ESR RADIATION PROTECTION LINKS

EAN  http://www.eu-alaranet.net/
The European ALARA Network (in 1996 the European Commission created a European ALARA Network to further specific European research on topics dealing with optimization of radiation protection, as well as to facilitate the dissemination of good ALARA practices within the European industry, research and medical sectors.

ICRP  http://www.icrp.org/
The International Commission on Radiation Protection

IAEA  http://www.iaea.org/
The International Atomic Energy Agency (a UN body concerned with radiation and nuclear safety; also has an Action Plan on radiological protection of patients - see http://rpop.iaea.org)

ICNIRP  http://www.icnirp.de/
The International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection (an organisation dealing with non-ionising radiation - ICRP deals only with ionising radiation).

ICRU  http://www.icru.org/
The International Commission on Radiation Units and Measurement (a sister organization of ICRP).

The International Labour Organization (a UN body addressing safety at work).

IMAGE Gently  http://www.pedrad.org/associations/5364/ig/
The Alliance for Radiation Safety in Pediatric Imaging

IRPA  http://www.irpa.net/
The International Radiation Protection Association (a professional society open to specialists in radiation protection).

ISR  http://www.isradiology.org/isr/index.php
The International Society of Radiology (the founders of ICRP, ICRU, and ICRE).

NEA  http://www.nea.fr/
The Nuclear Energy Agency (an OECD body active in radiological protection).

UNSCEAR  http://www.unscear.org/
The United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation (collects and summarises information on sources and effects of radiation).

WHO  http://www.who.int/en/
The World Health Organization (a UN body, works with radiation issues).

PROCEDURES, QUALITY CRITERIA

American College of Radiology Practice Guidelines and Technical Standards

Electronic guide of procedures and quality criteria of the French Society of Radiology