

SYMPOSIA

UPDATE ON THE DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT OF NEUROLOGICAL PROBLEMS

A symposium was held on 23 April 1998 in the Queen Mother Conference Centre, Edinburgh.

The speakers were:

Prof. I. Bone	The dizzy patient.
Dr P. Sandercock	Acute stroke.
Dr D. Hilton-Jones	Idiopathic inflammatory myopathies.
Prof. D. Chadwick	Diagnostic pitfalls in epilepsy.
Prof. J. van Gijn	Pitfalls in the diagnosis of sudden headache.
Prof. R. Dolan	The contribution of imaging to understanding neuropsychiatric symptoms.
Dr N. Scolding	Multiple Sclerosis - from laboratory to treatment.
Dr P. Bath	What is the evidence for that? - getting answers from the Cochrane Library.
Dr R.G. Will	Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease - where will we be by the year 2000?

CARDIOLOGY

A symposium was held on 4 June 1998 in the Queen Mother Conference Centre, Edinburgh.

The speakers were:

Dr M. Petch	Fitness to drive.
Prof. W. Stewart Hillis	Fitness for sport.
Prof. R. Campbell	Fitness for occupation.
Mr J. Wallwork	The prospect for 'spare-part' cardiac surgery.
Mr R. Patel	When to replace a leaking valve.
Mr F. Wells	Rationing cardiac surgery.
Dr T.R.D. Shaw	Chairman's Commentary: Rationing cardiac surgery; the UK perspective.
Prof. K.A.A. Fox	Unstable angina.

Proposer:

Dr K. Dawkins

Seconder:

Dr M. Rothman

This house believes there is not enough intervention for coronary artery disease in the UK.

Proposer:

Prof J. Hampton

Seconder:

Prof J. McMurray

This house believes there is too much intervention for coronary artery disease in the UK.