



## Corner

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The "CHP Corner" is used to provide timely notification of activities and schedules of special interest to certified health physicists (CHPs) and other HPs who might pursue certification. The semi-annual *CHP News* newsletter will continue to include more lengthy discussions of substantive certification issues. Please address any contributions for either the "CHP Corner" or the *CHP News* to:

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### Participation of CHPs Encouraged

The American Academy of Health Physics (AAHP) Preamble states that the primary purpose of the Academy is to establish an organization which permits the direct input of CHPs into the selection process of American Board of Health Physics (ABHP) members and to the ongoing programs of the Board.

The profession of health physics and the certification process are best served by the active participation of all of us. One way to get involved is to volunteer for work on one of the panels of the ABHP or committees of the AAHP.

You can note your willingness to serve by checking a box or boxes on your 1993 Maintenance Fee envelope, to be mailed out in May or June. This information is incorporated into a spread sheet and used in making appointments. You can also contact Carl Distenfeld, ABHP Chair, at 717-657-7032; or Bob Casey, AAHP President-Elect, at 516-282-4654 to express your interest.

Speaking of volunteers, Morgan Cox, Part I Panel Chair, is seeking CHPs to give four hours of time to take the 1993 Part I exam in order to help determine the passing score. Participants will also be asked to rate test questions in the light of certain criteria and test objectives.

This is an opportunity for any CHP to contribute to this important step in the certification process. It also helps repay some of the work that others provided for our own certification. Please contact Morgan Cox at 505-471-1370; or Nancy Johnson at 703-790-1745.