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ESA Postdoctoral Award 30 October 2016
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Novo Nordisk Pharmaceuticals Pty Ltd is recalling certain batches of GlucaGen® HypoKit due to a small number of needles becoming detached from the pre-filled syringe supplied in the GlucaGen® HypoKit

Novo Nordisk Pharmaceuticals Pty Ltd is recalling 4 batches of GlucaGen® HypoKit in Australia. GlucaGen® HypoKit is used for the ‘treatment of severe hypoglycaemic reactions which may occur in the management of diabetic patients receiving insulin or oral hypoglycaemic agents’.

This action has been undertaken following consultation with the Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA).

Novo Nordisk conducted an investigation showing a small number (0.006%) of needles from certain batches may become detached from the pre-filled syringe supplied, during use. Despite the very low risk to patient safety, Novo Nordisk is recalling all products in the affected batches from wholesalers, pharmacies and patients in Australia.

Further information

Assessing Fitness to Drive 2016 Information Kit

The National Transport Commission and Austroads has announced the release of Assessing Fitness to Drive 2016, a new edition of national medical standards for driver licensing, which will come into effect on 1st October 2016.

Download information kit
Dear All,

I would like to bring to your attention an exciting meeting on Metabolic Diseases; breakthrough discoveries in Diabetes and Obesity.

The meeting will feature some of the leading international scientists in the obesity and type 2 diabetes fields, including Philipp Scherer (University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center), Joel Elmquist (University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center), Matthew Rodeheffer (Yale School of Medicine), Anton Bennett (Yale School of Medicine), Frank Reimann (University of Cambridge, UK) and Jun Wu (University of Michigan), as well as some of the very best Australian diabetes and obesity researchers including David James, Jenny Gunton, Leonie Heilbronn, Herbert Herzog, Stephen Simpson and Mark Febbraio to name a few.

There will be a number of short talks to be selected from submitted abstracts. 3 Poster prizes contributed by Cell Met and FEBS J at the conference.

When: December 1-2
Where: St Kilda, Melbourne

For further information and registration details see http://www.mdo.events

Earlybird and abstract submission deadline: 1 October 2016

Kind regards, Belinda Henry

(On behalf of the organizing committee)

ENDOCRINOLOGIST FOR PRIVATE PRACTICE IN SYDNEY

Department: Private Specialist Rooms
Location: Campbelltown
State: NSW
Country: Australia

We are looking for an Endocrinologist to join our growing Specialist Practice in South Western Sydney. You will be working as part of a well-established Specialist Clinic, consisting of various Medical Specialties. The practice is well supported by administrative and clerical assistance, as well as close links with Allied Health on site. Working arrangement and times are flexible. The practice also offers options for work at local hospitals for appropriate specialties, and mentorship to help establish your private practice career.

Qualifications: FRACP or equivalent (such as Fellowship of the Faculties/Chapters of RACP)

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POSITION VACANT

Position Title: Lecturer, Senior Lecturer or Associate Professor

Organisation Unit: School of Biomedical Sciences

Position Number: NEW Type of Employment: Full-time, Continuing (multiple positions available)

Classification: Teaching and Research Academic Level B, C or D

Further information
On behalf of the Program Organising Committee, I warmly invite you to attend the ESA Seminar 2017 to be held from 26 - 28 May at the Langham Hotel, Melbourne.

This meeting will focus on the management of pituitary disease, with a second theme of bone disease. I am delighted to announce that our international invited speaker is Prof Ashley Grossmann, Professor of Endocrinology at the University of Oxford, and current President of the Pituitary Society. Ashley has published 470 peer-reviewed papers in the field of hypothalamo-pituitary regulation, pituitary tumours and endocrine oncology. He will present the Plenary Lecture on Cushing’s Disease, co-chair a panel discussion on difficult pituitary cases and present a ‘Meet-the-Professor’. Other sessions chaired and presented by a range of nationally and internationally recognised experts will cover hot topics in the management of pituitary and bone disease. I look forward to welcoming you to the Seminar in Melbourne, and anticipate this will continue the succession of successful meetings enjoyed over recent years characterised by their collegiate spirit and convivial atmosphere, as well as relevant and topical educational presentations.

With best wishes

Bu Yeap
University of Western Australia
ESA Seminar 2017 Convenor

Find an Endocrinologist

The Endocrine Society of Australia receives regular enquiries to recommend an endocrinologist with particular interests or expertise. Endocrinology is a broad field, which includes some very common conditions, but also some very rare ones. As a result, people who have rare conditions may benefit from seeing a specialist with additional experience or expertise. The Society comprises clinical endocrinologists and also scientists, who research endocrine disorders but do not see patients. Clinical members of the Society have been invited to submit their contact details and self-nominated areas of interest. Please note that the Endocrine Society of Australia is providing this as a community service to help patients find a suitable endocrinologist (considering both geographical issues and area of interest). The Society is not endorsing or recommending any of the listed clinicians or their degree of expertise.

The general public will be able to search for an Endocrinologist in this section: http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/search-for-an-endocrinologist.asp

If you would like to be listed in ‘Find an Endocrinologist’ Log in at the ESA homepage: http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/
Go to edit my details
Seeking health professionals with specialised knowledge and experience in rare and genetic diseases

The Genetic and Rare Disease Network in Western Australia is compiling a register of health professionals who have specialist knowledge and experience in a particular rare and/or genetic disease.

We anticipate this register could create networking opportunities for health professionals across Australia and improve access to specialist knowledge. The register would be made available within the Health Professionals page on our website: www.geneticandrarediseasenetwork.org.au, in addition The National Organization for Rare Disorders (NORD) will include consenting health professionals in their rare disease expert list.

We would be grateful if you would complete the nine question survey (link below) that enables health professionals to self-nominate an area of specialised knowledge and experience in genetic and rare diseases. Please feel free to distribute the survey link to colleagues.

Survey link
https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/J7XPP6Q

PATIENT RESOURCES IN ENDOCRINOLOGY - a partnership between ESA and the US Endocrine Society


The Endocrine Society of Australia have established an international collaboration with the US Endocrine Society to adapt patient information to the Australian setting and make them readily available.

These resources are rigorously developed, evidence based and aimed to support patients to understand their endocrine condition with the support of their doctor.

Click for resources

These are available in both English and Chinese.

*This information is designed to be informative and educational. It is not intended to provide specific medical advice or replace advice from your doctor.

*Please note that only the information on the Australian link below is adapted to national settings including medications and tests. Other resources on the US website may be helpful but may not be consistent with Australian practice.
16-19 September 2016
ASBMR Annual Meeting
Atlanta, Georgia, USA
Website: http://www.asbmr.org/meetings/annualmeeting.aspx

28 September-1 October 2016
World Congress on the Menopause, International Menopause Society
Prague, Cz
http://www.imociety.org/world_congress.php

19-21 October 2016
ANZOS ASM
Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre
Website: https://www.anzos.com/

24-26 October 2016
Celebrating the career of Professor Iain Clarke
Byron Bay, NSW

29 October 2016
Introducing GLEEM 2016
Crowne Plaza, Coogee Beach, Sydney
Registration: https://www.trybooking.com/MEMC
Flyer

4-6 November 2016
IOF Regionals 6th Asia-Pacific Osteoporosis Meeting
Singapore
Website: https://www.iobonehealth.org/Singapore-2016

6-9 November 2016
8th International Congress of the GRS and IGF Society
Tel Aviv, Israel
http://www.grs-igf2016.com/

10-12 November 2016
Androgen Excess and PCOS Society's annual meeting
Lorne, Victoria
Website: http://www.ae-society.org/annual-meeting

13-15 November 2016
AHMRC
Gold Coast Convention Centre
Website: http://www.ahmrcongress.org.au/

18-20 November 2016
Australian Menopause Society Congress
Fremantle, WA.

1-2 December 2016
Metabolic Diseases; breakthrough discoveries in Diabetes and Obesity
St Kilda, Melbourne
Website: seehttp://www.mdo.events
Flyer

10-12 February 2017
Third World Congress of Clinical Lipidology
Brisbane, Australia
Website: http://clinical-lipidology.com/

16-19 March 2017
Asia Oceania Thyroid Association (AOTA) Congress in conjunction with the Annual Scientific Meeting of the Korean Thyroid Association (KTA)
Busan Lotte Hotel, Busan, Korea
Website: www.aota2017.com

1-4 April 2017
ENDO
Orlando, Florida
Website: https://www.endocrine.org/meetings/endo-annual-meetings

26-28 May 2017
ESA Seminar Meeting
Langham, Melbourne
Website: http://www.esaseminar.org.au/

17-21 June 2017
ANZBMS/IBMS Joint Meeting
Brisbane, Queensland
Website: https://www.anzbms.org.au/

27-30 July 2017
3rd World Congress on Thyroid Cancer
Boston, USA
Website: http://thyroidworldcongress.com/

25-27 August 2017
ESA Clinical Weekend
Esplanade Hotel, Fremantle, WA
Website: http://www.esaclinicalweekend.org.au/

27 August – 2nd September 2017
ESA/SRB ASM
Perth Convention Centre
Website: http://www.esa-srb.org.au/

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1-4 December 2018
ICE 2018
Cape Town, South Africa
Website: http://www.endosociety.com/events.html
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