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HOSPITAL
YALE NEW HAVEN HEALTH

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Maryann, as you have requested I have provided you the response to your questions concerning the RSO. (See below)

1. Describe the control over the radiation safety program that will be delegated so that the consultant-RSO will be able to exercise authority over authorized users when confronted with radiation safety problems that require implementation of corrective actions.

Greenwich Hospital has delegated the radiation safety responsibilities to Mr. Michael Mink. Duties include but are not limited to dosimetry report review, sealed source leak test, and quality management audits of both the Nuclear medicine and the HDR program. Mr. Mink has direct access to a Vice President in Administration to deal with any authorized user if corrective actions are required.

2. Describe the relationship that will exist between the consultant-RSO and your institutional management regarding expenditure of funds to facilitate the objectives of your radiation safety program and related regulatory requirements.

Mr. Mink has direct access to a Vice President in Administration if funding is needed to maintain compliance with NRC or State of Connecticut DEP regulations.

3. Identify other commitments of the consultant-RSO for other NRC or Agreement State licensed facilities, along with a description of how the consultant-RSO will allocate time to permit the performance of the duties of the RSO as described in the regulations. State the consultant-RSO's minimum amount of on-site time (hours per week or month).

Mr. Mink is the RSO in Englewood Hospital and Medical Center and Newark Beth Israel Medical Center in New Jersey. His entire 40 hour work week is dedicated to the two previously mentioned institutions and to Greenwich Hospital. The minimum amount of onsite hours per month is 16 hours.

4. Appoint an in-house representative who will serve as the point of contact during the RSO's absence. This person may be allowed to assist the consultant RSO with limited authority.

Mr. Ralph Sgambato will be the in-house representative who will serve as the point of contact during the RSO's absence. I can be reach at (203) 863-3036.

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5. Describe the overall availability of the consultant-RSO to respond to questions or operational issues that arise during the conduct of your radiation safety program and related regulatory requirements. Specify the maximum amount of time it will take the RSO to arrive at the facility in the event of an emergency that requires his presence.

Mr. Mink can be on site in Greenwich Hospital within 1 hour to respond to any operational issues that arise concerning his RSO responsibilities.

If any further information is needed please e-mail me or call me directly at (203) 863-3036.

Sincerely,


Ralph Scambato
Director, Imaging Greenwich Hospital