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Announcement

Second Announcement and Call for Papers

The World Congress on Rett Syndrome will be held in Antwerp, Belgium from October 8 to October 10, 1993. The Congress is organized by the Belgium Rett Syndrome Association under the gracious patronage of her Majesty the Queen of Belgium. Sessions will be held on clinical aspects of Rett Syndrome (variability, variants, epilepsy, scoliosis, nutrition) and on basic research (genetics, neuropathology, neurometabolism). A poster session will be held on Saturday, October 9th. *For further information, contact* the Congress Secretary, Vanherck Peter, Lil 26, B-2450 Meerhout, Belgium; phone: 32-14-309494; fax: 32-14-303157.