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Announcement

The Society for Adolescent Medicine Annual Meeting

The Society for Adolescent Medicine, a multidisciplinary organization, will hold its annual meeting in Vancouver, British Columbia, on March 22–25, 1995, at the Vancouver Trade and Convention Center with the Waterfront Hotel as host hotel. The theme for the meeting will be "International Perspectives on Adolescent Health." In addition to addressing this topic, the meeting will present new material on a broad range of issues important to adolescent physical and emotional health, including AIDS and HIV medical management, teenage sexuality, eating disorders, depression, and risk-taking behaviors, which encompass drug and alcohol use and abuse. Meeting presentations include 3-hour clinically oriented workshops, luncheon seminars, and scientific research paper presentations and poster sessions, as well as the prestigious Gallagher Lecture Series. CME/ CEUs are available.

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