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APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS-IN-AID

Applications for research grants-in-aid for the Association’s 1954–55 fiscal year must be filed by December 1, 1953. Information and application forms may be obtained from the Medical Director.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM OF SECTION ON CLINICAL CARDIOLOGY

The Section on Clinical Cardiology of the American Heart Association will sponsor a two-day scientific program at the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago on April 3 and 4, 1954. This program will follow the Annual Meeting of the Assembly of the American Heart Association and will immediately precede the Annual Sessions of the American College of Physicians. The meeting will be open to all members of the medical profession. Wright R. Adams, M.D., Chicago, is Chairman of the Program Committee. Members of the American Heart Association who wish to present papers should send a 250 to 300 word abstract of the proposed paper to Charles D. Marple, M.D., Medical Director, American Heart Association, 44 East 23rd Street, New York 10, N. Y. All papers should be on subjects of distinct clinical interest. The deadline for receipt of abstracts is Jan. 1, 1954.

1954 SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

The Twenty-Seventh Scientific Sessions of the Association will be held in Washington, D. C., during the week of Sept. 12–18, 1954, in connection with the Second International Congress of Cardiology, which will be held in Washington Sept. 12 through 15, 1954. Members of the International Congress are invited to attend the Scientific Sessions. Admission will be by Congress badge.

LIFE INSURANCE FUND RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

The Life Insurance Medical Research Fund has announced the following deadlines for applications for awards available July 1, 1954:

(1) Oct. 31, 1953, for postdoctoral research fellowships. Preference will be given to those who wish to work on cardiovascular function and disease or related fundamental problems. Stipends vary from $3,300 to $4,500.

(2) Nov. 15, 1953, for grants to institutions, in aid of research on cardiovascular problems. Support is available for physiologic, biochemical and other basic work broadly related to cardiovascular problems, as well as for clinical research in this field.

Additional information and application blanks may be obtained from the Scientific Director, Life Insurance Medical Research Fund, 345 East 46 Street, New York 17, N. Y.

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_Films in the Cardiovascular Diseases: Survey, Analysis and Conclusions_, by David S. Ruhe, M.D., and associates ($1.50 paperbound; $2.00 clothbound). Directed to those interested in or concerned with using films in medical teaching, this volume reviews 62 available films in the cardiovascular field and lists 118 others. It is a joint publication of the Association and the Medical Audio-Visual Institute of the Association of American Medical Colleges.

MEETINGS

Nov. 1–2: American Society for the Study of Atherosclerosis; Hotel Knickerbocker, Chicago. Louis N. Katz, M.D., Program Chairman, Michael Reese Hospital, Chicago 16.

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