

MINISYMPOSIUM "METAL TOXICOLOGY AND CHELATING AGENTS"

Statens Arbeidsmiljøinstitutt, Gydas vei 8, Oslo 3

4/3-1992, kl 10:00 - 15:15

Chelation session (chairman Elsa Wickstrom)

10:00-10:15 Short presentation of the current international (IPCS/CEC) project on antidote recommendations (Dag Jacobsen)

10:15-11:00 Antidotes for heavy metal poisonings - experimental studies (V. Eybl)

11:10-11:40 Clinical extrapolations and experiences with chelation therapy (Jan Aaseth)

11:50-12:05 Treatment of occupational lead poisoning with DMSA (Ole Andersen, Odense University)

12:10-12:30 Use of metal chelates in imaging diagnostics (Petter Arnt Hals)

LUNCH BREAK

Metal toxicology and panel discussion (chairman Tor Norseth)

X 13:15-13:45 Dental amalgam and mercury (Asbjørn Jokstad)

13:45-14:30 Lead and mercury - health hazards and analytical problems related to low-level exposure (J. Aaseth, Yngvar Thomassen, T. Norseth)

14:30-15:15 Panel discussion (Norseth, Jacobsen, Eybl, Aaseth, Jokstad, Andersen)

- evidence for antidotal efficiency of chelating agents
- classical versus modern chelating agents
- indications for use of chelating agents
- evidence for side effects of low-level mercury exposure

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