

ROBERT J. HOCHSTIM
SCHOOL OF RADIOGRAPHY
PROGRAM EFFECTIVENESS DATA

■ **MISSION OF THE SCHOOL OF RADIOGRAPHY**

The *MISSION* of the Robert J. Hochstim School of Radiography is to provide the students with an education to become competent entry level radiographers that will provide the highest quality of professionalism, academic, technical and clinical competence in providing healthcare service to our patients and community.

■ **GOALS OF THE SCHOOL OF RADIOGRAPHY**

Goal 1: Students will demonstrate clinical competence.

Student Learning Outcomes:

- Students will select appropriate technical factors for imaging studies
- Students will apply appropriate positioning skills
- Students will practice and apply appropriate radiation protection

Goal 2: Students will exhibit professionalism.

Student Learning Outcomes:

- Students will utilize professional judgment
- Students will understand the significance of being punctual and in adhering to proper attendance policies

Goal 3: Students will develop effective communication skills.

Student Learning Outcomes:

- Students will demonstrate effective verbal communication skills with patients and with peers
- Students will demonstrate effective written communication skills with patients and with peers

Goal 4: Students will be able to critically think effectively and problem solve in the performance of their duties.

Student Learning Outcomes:

- Students will demonstrate an organized approach to non routine studies.
- Students will constructively evaluate radiographic images.

■ **SPONSORSHIP**

For more than 75 years, South Nassau Communities Hospital has dedicated itself to quality healthcare services for residents of western Long Island's south shores. As a progressive teaching hospital, South Nassau offers varied comprehensive services to meet the health care needs of all stages of life. Many medical specialties are represented at the hospital and are supported by advanced diagnostic, therapeutic, and rehabilitative approaches. South Nassau places significant emphasis on public education, clinical research, support groups and counseling programs. The hospital has achieved its reputation as a center for medical excellence by following the principles of caring, innovation, and commitment by "touching lives, one patient at a time".

■ **ACCREDITATION**

The School of Radiography is accredited by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT) 20 North Wacker Drive, Suite 2850, Chicago, IL, 60606-3182, (312)-704-5300, www.jrcert.org, mail@jrcert.org}, and registered by the New York State Department of Health Bureau of Environmental Radiation Protection (NYSDOH-BERP), Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, 12th Floor, Room 1221, Albany, NY., 12237, (518)402-7580 (www.health.ny.gov). The program maintains an 8 year accreditation status.

■ **DATA COMPILATION**

The program effectiveness data is compiled from surveys that are sent to both graduates and then their employers within twelve months after graduation. The data is compiled in accordance with the JRCERT requirements as follows:

FIRST TIME PASS RATE OF AMERICAN REGISTRY OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS (ARRT) CREDENTIALING EXAMINATION		
YEAR	1st ATTEMPT PASS RATE	NUMBER OF GRADUATES
2014	100%	10 of 10 students passed on the first attempt
2015	100%	10 of 10 students passed on the first attempt
2016	89%	8 of 9 students passed on the first attempt
2017	100%	6 of 6 students passed on the first attempt
2018	100%	10 of 10 students passed on the first attempt
5 YEAR AVERAGE*	99%	*Will not be less than 75% at first attempt within twelve months of graduation

JOB PLACEMENT RATE		
YEAR	JOB PLACEMENT RATE	NUMBER OF GRADUATES
2014	100%	7 of 10 graduates returned graduate survey 7 of 7 are employed
2015	100%	6 of 10 graduates returned graduate survey 6 of 6 are employed
2016	100%	4 of 9 graduates returned graduate survey 4 of 4 are employed
2017	100%	5 of 6 graduates returned graduate survey 5 of 5 are employed
2018	100%	2 of 10 graduates returned graduate survey
5 YEAR AVERAGE*	100%	*Will not be less than 75% within twelve months of graduation(*Actively seeking employment)

PROGRAM COMPLETION RATE		
YEAR	COMPLETION RATE	NUMBER OF STUDENTS
2014	100%	10 students began, 10 students graduated
2015	100%	10 students began, 10 students graduated
2016	100%	9 students began, 9 students graduated
2017	60%	10 students began, 6 students graduated
2018	100%	10 students began, 10 students graduated
5 YEAR AVERAGE*	92%	*Will not be less than 75% within twelve months of graduation

For more information regarding program effectiveness data visit www.jrcert.org