

LCS ANGELES PSYCHOANALYTIC SOCIETY
BUSINESS MEETING

Time: Thursday, October 21, 1965, 7:30 p.m.

Place: 344 North Bedford Drive, Beverly Hills

Agenda

1. Minutes of the meeting of September 16, 1965
2. Membership Committee - Dr. Atkins:
Vote on the application for Active Membership of Dr. Rita Spies
3. Christmas Party
4. Annual Meeting
5. Announcements
6. New Business

SCIENTIFIC MEETING

Time: Thursday, October 21, 1965, 8 p.m.

Place: 344 North Bedford Drive, Beverly Hills

Speaker: Norman B. Atkins, M. D.

Subject: "Comments on Severe and Psychotic Regressions in Analysis"

Regressions developing during a psychoanalysis are described and examined. A comparison is made between the useful and necessary regressive features of every analysis and those serious and psychotic states which are cause for concern.

In the analysis of borderline characters, severe psychosomatic disorders, addictions, and psychoses, the struggle over genuine dependency is seen as relating to the development of acute psychosis and helplessness.

Copies of this paper will be available in the Society office (\$1).

Discussants: Bernard Bail, M. D.
Richard Edelman, M. D.
Edwin Kleinman, M. D.
Myron Rappaport, M. D.

Melvin Mandel, M. D.
Secretary

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