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DALLAS -- Dr. James H. Jandl, nationally known authority on blood disorders, will be the Gifford-Hill Visiting Professor at The University of Texas (Southwestern) Medical School at Dallas March 9-13, it was announced by Dr. Donald W. Seldin, professor and chairman of the Department of Internal Medicine at Southwestern.

Dr. Jandl, 44, is the George Richards Minot Professor of Medicine at Harvard Medical School and is director of the Thorndike Memorial Laboratory and Second and Fourth Medical Services of Boston City Hospital.

The lectureship is made possible by a grant established by the Gifford-Hill companies, a Dallas-based and diversified construction materials firm. An outstanding physician who is interested in some aspect of the broad field of neoplasia (cancer) is invited to the medical school each year. He conducts ward rounds and seminars with students and staff and consults with faculty members on their research projects in his field of interest.

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Dr. Jandl will present two formal talks. The Gifford-Hill Lecture will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 12, before students, faculty and clinical faculty on the subject of "The Mechanisms and Clinical Features of the Various Immuno-hemolytic Disorders." A second lecture will be a technical seminar before the Department of Medicine entitled "Reversible and Adaptive Alterations of Normal and Abnormal Hemoglobins: The Influence of These Properties on Function and Catabolism."

A native of Racine, Wis., Dr. Jandl is himself a graduate of Harvard Medical School. With time out for military service with the U.S. Navy, Dr. Jandl has remained at Harvard and its affiliated institutions throughout his professional career. He was named to the George Richards Minot professorship in 1968.

He is member of a dozen scientific societies in medicine and medical research and is author of some 85 papers published in professional journals. In addition to the special professorship, Dr. Jandl is a member of the ad hoc committee on federal programs for medical care at Harvard, member of the medical school's subcommittee for cancer, vice president of the medical and dental staff of Boston City Hospital, member of the Red Cell Club, member of the consulting staff of the Department of Medicine at Mount Auburn Hospital, and consultant in medicine to Cambridge Hospital.