

Diseases and Primary Causes of Death Among 276 United States Transuranium and Uranium Registrants

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This is a report of the known diseases and primary causes of death among 276 United States Transuranium and Uranium Registrants (USTUR). The causes of death and gross anatomical diagnosis obtained from the autopsy reports and death certificates are classified according to the International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM) in the USTUR Clinical database. This information, in conjunction with medical history, dosimetry data and radiochemical analysis of collected tissues, will contribute significantly in understanding the health effects of actinides in human. With a few exceptions, USTUR registrants are diagnosed with the same kinds of diseases that affect the United States population.

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