



Training Modules for Nuclear Medicine

	Qualified expert	Radiation Protection Officer	Worker occupationally exposed	Qualified Operator
Education Level	This person has an education of tertiary level, corresponding to education up to and including a university degree or diploma.	This person has an education of secondary level, corresponding to 10–12 years of schooling	This person has an education of basic level, corresponding to 6–10 years of schooling	This person has an education of secondary level, corresponding to 10–12 years of schooling
Personal attributes The person need to have	1, communication skills; 2, leadership skills; 3, analytical skills;	1, communication skills; 2, leadership skills; 3, analytical skills; 4, human–machine interface skills; 5, multitask management skills.	1, communication skills; 3, analytical skills; 4, human–machine interface skills;	1, communication skills; 2, leadership skills; (for supervisors) 3, analytical skills; 4, human–machine interface skills
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	<p>PART I. REVIEW OF FUNDAMENTALS</p> <p>I.1. Introduction.</p> <p>I.2. Basic physics and mathematics used in radiation protection.</p> <p>I.3. Interaction of radiation with matter.</p> <p>I.4. Sources of radiation.</p> <p>PART II. QUANTITIES AND MEASUREMENTS</p> <p>II.1. Quantities and units.</p> <p>II.2. Dosimetric calculations and measurements.</p> <p>II.3. Principles of radiation detection and measurement.</p> <p>PART III. BIOLOGICAL EFFECTS OF IONIZING RADIATION</p> <p>III.1. Effects of radiation at the molecular and the cellular level.</p> <p>III.2. Deterministic effects.</p> <p>III.3. Stochastic somatic effects.</p> <p>III.4. Stochastic hereditary effects.</p>			

- III.5. Effects on the embryo and foetus.
- III.6. Epidemiological studies and issues.
- III.7. The concept of radiation detriment.

PART IV. PRINCIPLES OF RADIATION PROTECTION AND THE INTERNATIONAL FRAMEWORK

- IV.1. Conceptual framework.
- IV.2. The role of international organizations in radiation protection.
- IV.3. The development of safety culture.

PART V. REGULATORY CONTROL

- V.1. Legal framework for radiation protection and the safe use of radiation sources.
- V.2. Regulatory system.
- V.3. Assessment of the effectiveness of the regulatory programmes.

PART VI. ASSESSMENT OF EXTERNAL AND INTERNAL EXPOSURES

- VI.1. Assessment of occupational exposure due to external sources of radiation.
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