

## Teaching Materials and Services

### ALERT Training Calendar, 1995

In 1995, ALERT proposes to organize the following training courses:

Dates	Course title	Recommended for
Jan 9–Feb 17	Prevention and management of disabilities	qualified physiotherapists, and paramedical workers in a leprosy programme with a minimum experience of 2 years in a disability prevention capacity
Feb 20–Mar 31	Leprosy and tuberculosis control	physicians, and senior staff familiar with the clinical aspects of leprosy or TB (preferably both), who will be in charge of managing a combined leprosy and TB control programme
Apr 3–Apr 14	Information, education and communication	staff in charge of health education (of the community and of the individual patient) in a leprosy and/or TB control programme
Apr 17–Jun 9	Training of trainers	trainers, and staff in charge of organizing training programmes for leprosy and TB workers. Participants should be familiar with leprosy or TB (preferably both), and preference will be given to applicants who have participated in a formal leprosy and TB course in the past
Jul 7–Jul 28	Essentials of leprosy for nonmedical staff	administrators, planners, managers and other staff without a medical background, who are unfamiliar with the common leprosy terminology when dealing with medical technical staff, either in the context of a field programme or of a donor agency
Jul 31–Aug 12	Social rehabilitation	staff dealing with the socioeconomic problems of leprosy patients
Aug 21–Sep 1	Tropical dermatology	physicians with dermatological experience
Sep 4–Oct 14	Essentials of leprosy for medical staff	physicians without leprosy experience, who are going to work in a leprosy project (either hospital based or in a control programme)
Oct 16–Oct 20	The eye in leprosy	physicians and experienced paramedical workers responsible for managing leprosy patients
Oct 23–Dec 15	Supervision of a district leprosy control programme	experienced leprosy workers who will be in charge of the supervision of a leprosy control programme at the district (or comparable) level

If you are interested in any of these courses, or if you want more information please write to: International Administrative Coordinator, Division of Training, ALERT, P.O. Box 165, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. Fax: +251-1-711199; Telephone +251-1-712792 (International Administrative Coordinator), +251-1-711524 (Director of Training).