

RADIOLOGIC SCIENCE OBSERVATION EVALUATION

Application Deadline – MAY 15, 2020

When applying to the Radiologic Science program, you must complete a total of 8 observation hours.

Options include 8 total hospital hours OR 4 hospital hours + 4 outpatient facility hours.

COMPLETE HOURS EARLY: *Sites may begin turning students away beginning Sept. through April due to high demand.*

Hours are completed under the supervision of a Registered Radiographer in any:

- Major inner-city hospital
- Small rural hospital
- Radiology outpatient facility (i.e. hospital, outpatient clinic, or imaging center)
 - Must be a radiology site. Not, for example, nuclear medicine, pediatrician, primary care doctor, podiatrist, etc.

How to contact the site – COTC GATEWAY Academic Advisors do NOT have contact names or phone numbers.

1. Call the supervisor of the Radiology/Imaging Department to ask to speak with the Student Coordinator. Explain that you are an applicant for the Radiologic Science program at COTC.
2. Request an appointment to observe for either a 4 or an 8 hour increment in the department(s).

At the Site

1. Wear appropriate professional attire, such as dress slacks, dress, etc. Do not wear t-shirts, revealing clothing, tennis shoes, blue jeans, shorts, or sweat pants.
2. Conduct yourself professionally and courteously.
3. Cell phone usage limited for emergencies only.
4. Asking professional questions are encouraged NOT in Patient areas.
5. Ask the radiographer to verify your attendance by completing the online observation evaluation.

ONLINE OBSERVATION EVALUATION MUST BE COMPLETED BY EACH FACILITY/DEPARTMENT.

- If you complete 4 hours in the hospital radiology department and then you complete 4 hours in an outpatient facility, you must have 2 separate Observation Evaluation forms completed.

The application deadline for observation hours and evaluation documentation is May 15, 2020