

MEDPS-PE

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SUBJECT: Overexposure to Ionizing Radiation

TO: Commander in Chief
U. S. Army Europe
ATTN: Surgeon
APO New York 09403

1. The inclosed copy of TWX, LB4151, dated 24 June 1965 from Lexington-Bluegrass Army Depot indicates that Vane S. Iverson assigned US Army Hospital, BAD CANNSTAT received a dose of ionizing radiation of 2900 millirems during the period 25 April through 22 May 1965.

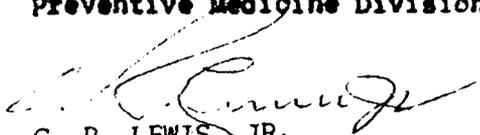
2. A dose of 2900 millirems is in excess of the total body radiation permissible for a four week period. Should such incidents recur frequently, serious impairment to the health of the individual could result.

3. This office would appreciate receiving any information that might have been obtained in the course of investigating the circumstances responsible for the alleged overexposure to ionizing radiation.

FOR THE SURGEON GENERAL:

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