



**T**he Health Physics Society provides educational resources related to ionizing radiation, nonionizing radiation, radiation detection, and radiation research.

The Health Physics Society is dedicated to making sure individuals who work in the field of health physics have essential information and the capability to protect workers and the public from unnecessary radiation exposure.

The Health Physics Society also has a goal of providing information to assist in the public's understanding of radiation and health physics.



*The Health Physics Society provides education and tools to professions involved with ionizing and nonionizing radiation.*



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HEALTH PHYSICS SOCIETY

*Minimizing the Hazards  
& Maximizing the  
Benefits of Radiation*



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# WHAT IS THE HEALTH PHYSICS SOCIETY?

*The Health Physics Society is a professional society of individuals who, since 1956, have been devoted to protecting people and their environment from radiation hazards while making it possible to benefit from the many technologies that use radioactive materials and radiation sources.*

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## Benefits of Membership

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### Publications

*Receive Society Publications:*

- Get pointers and the latest research in the journals *Health Physics* and *Operational Radiation Safety*.
- Stay informed about news in the field from *Health Physics News*.
- Receive a personal copy of the latest ANSI *American National Standards* and have ready access to standards applicable to the field of health physics.

### Web Resources

*Access a significant number of resources through our Members Only Web pages:*

- "Toolbox" of health physics resources
- Current and archived copies of Health Physics Society publications
- Job postings
- Society section news
- Committee updates
- Interactive open forums

### Networking

*Meet and network with radiation safety professionals in varied disciplines from around the world. You also have the opportunity to mentor the next generation of health physicists.*

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### Education

*Attend Society-sponsored meetings at a discounted fee:*

- The HPS annual meeting offers insights on operational, research and current newsworthy topics, and many vendors present goods and services
- Professional development schools provide in-depth reviews on a topic of interest to health physicists.
- Midyear topical meetings focus on a single general topic.
- Attend Professional Enrichment Programs (PEP) and Continuing Education Lectures (CEL) at the annual and midyear meetings.

### Committee and Specialty Section Participation

*Help sustain the Society and assist meeting the Society's goals through serving as a committee or specialty section member:*

- Help shape the Society on committees such as the Finance, Rules and Membership Committees.
  - Realize professional objectives volunteering for committees such as the Standards and Science Support Committees.
  - Focus on your discipline in sections such as the Environmental, Medical, Military or Power Reactor Health Physics sections.
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