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According to David Warmflash's article, "Could Small Amounts of Radiation Be Good For You? . . .", the National Academy of Science concluded that the evidence for low dose radiation (LDR) being good for people couldn't be proved, and there were no studies accounting for things like gene mutations, cell death or cancer years later.

There are a minority of researchers studying low dose radiation, but they are done on rats, not people whose genetics, age, health conditions and lifestyle are important factors to be considered.

There is a long way to go in research on low dose radiation ----normally studies on dogs, pigs, non-human primates. If medical professionals don't know, how can U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commissioners, who are not doctors, decide anything about how radiation affects human beings?

The purpose of NRC is to protect us, not to experiment on us.

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