DEMAND IS RISING FOR SKILLED RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS!
The ever-evolving field of radiography uses the latest technology to produce diagnostic images that allow doctors to effectively diagnose and treat patients. Tidewater Community College’s radiography program prepares you to work with patients of all ages and conditions in settings that range from hospitals to imaging centers to clinics and doctors’ offices, where you will be an integral member of a skilled health care team.

Our program—featuring specialized courses in radiography with concentrated study in the basic sciences, mathematics and general education—prepares you to be a radiologic technologist, working side by side with imaging professionals in the clinical setting every day. You’ll learn on the same state-of-the-art imaging equipment used by hospitals and care facilities in TCC’s $32 million Regional Health Professions Center which incorporates a wide range of teaching labs that simulate real-world medical environments, including a doctor’s office, ambulance bays, and specialized labs with human patient simulators.

PROGRAMS

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE IN RADIOGRAPHY
Complete in as few as 6 semesters / 72 credits
You’ll take classes on anatomy, equipment, radiation safety, radiation protection and basic patient care, gaining the hands-on expertise and soft communication skills required to be successful on-the-job.

SELECTIVE ADMISSION
To qualify for this competitive program, you will need to apply to TCC and indicate that you intend to pursue Radiography, then complete and submit the Health Professions Program Application by December 18th for admission in May the following year. Information sessions are held the third Thursday of each month at 3PM (except December) on the Virginia Beach Campus. Admission to the college does not guarantee admission to the radiography program. If admitted, students must meet certain conditions for continuance.

CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE IN COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY
Complete in as few as 2 semesters / 9 credits
This program allows registered radiography, radiation therapy and nuclear medicine technologists and qualified senior TCC radiography students to sit for the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) advanced certification in computed tomography. Note: Credits from this program do not stack towards the associate degree. Applications are due by July 3rd.

TCC FAST FACT
QUALIFY TO SIT FOR ONE OR MORE EXAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE AMERICAN REGISTRY OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS.

POSSIBLE CAREER PATHS
You can find immediate employment working as a radiologic technologist following completion of the program.

IS THIS PROGRAM FOR YOU?
Yes, if you:
- have excellent communication skills
- have an aptitude for math and science
- enjoy working with patients

PROGRAM AVAILABILITY
- Virginia Beach