

BJR publishes Emergency Radiology Special Feature



This month *BJR* publishes a special feature on emergency radiology. [Volume 89, Issue 1061](#) is guest edited by Professor Mariano Scaglione (President, European Society of Emergency Radiology, Pineta Grande Medical Center, Castel Volturno, Italy).

With organisational and technological advances constantly being made, this is a burgeoning area of clinical interest. Over the last few years emergency imaging has gathered much attention, especially in the wake of several high-profile mass casualty incidents and the coordinated efforts of the healthcare professionals involved.

Highlights include several reviews covering key topics in this area from [advanced imaging techniques in the emergency department](#), and using [ultrasound as a triage tool](#) to [differentiating between accidental and non-accidental paediatric femur fractures in the emergency department](#), [radiation-protection concerns in the emergency setting](#), [using mobile devices for emergency radiology](#) and [more](#).

As well as reviews, this issue features several pieces of cutting-edge research in emergency imaging, including [mass casualty incident workflow analysis from a radiological perspective](#), [dose reduction in whole-body CT for multiple trauma](#) and [using MRI to highlight additional intracranial findings after minor head injury](#).

Guest editor, Professor Mariano Scaglione, says of this issue, “*Today, the major challenge for emergency radiologists is to match the traditional clinical culture of emergency medicine with the many sophisticated technologies, offering a fast and effective contribution in clinical and therapeutic perspective. I hope this collection of themed articles provides a comprehensive overview of where emergency radiology stands now and provides some stimulating opinions and insight on the future direction of this fascinating field of research and clinical practice.*”

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