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A problems course dealing with a long-range study of degenerative arthritis of the hip is being conducted spring quarter at the University of Montana by the Pre-physical Therapy Division of the UM Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation (HPER).

Dr. David P. Jacobson, an orthopedic and hand surgeon at Western Montana Clinic, Missoula, will discuss "The Anatomy of the Hip" as first lecturer in the program at 8 p.m. Thursday (March 29) in the Physical Therapy Complex of the UM Women's Center.

Miss Nora Staael (pronounced Steel), an associate professor of HPER at UM, said, "All physical therapists in Missoula are invited to attend the lectures and participate in the course."

Besides Thursday's program, other lectures scheduled during the quarter will include "The Nature of Cartilage," "The Degenerative Process" and "Nerve Supply to Hip Musculature." Other lectures will<sup>be</sup> scheduled as the quarter progresses, Miss Staael said.

A new overhead treadmill designed by a UM student for treatment of patients with hip problems will be utilized during the course.

"Upon recommendation of their physicians, patients with degenerative arthritis of the hip will receive physical therapy treatment at the University Physical Therapy Complex later in the quarter with the aid of the new overhead treadmill," Miss Staael said.

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