

NEWS and NOTES

This department furnishes information concerning institutions, organizations, and individuals engaged in work on leprosy and other mycobacterial diseases, and makes note of scientific meetings and other matters of interest.

India. *The Dr. Raghavendra Row Memorial Teaching Program in Leprosy—1985.* The one-day (25 May 1985) program was this year devoted to the teaching of the pathology of leprosy to a small group (three from each medical college) of pathology postgraduate students. It was held at the Department of Pathology, Grant Medical College, with the cooperation of Professor U. L. Wagholikar and the professors of pathology from the other three medical colleges. Dr. C. J. G. Chacko, Pathologist, Christian Medical College, Vellore, and the Schieffelin Leprosy Research and Training Center, Karigiri, was the invited teacher.—S. S. Naik

U.K. *IILEP Catalogue on Training, 1985.* IILEP (International Federation of Anti-Leprosy Associations) has issued a catalogue of training centers in various parts of the world which gives full details of the courses offered, main subjects taught, etc., English and French text. The centers include those in ALERT, Ethiopia; Bamako, Mali; Bauru, Brazil; Carville, U.S.A.; Fontilles, Spain; Karigiri, India; Mexico City, Mexico; Yaounde, Cameroon; and Dakar, Senegal. Copies are available from IILEP, 234 Blythe Road, London W14 0HJ, England, or from IILEP representatives.—Leprosy Review

U.S.A. *Centers for Disease Control (CDC) position opening.* The Centers for Disease Control, Division of Bacterial Diseases, is recruiting for a supervisory research position (Mycobacteriologist, Hansen's disease, GM13-15) responsible for studies of the therapy and immunology of experimental Hansen's disease in the mouse model, development and application of technology for the diagnosis of Hansen's disease, and *in vivo* evaluation of antimicrobial agents. Candidates with Ph.D. or M.D. degree are preferred and should have demonstrated research experience in the area of experimental chemotherapy and/or immunology with knowledge of pathogenic mechanisms, preferable with *M. leprae*. Interested persons are asked to submit curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Personnel Management, Attn.: Mike Mitchell, Centers for Disease Control, Atlanta, Georgia 30333 (404-329-3271). For scientific information contact Robert C. Good, Ph.D., 404-329-3021.

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