# Research Agenda Conference V: Integrating Chiropractic Theory, Evidence and Practice

Last year, the Research Agenda
Conference IV: Implications for
Practice, Policy and Professional
Development attracted over 200
professionals from almost every
chiropractic institution.

This year, once again, nationally prominent scientists, clinicians, and administrators from chiropractic and other health professions will present lectures and facilitate workshops. This is a major "must attend" event for those interested in participating in the scientific development of chiropractic.

#### Who Should Attend?

- Researchers and Research Faculty
- Non-Research Faculty
- Practitioners
- Representatives of Chiropractic Professional Organizations

The conference maximizes interaction through *workshops, panels,* and a *roundtable lunch*, in addition to traditional *lecture/discussions*.

#### **Summary of Program**

Concurrent workshops and small group discussions target participants with different backgrounds or learning needs. Plenary sessions provide opportunities to listen to and interact with authorities in chiropractic and other health professions research.

#### **Workshops**

Target: Non-research faculty, practitioners, aspiring researchers, professional organization representatives

- Writing the Case Report (small group, interactive)
- Critical Appraisal of the Literature (small group, interactive)
- Evidence-Based Approaches to Chiropractic Practice, Policy, and Education

Target: Individuals with moderate research experience

- Anatomy of a Research Manuscript: Submission to Publication
- ♦ Anatomy of a Grant Proposal
- Exploratory Research: The What, How, and Why of Starting Small
- Choosing Appropriate Statistical Tests and Reporting the Results

Target: Researchers with grant experience

- NIH Grant Writing for the Experienced
- Research Project Administration Roundtable Problem-Solving (e.g. budget, F&A, IRB, agency relations)

#### **Plenary Sessions**

#### **Panels**

- Modeling Chiropractic Concepts: Health, Subluxation, Adjustment
- Qualitative Research Methods: How do They Fit?
- Research Infrastructure and Training: What are We Doing?

### Roundtable Lunch with Chiropractic Journal Editors

#### Lecture/Discussions

- Chiropractic Theory: Strengths and Weaknesses in:
  - Clinical Outcomes
  - Biomechanics
  - Neuroscience
  - ♦ Chiropractic Technique
- Reports from the NCCAM, HRSA, and FCER

#### **Small Group Facilitated Discussions**

- Randomized Trials and Outcome Studies
- Neurophysiology Research
- Biomechanical Research
- Chiropractic Technique Research
- Educational Research
- Health Services and Policy Research

\$180 Registration Fee \$20 Chiropractic CE credit

Space is limited to 230 participants.

Deadline for registration:

May 31, 2000

#### **Use Enclosed Form**

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