PROGRAM OVERVIEW
Radiographers are experts in the performance of examinations requiring the use of x-rays and skilled in the use of highly complex computerized equipment. Their responsibility is to produce a quality x-ray image (radiographs) of the internal parts of the body for diagnostic interpretation by a physician (radiologist). Graduates are eligible to apply to sit for the national certification examination in radiography from the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. GPA of 2.50 or higher
A minimum 2.50 cumulative GPA is required in all coursework taken at any accredited institutions. Although a 2.5 GPA is the minimum, the average GPA of admitted students is higher.

2. Prerequisite Courses
All prerequisite courses or their equivalents must be completed with a C- or higher by the end of spring term, 2021.

3. Online Application
The application is available online, which must be completed and submitted with all required supplemental documents if applicable. Application FAQ can be found here.

4. Observation Hours
Due to COVID-19 restrictions in the hospital departments, observation hours will not be required by the Radiologic Sciences and Therapy Division but suggested if a clinical site will allow students to observe. In lieu of observation hours, the Radiologic Sciences and Therapy Division is requiring applicants to complete the American Society of Radiologic Technology R.T.101 – “Introduction to Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Modalities”. At the completion of the module, print out a certificate of completion with your name and the date you viewed the module. The certificate of completion should be uploaded into your professional application.

A personal interview will be offered to competitive applicants. Knowledge of the profession and personal career goals will be evaluated at that time. The program will give individual consideration in the admission assessment to courses taken and applicant experiences.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS
The minimum total hours to graduate from The Ohio State University with a Bachelor’s of Science in Health and Rehabilitation Sciences is 120 credit hours. The Radiography program requires 140 credit hours, not including HTHRHS 1100.01.

Students should reference their degree audit to ensure they are completing all required components of the degree program. This includes general education, program prerequisites, and professional curriculum. The curriculum includes all knowledge and practical skills required for professional credentialing.
The above plan demonstrates how students may complete the Radiation Therapy program in nine semesters including one summer term. There is flexibility in when a student may take courses in years one and two. However, in years three and four, the curriculum is more structured with only limited ability to change. It is assumed that students following this plan who are admitted to the program will begin professional coursework autumn semester of year three.

The professional curriculum is completed in sequence and there is no provision for part-time or evening-only enrollment.

Students who intend to transfer credit to Ohio State may view how credit is accepted on Transferology.com.

Questions?
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