Radiologic Technology Program
Competitive Entry Criteria

Effective Fall 2013, the Radiologic Technology Program will be an A.A.S. program

Important dates for the Radiologic Technology Program:

- Students may begin Radiologic Technology core courses any semester.
- Formal admission to the Radiologic Technology program begins each Fall.
- End of Spring semester – deadline for completion of all pre-selection Radiologic Technology core courses.
- June – scheduling of mandatory interviews for applicants who have completed all pre-selection Radiologic Technology core classes. Applicants failing to contact the Program Director or attend the mandatory interview will be removed from the list of applicants.
- July – notification of acceptance for Fall semester.
- July – program orientation session for students who have been selected into the program.

Student Selection Criteria

In order to be considered for selection into the Radiologic Technology Program, a student must complete the following pre-selection Radiologic Technology core courses with a grade of “C” or higher:

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<td>ENGL 1101</td>
<td>Composition and Rhetoric</td>
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<td>MATH 1111</td>
<td>College Algebra</td>
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<td>BIOL 2113 and BIOL 2113L</td>
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<td>Anatomy and Physiology II with lab</td>
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<td>ALHS 1090</td>
<td>Medical Terminology for Allied Health Sciences</td>
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<td>RADT 1010</td>
<td>Introduction to Radiology</td>
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Note that in addition to the above courses, the following core courses are also required for the degree. **Students are strongly encouraged to complete the courses listed below prior to the Fall semester.**

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<td>Introductory Psychology</td>
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<td>COMP 1000</td>
<td>Introduction to Computers</td>
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<td>SPCH 1101</td>
<td>Public Speaking</td>
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<tr>
<td>ENGL 2130 or HUMN 1110</td>
<td>American Literature or Introduction to Humanities</td>
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Program selection is limited to 15 students.

1. **GPA** will count 70% of the total score. A minimum of a 2.75 GPA in the pre-selection core courses is required to be eligible for the selection process.

2. **Interview Score** will count 30% of the total score. The three interviewers’ scores will be totaled and divided by 3 for the overall interview score.

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• If any Radiologic Technology core course is repeated, the highest grade earned will be used to calculate the GPA.
• Transfer courses will be averaged at the grade received from the transfer institution. However, if a student subsequently takes the course at OTC, the OTC course grade will be used.
• Exempted courses will be assigned a grade based on the score of the exemption exam.
• Groups of exact overall scores are ranked according to date of application. If a student initially applies for the Radiologic Technology program, changes his or her choice to a different program, and then changes back to the Radiologic Technology program, the most recent date of change will be honored.
• If additional criteria are necessary to rank Radiologic Technology applicants, those applicants who have completed any allied health programs (CNA, phlebotomy, etc.) are ranked ahead of those with no medical experience.
• If a student completes a Student Information Change Form indicating a change in major during the selection process, his or her name will be removed from the list of applicants.

Program Requirements

Health Packet: Physical exam and eye exam. Students must show proof of MMR, DPT, PPD, and Hepatitis B vaccinations or sign a declination form, and American Heart Association CPR for Healthcare Providers card.

After acceptance into the program, students are responsible for completing a criminal background check and drug screen through PreCheck as required by clinical facilities before beginning any clinical rotations. Students will be charged a dosimeter fee when registering for any radiology clinical class.

Students who earn a grade below “C” in any Radiologic Technology course will be dropped from the program and will be required to complete a readmission application to re-enter the program.

Students seeking readmission must be in good academic standing and must abide by the competitive entry criteria in place at the time of the application for readmission. The date of the readmission application will be used in the selection process.

Radiologic Technology program core courses required by the competitive entry criteria will not have to be repeated. All other Radiologic Technology program courses previously completed must be repeated. Students will be granted readmission to the same program only once.

All selections are reviewed and approved for compliance with these criteria by the Vice President for Student Services.

Accreditation

The Radiologic Technology program at Okefenokee Technical College is accredited by: JRCERT, 20 N. Wacker Drive, Suite 2850, Chicago, IL 60606-3182, Phone: (312) 704-5300, Fax: (312)704-5304, mail@jrcert.org.

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