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## Useful Websites Related to Radiation and Imaging Technology

Molecular imaging is a type of medical imaging that provides detailed pictures of what is happening inside the body at the molecular and cellular level that allows physicians to see how the body is functioning and to measure its chemical and biological processes.

- Learn more: [www.DiscoverMI.org](http://www.DiscoverMI.org) (SNMMI)

Radiation dose for all nuclear medicine and molecular imaging procedures should be optimized so that the patient receives the smallest possible amount of radiopharmaceutical that will provide the appropriate diagnostic information.

- Learn more: [www.SNMMI.org/dose](http://www.SNMMI.org/dose)

*RadiologyInfo.org* tells you how various x-ray, CT, MRI, ultrasound, radiation therapy and other procedures are performed, and addresses what you may experience and how to prepare for the exams.

- Learn more: [www.RadiologyInfo.org](http://www.RadiologyInfo.org)

The Health Physics Society Public Information Page can help you find information and answers to your questions about radiation and radiation safety/protection.

- Learn more: <http://www.hps.org/publicinformation/>

The *Image Gently* campaign is an initiative of the Alliance for Radiation Safety in Pediatric Imaging. The campaign goal is to change practice by increasing awareness of the opportunities to promote radiation protection in the imaging of children.

- Learn more: [www.Imagegently.org](http://www.Imagegently.org)

*Image Wisely* is a program of the American College of Radiology, the Radiological Society of North America, the American Association of Physicists in Medicine and the American Society of Radiologic Technologists to address concerns about the surge of public exposure to ionizing radiation from medical imaging.

- Learn more: [www.Imagewisely.org](http://www.Imagewisely.org)

The Division of Radiation Safety is a leader in radiation protection, specializing in radiation safety, regulatory compliance, and risk management for biomedical and clinical research efforts that directly support the NIH mission.

- Learn more: <http://www.ors.od.nih.gov/sr/drs/Pages/default.aspx>