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Japanese medicos here for rad-assessment

A team of Japanese medical people are here doing a radiation assessment of Rongelap Islanders who lived on nuclear test-affected atoll between 1957 and 1985. This week they are checking people's teeth to evaluate internal radiation doses, which is said to be a similar detection method used with Japanese atomic bomb survivors. Pictured, clockwise from front: Elen Boas, Yukishige Watanabe , Lijon Eknilang, Dr. Takada Jun, Senator Abacca Anjain-Maddison, Nerje Joseph, Rinok Riklon, Namiko Anjain, Taniko Shimizu and Kosang Mizutani.