

The APA's dynamic agenda for 2007 includes:

160th Annual Meeting. The meeting, themed "Addressing Patient Needs—Access, Parity and Human Care," will be held in San Diego, Calif., May 19-24, 2007.

59th Institute on Psychiatric Services (IPS). The meeting themed, "Recovery: Patients, Families, Communities," will be held in New Orleans, La., Oct. 11-14, 2007.

"Healthy Minds. Healthy Lives." The APA will enter the third year of its award-winning public information campaign, in 2007 using "Real Stories" to help engage the public in learning about mental illnesses and treatments.

Announcement of the DSM-V Task Force. The task force roster will include leaders of the *DSM-V* Disorder Work Groups; consultants representing national and international mental health professional and scientific entities; consultants representing the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and the World Health Organization (WHO); and consultants representing patient and family groups.

New Leadership at APF. The American Psychiatric Foundation will conduct a nationwide search for a new executive director.

Mental Health Parity. The APA will lobby the new Congress vigorously for a federal mental health parity law.

OMNA on Tour. The APA's Office of Minority & National Affairs' OMNA on Tour program will take place during the IPS in New Orleans in October and will be formatted as a "meeting track," entitled "OMNA on Tour in the Gulf Coast: Eliminating Mental Health Disparities in Diverse and Underserved Populations." The program will feature symposia, workshops and lectures, focusing on the stressors and trauma associated with Hurricane Katrina. Following the IPS, OMNA on Tour will visit Los Angeles in late 2007.

New APPI Titles. In 2007 American Psychiatric Publishing, Inc. (APPI), will add important new titles in the "Advancing the Research Agenda for *DSM-IV*" series. In addition, APPI will publish newly updated editions of classic titles in general psychiatry, psychopharmacology, neuropsychiatry and the behavioral sciences, and psychiatric measures.

A New and Improved APA Web Site. The APA's Web site, www.psych.org, will undergo a major overhaul to update and improve information, access and ease of use. The site will operate through a new content management system (CMS) and will feature a new search engine.

Save the Dates: 2008 APA Meeting Information



161st Annual Meeting

**Our Voice in Action: Advancing Science,
Care and the Profession**

May 3-8, 2008
Washington Convention Center
Washington, D.C.

Carolyn B. Robinowitz, M.D.
President

David A. Baron, D.O.
Chair, Scientific Program Committee

Industry-Supported Symposia deadline
August 9, 2007

Symposia deadline
Sept. 6, 2007

Courses and Reports deadline
Sept. 6, 2007

Component Workshop deadline
Sept. 20, 2007

New Research deadline
Dec. 6, 2007



60th Institute on Psychiatric Services

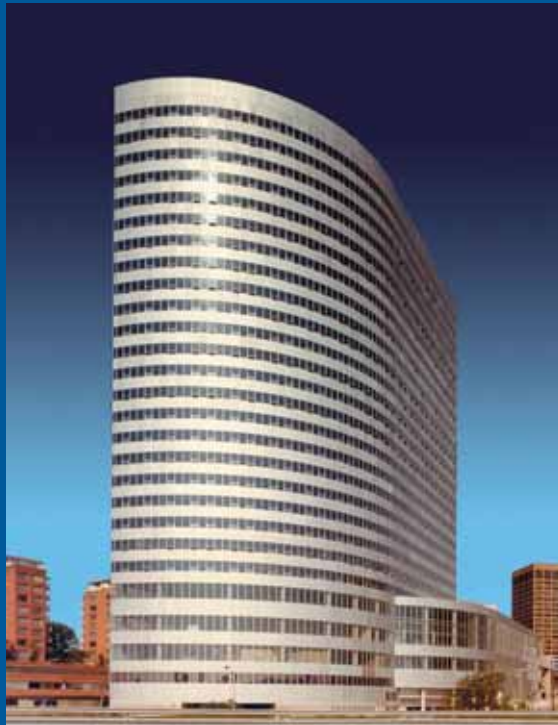
Oct. 2-5, 2008
Palmer House Hilton
Chicago, Ill.

Nada L. Stotland, M.D., M.P.H.
President-elect

Jacqueline M. Feldman, M.D.
Chair, Scientific Program Committee

If you are interested in preparing a submission for the 2008 Institute on Psychiatric Services, please complete your submission online at www.psych.org/ips2008, beginning **Oct. 1, 2007**.

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