

**BAPTIST HEALTH SYSTEM SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL IMAGING TECHNOLOGY
RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM INFORMATION**

THE PROGRAM

The Radiologic Technology program is administered through the Department of Medical Imaging Technology. The program curriculum is a 5-semester Associates Degree completion. Upon completion of the program, graduates are registry eligible with the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) in Radiologic Technology (RT).

DELIVERY OPTIONS

Blended I Delivery

All general education courses and Introduction to Imaging and Patient care are delivered in an online format. All other radiology courses and laboratory are delivered in residential (on campus) format.

Blended II Delivery

All general education and radiology courses are delivered online. Laboratory is delivered residential (on campus) format. RADR 2235 Radiologic Technology Seminar is delivered in residential (on campus) format.

Laboratory for Both Delivery Options

Three procedure courses (RADR 1311 Basic Radiographic Procedures, RADR 2401 Intermediate Radiographic Procedures, RADR 2431 Advanced Radiographic Procedures) have a required laboratory component that must be physically attended on campus. Your laboratory will be held two days a week on campus during each procedures courses. Transportation, food, lodging and any other expenses incurred by the student to attend these labs are the sole responsibility of the student.

Clinical for Both Delivery Options

The clinical practicum occurs within the clinical arena – either at a hospital, outpatient imaging center, or physician's office. The students are required to complete their clinical hours as outlined below:

1. Clinical I (8 weeks): 144 hours-6 hours a day, 3 days a week, Mon/Wed/Fri (Hours vary by location. Evenings hours might be assigned.)
2. Clinical II (16 weeks): 432 hours-9 hours a day, 4 days a week, Mon-Thur (Hours vary by location. Evenings hours might be assigned.)
3. Clinical III (16 weeks): 432 hours-9 hours a day, 4 days a week, Mon-Thur (Hours vary by location. Evenings hours might be assigned.)

The clinical days/times are mandatory and the students must arrange their schedules accordingly to ensure attendance as outlined by each course syllabus. The students are scheduled at a certain site by the Clinical Coordinator, and will rotate clinical sites as mandated by the coordinator.

PROGRAM GOALS & OUTCOMES

1. The program will prepare competent entry-level registry-eligible radiologic technologists.
 - Students will apply positioning skills.
 - Students will select appropriate technical factors.
2. Students will communicate effectively.
 - Students will use effective oral communication skills.
 - Students will practice written communication skills.
3. Students will demonstrate critical thinking.
 - Students will analyze images.
 - Students will be able handle difficult situations in a trauma or pediatric setting.
 - Students will be able handle difficult situations in a pediatric setting.
4. Students will model professionalism.
 - Students will demonstrate professional behavior
 - Students will demonstrate professionalism with patients.
 - Students will demonstrate professional and ethical behavior.

The mission of the Radiologic Technology Program is to train entry-level technologists who are competent and knowledgeable in providing quality radiographs in a safe patient environment.