

Professor Grobstein to participate in Symposium on the child

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Dr. Clifford Grobstein, Professor and Chairman of the Department of Biology, University of California, San Diego, will join more than 30 world-famous authorities in child care for a Symposium on the Child, in Chicago, Sunday, August 28 through Friday, September 2.

At least 1,500 specialists will be attending the conference, which will be concerned with the health and welfare problems of children.

The 35 delegates, from 10 states and seven foreign countries, are authorities in the fields of medicine, science, education, social science and the law.

Dr. Grobstein will speak on "Contemporary Approaches to the Analysis of Development." Some of the other topics will be "Law and Social Policy for Children," "Problems of Child Health Care throughout the World," and "Learning and Language." Sessions will deal also with mental retardation, with childhood diseases, and with basic scientific research related to the health problems of childhood.

The conference is held in connection with the dedication of the University of Chicago's new Silvain and Arma Wyler Children's Hospital and the Joseph P. Kennedy Jr. Mental Retardation Research Center. Dr. Albert Dorfman, Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics, University of Chicago, and Chief of the Staff for the Hospital, calls it the "nation's most modern faculty for pediatric medicine and research." Dedication ceremonies will be Sunday, August 28.

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