

# News

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\*\*\*\*\*Arthritis symposium  
scheduled for physicians  
and public.

WICHITA FALLS--An arthritis symposium for both doctors and patients from the North Texas-Southern Oklahoma area will be held here March 11.

Sponsored by the Rheumatic Diseases Unit of The University of Texas Southwestern Medical School and the A. Webb Roberts Center for Continuing Education in Dallas, the program will begin with a public forum at 10 a.m. in the First Presbyterian Church.

All persons interested in arthritis are invited to attend the forum and question specialists in the field. The public forum will be moderated by Dr. Wendell Wyatt of Wichita Falls.

The program for physicians, "Current Concepts in Arthritis," will be held at Bethania Hospital with registration beginning at 11 a.m.

The scientific session for physicians will get underway at 12:45 p.m. with an introduction by Dr. George L. LeBeau of Wichita Falls. At 1 p.m. Dr. Andrew Chubick, assistant professor of internal medicine at Southwestern Medical School, will speak on "New Approaches to Management of Rheumatoid Arthritis."

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At 2 p.m. Dr. Hugo E. Jasin, associate professor of internal medicine at the Dallas medical school, will deliver "Diagnosis and Management of Osteoarthritis." Dr. Ralph F. Rashbaum, clinical instructor in orthopedic surgery at Southwestern, will speak on "Cervical and Low Back Pain: Approach to Diagnosis and Treatment" at 3:10 p.m.

The program will end with a panel discussion entitled "A Unified Approach to the Arthritis Patient." The program is accredited with the American Medical Association.

Information concerning the public forum may be obtained from the Arthritis Foundation in Wichita Falls, telephone 817/723-0347. Information concerning the physicians program may be obtained from Nina Duncan at Southwestern in Dallas, telephone 214/688-2166.

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