Radiography, AAS

Award Granted: Associate in Applied Science Credits/Contacts Required: **61/63** Major Code: 376 CIP Code: 510911

Description

The Radiography Program is offered through a partnership between Bay College and the Michigan Workforce Training and Education Collaborative (MWTEC). Educational Programs in Collaboration (EPiC) consortium for the purpose of sharing instructional resources to offer healthcare program. Each college enrolls students in the program under the college's admission criteria and each awards the degree according to that college's requirements.

The curriculum is formulated on the principle that the student radiographer's education should blend knowledge and skills derived from a program of studies including the humanities, natural sciences, mathematics, social sciences, computer sciences, health principles, and communication skills with radiography principles in developing the skills needed to enter the field as a beginning practitioner. As a member of the patient-oriented team of health occupation specialists, the radiographer utilizes basic knowledge and skills to contribute to patient care in the provision of diagnostic services as indicated by patient needs.

All EPiC Consortium Radiography program partners are accredited by the Higher Learning Commission. Upon completion of the program, the students will complete the ARRT Radiography Certification exam (www.arrt.org).

Requirements for Radiography Program

Prior to entrance into the program, the Bay College Department of Allied Health requires students to successfully pass the following: criminal background check, a drug test, American Heart Association BLS for the Healthcare Provider, and the Certificate of Physical Fitness Form completed by your physician. Along with the Certification of Fitness, students must also have proof they are immunized for specific contagious diseases. Facilities may have additional requirements, which a student will also need to meet and is communicated to students by the department. The Department of Allied Health has the student orders a background check, drug screening, and immunization tracker. This package & liability insurance is billed in your first semester tuition. The program requires specific technology requirements that may require the purchase of a specific computer that will run the required simulation software.

General Education Requirements (Min 24 Credits)

- BIOL 213 Anatomy & Physiology I Credits: 4
- BIOL 214 Anatomy & Physiology II Credits: 4
- COMM 103 Interpersonal Communication Credits: 3
- ENGL 101 Rhetoric & Composition Credits: 3

Program Requirements (Min 37 Credits)

- RAD 100 Introduction to Rad Tech Credits: 3
- RAD 110 Radiation Physics Credits: 2
- RAD 113 Radiation Biology Credit: 1
- RAD 115 Principles of Rad. Exposure Credits: 3
- RAD 130 Radiographic Positioning I Credits: 4
- RAD 175 Radiographic Positioning II Credits: 3
- RAD 180 Clinical Education I Credits: 3

- HLTH 118 Medical Terminology I Credits: 3
- MATH 110 College Algebra Credits: 4
- SOCY 151 Sociology Credits: 3
- RAD 201 Clinical Issues in Radiography I Credits: 3
- RAD 205 Clinical Education II Credits: 3
- RAD 211 Sectional Anatomy Credits: 3
- RAD 213 Radiation Protection Credit: 1
- RAD 217 Advancements in Imaging Credits: 2
- RAD 221 Clinical Issues in Radiography II Credits: 3
- RAD 250 Clinical Education III Credits: 3

Suggested Sequence Per Semester

First Semester

- BIOL 213 Anatomy & Physiology I Credits: 4
- HLTH 118 Medical Terminology I Credits: 3

First Semester Total - Credit(s): 7 | Contacts: 8

Second Semester

- BIOL 214 Anatomy & Physiology II Credits: 4
- ENGL 101 Rhetoric & Composition Credits: 3
- RAD 100 Introduction to Rad Tech Credits: 3
- RAD 110 Radiation Physics Credits: 2
- RAD 113 Radiation Biology Credit: 1

Second Semester Total - Credit(s): 13 | Contacts: 14

Third Semester

- COMM 103 Interpersonal Communication Credits: 3
- MATH 110 College Algebra Credits: 4
- RAD 115 Principles of Rad. Exposure Credits: 3
- RAD 130 Radiographic Positioning I Credits: 4
- RAD 213 Radiation Protection Credit: 1

Third Semester Total - Credit(s): 15 | Contacts: 15

Fourth Semester

- RAD 175 Radiographic Positioning II Credits: 3
- RAD 180 Clinical Education I Credits: 3

Fourth Semester Total - Credit(s): 6 | Contacts: 6

Fifth Semester

- RAD 201 Clinical Issues in Radiography I Credits: 3
- RAD 205 Clinical Education II Credits: 3
- RAD 217 Advancements in Imaging Credits: 2
- SOCY 151 Sociology Credits: 3

Fifth Semester Total - Credit(s): 11 | Contacts: 11

Sixth Semester

- RAD 211 Sectional Anatomy Credits: 3
- RAD 221 Clinical Issues in Radiography II Credits: 3
- RAD 250 Clinical Education III Credits: 3

Sixth Semester Total - Credit(s): 9 | Contacts: 9