

Calendar of Homeopathic Events

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NOVEMBER 5-12, 2011

Melissa Assilem, Claudia De Rosa and more, Cruising Greece, departing from Venice (Italy)

HOMEOPATHIC INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM: 6 day-seminar cruising in the Eastern Mediterranean Sea "Homeopathic Spice Trade" will be a journey through discovering the healing properties of spices in the Mediterranean Sea, between old and new provings, clinical cases and repertorization.

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NOVEMBER 18-20, 2011

Rina Valia, San Francisco CA

Dr. Rajan Sankarans Sensation Method Basic Video Course, Module 3

Contact: Rina Valia on 408 835 7420 or

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Website: www.pacifichomeopathy.com/seminars

MARCH 1-4, 2012

Sunil Anand, San Francisco CA

Pediatrics and Homeopathy

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MARCH 17, 2012

Case Conference, Harrisburg PA

147th Annual Meeting of the Homeopathic Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania in conjunction with Southern Homeopathic Medical Association

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MARCH 30 to April 1, 2012

Dinesh Chahuan, Toronto, Canada

Journey from Symptom to Sensation to Complete Pattern

Organizer: Tasleem Kassam

For more information: www.canadiansensation.com

MAY 3-6, 2012

Dr. Shachindra Joshi & Dr. Bhawisha Joshi, Hudson, NY

Sensation Seminar

Stellar Seminars - Marina Braun - Sonam Kushner

Email: aquamarina@speakeasy.net, Sosimilar@aol.com

MAY 5-6, 2012

Dr. Richard Hiltner, SF Bay Area

"Utilizing Medical Astrology to Discover the Homeopathic Medicine"

California Homeopathic Medical Society (CHMS) Conference

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OCTOBER 31 - NOVEMBER 4, 2012

Jayesh Shah, Santa Cruz, CA

Into the Vital Force

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INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS

NOVEMBER 5-6, 2011

The Joshis, Bologna, Italy

The Quest for Kingdoms

Contact: Giovanna Gallerani : gallerix@alice.it

DECEMBER 6-18, 2011

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The Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand. Clinical exercise stress testing. Safety and performance guidelines. *Med J Aust* 1996; 164: 282-4.

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Cancer in South Africa [editorial]. *S Afr Med J* 1994;84:15.

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5. Personal author(s)

Ringsven MK, Bond D. Gerontology and leadership skills for nurses. 2nd ed. Albany (NY): Delmar Publishers; 1996.

6. Editor(s), compiler(s) as author

Norman IJ, Redfern SJ, editors. Mental health care for elderly people. New York: Churchill Livingstone;

1996.

7. Organization as author and publisher

Institute of Medicine (US). Looking at the future of the Medicaid program. Washington: The Institute; 1992.

8. Chapter in a book

Phillips SJ, Whisnant JP. Hypertension and stroke. In: Laragh JH, Brenner BM, editors. Hypertension: pathophysiology, diagnosis, and management. 2nd ed. New York: Raven Press; 1995. p. 465-78.

9. Conference proceedings

Kimura J, Shibasaki H, editors. Recent advances in clinical neurophysiology. Proceedings of the 10th International Congress of EMG and Clinical Neurophysiology; 1995 Oct 15-19; Kyoto, Japan. Amsterdam: Elsevier; 1996.

10. Conference paper

Bengtsson S, Solheim BG. Enforcement of data protection, privacy and security in medical informatics. In: Lun KC, Degoulet P, Piemme TE, Rienhoff O, editors. MEDINFO 92. Proceedings of the 7th World Congress on Medical Informatics; 1992 Sep 6-10; Geneva, Switzerland. Amsterdam: North-Holland; 1992. p. 1561-5.

Other Published Material

11. Newspaper article

Lee G. Hospitalizations tied to ozone pollution: study estimates 50,000 admissions annually. *The Washington Post* 1996 Jun 21;Sect. A:3 (col. 5).

12. Dictionary and similar references

Stedman's medical dictionary. 26th ed. Baltimore: Williams & Wilkins; 1995. Apraxia; p. 119-20.

Unpublished Material

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Leshner AI. Molecular mechanisms of cocaine addiction. *N Engl J Med*. In press 1996.

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Morse SS. Factors in the emergence of infectious diseases. *Emerg Infect Dis* [serial online] 1995 Jan-Mar [cited 1996 Jun 5];1(1):[24 screens]. Available from: URL: <http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/EID/eid.htm>

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