

ALSRT eNEWS

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2017 Review

Thank you to all the ALSRT members for supporting your state society.

Thank you, ALSRT board of directors and committee members for volunteering your time and expertise in order to represent the medical imaging & radiation therapy community in Alabama.

2017 proved to be a successful year.

- Alabama Delegates represents the state at the ASRT Annual Governance & House of Delegates Meeting.
- Bi-Laws Committee Bi-Laws documents review & update
- Conference Committee Spring - Tuscaloosa Fall - Montgomery
- Marketing Committee Revitalized Newsletter New Website Project
- Advocacy Committee Licensure Project

2018 is certainly off to a good start. Continue the momentum and don't forget to renew your membership. This year We Want Licensure!



Alabama Legislation

Alabama Senate Bill 83 was introduced January 9, by Sen. Gerald Dial. The Alabama Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Patient Safety Act would establish consistent education and certification standards for the state's medical imaging and radiation therapy personnel.

S.B.83 has been referred to the Senate Health and Human Services Committee for consideration. Senator Dial, a seven-term member of the Alabama Senate from Lineville, is a member of the committee.

Passage of S.B.83 will maximize patient safety, decrease health care costs and help provide a more timely and accurate diagnosis. Over 5,000 R.Ts reside in the state. It is time these professionals are recognized and their voice is heard.

Contact your state lawmakers today to voice your support for the enactment of S.B.83



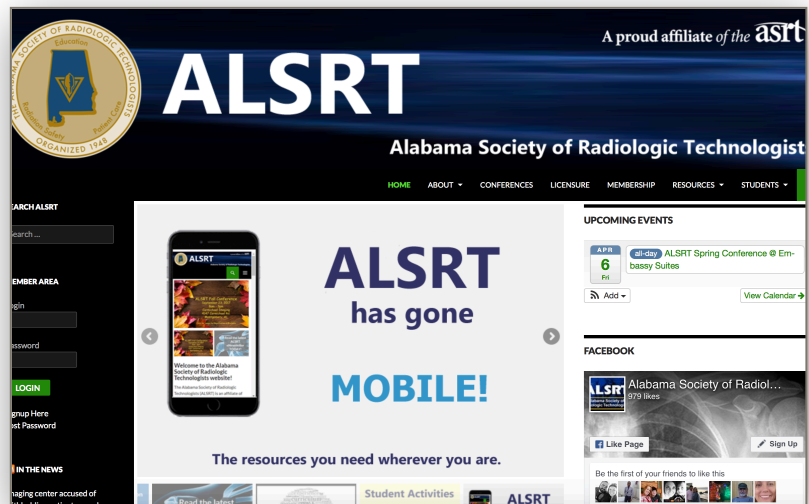
Spring Conference

Montgomery, AL April 6-8

Join us in beautiful downtown Montgomery for the 71st annual ALSRT Spring Conference. The meeting will take place at the Embassy Suites Hotel located along the RiverFront. We have planned a fun weekend of learning and networking for everyone. The conference will offer a wide variety of interesting topics approved for Cat. A credit. The student events include registry review, mock registry & a number of competitions. Make your room reservations today. Agenda and registration details will be available at a later date.



Launch of New Website



After months of hard work and dedication from our board members and website developers, we are pleased to announce the launch of our newly designed website! Our goal with this new website is to provide our visitors an easier way to stay up-to-date with the imaging and radiation therapy community. Amongst the new features, the site now has dedicated, secure software to make member registration & renewals easier and more convenient. The site also contains integrated social media features to display updated news from Facebook and Aunt Minnie.

Our favorite feature is the Licensure section of the website. Visitors now have an easy way to look up their Alabama senator and send an email to them directly, by simply completing the required information.

The website has a fresh new look, improved functionality and easy to access information, even from your smart phone. The ALSRT is excited to establish this portal as a source of information for those who visit the site.