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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE Radiologic Sciences (BSRS)

The BSRS program offers students an opportunity to develop the knowledge and skills necessary to become radiologic technologists. Radiologic Sciences is a healthcare profession combining state-of-the-art technology and imaging techniques with human compassion to provide a rewarding career. Through the use of ionizing radiation, radiologic technologists produce diagnostic images used for the diagnosis and treatment of disease and injury. As professionals, radiographers are required to observe the ethical and professional standards expected of all persons involved in caring for patients in health care settings.

Employment Opportunities

Many career opportunities are available in radiologic sciences. Graduates of the program are eligible to take the ARRT certification examination in radiography. After successful completion of the certification examination, graduates have the opportunity for employment in hospitals, doctor's offices, outpatient clinics, or other health services facilities. Areas for advancement include, but are not limited to: Radiation Therapy, Ultrasound, Mammography, Nuclear Medicine, Computed Tomography, Cardiovascular, Magnetic Resonance Imaging, and Angiography.

Clinical Experiences

The radiologic sciences program utilizes a variety of settings including hospitals, clinics, and out-patient imaging facilities. The radiologic sciences program maintains clinical partnerships with some of the best health care organizations in Louisiana and the nation.

Our program maintains affiliation contracts with numerous clinical education settings in Shreveport, Alexandria, and surrounding areas in Louisiana. Students are exposed to a wide variety of experiences including surgery, routine radiography, orthopedic, pediatric, computed tomography, magnetic resonance imaging, nuclear medicine, ultrasound, radiation therapy, cardiovascular, and other imaging related areas.











BSRS Curriculum Concentration: Radiography

FRESHMAN YEAR	SOPHOMORE YEAR
English Composition I & II	Communication
Math (6 hours)	Fine Arts
University Studies	Science
Anatomy & Physiology and lab I & II	Behavioral Science
Medical Terminology	Computer Information Systems
Culture & Ethics	English Literature
History	Introduction to Imaging Sciences
	Radiographic Principles
	Radiographic Positioning I
	Patient Care & Pharmacology
	Clinical Radiography I
	Clinical Radiography I
JUNIOR YEAR	Clinical Radiography I SENIOR YEAR
JUNIOR YEAR Clinical Radiography II, III, IV	
	SENIOR YEAR
Clinical Radiography II, III, IV	SENIOR YEAR Clinical Radiography V & VI
Clinical Radiography II, III, IV Radiographic Positioning II	SENIOR YEAR Clinical Radiography V & VI Introduction to Health Care Quality
Clinical Radiography II, III, IV Radiographic Positioning II Imaging Principles	SENIOR YEAR Clinical Radiography V & VI Introduction to Health Care Quality Advanced Radiographic Procedures
Clinical Radiography II, III, IV Radiographic Positioning II Imaging Principles Sectional Anatomy	SENIOR YEAR Clinical Radiography V & VI Introduction to Health Care Quality Advanced Radiographic Procedures Advanced Special Imaging
Clinical Radiography II, III, IV Radiographic Positioning II Imaging Principles Sectional Anatomy Advanced Patient Care	SENIOR YEAR Clinical Radiography V & VI Introduction to Health Care Quality Advanced Radiographic Procedures Advanced Special Imaging Advanced Practices in Radiography
Clinical Radiography II, III, IV Radiographic Positioning II Imaging Principles Sectional Anatomy Advanced Patient Care Radiation Protection	SENIOR YEAR Clinical Radiography V & VI Introduction to Health Care Quality Advanced Radiographic Procedures Advanced Special Imaging Advanced Practices in Radiography Healthcare Organization & Management



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