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PRESS RELEASE

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The First International Conference for Special Needs
will take place on 18. & 19. November 2007 in Crowne Plaza Hotel,
Emirates Auditorium.

H.H. Sheikh Juma Bin Maktoum Bin Juma Al Maktoum, acting Chairman of Rashid Paediatric Therapy Centre is delighted with this conference, as it is enhancing the program of Dubai Government for People with Special Needs.

Ms. Mariam Othman, Directress of Rashid Paediatrics Therapy Centre mentioned, that the Centre is not for Rehabilitation alone, but it is also involved in Society programs for people with Special Needs.

Ms. Noura Dapper, Chairwoman ESS Medical Performance and Founder of conference said, that this First Conference for Special Needs is the beginning of further educational training, seminars and workshops. Families, companies and medical specialists from GCC will have the possibility to get continuous the newest information from via various such conferences to enhance their knowledge.

The spokesperson for Dubai Customs, the Platinum Sponsor of the Conference, appreciates the concept of this Conference which comes in a time when the Government organizations are gearing up to accommodate more Special needs people into their environment .

Dr. Aysha Al Busmait, Delegate of RTA and key speaker with the Press Conference, said, that RTA sees the importance of participation with the conference because it is of their highest interest to raise RTA's standards of services internally and externally.

The Crowne Plaza Hotel, IHG Group (InterContinental Hotels Group) and its entire team is extending their full support to the ICSN Dubai 2007 because the hotels "Show we care" culture is assisting and sourcing out those great opportunities to make a difference in the life of guests with special needs.

Mrs Kaltham Al Koheji, Head of Regional Communications of HSBC Bank Middle East Limited, said, that HSBC's participation is with regards to their project, which was announced earlier, that aims to enable and empower all persons with special needs, making them fully participatory members of the society.

From Germany: The HKZ - Department of Cardiology, Department of Cardiac Surgery, Clinic for Neurology Rehabilitation and Clinic for Orthopedic and Trauma Rehabilitation said, that they are participating with the ICSN





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Dubai 2007 to cooperate, to exchange experts knowledge and to create a new platform for People with Special Needs in the UAE.

The spokesperson for Department of Tourism and Commerce Marketing (DTCM) and Dubai Convention Bureau are pleased to participate with the International Conference for Special Needs Dubai 2007. Next to that, their booklet, the "Dubai - Simply Accessible" Guide, features updates on the latest hotels, entertainment and attractions in the world's most exciting city - Dubai, especially for all guests with special needs.

The program for the 2 days workshops have the following Specialists & Topics

- from Germany: Heartclinic Rotenburg a.d. Fulda and the Clinics for Orthopaedic and Traumatologic Rehabilitation and Neurologic Rehabilitation, being represented in the conference by its Senior Consultant and Head of Orthopaedic & Traumatologic Rehabilitation Clinic, Dr. Joachim Schuchert – Topics : Special Needs & Human Resources Management and Special Needs & Modern Lifestyle.

- Our Technical Partner: Takamul, Dr. Hussein Al Maseeh – Director of SEDIC (Screening, Diagnosis and Early Intervention Centre), Dr. Steve Lydiatt - Director for Centre for Disability Studies Ms. Sanjana Bhardwaj - Program Manager for Transition & Employment, Dr. Sandra Willis – Project Director
Topic: Life Stories: "Towards an Integrated and Inclusive Dubai"

- PRM International Training Division, represented by its owner, Mr. Hareb Bin Hadher, Chairman & Ms Heike Glassner, Head of Training Division.
Topic: Special Needs & Risk Management with the contents of Accidentals Prevention and First Aid Opportunities.

- Microsoft represented by Mr. Khalid Lootah, Public Sector Lead in Gulf for Microsoft
Topic: various accessibility solutions and assistive technology products that enable impaired people to realize their full potential

- Rashid Paediatric Therapy Center , represented by Ms. Mizpah, Senior Occupational Therapist
Topic: Special Needs & Modern Life Style

Our thanks belong furthermore to our Sponsors.

- Dubai Customs
- RTA, the Roads & Transport Authority
- Crowne Plaza Hotel
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and our Technical Partner, Takamul, represented by its Executive Director, Dr. Haidar Al Yousuf.

Thanks also to our Supporting Partner, the Department of Tourism and Commerce Marketing as well as the Dubai Convention Bureau .

Further information under :www.ess-dubai.org, Conferences

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