Notes and Announcements

EPILEPSY CANADA/PARKE-DAVIS CANADA RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

The Epilepsy Canada/Parke-Davis Canada Research Fellowship is offered to develop expertise in clinical or basic epilepsy research and to enhance the quality of care for epilepsy patients in Canada. The award of the fellowship is \$35,000 annually. Epilepsy Canada will present the award at the annual meeting of the Canadian Congress of Neurological Sciences.

Research must be carried out at a Canadian facility, with project emphasis on the study of epilepsy itself and not on epilepsy as part of the study of another field. The Fellowship is primarily a training program and is not intended for individuals holding faculty appointments. Applicants must have an M.D. or a Ph.D. Those with an M.D. must have completed residency training.

Application forms will be available September 1, 1995. The deadline for submission is December 1, 1995. For further information, please contact: Rebecca Rupp, National Director of Programs, Epilepsy Canada, 1470 Peel St., Suite 745, Montréal, Québec H3A 1T1 Tel: (514) 845-7855 Fax: (514) 845-7866.

BOURSE DE RECHERCHE EPILEPSIE CANADA/PARKE-DAVIS CANADA

La bourse de recherche d'Epilepsie Canada/Parke-Davis Canada est offerte en vue d'encourager la recherche fondamentale ou clinique sur l'épilepsie et d'améliorer la qualité des soins aux personnes atteintes d'épilepsie au Canada. Le montant de la bourse, accordée annuellement, est de \$35 000. Elle sera présentée à l'assemblée annuelle du Congrès Canadien des Sciences Neurologiques.

La recherche doit être effectuée dans une institution canadienne; le profet doit porter sur l'étude de l'epilepsie proprement dite et non sur l'épelepsie en tant que partie d'une étude sur un autre sujet. Il s'agit d'une bourse de perfectionnement et ne s'addresse pas aux chercheurs détenant déjà un poste dans une université. Les candidats doivent détenir le titre de M.D. ou de Ph.D. Ceux qui ont un M.D. doivent avoir terminé leur entraînement en spécialité.

Les formulaires de demande seront disponibles à compter du 1er septembre 1995. Les demandes devront être soumises ou plus tard le 1er décembre 1995. Pour le plus amples renseignements, s'adressez à: Rebecca Rupp, Directrice nationale des programmes, Epilepsie Canada, 1470 rue Peel, bureau 745, Montréal, Québec H3A 1T1 Tél: (514) 845-7855 Fax: (514) 845-7866.



T.J. MURRAY CHAIRS AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS BOARD OF REGENTS

Jock Murray, MD, a Nova Scotia neurologist, took office as chair of the American College of Physicians (ACP) Board of Regents during the society's 76th Annual Session, March 16-19, 1995, in Atlanta.

ACP is the largest medicalspecialty society in the United States, composed of more than 85,000 physicians trained in internal medicine and relates

subspecialties. In Canada, ACP has more than 2,000 members in five provincial areas: Alberta, Atlantic Provinces, British Columbia, Manitoba/Saskatchewan, and Ontario.

Murray is director of the MS Research Unit at Dalhousie University, where he is also professor of medical humanities and full professor of medicine and neurology. He headed the university's division of neurology for five years, then served as its dean of medicine before being appointed professor of medical humanities in 1992.

Murray, an ACP fellow since 1980, served as ACP Governor for Atlantic Provinces from 1986 to 1990. He was then elected chair of the ACP Board of Governors, after which he was elected to two terms on the Board of Regents. He served on the ACP educational policy committee and publication policy committee.

ACP is a nonprofit organization of physicians trained in internal medicine – the diagnosis and nonsurgical treatment of disease and illness in adults and young adults. Its membership includes practitioners providing primary care; medical specialists in fields such as cardiology, neurology and oncology; and medical researchers and teachers.