Fall 2023 Accepted Candidate Information

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<th>Program Start Date: Fall 2023</th>
<th>Diagnostic Medical Sonography</th>
<th>Radiation Therapy</th>
<th>Radiologic Technology</th>
<th>Nuclear Medicine Technology BS</th>
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<td>Number of Applicants</td>
<td>55</td>
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<td>Number of Candidates Interviewed</td>
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<td>Number Selected for 2023</td>
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<td>Number Accepted Early for 2024</td>
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<td>Average College GPA</td>
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**Job Shadowing Notes:**
- Highly recommended as a method for students to learn about Radiation Sciences and help determine the program(s) of interest.
- Applicants will enter the details of their job shadowing experiences on the program application.
- During the application process, a score is awarded according to the applicant’s career understanding.
- The quality of the shadowing may be further evaluated during the interview.
- A minimum of 6 hours is recommended for the Diagnostic Medical Sonography and Radiologic Technology programs.
- Job shadowing hours for the Radiation Therapy and Nuclear Medicine Technology programs typically range from 10-20.

**Patient Care Experience Notes:**
- Hands-on patient care experience is highly recommended as a method for students to learn about a healthcare environment, become comfortable in a caregiving role, and gain patient communication skills.
- Applicants will enter the details of their patient care experience on the program application.
- During the application process, a score is awarded according to the type and length of experience:
  - no patient care experience
  - little patient care (reception desk, etc.)
  - little training but direct patient care (volunteer in the hospital or nursing home helping take care of patients – transport, etc.)
  - training and direct patient care (CNA program) – this is the best option
- Nearly 100% of accepted candidates in previous years have had patient care experience.
- The average number of patient care experience hours varies greatly among accepted candidates (200-800+ hours on average).
- Total hours range from 30-4,000 across all programs. Many had completed a CNA program.