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Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee of the XIII\textsuperscript{th} International Congress of Pediatric Laboratory Medicine (ICPLM) and the Task Force on Pediatric Laboratory Medicine (TF-PLM) of the International Federation of Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine (IFCC), we invite you to our Congress, which will take place in Istanbul, Turkey, on June 20-22, 2014. The Congress will be organized in cooperation with the Turkish Biochemical Society and the Turkish National Pediatric Society and will focus on the latest scientific and technological achievements in all areas of pediatric clinical and diagnostic laboratory medicine. We are certain that the program will please all participants. Taking place immediately before the IFCC World Lab Istanbul 2014, the Congress offers the unique opportunity to be informed on the latest information in laboratory medicine for pediatrics.

The scientific program will cover a wide range of topics and includes sessions on genetically determined diseases in children, metabolic disorders, newborn screening, allergy testing, nutrition, endocrinology, pediatric reference intervals, and many other topics. We would also like to encourage you to submit your latest scientific research results to be presented in scientific poster sessions. The program is expected to attract a wide variety of participants including laboratory physicians, scientists and technologists, as well as practicing clinicians in pediatrics, neonatology, infectious disease and family medicine. Detailed information about the 2014 ICPLM Istanbul and its program can be found at the following link: www.icplm2014.org.

Istanbul, “Pearl of the Bosphorus” is a world metropolis. We invite you to take this opportunity to visit the many cultural and panoramic attractions in Istanbul and enjoy the city with its rich cultural heritage.

Please save these dates in your calendar – we look forward to hosting you in Istanbul in June 2014!

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TOPICS
* Reference Intervals
* Allergy Testing
* Critical values
* DBS Testing
* Endocrinology (short stature, obesity, diabetes, dyslipidemia)

* Nutrition
* IEM
* Neonate (Sepsis, TDM)
* Metabolomics, genomics
* Pediatric cancers
* Pediatric laboratory management

Poster presentations on all Topics in Pediatric Laboratory Medicine

Abstracts deadline: 15th February 2014
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