENCE, PRIZES, Etc.

Queen Square Prize in Neurology. A prize of £100 
will be awarded annually to the postgraduate student, 
or ex-student, of the Institute of Neurology who 
presents the best written paper describing clinical work 
carried out or initiated at the National Hospitals for 
Nervous Diseases. Entries must be submitted not later 
than September 30 each year.

Full particulars from the Dean, Institute of Neurology, 
(Queen Square), The National Hospital, Queen Square, 
London, W.C.I.