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**Webcast Alert:**

**Advances in Minimally Invasive Medicine, Part II**  
*Interventional Radiology Procedures for Post-Menopausal Women, Cancer, Uterine Fibroids, Pediatrics, and Juvenile Arthritis*

New research on the latest research and trends in minimally invasive medicine will be presented live during a press conference on the following topics:

- **First Study of Uterine Fibroid Embolization for Post-Menopausal Women**  
Non-surgical treatment has high success rate in post-menopausal women suffering pain, constipation and urinary frequency due to fibroids. (Northwestern University)
- **Non-Surgical Thermal Ablation Treats Painful Chest Wall Tumors**  
New non-surgical techniques heat or freeze the cancerous cells, which kills the tumor and nerve endings in the vicinity that were causing pain. (Brown University)
- **Study Compares Complication of Surgical and Non-Surgical Treatments for Uterine Fibroids**  
Major complications, infections and pulmonary embolisms were tracked in 313 women who underwent various treatments for symptomatic fibroids. (Scarborough Hospital)
- **Laser Provides Children with Less Painful Treatment for Vascular Malformations**  
Interventional radiologists adapt existing non-surgical laser technology to treat painful and disfiguring vein defect. (Boston Children's Hospital)

What: 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting of the Society of Interventional Radiology

When: Monday, April 3 2006 at 9 a.m., ET

Where: <http://www.videonewswire.com/event.asp?id=32803>

How: Live over the Internet -- Log on to the Web at the address above.

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Interventional radiologists are board-certified physicians who specialize in minimally invasive, targeted treatments. They use X-rays, MRI and other imaging to advance a catheter in the body, usually in an artery, to treat at the source of the disease non-surgically. Local interviews, medical illustrations and video footage are available.

**Minimum Requirements to Listen to Broadcast:**

The Windows Media Player software, downloadable free from  
<http://www.microsoft.com> and at least a 56Kbps connection to the Internet.

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