M.R.C.PSYCH. EXAMINATIONS—AUTUMN 1977

The next M.R.C.Psych. Examinations will take place on the following dates:

Preliminary Test—Wednesday 5 October 1977

Membership Examination: Written Papers — Wednesday 9 November 1977

Membership Examination: Clinical and Oral — Monday 14 to Wednesday 16 November 1977

The entry fees are £25 (resit £15) and £35 (resit £25) respectively.

The closing date for receipt of entries is WEDNESDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 1977.

Prospective candidates are reminded that late entries will not be accepted and that the College no longer gives exemption from any part of the examinations. Candidates who were previously granted exemption from the Preliminary Test (i.e. before June 1973) are reminded that they must pass the Membership Examination within five years from the date of granting in order to retain their exemption.

In cases where candidates have undertaken part-time or overseas experience in psychiatry, or are required to submit the name and address of their Clinical Tutor or Consultant Chief, the entry forms should be submitted at least three weeks in advance so that the application may be finalised before the closing date is reached.

Regulations and application forms are obtainable from the Examinations Secretary at 17 Belgrave Square, London SW1X 8PG. Past Essay Question Papers are available at 50p per set covering five years, and a Reading List at 38p including postage, which amounts must be prepaid.

All Members and Fellows are asked to bring this announcement to the notice of any prospective candidates who may be working under their guidance.

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READING LIST IN PSYCHIATRY

The Third Edition of the Reading List in Psychiatry (reprinted June 1976 is currently sold out. A new edition, revised by Professor R. E. Kendell and Dr Andrew C. Smith, is in preparation, and copies will be available shortly.

THE COLLEGE TIE

The College now has its own necktie. This is dark blue with the College Arms in yellow and white. The College Arms, originally granted to the Royal Medico-Psychological Association in 1926, include the caduceus and serpent of Aesculapius and the butterflies of Psyche.

The tie is manufactured to a high standard in polyester Crimplene. It is available to members at a cost of £3.00, plus 12p for postage and packing (Inland), 50p (Air Mail Overseas). Orders should be sent to the Royal College of Psychiatrists, 17 Belgrave Square, London SW1X 8PG, together with a cheque for the appropriate amount.

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