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## Donald L. Miller Appointed Scientific Vice President of Program Area Committee 4 on Radiation Protection in Medicine

The National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements (NCRP) is pleased to announce that Donald L. Miller, Chief Medical Officer for Radiological Health in the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), has been appointed as Scientific Vice President of Program Area Committee (PAC) 4 on Radiation Protection in Medicine.

Dr. Miller has been with the FDA Centers for Devices and Radiological Health since 2011, after serving as an Interventional Radiologist at the National Naval Medical Center for 18 y and at the National Institutes of Health Clinical Center for 11 y. He received a BA in Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry in 1972 from Yale University and an MD from the New York University School of Medicine in 1976. Dr. Miller has served as an editor for both *Radiology* and the *Journal of Vascular and Interventional Radiology*.



Dr. Miller became a member of NCRP in 2006 and has served on several committees in various capacities. He served on the Nominating Committee for 2 y before becoming Chairman in 2016 and has been Co-Chair of PAC 4 since 2013. He was Vice-Chair of Scientific Committee (SC) 2-3, which published Report No. 168, *Radiation Dose Management for Fluoroscopically-Guided Interventional Medical Procedures*, in 2010, and is currently a member of Council Committee 1, SC 4-7, SC 4-9, and SC 6-9 and is a consultant on SC 4-5.

In addition to his NCRP service, Dr. Miller has served in various positions on several national and international organizations including: the American College of Radiology, the Federal Interagency Steering Committee on Radiation Standards, the International Atomic Energy Agency, the International Commission on Radiological Protection, the International Electrotechnical Commission, the Society of Interventional Radiology, and the World Health Organization. He has accumulated over 15 awards during his career at FDA and has authored or co-authored over 200 publications.

The key functions of PAC 4 are to: identify areas with which NCRP should be concerned in radiation protection of patients in medical, dental and chiropractic practice; examine and evaluate techniques and procedures to eliminate unnecessary radiation exposure to the patient; and examine and evaluate training of medical personnel in radiation protection. Dr. Miller is taking over the reins of PAC 4 from Dr. James Brink. Dr. Brink was a remarkable leader of PAC 4 and is an outstanding Council member.

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