

Education & Practice

Journal of the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health

Editor in Chief

Howard Bauchner

Section Editors

Best practice: Monica Lakhanpaul, Ian Maconochie

Problem solving in clinical practice: Patrick Cartlidge

Pharmacy update: Imti Choonara, Sharon Conroy

Guideline review: J Harry Baumer

Illuminations: Helen Williams

Managing Editor

Janet O'Flaherty

Manuscript Administrator

Danny Flexen

Technical Editor

John Weller

Education and Practice is a new regular edition of *Archives of Disease in Childhood* that aims to assist paediatricians at all levels in their training and ongoing professional development. Each issue will contain evidence based "best practice" reviews, a case based approach to clinical problem solving, pharmacy updates on existing and new drugs, and a review of recent guidelines. The aim is for *Education and Practice* to evolve over the coming years to meet the needs of paediatricians.

ISSN 1743-0585 (print); ISSN 1743-0593 (online)

Editorial office

Archives of Disease in Childhood

BMJ Publishing Group

BMA House

Tavistock Square

London WC1H 9JR, UK

Telephone +44 (0) 20 7383 6331

Fax +44 (0) 20 7383 6668

Email archdischild@bmjgroup.com

Subscription information

Subscribers to *Archives of Disease in Childhood* receive *Education and Practice*

as part of their subscription. For further information please visit

www.bmjournals.com/subscriptions, call +44 (0) 20 7383 6270 or

Fax +44 (0) 20 7383 6402

2006 Personal rates (includes ADC, Fetal and Neonatal, and Education and Practice)

Print (includes online access): £218; US\$399; €323

Online only: £95; US\$174; €141

Copyright

© 2006 BMJ Publishing Group & Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health.

All rights reserved; no part of this publication may be reproduced, stored in a retrieval system, or transmitted in any form or by any means, electronic, mechanical, photocopying, recording, or otherwise without the prior permission of ADC. For information regarding permissions, see

<http://www.bmjournals.com/misc/perm1.shtml>

Reprints

Commercial reprint enquiries (except USA and Canada) please contact

Nadia Gurney-Randall, Tel +44 (0) 20 8346, Fax +44 (0) 20 8371 9314,

gurneyrandall@bmjgroup.com. In the USA and Canada please contact

Marsha Fogler, Tel 800 482 1450, Fax 609 482 7414, fogler@erols.com

Authors are required to grant ADC an exclusive licence to publish; further details available online at www.archdischild.com/misc/ifora.shtml

• Periodicals postage paid, Rahway, NJ. Postmaster: send address changes to: Archives of Disease in Childhood, c/o Mercury Airfreight International Ltd, 365 Blair Road, Avenel, NJ 07001, USA

• ADC is published by BMJ Publishing Group Ltd, typeset by The Charlesworth Group and printed in UK on acid-free paper by Thanet Press Limited, Margate.

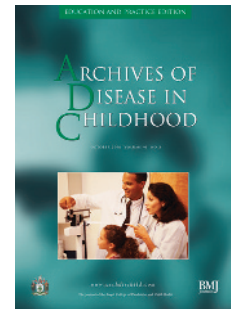
For further information about ADC visit www.archdischild.com/misc/about.shtml

Continuing education edition of *Archives of Disease in Childhood*

Volume 91

Number 3

October 2006



Best practice

ep61 The evaluation of growth and the identification of growth hormone deficiency *A J Drake, C J H Kelnar*

Problem solving in clinical practice

ep68 A balancing act *M Wood, R Wyllie, H Foster*

Illuminations

ep75 Spinal sinuses, dimples, pits and patches: what lies beneath? *H Williams*

Pharmacy update

ep81 What paediatricians should know about young people and drugs in the UK *R Jones, H Mercer, S Haig*

ep87 Paediatric immunosuppression following solid organ transplantation *K A Ford*

Evidence-based medicine

ep92 Below the elbow casts were as effective as above the elbow casts for maintaining reduction of forearm fractures in children

Archivist

ep86 Airway macrophage carbon content and lung function

ep91 Necrotising enterocolitis: resection versus drainage

www.archdischild.com



www.publicationethics.org.uk

This journal is a member of and subscribes to the principles of the Committee on Publication Ethics