

from NAS in juxtaposition to the updated U.N. risk estimates. The earlier material on risk could have been substantially pruned for this new edition with more discussion of the new material. Indeed, my major criticism of the new edition, which arises with many updates of older books, is the continued inclusion of older material that has been superseded. Thus, the discussion of radon, which was updated in the second edition, still carries the imprint of older work from the 1950s and 1960s

and tends to overlook more recent work appearing in several books and NCRP reports. However, the complete listing of reports from the NCRP and ICRP and of NRC Guides is a useful compensation. All in all, this inexpensive book remains a "standard work," particularly in the medical environment.

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Books Received

Professional Self-Evaluation and Continuing Education Program—Nuclear Radiology (Fourth Series) Test and Syllabus, *James H. Thrall, editor, Philip O. Alderson, Manuel L. Brown, R. Edward Coleman, Robert J. Cowan, Barbara J. McNeil, and Barry A. Siegel, American College of Radiology, Reston, VA, 684 pp, \$110.00 (members), \$90.00 (resident members), \$175.00 (nonmembers).* (\$5.00 postage and handling charge on each order.)

MIRD Primer for Absorbed Dose Calculations, *Robert Loevinger, Thomas F. Budinger, and Evelyn E. Watson, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, New York, NY, 128 pp, \$35.00.*

Nuclear Medicine Procedure Manual, *William Klingensmith III, Dennis Eshima, and John Goddard, Oxford Medical, Englewood, CO, \$125.00 (printed version), \$95.00 (software version).*

Introduction to Radiology, *Maurice Tubiana and Dutreix Wambersie, translated by D. R. Bewley, Taylor & Francis Group, Bristol, PA, 371 pp, \$110.00 (hard cover), \$42.00 (soft cover).*

Clinical Physics and Physiological Measurement: Quantitative Imaging In Vivo (Journal), *The Institute of Physical Sciences in Medicine, York, England.*