

members were Evans, Chairman; L.H. Hempelmann; G.B. Hutchison; C.R. Richmond; and A.C. Upton.

The committee was informed at its first meeting that the RPY Division already had a scientific review committee that evaluated the scientific work in terms of quality and relevance. Thus, the CHR Advisory Committee could best serve the CHR by giving guidance on policies and advice on specific problems. The committee should also concern itself with matters that it considered should be brought to the attention of the CHR.

For the first meeting, the CHR identified in a letter to the committee chairman four areas on which guidance was sought:

- A policy on skeletal X-rays was requested, to determine whether skeletal surveys were justified for all patients.
- Help was sought in identifying diagnostic procedures likely to be of special value in screening for radiation damage.
- The committee was asked to consider whether the CHR should be funded to provide therapy for subjects with apparent radiation damage.
- Aid in identifying feasible goals was solicited.

Subsequently, Evans, in his role as chairman, sent a letter to the members suggesting that they address the following topics during their meeting:

- Clinical aspects and diagnostic procedures
- Feasible epidemiologic goals
- Nonepidemiologic goals
- Long-range (30-year) objectives
- Selective exhumations
- Selective ($\geq 0.1 \mu\text{Ci}$ of radium) or random sampling of World War II dial painters
- Sampling of people currently employed in radium dial painting