Sickle Cell Anemia Foundation To Present Seminar Feb. 22

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The Sickle Cell Anemia Foundation of Nevada, Inc. and Southern Nevada Memorial Hospital will conduct a Sickle Cell Seminar on Saturday, Feb. 22 at the Southern Nevada Memorial Hospital Auditorium.

This seminar, titled Sickle Cell Anemia - Pediatrics, is to establish an awareness among the professional community, as well as the general public, of the enormous impact that Sickle Cell Disease has on its victims, both physically and psychologically.

Participants in the seminar include Tina Fontana, Genetic Counselor, who will discuss Genetics; Dr. Randolph Edmonds, Jr.,

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family, and a third of all children born this year can expect to be on welfare by the time they reach 18.

That's because their parents don't have the jobs needed to support a family. And just cutting benefits or ending programs won't create those jobs or make those children less poor.

The idea that people will be forced to work if you get rid of welfare is false. Study after study shows that welfare recipients want to work but can't because they lack the skills to get a job or the day care facilities for their children to hold one.

It is possible that the Domestic Policy Council will come up with a realistic strategy, but advocates the poor would be a lot more confident if the task was entrusted to an independent commission made up of people experienced with the concerns of the poor.

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forth, every person will be affected. The month of February now brings us to grips with these conditions and it is through this time of recognition and celebration that we should pledge our continuing effort to continue the ''dream'' of Martin Luther King, Jr. He set a tone for us and provided a message. Now we must move on. Now we must move on as one people, for together we can make a difference.

Pasadena, Ca., who will discuss Pediatric Treatment; Yvonne Herold, RN, Los Angeles, Ca., who will present the topic Pediatric Care; and Mary Brown, Los Angeles, Ca., who will give a presentation on Summer

Cost for the seminar is \$25.00. C.M.E. and C.E.U. credits are pending.

Deadline for registration by mail is Feb. 15. Those interested should send check or money order made payable to Sickle Cell Anemia Foundation of Nevada, Inc. to: Sickle Cell Anemia Foundation of Nevada, Inc., P.O. Box 4035, Las Vegas, Nevada 89128. There will also be on-site registration.

For additional information call 363-1070.



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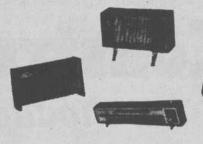
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