Reproductive Hazards of the Workplace

Join **Ginger Nichols, MS, CGC, from UConn Institute for Systems Genomics**, for a general review of teratology with a focus on occupational reproductive hazards. This webiar provides general tips on how to reduce potential exposures in the workplace. Participants will gain practical guidance on evaluating the risks associated with workplace hazards and learn evidence-based strategies to minimize exposure for patients.

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This session is ideal for midwives, nurses, and other healthcare professionals involved in maternal-child health who want to integrate knowledge of teratology and workplace safety into clinical practice.

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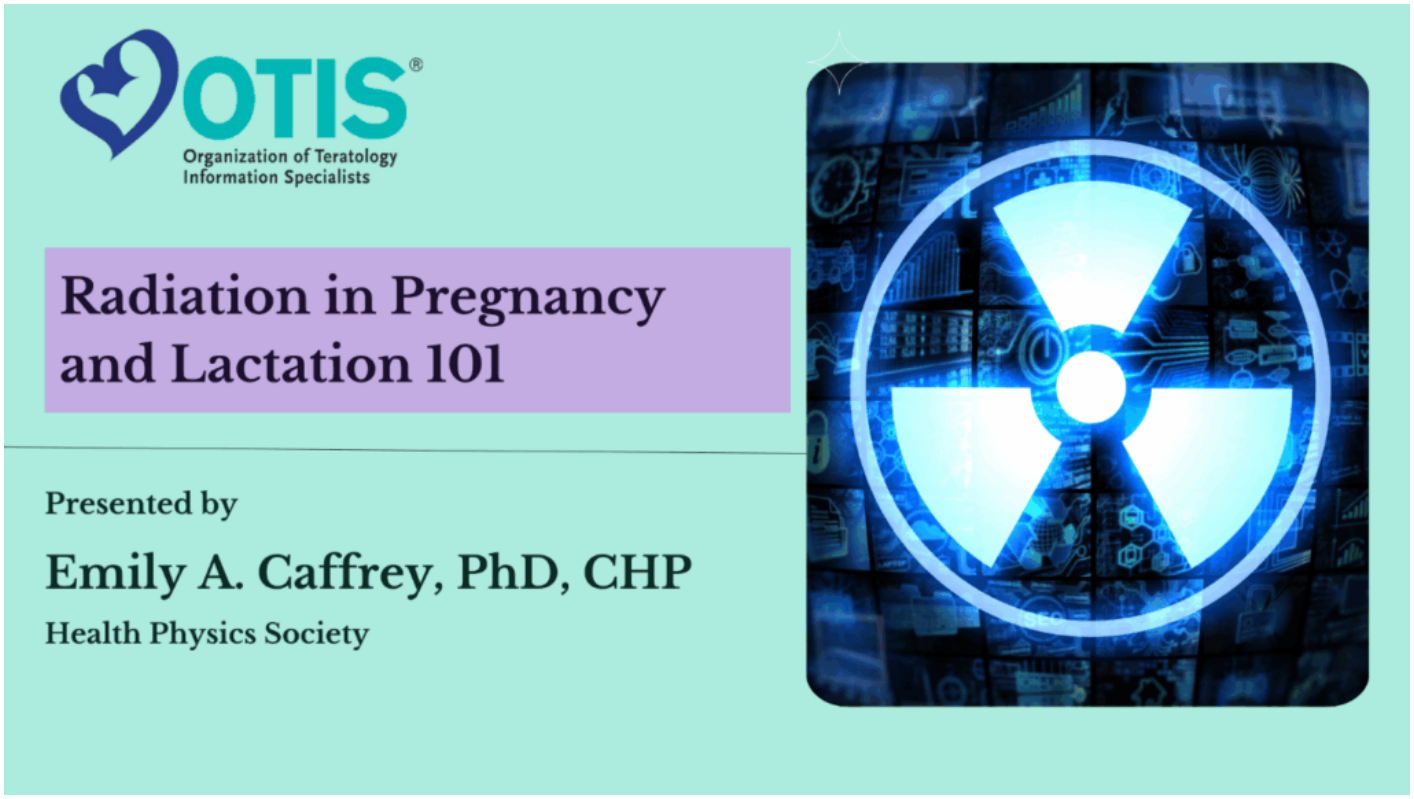
Radiation exposure during pregnancy and lactation is a common source of concern for many patients—but not all exposures carry the same risk. In this informative webinar, **Emily A. Caffrey, PhD, CHP, from the Health Physics Society (HPS)**, breaks down the different types of radiation and what is known about their effects on pregnancy and breastfeeding.

Dr. Caffrey explains how radiation interacts with the body, clarifies misconceptions, and provides science-based guidance to help patients and providers make informed decisions. She also answers frequently asked questions about specific radiological procedures, such as X-rays, CT scans, and nuclear medicine exams during pregnancy and lactation.

This webinar is ideal for healthcare professionals, counselors, and public health educators looking to improve their understanding of radiation safety and better support patients during a time when reassurance and accurate information are essential.



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