

14–15 April 2005

**XII International Symposium About Current Issues and Controversies in Psychiatry: Comorbidity**  
Barcelona International Conference Center, Barcelona, Spain.  
Tel: 34 93 221 22 42  
Fax: 34 93 221 70 05  
Email: controversias@geyseco.com  
Website: www.geyseco.com/controversias.htm

19 April 2005

**International Congress of Personality Disorders, Association of Argentinean Psychiatrists (APSA)**  
WPA Section on Personality Disorders and APAL Personality Section.  
Mar del Plata, Argentina.  
Contact: Dr Nestor Koldobsky  
Email: koldobsky@speedy.com.ar  
Website: www.iaepd.com.ar

20–23 April 2005

**Regional Meeting of the Collegium Internationale Neuro-Psychopharmacologicum**  
CINP WPA co-sponsored conference.  
Cape Town, South Africa.  
Contact: Dr Robin Emsley  
Email: rae@sun.ac.za  
Website: www.cinp.org

21–24 April 2005

**WPA Regional Meeting and XXI Congreso Argentino de Psiquiatría**  
Organised by the Association of Argentinean Psychiatrists (APSA).  
Mar del Plata, Argentina.  
Contact: Dra. Graciela Lucatelli  
Email: apsa@apsa.org.ar  
Website: www.apsa.org.ar

12–13 May 2005

**Balanced Care. Innovative Perspectives on Psychiatric Rehabilitation**  
Geel, Belgium.  
Contact: Lieve Van de Walle  
Fax: +32 (0)14 58 0448  
Email: Congres2005@opzgeel.be  
Website: www.opzgeel.be

21–26 May 2005

**American Psychiatric Association Annual Congress**  
Atlanta, Georgia, USA.  
Contact: apa@psych.org  
Website: www.psych.org

12–15 June 2005

**First IASSID Asia–Pacific Regional Congress**  
The International Association for the Scientific Study of Intellectual Disabilities (mental retardation and related developmental disabilities) Life Course Perspective of Research on People with Intellectual Disabilities Global Trends and Local Strategies.  
Howard International House, Taipei, Taiwan.  
Email: iassidoffice@aol.com  
Website: www.iassid.org

17–20 June 2005

**Quality and Outcome Research in Psychiatry**  
WPA thematic conference, Spanish Foundation of Psychiatry and Mental Health.  
Valencia, Spain.  
Contact: Dr Carmen Leal Carmen  
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Website: www.wpa2005valencia.com

18–21 June 2005

**9th European Conference on Traumatic Stress (ECOTS)**  
European Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ESTSS), Swedish National Association for Mental Health (SFPH) in cooperation with the National Centre for Disaster Psychiatry (KCKP).

Themes: Effects of Disasters and Terrorism, Neurobiology and Trauma, Memory and Trauma, Children and Effects of Early Traumatization, Sexual Exploitation and Trauma, PTSD and Complex Traumatization, Exile Trauma, The Impact of Prevention and Acute Interventions.  
Stockholm, Sweden.  
Website: www.stocon.se/ecots2005

19–24 June 2005

**Mental Health in Complex Emergencies**  
An intensive 6-day training course to equip mental health professionals to work in complex humanitarian emergency and relief situations.  
New York City, USA.  
Email: iiha@fordham.edu  
Website: www.cihc.org; www.fordham.edu/iiha

20–23 June 2005

**Royal College of Psychiatrists Annual Meeting**  
Edinburgh International Conference Centre, Edinburgh, UK.  
Contact: College Conference Office.  
Tel: +44 (0)20 7235 2351 x 142  
Fax: +44 (0)20 7259 6507  
Email: mbraithwaite@rcpsych.ac.uk

5–7 July 2005

**Meeting Mental Health Needs: The Evidence from Epidemiology, Economics and Evaluation**  
WPA-sponsored conference, WPA Section on Epidemiology and Public Health.  
Brisbane, Australia.  
Contact: Professor Philip Burgess  
Email: p.burgess@uq.edu.au  
Website: www.icms.com.au/ephm2005

11–12 July 2005

**Second International Conference on Conflict, Culture and Mental Health: The Contribution of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy to Conflict Resolution and Harm Reduction**  
Institute of Psychiatry, London, UK.  
Contact: Rachel Jenkins  
Email: Amy.Blakey@leedsnmh.nhs.uk  
Website: www.leedsmentalhealth.nhs.uk/andrew-sims/

24–27 July 2005

**Improving Access and Delivery of Mental Health Care in South Asia**  
South Asian Forum on Mental Health and Psychiatry, United Kingdom Chapter. WPA co-sponsored conference, with the Sri Lankan College of Psychiatrists and the World Association for Psychosocial Rehabilitation.  
Colombo, Sri Lanka.  
Contact: Dr Afzal Javed  
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28–31 July 2005

**Trauma. New Developments in Psychoanalysis**  
44th Congress of the International Psychoanalytical Association.  
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.  
Website: www.ipa.org.uk

4–8 September 2005

**World Federation of Mental Health: Equity and Mental Health**  
Cairo, Egypt.  
Email: emrcwfmh@hotmail.com; conference@medical-design.net  
Website: www.wfmh2005.com

10–15 September 2005

**XIII World Congress of Psychiatry**  
World Psychiatric Association.  
Cairo, Egypt.  
Contact: Professor Ahmed Okasha  
Email: secretariat@wpa-cairo2005.com  
Website: www.wpa-cairo2005.com

Applications are welcome for a bursary to enable attendance at the Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Faculty conference, 21–23 September 2005, in Harrogate. The three bursaries are each worth £1000 and are open to applicants from low-income countries. Further information can be obtained from Dr Kedar Dwivedi (email [Kedarnd@doctors.org.uk](mailto:Kedarnd@doctors.org.uk)).