

## **Session 5.4**

# **Childhood Thyroid Cancer in Belarus Following the Chernobyl accident**

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This paper gives an overview of the thyroid cancers that occurred in Belarus following the Chernobyl accident, including screening procedures, the number and timing of identified thyroid cancers to date.

The statistics of crude incidence and the results of screening depending on age, gender and territory are presented. The differences between etiological forms of thyroid cancer are described, including the survival rates.