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RE: Program #2426

Previous Accreditation Status: 8 Years
Most Recent Site Visit: 02/2025

Dear Mr. Long:

The Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT) appreciated the opportunity to evaluate the certificate radiography program sponsored Hancock Health/Hancock Regional Hospital. The JRCERT is the only agency recognized by the United States Department of Education (USDE) and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) for the accreditation of traditional and distance delivery educational programs in radiography, radiation therapy, magnetic resonance, and medical dosimetry. Specialized accreditation awarded by the JRCERT offers institutions significant value by providing peer evaluation and by assuring the public of quality professional education in the radiologic sciences.

The continuing accreditation status of the program was considered at the June 9, 2025 meeting of the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology. The program was evaluated according to the **Standards for an Accredited Educational Program in Radiography (2021)**. The program documents compliance with all relevant Standards; therefore, the JRCERT awards:

ACCREDITATION FOR A PERIOD OF EIGHT YEARS.

The maximum duration that may be awarded by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology in this category is eight years.

The board also considered the substantive change, change from credit hours to clock hours, and took the following action:

APPROVAL OF SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE.

This substantive change is effective July 1, 2025.

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An interim report will be required. The projected date for submission of the interim report is the First Quarter of 2029. The JRCERT will provide program officials adequate notice of the due date for submission of the interim report. Based on the interim report, the JRCERT will determine if the accreditation award of eight years will be maintained or reduced, and the continuing accreditation process expedited.

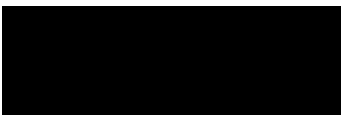
If the accreditation award is maintained, the next site visit is tentatively scheduled for the First Quarter of 2033.

The program is advised to ensure that all minimum standards required for progression in the program are clearly communicated to students at the start of the program. The program is also advised that faculty workload and release time practices should include allocating time and/or reducing teaching loads for educational, accreditation, and administrative requirements expected of the program director and clinical coordinator. These advisements will be further evaluated at the time of the next program review (e.g., interim report).

The program is further advised that consistent with JRCERT Policy 11.600, the JRCERT reserves the right to conduct unannounced site visits of accredited programs. The sponsoring institution would be responsible for the expenses of any onsite evaluation.

The Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology Directors and staff congratulate you and the program faculty for achieving the maximum award of accreditation from the JRCERT and wish you continued success in your efforts to provide a quality educational program. If we can be of further assistance, do not hesitate to contact the office.

Sincerely,



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