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DALLAS--An unusual exhibit of medical and scientific photography and illustration will be on display for the public in Dallas this weekend during a meeting of the Southwest Chapter of the Biological Photographic Association.

Examples of microscopic photography, nature, scientific and clinical subjects will be included in the 106 entries in the exhibit, to be made up of prints, projected color slides and art work. The display will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday (Oct. 25-26) in the Concho Room of the Marriott Motor Hotel, 2101 Stemmons Freeway.

About 65 biophotographers and medical illustrators, including eight from Dallas, are scheduled to attend the three-day meeting, beginning Friday (Oct. 24). Nationally, the BPA has a membership of about 1,000 in 25 chapters.

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Entries in the photographic and art exhibit, the work of members of BPA, will be judged and certificates of merit awarded in seven categories, said William Stenstrom, assistant professor of medical art and ophthalmology at The University of Texas (Southwestern) Medical School at Dallas. Dr. Stenstrom is in charge of arrangements for the meeting.

On the program for the sessions are technical papers, workshops and seminars on techniques of biophotography, a specialty blending skills in handling camera equipment with scientific knowledge necessary to the precise photographic or artistic recording of biological processes. Most biophotographers are on the staffs of medical schools or large hospitals.

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