

Notes & Announcements

Epilepsy Canada/Parke-Davis Canada Research Fellowship

The Epilepsy Canada/Parke-Davis Canada Research Fellowship is offered to develop expertise in clinical or basic epilepsy research and to enhance the quality of care for epilepsy patients in Canada. The award of the fellowship is \$35,000 annually. Epilepsy Canada will present the award at the annual meeting of the Canadian Congress of Neurological Sciences.

Research must be carried out at a Canadian facility, with project emphasis on the study of epilepsy itself and not on epilepsy as part of the study of another field. The Fellowship is primarily a training program and is not intended for individuals holding faculty appointments. Applicants must have an M.D. or a Ph.D. Those with an M.D. must have complete residency training.

Application forms will be available September 1, 1993. The deadline for submission is December 1, 1993. For further information, please contact Rebecca Rupp, National Director of Programs, Epilepsy Canada, 1470 Peel Street, Suite 745, Montréal, Québec H3A 1T1. Tel: (514) 845-7855 Fax: (514) 845-7866.

Bourse de Recherche Epilepsie Canada/Parke-Davis Canada

La bourse de recherche d'Epilepsie Canada/Parke-Davis Canada est offerte en vue d'encourager la recherche fondamentale ou clinique sur l'épilepsie et d'améliorer la qualité des soins aux personnes atteintes d'épilepsie au Canada. Le montant de la bourse, accordée annuellement, est de \$35 000. Elle sera présentée à l'assemblée annuelle du Congrès Canadien des Sciences Neurologiques.

La recherche doit être effectuée dans une institution canadienne; le projet doit porter sur l'étude de l'épilepsie proprement dite et non sur l'épilepsie en tant que partie d'une étude sur un autre sujet. Il s'agit d'une bourse de perfectionnement et ne s'adresse pas aux chercheurs étenant déjà un poste dans une université. Les candidats doivent détenir le titre de M.D. ou de Ph.D. Ceux qui ont un M.D. doivent avoir terminé leur entraînement en spécialité.

Les formulaires de demande seront disponibles à compter du 1^{er} septembre, 1993. Les demandes devront être soumises au plus tard le 1^{er} décembre 1993. Pour de plus amples renseignements, s'adressez à Rebecca Rupp, Directrice nationale des programmes, Epilepsie Canada, 1470 rue Peel, bureau 745, Montréal, Québec H3A 1T1. Tél: (514) 845-7855 Fax: (514) 845-7866.

Dr. Garnette Sutherland was appointed Professor, Department of Clinical Neurosciences at The University of Calgary Faculty of Medicine and Head of the Division of Neurosurgery at the Foothills Provincial General Hospital in Calgary, Alberta, effective April 1, 1993.

Dr. Sutherland received his Medical Degree from the University of Manitoba in 1978. This was followed by postgraduate training at the University of Western Ontario in Neurosurgery. Since 1984, Dr. Sutherland has held academic appointments at the University of Manitoba in the Departments of Surgery (Neurosurgery) and Pharmacology.

Dr. Sutherland has maintained a vigorous research program which has resulted in the establishment of the Winnipeg Health Sciences Centre NMR laboratory; the Prairie Regional High Field NMR Centre; and research programs in cerebral ischemia, epilepsy, and brain tumours at the University of Manitoba. As well, he has participated in several other research projects on neurological disorders such as hepatic encephalopathy, cerebral trauma, multiple sclerosis and the effects of electro-convulsive therapy. His current clinical and experimental research interests include cerebral vascular disease, with emphasis on the establishment of an investigational stroke unit, primary intracranial neoplasms including novel diagnostic approaches, and epilepsy.