DIPLOMA IN MAMMOGRAPHY TECHNOLOGIST

CIP Code: 51-0919

Program Mission

The Mammography Technologist Training program at Stellar Career College aims to prepare students as well-trained X-ray imaging experts. With a combination of didactic coursework and clinical skills, the course will equip you to qualify for ARRT advanced certification in mammography.

Our Mammography Technologist diploma further aims to cater to radiology students and professionals who want to pursue specialization in this field. Through this program, you can acquire the education, skills, training, and expertise to excel in your desired career.

After completion, you can choose from various job possibilities, whether you want to assist doctors, physicians, or surgeons or become a part of healthcare service-providing centers.

Program Description

Mammography is a preferred and long-in-use radiographic technique for visualizing abnormalities within breasts. This method, also known as X-ray examination, is conducted to diagnose cancer, tumors, lumps, and other diseases. Amid the increasing industry demand, Stellar Career College offers a Diploma In Mammography Technologist for students desiring to qualify as licensed x-ray technologists.

Our Mammography Technologist Diploma Program Indiana is a 10-month course encompassing imaging procedures, Quality Control (QC) standards, and patient care guidelines. With a hybrid learning mode approach, you can take didactic coursework through virtual technologies while laboratory courses will be offered using on-site format of instruction delivery. In addition, Stellar Career College offers clinical externships to students, which is mandatory for completing the Mammography Technologist course.

Students completing Diploma in Mammography Technologist program while adhering to their obligations and the institution's requirements will earn an Approved Stellar Career College Certificate of Completion.

Program Details

Course Duration
10 Months
Quarter Credit Hours
41.50

Program Curriculum

- **Technical Courses** 41.50 Quarter Credit Hours

Program Learning Outcomes

The students of specialized Diploma in Mammography Technologist program will:

- Be able to apply radiation safety in the clinical setting
- Understand the functionality of the Mammography machine
- Acquire skills required to perform X-ray examination
- Qualify to interpret orders for diagnostic imaging procedures
- Demonstrate effective communication in a healthcare
- Apply learning to professional development in computed tomography field

Program Career Opportunity

At Stellar Career College, the Diploma In Mammography Technologist program prepares students for entry into the healthcare workforce and opens an array of career opportunities within the medicare sector.

The potential job possibilities for graduates of Mammography Technologist diploma include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Mammography Technologist
2. Mammographer - Imaging
3. Mammography Technologist II - Radio
4. Radiological/Mammography Technologist
5. Diagnostic Radiologic Technologist Mammography
6. Manager of Mammography Center
7. Chief Technologist, Mammography
8. Mammography Technologist Outpatient Imaging
9. Mammography Coordinator

10. Radiology Supervisor

Program Completion

A diploma will be awarded to those students who will successfully complete all required courses as per college's Satisfactory Academic Requirements and fulfill their financial obligation towards the college.

To become eligible to challenge the national certification exam in Mammography through ARRT, students must complete the following requirements:

- Complete Stellar Career College's ARRT-recognized educational program in Mammography
- Must demonstrate competency in formal classroom education (didactic coursework), and program's clinical requirements.

ARRT Obligations

ARRT enforces high standards of ethics and professional conduct. Students must comply with everything in the ARRT Standards of Ethics, including the Rules of Ethics. You must notify ARRT of any ethics violations within 30 calendar days of their occurrence, Applicants who don't follow these rules might become ineligible. Several types of misconduct, charges, and convictions may violate ARRT's Rules of Ethics. For further details on this matter, please refer to ARRT's handbook, which is available at arrt.org.

Program Format

The College will offer this program using the Hybrid format of instruction delivery. Didactic courses will be taught using online and virtual technologies, while laboratory courses will be offered using virtual technologies and/or on-site format of instruction delivery. The students will complete required clinical hours and competencies at their respective clinical sites.

Program Certification

Graduates who will meet additional requirements, including but not limited to ethics requirements, of the credentialing agency will be eligible to challenge the national certification exam to become certified by passing the credentialing examination.