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### ROBERT N. BERK, M.D., TO HEAD RADIOLOGY AT UT SOUTHWESTERN MEDICAL SCHOOL

Robert Norton Berk, M.D., has assumed duties as chairman of the Department of Radiology at The University of Texas Health Science Center at Dallas. Dr. Berk, also appointed professor of radiology, comes to Southwestern from the University of California, San Diego, School of Medicine, where he was an associate professor and chief of gastrointestinal radiology.

A native of Pittsburgh, Penn., the radiologist is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh and its medical school, where he was awarded the Memorial Prize upon graduation. His internship was done in that city at St. John's Hospital.

Dr. Berk left Pittsburgh to serve as chief of radiology at Castle Air Force Base in Merced, Calif. He later did his residency in radiology at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, Boston, Mass.

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His academic career began as a teaching fellow at Harvard Medical School in 1961. In 1962 he joined the University of Pittsburgh's School of Medicine as an instructor in radiology. He became an assistant professor the following year.

Dr. Berk has also served as chief of radiology at Passavant Hospital in Pittsburgh while serving as a clinical assistant professor at the Pittsburgh School of Medicine.

Since 1969, he has been associate professor of radiology at the University of California's medical school at San Diego. He has also served as consultant in California to Balboa Naval Hospital, San Diego; Veteran's Administration Hospital, La Jolla; and Camp Pendleton Naval Hospital, Oceanside.

The author of numerous medical publications, Dr. Berk is a member of Alpha Omega Alpha, American College of Radiology, Radiological Society of North America, AMERICAN Roentgen Ray Society, Association of University Radiologists, American Gastroenterological Society, Gastrointestinal Radiology Society, Digestive Disease Foundation, American College of Angiology, American Association for the Advancement of Science, the American Federation of Clinical Research and many more.

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