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*\*\*\*\*\*History of Medicine course covers  
variety of topics.*

The legacies of western medicine, antebellum Southern and Texas medicine, and a historical and systematic perspective of medicine are only three of 13 topics to be covered in the new History of Medicine course to be offered this academic semester by The University of Texas Health Science Center at Dallas medical library and the center's Department of Environmental and Community Medicine.

Classes are to begin on Tuesday, Jan. 20, and are scheduled for each Tuesday through April 13, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in seminar room D1.200 at the center, 5323 Harry Hines Blvd. The course is open to all interested persons and is counted for credit by both the UT School of Allied Health Sciences and the UT Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences (components of UTHSCD), as well as 26 hours Continuing Education credit in Category I for the Physician's Recognition Award of the American Medical Association.

Registration for the Graduate School will be held on Friday, Jan 16, and for the School of Allied Health Sciences on Monday, Jan.19, in the Student Affairs office on the first floor of the health science center.

The various lecture topics, instructors and class dates are:

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first add history of medicine course

"The Legacies of Western Medicine before 1600"; Dr. Chester Burns, M.D., Ph.D., professor of History of Medicine, the UT Medical Branch at Galveston; Tuesday, Jan. 20;

"Colonial American Medicine to Mid-18th Century"; Dr. Jonathon Erlen, History of Medicine librarian, UTHSCD; Jan. 27;

"Revolutionary America and Medicine"; Dr. Erlen; Feb. 3;

"Medicine in the American Early National Period"; Dr. Erlen; Feb. 10;

"Antebellum Southern and Texas Medicine"; Dr. James Breeden, associate professor of History, Southern Methodist University; Feb. 17;

"Civil War Medicine and Beyond"; Dr. Breeden; Feb. 24;

"History of Urology"; Dr. Paul Peters, professor of Urology, UTHSCD; March 2;

"Anesthesiology: America's Greatest Contribution to Medicine"; Dr. Charles Tandy, Dallas physician; March 9;

"History of Infectious Diseases"; Dr. John Chapman, professor of Internal Medicine, UTHSCD; March 16;

"Historical Basis of Immunology"; Dr. Rupert Billingham, professor and chairman of Cell Biology, UTHSCD; March 23;

"History of Modern Vascular Surgery"; Dr. Jesse Thompson, Dallas physician; March 30;

"A Historical View of Various Aspects of Dermatology"; Dr. James Herndon, professor and chairman of Dermatology, UTHSCD; April 6;

"Philosophy of Medicine: A Historical and Systematic Perspective"; Dr. Richard Zaner, Easterwood Professor of Philosophy, SMU; April 13.

For further information, contact Dr. Erlen at the UTHSCD medical library, 688-3369.