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Nursing Care in Radiation Oncology 2nd Edition. by Karen Dow RN PhD FAAN (Author), Jennifer Dunn Bucholtz RN MS OCN (Author), Ryan R. Iwamoto ARNP MN AOCN (Author), & Be the first to review this item ...Radiation oncology is one of the three major cancer specialties in oncologic medicine. It uses energy from radiation beams, radio isotopes, or charged particles to target tumors and to eradicate cancer cells. Radiation beams are usually generated in treatment machines, such as linear accelerators or high-energy CT scanners. Radiation therapy 101 Goal of therapy. The goal of radiation therapy is to kill cancer cells using the least amount... Typical course of radiation. Radiation usually is given daily for 5 days per week for 5 to 8 weeks. External vs. internal radiation. Radiation therapy may be delivered externally ...RADIOTHERAPY NURSING CARE PLAN (RNCP) Bridging the gap between practice settings ... Epworth Radiation Oncology . OVERVIEW 2 ... support/palliative care •Med Oncology Day Units – concurrent treatment . GAPS 7