

1. Title: Systemic and Clinical Effects Induced in 263 Cancer Patients by Whole-Body X-Irradiation with Nominal Air Doses of 15 to 200 R
2. Where: MD Anderson Hospital, Houston, TX
When: 1951 - 1956
3. Researchers: Lowell Miller MD, Gilbert Fletcher MD, Herbert Gerstner MD
4. Organizations: MD Anderson, Univ. of TX, School of Aviation Medicine, Atomic Energy Commission (lead-agent)
5. Number of Subjects: 263
6. Summary: To determine early effects on humans of a sublethal (therapeutic) doses of x-rays, and to determine the degree of palliation of severe late cancer symptoms. These were terminally ill cancer patients who were getting radiation as part of their treatment. Researchers were studying the other non-cancer related effects of the radiation. Consents were not mentioned.
7. Records: TR 57-92 Armstrong Lab
8. no subject names or consents found.