What’s Going on Regarding Birth Defects

March 3, World Birth Defects Day
Many thanks to the Participating Organizations (a total of 77) in the 2017 Edition of the WBDD and to all those who joined us in celebrating the Day.
The goal of the 2017 Campaign on Thunderclap was met and we exceeded our expectations:

A full report of the activities of the WBDD is in preparation. The 2017 WBDD Participating Organizations are kindly requested to send at centre@icbdsr.org information and documents about the events organized to celebrate the WBDD: announcements, press releases, posters, leaflets, photos, web links or other. Thank you.

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Meetings and Conferences - New Announcements

The 45th annual meeting of the European Teratology Society will be held in Budapest on 4th – 7th September 2017 (venue: Courtyard by Marriott Hotel).

The Key sessions for ETS 2017 will include:

Education Course: Hormones and Brain Development, Pre-term births, Safety Assessment of Herbal Drugs in Pregnancy, Transplacental Exposure to Tumorigenic Agents, IATA - Integrated Approaches to Testing and Assessment

Satellite Workshop: Best Practices in interpreting developmental toxicity data

Full information at https://www.etsoc.com/annual-meeting

Meetings and Conferences - Previous Announcements


The Teratology Society’s 57th Annual Meeting is held June 24th-28th, 2017 in Denver, Colorado. The theme for this year’s meeting is “World Spotlight: Elevating Birth Defects Research.” The program offers an exciting variety of scientific and professional development sessions

8th International Conference on Birth Defects and Disabilities in the Developing World (ICBD), Colombia, 8th-11th November 2017. For general information about the conference, please contact icbd2017@javeriana.edu. Check http://icbd.marchofdimes.org/ in March 2017 for information on sponsorship, program, abstract submission and registration

44th Annual Meeting of the International Clearinghouse for Birth Defects Surveillance and Research, Austin, Texas, November 13th to 15th, 2017 (venue: Sheraton Austin Hotel at the Capitol). Please, SAVE THE DATE. Information on program, abstract submission, registration, and other practical arrangements will be disseminated at a later time at www.icbdsr.org.

News from the ICBDSR Centre and Executive Committee

ICBDSR is on Facebook! Follow the Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/ICBDSR. We have included news about ICBDSR and the World Birth Defects Day, and photos from previous Annual Meetings.

The new ICBDSR’s website is under construction, after moving to a new provider. Only a limited amount of information is actually available at www.icbdsr.org. We apologize for the inconvenience.

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