

**THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF FERTILITYCARE PROFESSIONALS
HOLDS 25th ANNUAL MEETING IN Albuquerque, New Mexico**

July 19-22, 2006

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The American Academy of FertilityCare Professionals (AAFCP) will hold its Annual Meeting at Hotel Albuquerque Old Town, Albuquerque, New Mexico, July 19-22.

The American Academy of FertilityCare Professionals is a professional organization providing certification for Creighton Model FertilityCare™ Practitioners and Educators, accreditation for teacher education programs, and promoting research in natural family planning. The Creighton Model FertilityCare™ System provides for a couple's understanding, acceptance and use of their phases of fertility and infertility for purposes of achieving or avoiding pregnancy, while respecting the natural link between love and life. In addition to its use as a means of family planning, this unique system can be of assistance in identifying a host of women's health problems, including infertility, ovarian cysts, hormone disorders, PMS, endometriosis and the possibility of miscarriage and high risk pregnancy. These conditions can be evaluated and treated by Creighton Model NFP Medical Consultants through NaProTechnology, a new medical and surgical women's health science designed to cooperate with the fertility cycle. The current focus on wellness education and the demand for a method of family planning that is scientific, highly effective, healthy, and easy to learn is met by the Creighton Model FertilityCare™ System. This system offers women a true choice that empowers them by promoting their health and relationships, while also respecting the value of life.

On the program will be **Dr. Thomas Hilgers**, senior medical consultant in obstetrics, gynecology, reproductive medicine and surgery at the Pope Paul VI Institute for the Study of Human Reproduction addressing clinical research topics. **Dr. Joseph Stanford**, Assoc. Professor & Researcher, Dept. of Family & Preventive Medicine, Univ. of Utah School of Medicine will address Medical, Social & Ethical Dimensions of Emergency Contraception. A panel including **Drs. Tracey Parnell, Kevin McCarthy, Phil Boyle and Mark Stegman** will discuss International NaProTECHNOLOGY Evaluation and Surveillance of Treatment. **Dr Phil Boyle** will describe the use of Low Dose Naltrexone & NaProTECHNOLOGY. **Fletcher Doyle**, author and editor will describe "NFP in a Skeptical Culture". **Rev. Richard Hogan** will address banquet guests on "Theology of the Body". Rounding out the meeting agenda will be media issues, and third party reimbursement.

The Science and Research Forum, which includes national and international research, will be moderated by Dr. Margarita Lassaletta & Paul Kortz, BSN.

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