

Radiotherapy in Cancer Care: Facing the Global Challenge

presents a comprehensive overview of the major topics and issues to be taken into consideration when planning a strategy to address the lack of radiotherapy resources worldwide, particularly in low and middle income countries. Radiotherapy is recognized as an essential tool in the cure and the palliation of cancer. Access to radiation treatment is currently limited in many countries and non-existent in some. This lack of radiotherapy resources exacerbates the burden of disease and underscores the continuing health care disparity among states. Closing this gap is an essential measure in addressing this global health equity problem. With contributions from leaders in the field, this publication provides an introduction to the achievements and issues of radiation therapy around the world as a method to treat cancer. Dedicated chapters focus on proton therapy, carbon ion radiotherapy, intraoperative radiotherapy, radiotherapy for children, HIV/AIDS-related malignancies as well as costing and quality management issues.

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