

# Stakeholder Engagement in Practice

*Now is the time to act!*

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# Stakeholder Engagement in Practice

- ◆ Historical Evolution
  - ◆ Decide, Announce, Defend - DAD
  - ◆ Meet, Understand, Modify - MUM
  - ◆ Share, Open, Negotiate - SON
- ◆ Expectation for more Participatory Governance



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- ◆ Who is your stakeholder?
  - ◆ Anyone who can advance or stop your proposed activity
- ◆ Changes with time
- ◆ Resources needed

# Stakeholder Engagement in Practice

- ◆ Features of an effective program:
  - ◆ Be Proactive
  - ◆ Be Open and Inclusive
  - ◆ Be Honest
  - ◆ Be Responsive
  - ◆ Be Transparent
  - ◆ Use Two-Way Dialogue
  - ◆ Implement Feedback and Continuous Improvement



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- ◆ Opportunities for action now:
  - ◆ Academic curricula and training
  - ◆ Roles and Responsibilities
  - ◆ Professional Societies
  - ◆ Establish a repository of documents
  - ◆ Establish stakeholder relationships using multidisciplinary teams



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- ◆ In Conclusion:
  - ◆ Responsibility to advance the quality of life through the appropriate use of radiation.
  - ◆ Using stakeholder engagement, establish multidisciplinary teams of professionals now to engage with stakeholders on key issues facing the profession and society.

