

Table 1. Iodine intake and the presentation of thyroid cancer.

Thyroid Cancer and Iodine Status	Williams et al 1977 ⁹
Lower Iodine Intake (Aberdeen, Scotland)	
Relatively greater prevalence of Follicular variant	
Higher Iodine Intake(Iceland)	
Relatively greater prevalence of Papillary variant	
Change in presentation of thyroid cancer	Harach et al 1985 ¹⁴
Following iodine prophylaxis (Argentina; Tasmania)	Burgess et al 2002 ²
Increased prevalence of Thyroid Carcinoma and Papillary variant in Scotland	Reynolds et al 2005 ¹⁶
Ratio of Follicular and Anaplastic to Papillary Thyroid Carcinoma greater in iodine deficient regions of Sicily	Belfiore et al 1987 ¹⁷
Increase in Thyroid Carcinoma in France (Mainly Papillary)	Leenhardt et al 2004 ¹⁸
Increased rate of thyroid cancer following the Chernobyl accident occurred in areas of low dietary iodine intake	Robbins et al 2001 ⁷
