

## **Field Workers Forum**

### **84 SLIDES ON LEPROSY; MEDDIA, THE ROYAL TROPICAL INSTITUTE, AMSTERDAM**

This series of 84 slides on leprosy, *Leprosy in the Dark Skin*, prepared by Dr D L Leiker, in collaboration with Professor W Peters of the London School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene and WHO, is available on microfiche, or in the form of unmounted slides. There is a written text in English (soon to be available in French and Spanish), with the following main sections – Bacteriology, Epidemiology, Diagnosis, Classification, Leprosy reactions, Chemotherapy, Complications, Differential Diagnosis and Control.

The photomicrographs are of high quality and provide an immense amount of valuable information in compact form. We congratulate Dr Leiker and his colleagues on this initiative and wish the set every possible success and a wide distribution.

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### **ALERT, PO BOX 165, ADDIS ABABA, ETHIOPIA (THE ALL AFRICA LEPROSY AND REHABILITATION AND TRAINING CENTRE). COURSES OF INSTRUCTION DURING 1981**

Monday 12 January – Saturday 22 February:

Senior Rural Area Supervisors Course on Clinical Leprosy and Leprosy Control, (2 visiting lecturers invited.)

Monday 30 March – Saturday 11 April:

Course on Surgery in *Leprosy* for Surgeons and Medical Officers with experience in surgery.

Monday 11 May – Saturday 6 June:

Course for Medical Officers – I Emphasis on Clinical Leprosy and on Teaching of Leprosy.

Monday 21 September – Saturday 31 October:

Course for Physiotherapists who are working in Leprosy Projects or are going to do so.

Monday 5 October – Saturday 31 October:

Course for Medical Officers – II Emphasis on Leprosy Control.

Monday 16 November – Saturday 28 November:

Surgical Workshop (For Members of Working Group only).

**SCHIEFFELIN LEPROSY RESEARCH & TRAINING CENTRE, KARIGIRI, SOUTH INDIA. SCHEDULE OF TRAINING COURSE FOR THE YEAR 1981.**

Course	Qualification	Duration	Commencing date	No. of seats	Fees in Rs.
<b>For Doctors</b>					
(a) Condensed course in Leprosy	Doctors & Senior Medical personnel	1 week	19 January 6 April 7 September	20	25
(b) Medical students course	Undergraduates	1 week	Pooja Holidays	20	—
(c) Medical Officers course	Medical personnel engaged in leprosy work	6 weeks	2 February 13 July	16	75
(d) Ophthalmic aspects in Leprosy	Qualified medical personnel (included in 6 weeks' course)	3 days	9-11 February 20-22 July	12	10
<b>For Non-Medical personnel</b>					
(a) Non-medical Supervisors course	Fully qualified para-medical workers with a minimum of 3 years' experience	4 months	8 June	12	200
(b) Orientation course in Leprosy	For paramedical personnel (Nurses, Physios, OT and administrators) 1 week condensed course + 3 weeks in-service training	1 month	19 January 6 April 7 September	6	—
(c) Para-medical workers Course	SSLC passed, graduates preferred	6 months	3 August	20	200
(d) PMW Refresher course	Qualified PMWs	3 weeks	8 June	20	50
(e) Leprosy for general health workers	Persons now working or trained as general health workers	1 week	31 March 17 November	20	30
(f) Physiotherapy technicians' Course	SSLC passed, graduates preferred	9 months	15 June	8	200
(g) Laboratory technicians' Course	SSLC passed, PUC preferred	12 months	1 July	4	150
<b>In-Service Training</b>					
(a) In-service training in medicine, Surgery, Pathology, Control & Laboratory Technology	For qualified medical personnel	9 months	By arrangement	—	—

**SCHEDULE OF TRAINING COURSE FOR THE YEAR 1981 (Continued)**

Course	Qualification	Duration	Commencing date	No. of seats	Fees in Rs.
<b>In-Service Training</b>					
(b) Prosthetic Technicians	SSLC passed, PUC preferred	18 months	January & July	3	—
(c) Shoe-makers' Course	V standard with knowledge of English preferred	6 months	by arrangement		
(d) Smear Technicians	SSLC passed Qualified Lab. Technicians	3 months 1 month	by arrangement		50
(e) Medical Record-keepers	SSLC with proficiency in typing and good English	1 month 2 months	by arrangement		50

*Instructions to candidates:*

These courses are recognised by the Government of Tamil Nadu and the Government of India. Candidates will be awarded Government recognized certificates.

In-service Training for Doctors: In the case of in-service training, Medical personnel are expected to carry out routine regular duties in the concerned departments like any other members of staff in that particular department.

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