

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 12-16, 1977 Miami Beach	9th World Congress on Fertility and Sterility	Information: S. J. Behrmann, M.D., The University of Michigan Medical Center, Ann Arbor, MI 48109, USA
April 24-28, 1977 Chicago	Annual Meeting of the American Urological Association	Information: Secretary AUA 1120 N. Charles St. Baltimore, MD 21201, USA
May 1977 Belgrade	5th Congress of the Yugoslavian Urological Association	Information: Prof. Dr. S. Petkovic Uroloska Klinika Generala Zranova 51 Belgrade, Yugoslavia
May 2-5, 1977 Tokyo	6th International Congress on Cytology	Information: A. Meisels, M.D. FIAC 1050 Chemin Ste Foy Quebec 6, P.O., Canada
May 12-14, 1977 Balatonfüred, Hungary	2nd European Colloquium on Renal Physiology	Information: MH-Advertising Fairs and Exhibitions Service V. Alpári Gyula u. 13 H-1051 Budapest, Hungary
May 31 - June 3, 1977 Helsinki	4th Congress of the European Society on Dialysis and Transplan- tation	Information: Dr. B. Kock 4th Dept. of Internal Medicine Unioninkatu 38 Helsinki 17, Finland
June 2-4, 1977 Essen, FRG	2nd Symposium on Cancer Therapy by Hyperthermia and Radiation	Information: Prof. Dr. C. Streffer Univ.-Klinikum Essen Hufelandstr. 55 D-4300 Essen, FRG
June 10-11, 1977 Innsbruck-Igls Austria	Congress of the German and the Austrian Associa- tion on the Study of Sterility and Fertility	Information: Dr. L. Mettler Universitäts-Frauenklinik Hegewischstr. 4 D-2300 Kiel 1, FRG
June 26-28, 1977 Thessaloniki, Greece	Congress of the Greek Urological Association	Information: Dr. A. Morakis 54 Patissiomstr. Athens 147, Greece
August 1-4, 1977 Helsinki	4th International Sym- posium of the Interna- tional Association of Pediatric Nephrology	Information: Dr. Olli Koskimies Children's Hospital Stenbäckinkatu 11 SF-00290 Helsinki 29 Finland
September 16 and 17, 1977 Jena, GDR	5th Symposium on Urolithiasis	Information: Doz. Dr. Schneider Urologische Universitätsklinik Lessingstr. 1 DDR-6900 Jena, GDR

September 19-23, 1977 London	Congress of the European Society of Pathology	Information: I. A. Banks Wembley Conference Centre Wembley Middlesex London HA9 ODW, England
September 21-24, 1977 Stuttgart, FRG	24th Congress of the German Urological Association	Information: Prof. Dr. F. Arnholdt Katharinenhospital Urologische Klinik Kriegsbergstr. 60 D-7000 Stuttgart 1, FRG
September 25-30, 1977 Buenos Aires	14th Congress of the American Association of Urology	Information: Dr. Juan Ghirlanda Secretario General Callao 1720 - 7 <sup>0</sup> "B" 1024 Buenos Aires Argentina
October 27-29, 1977 Valencia, Spain	3rd International Congress on Cyrosurgery	Information: Prof. Dr. Tramoyeres Colegio de Médicos Isabel la Católica 8 Valencia, Spain

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