

# what can I do with a degree in... radiography



## OCCUPATIONAL TITLES

- Radiographer
- Radiologic Technologist and Technician
- Cardiovascular Technologist and Technician
- Diagnostic Medical Sonographer
- Nuclear Medicine Technologist
- Medical Technologist
- College/University Professor or Instructor\*
- Staff Technologist
- Staff Specialist
- Supervisor
- Chief Radiologic Technologist

\*May require additional education and/or training

## EMPLOYMENT SETTINGS

- Private and government hospitals
- Physician offices and clinics
- Diagnostic imaging centers
- Colleges/Universities
- State and local public health departments
- U.S. Armed Forces
- Public or school health programs
- Vocational and technical institutes

## TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES

- Take x-rays and administer non-radioactive materials into patient's bloodstream for diagnostic purposes
- Perform complex imaging procedures
- Follow regulations concerning use of radiation
- Maintain patients' records
- Adjust and maintain equipment
- Prepare work schedules
- Evaluate equipment purchases
- Manage a radiology department

## SKILLS & ABILITIES

- Physical stamina
- Ability to use diagnostic machines
- Sensitivity to patients' physical and psychological needs
- Attention to detail
- Ability to follow instructions
- Work well with others and in a team
- Mechanical ability
- Manual dexterity

## INTERNET SITES AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- Radiography.com: [www.radiography.com](http://www.radiography.com)
- RTJobs.com: [www.rtjobs.com](http://www.rtjobs.com)
- ASRT Job Bank: [www.artofsearch.com/site\\_templates/ASRT/index.asp?aff=ASRT&SPLD=ASRT](http://www.artofsearch.com/site_templates/ASRT/index.asp?aff=ASRT&SPLD=ASRT)
- State Licensure Requirements:  
→ [www.asrt.org/other\\_categories/government\\_relations/licensure\\_table.pdf](http://www.asrt.org/other_categories/government_relations/licensure_table.pdf)
- Continuing Education Requirements: [www.asrt.org/other\\_categories/government\\_relations/ce\\_table.pdf](http://www.asrt.org/other_categories/government_relations/ce_table.pdf)
- "What Does a Radiographer Do?": [www.nhscareers.nhs.uk/nhs-knowledge\\_base/data/4771.html](http://www.nhscareers.nhs.uk/nhs-knowledge_base/data/4771.html)
- American Society of Radiologic Technologists: [www.asrt.org/asrt.htm](http://www.asrt.org/asrt.htm)
- American Registry of Radiologic Technologists: [www.arrt.org](http://www.arrt.org)
- American College of Radiography: [www.acr.org](http://www.acr.org)
- American Roentgen Ray Society: [www.arrs.org](http://www.arrs.org)
- Radiological Society of North America: [www.rsna.org](http://www.rsna.org)
- Society of Skeletal Radiology: [www.skeletalrad.org](http://www.skeletalrad.org)