DRUG INTERACTION: "THE CASE OF THE PUSHY ANTIBIOTIC," with Harold C. Neu, M.D., Head of Infectious Diseases, and Associate Professor of Medicine, Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City. When can the right selection of antibiotics be wrong? In four clinical situations, says Dr. Neu in this "Drug Spotlight Program," presented in cooperation with the American Society for Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics.

(9 minutes) (in color)

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DRUG INTERACTIONS, with George N. Aagaard, M.D., Professor of Medicine and Head of the Division of Clinical Pharmacology, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington. A leading pharmacologist presents the several interactions that can occur and should be anticipated whenever a multiple-drug regimen is altered. Specific and common examples are offered.

(17 minutes) (in color).

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DRUGS vs. BUGS: CHOOSING THE RIGHT AN-TIBIOTIC, with Harold C. Neu, M.D., Associate Professor of Medicine and Chief, Division of Infectious Diseases, Columbia University College of Physicians & Surgeons, New York. The best way to choose an antibiotic is to match its antibacterial action to the organism's susceptibility. Dr. Neu uses lively graphics to demonstrate the metabolic effects of several commonly used antibiotics, and offers some practical advice on choosing the right drug for the bug. (15 minutes) (in color) 0415632

IATROGENIC DRUG PROBLEMS, with Leighton E. Cluff, M.D., Chairman and Professor, Department of Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine, Gainesville.

Dr. Cluff presents patient cases illustrating common physician errors in drug administration and shows how to avoid them.

(14 minutes) (in color)

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LONG-TERM MANAGEMENT OF S.L.E., with Naomi F. Rothfield, M.D., Professor of Medicine and Chief, Arthritis Division, University of Connecticut School of Medicine, Farmington, Conn. Specific drugs and general life adjustments are important to the treatment course of systemic lupus erythematosus. However, the key to managing S.L.E., demonstrated here, is to identify symptoms and signs of impending flare-ups.

(17 minutes) (in color)

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MANAGEMENT OF ACUTE POISONING, with Jay M. Arena, M.D., Director, Poison Control Center of the Duke University Medical Center, Durham, N.C., and former President, American Academy of Pediatrics. Dr. Arena shows how to treat common and uncommon poisoning episodes on an emergency basis.

(22 minutes) (in color)

1317648

MANAGEMENT OF ASPIRIN POISONING, with Jay M. Arena, M.D., Director, Poison Control Center, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, N.C., and former President, American Academy of Pediatrics. Dr. Arena draws on 35 years' experience to give a practical approach to handling the most common cause of poisoning in children. (13 minutes) (in color) 1317347

MILD-TO-SEVERE HYPERTENSION: TIPS FOR TREATMENT, with George N. Aagaard, M.D., Professor of Medicine and Head of the Division of Clinical Pharmacology, University of Washington School of Medicine, Seattle. As part of the national "Drug Spotlight Program", Dr. Aagaard presents a simple approach to treating patients with hypertension. He outlines the basic non-pharmacologic approach, the way in which to use oral diuretics, adrenergic inhibitors and smooth muscle dilators, and his method of handling refractory hypertension.

(14 minutes) (in color)

1317749

MOOD-ALTERING DRUGS: STOP, THINK, PRE-SCRIBE, with W. J. Russell Taylor, M.D., Ph.D., Director of Clinical Pharmacology, Philadelphia General Hospital, Philadelphia. Anxiety, depression and over a hundred available drugs are the subject of this "Drug Spotlight Program" feature. Two patients who need drug therapy present their complaints, and Dr. Taylor identifies by brand the drugs he would and would not prescribe.

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