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CERTIFICATE - CODE #3061

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The certificate program in magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) is an upperlevel, online program that will produce graduates, who are capable of working under the supervision of a physician, and who are proficient in the application of magnetic resonance imaging equipment and techniques to gather critical radiologic data to enable the diagnosis of a variety of conditions and diseases.

The program targets the acquisition of specialized MRI certification by placebound college graduates currently employed in the medical field as licensed radiological technologists. It will consist of 15 credits total, delivered online, over a minimum of two academic semesters.

The curriculum will include: Instruction in pathologic data recording; magnetic resonance imaging data processing; magnetic resonance imaging equipment operation; and professional standards and ethics. Students in the program will complete didactic courses online, as well as clinical rotations at designated hospitals and imaging centers.

ADVANTAGES

The MRI certificate program targets existing radiologic technologists who wish to expand and diversity their clinical skills within the healthcare market place. With the exception of the clinical requirement, the program is designed to be an online experience.

CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Students may transfer directly into one of our own BS or BTech degree programs or to another college.

Occupational Opportunities

- Clinics
- Diagnostic medical centers
- Government agencies
- Hospitals
- · Private physician offices

EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

Employment of magnetic resonance imaging employment statistics not available for this new program

RELATED PROGRAMS

Health Sciences Interdisciplinary Studies Healthcare Management

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS

Required: Associate degree in radiologic technology from an accredited program or certificate of completion from JRCERT program. Must provide proof of ARRT certification.

OFFICE OF ACCESSIBILITY SERVICES

Students who believe they need a reasonable accommodation to properly participate in this program may contact Melanie Ryan in the

Office of Accessibility Services. This office may be contacted by email at oas@alfredstate.edu or by phone at 607-587-4506. Please keep in mind that some accommodations may take time to implement, so students seeking accommodations are encouraged to contact OAS as early as possible.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

A tier 1 laptop computer is required for students entering this degree program. Laptop specifications are available at www.alfredstate.edu/required-laptops.

MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING - CERTIFICATE

TWO-SEMESTER PROGRAM

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IMSC	6603	MRI Imaging II	3
IMSC	6303	MRI Clinical I	3
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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 16 total semester credit hours
- 2.0 minimum cumulative grade point average
- Approval of department faculty