

Meeting announcements from nonprofit organizations will be considered for publication in *The Journal of Nuclear Medicine* free of charge if the following information is included:

1. Date, title and location of meeting
2. Sponsoring group
3. Topics presented
4. Whether or not commercial exhibits are held
5. Deadline date for submission of abstracts
6. Number of CME credit hours
7. Registration fees
8. Contact person, address and telephone

Important notices pertaining to awards, certification, examinations and grants and other announcements deemed appropriate by the Editor will also be considered for publication. They should not exceed 200 words.

All announcements must be submitted at least four months before the meeting date or notice deadline and will be published no later than the issue of the month preceding the meeting or notice deadline. They are subject to editorial review and editing and should be pertinent to nuclear medicine. Please forward all non-profit announcements to Joyce Evans, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Drive, Reston, VA 20190-5316. For-profit organizations wishing to announce meetings may purchase ad space by contacting Jessica McLane Petit at the above address.

SNM MEETING DATES AND VENUES

45th Annual Meeting

June 7-11, 1998
Toronto Convention Center
Toronto, Ontario, Canada

46th Annual Meeting

June 6-10, 1999
Los Angeles Convention Center
Los Angeles, CA

47th Annual Meeting

June 4-8, 2000
America's Center
St. Louis, MO

MEETINGS SPONSORED BY THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE

October 15, 1998—Reimbursement Seminar for Nuclear Medicine Procedures. **Sponsor:** SNM in conjunction with Southeastern Chapter. **Location:** Birmingham, AL. **Credit:** 6 Category 1 AMA hr; 6 VOICE hr. **Fee:** \$225. **Contact:** Marie Davis, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 20190-5316. Phone: (703) 708-9000, ext. 250. Fax: (703) 708-9013. E-mail: mdavis@snm.org.

October 16-18, 1998—Chapter Meeting. **Sponsor:** Southeastern Chapter of SNM. **Location:** Birmingham, AL. **Contact:** Vincent J. Sodd, 5987 Turpin Hills Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244. Phone: (513) 231-6955. Fax: (513) 231-5274.

October 21, 1998—Reimbursement Seminar for Nuclear Medicine Procedures. **Sponsor:** SNM in conjunction with Western Regional Chapters. **Location:** Long Beach, CA. **Credit:** 6 Category 1 AMA hr; 6 VOICE hr. **Fee:** \$225. **Contact:** Marie Davis, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 20190-5316. Phone: (703) 708-9000, ext. 250. Fax: (703) 708-9013. E-mail: mdavis@snm.org.

October 22-25, 1998—Twenty-Third Annual Western Regional Meeting. **Sponsor:** Western Regional Chapters of SNM. **Location:** Long Beach, CA. **Fee:** Physicians (\$225); technologists (\$115). **Contact:** Joyce Matin, Western Regional Chapters, SNM, P.O. Box 2693, Kirkland, WA 98083-2693. Phone: (425) 893-8410. Fax: (425) 893-8410.

November 5, 1998—Reimbursement Seminar for Nuclear Medicine Procedures. **Sponsor:** SNM in conjunction with Greater New York/New England Chapters. **Credit:** 6 Category 1 AMA hr; 6 VOICE hr. **Fee:** \$225. **Contact:** Marie Davis, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 20190-5316. Phone: (703) 708-9000, ext. 250. Fax: (703) 708-9013. E-mail: mdavis@snm.org.

MEETINGS SPONSORED BY VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS

July 12-16, 1998—Forty-Third Annual Meeting of the Health Physics Society. **Sponsor:** Health Physics Society. **Location:** Minneapolis, MN. **Contact:** Health Physics Society, 1313 Dolley Madison Blvd., Suite 402, McLean, VA 22101. Phone: (703) 790-1745. Fax: (703) 790-2672. E-mail: HPS@BurkInc.com.

September 5-6, 1998—Nuclear Breast Imaging. **Sponsor:** National Cancer Institute of Naples, Italy. **Location:** Naples and Capri, Italy. **Fee:** \$250. **Contact:** Pietro Muto, Nuclear Medicine Department, National Cancer Institute, Via M. Semmola, 80131 Naples, Italy. Phone: 39-81-590-3499. Fax: 39-81-546-5797. E-mail: muto@netlab.it.

September 6-9, 1998—Fifth International Symposium on Technetium in Chemistry and Nuclear Medicine. **Sponsor:** Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences and Faculty of Pharmacy, University of Padova; Italian National Research Council; Italian Chemistry Society, Inorganic Chemistry Division; Interdisciplinary Group of

Radiochemistry; and Italian Association of Nuclear Medicine. **Location:** Bressanone, Bolzano, Italy. **Contact:** Ulderico Mazzi, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Padova, Via F. Marzolo, 5-35131 Padova, Italy. Phone: 39-49-827-5340. Fax: 39-49-827-5366. E-mail: mazzi@pdfar3.dsfarm.unipd.it. Web site: <http://forum.lnl.infn.it/tc/index.htm>.

September 11-13, 1998—Third Tutorial in Nuclear Cardiology. **Sponsor:** American Society of Nuclear Cardiology (ASNC). **Location:** New Orleans, LA. **Credit:** 18 Category 1 AMA hr. **Fee:** Physicians (\$550). **Contact:** Tutorial Secretariat, Nichols and Nichols, 7045 S. Tamiami Trail, Suite 2B, Sarasota, FL 34231. Phone: (941) 927-6565. Fax: (941) 927-1936. E-mail: mtgmgr@gte.net. Web site: <http://www.asnc.org>.

September 14-16, 1998—ICBM '98, International Congress on Bone Metastases. **Sponsor:** French Secretariat d'Etat a la Sante. **Location:** Paris, France. **Fee:** Before June 30, 1998 (\$351); after July 1, 1998 (\$402). **Contact:** Eric Enkaoua, ORIEX, 25, rue André Joineau, 93310 Le Pré Saint Gervais, France. Phone: 33-14-891-8989. Fax: 33-14-843-4994. E-mail: oriex@oriex.fr.

October 6, 1998—Pre-Congress Workshop on Orthopaedic Nuclear Medicine. **Sponsor:** South African Society of Nuclear Medicine. **Location:** Cape Town, South Africa. **Contact:** Annemi Klopper. Phone: 27-21-975-4840. Fax: 27-21-975-4881. Web site: <http://www.nac.ac.za/congress.html>.

October 7-9, 1998—Eighth Biennial Congress of the South African Society of Nuclear Medicine (SASNM). **Sponsor:** SASNM. **Location:** Cape Town, South Africa. **Fee:** \$180. **Contact:** S. Rubow, Department of Nuclear Medicine (C10A), Tygerberg Hospital, Tygerberg, 7505 South Africa. Phone: 27-21-938-4265. Fax: 27-21-938-4694. E-mail: smr@gerga.sun.ac.za. Web site: <http://www.nac.ac.za/congress.html>.

October 14-16, 1998—Thirty-Eighth Annual Meeting of the Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine (JSNM). **Sponsor:** JSNM. **Location:** Takamatsu, Kagawa, Japan. **Contact:** JSNM, c/o Japan Radioisotope Association, 2-28-45 Honkomagome, Runkyo-ku, Tokyo 113-0021, Japan. Fax: 81-3-3947-2535.

October 15-17, 1998—Seventh Conference on Radioimmunodetection and Radioimmunotherapy of Cancer. **Sponsor:** Garden State Cancer Center and Center for Molecular Medicine and Immunology. **Location:** Princeton, NJ. **Fee:** Before July 1, 1998 (\$495); after July 1, 1998 (\$585). **Contact:** Lois Gillespie, Conference Coordinator, Garden State Cancer Center, 520 Belleville Ave., Belleville, NJ 07109. Phone: (973) 844-7000. Fax: (973) 844-7020.

EXAMINATION

October 25, 1998—Certification Council of Nuclear Cardiology (CCNC) 1998 Certification Examination. **Sponsor:** CCNC. **Location:** Rosemont, IL. **Registration deadline:** July 24, 1998 (late). **Contact:** CCNC, 9111 Old Georgetown Rd., Bethesda, MD 20814. Phone: (301) 493-2360. Fax: (301) 493-2376.