Dear Member

We ask that you celebrate Valentine’s Day by noting this important message: **Pause and Pulse – Safety in Fluoroscopic imaging!**

We know that children are more sensitive than adults to radiation and cumulative exposure to their growing, smaller bodies could, over time, have adverse effects. To help ensure that imaging providers account for these factors, the BSPR is an active participant and collaborator in the Alliance for Radiation Safety in Pediatric Imaging.

We are delighted to share the next “Image Gently” message: **Pause and Pulse in Fluoroscopic imaging** and invite you to the visit the Image gently Website ([www.imagegently.org](http://www.imagegently.org)) to review new educational content for this new campaign phase:

**Alliance member organizations urge that when performing imaging exams on children, radiologists should:**

**Fluoroscopic procedures help us save kids' lives!**
But, when we image patients, radiation matters!
Children are more sensitive to radiation.
What we do now lasts their lifetimes
**Image kids with care:**
Pause and child–size the technique
use the lowest Pulse rate possible.
Consider ultrasound or MRI when possible.

The Image Gently Web site ([www.imagegently.org](http://www.imagegently.org)) contains the latest research and educational materials to help imaging providers determine the appropriate radiation techniques to use in the imaging of children and helpful protocols for you to follow at your facility.

**Click here** to visit the Image Gently Web site today and **pledge** to do your part to “child–size” the radiation dose used in children’s imaging. Your active participation is appreciated.