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Report of Radiopharmaceutical Misadministration

Date of report Sept 25, 1981 Date of Incident Sept. 24, 1981

Licensee Waubesa Mem. Hosp. Number 48-06239-01

Address 725 American Ave

City, State Waubesa WI 53186

Referring Physician Dr. []

Signature []

Description of event See attached document

Effect on patient None

Preventive action See attached document

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This report is to be sent within ¹⁵ ~~10~~ days after the end of calendar quarter in which the incident occurred.

The Medical Isotope Committee and the licensee (administration) has been informed of this incident. (Notified 9/25/81)

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Description of Event

The patient was scheduled to receive a therapeutic dose of 5.4 millicuries of I-131 in capsule form on Sept. 24, 1981. The technologist took the capsule from a container containing a capsule which had been assayed at 5.2 millicuries on Aug. 25, 1981, overlooking the unassayed and hence unmarked container and capsule intended for the patient. The inadvertently misadministered dose given was calculated at being 0.392 millicuries. The capsule given to the patient was being stored for decay prior to disposal. It had been intended for a patient who failed to keep his appointment on Aug. 25, 1981 for a therapeutic dose of radioiodine.

Preventive Action

Therapeutic doses of I-131 not utilized within 24 hours of the appointed time will be sealed in their container with tape and marked "DO NOT USE" while set aside for decay. Therapeutic doses of I-131 will be assayed within 30 minutes of administration.

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