Theoretical Medicine

An International Journal for the Philosophy and Methodology of Medical Research and Practice

Editor-in-Chief:

David C. Thomasma

Loyola University Stritch School of Medicine, Medical Humanities Program, Maywood, IL, USA

Co-Editor:

Gerrit K. Kimsma

Dept. of General Medicine, Free University, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Evert van Leeuwen

Free University, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Theoretical Medicine provides a forum for interdisciplinary studies in the philosophy and methodology of medical practice and research. Matters of particular interest are the developments of the philosophy and methodology of clinical judgment and clinical decision making; the study of problems of medical language, of knowledge acquisition and of theory formation in medicine; the analysis of the structure and dynamics of medical hypotheses and theories; the discussion and clarification of basic medical concepts and issues; the application to medicine of advanced methods in the general philosophy of science, classical and non-classical logics, and mathematics; and the study of the interplay between medicine and other scientific or social institutions. Particular attention is paid to heuristic approaches in developing new methods and tools for the better analysis and understanding of the conceptual and ethical presuppositions of the medical sciences and health care processes.

Theoretical Medicine is an important communication medium in the area of the philosophy and methodology of medicine and, as such, offers comprehensive bibliographies, reviews of significant literature, information about current scholarly activities in the field, including partial proceedings of selected meetings, and an opinions section for readers' commentaries.

Subscription Information:

ISSN 0167-9902

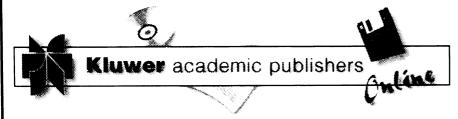
1997, Volume 18 (4 issues)

Special rate for SHHV members is available upon request.

Subscription Rate: NLG 450.00/USD 268.00, incl. p/h.

Private Subscription Rate: NLG 210.00/USD 124.00, incl. p/h.

Special rate for members of SHHV: USD 48.00; members of ESPMHC and IEA: NLG 80.00



P.O. Box 322, 3300 AH Dordrecht, The Netherlands P.O. Box 358, Accord Station, Hingham, MA 02018-0358, U.S.A.



http://www.wkap.nl

Kluwer academic publishers





MEDICAL ETHICS TODAY ITS PRACTICE AND PHILOSOPHY

The BMA has been publishing advice on ethical issues for over forty years. This book is its most comprehensive attempt to answer the wide range of questions commonly raised and relates the long accepted standards which have governed professional behaviour to newly emerging situations. The approach is patient-centred and the aim has been to produce a working tool for doctors whilst recognising that debate of ethical issues extends far beyond the medical profession.

Topics covered include: Consent and Refusal; Confidentiality and Medical Records; Disclosure; Children and Young People; Reproduction and Genetic Technology; Caring for the Dying; Treatment and Prescribing; Research; Inter-Professional Relations; Rationing and Allocation of Health Care Resources.

ISBN 0 7279 0817 0 374 pages 1993 UK £12.95; Overseas £15.95 (BMA members £11.95; £14.95)

Available from: BMJ Publishing Group, PO Box 295, London WC1H 9TE (Tel: 0171 383 6185/6245), any leading bookseller or the BMJ Bookshop in BMA House. Please enclose payment with order, or send us full details of your Mastercard, Visa or American Express Card.