

Sanford Radiography Program Technical standards

The following are essential functions an applicant or student must possess:

1. Written and verbal skills to effectively communicate and interact with patients and others in English.
2. Sufficient hearing to identify beepers, phones, alarms, distress calls from patients or staff and verbal orders.
3. Sufficient vision necessary for patient observation and assessment, reading orders, and viewing computer monitors.
4. Gross and fine motor skills for manipulation of equipment, computers and patient care.
5. Ability to stand or walk for prolonged periods of time. At times this may include wearing a lead apron.
6. Strength to lift up to 50 pounds to assist with moving patients, supplies and equipment.
7. Capability to push or pull large equipment such as wheelchairs, carts, mobile X-ray equipment and patients.
8. Bend, squat, or kneel to care for and position patients and adjust equipment.
9. Capacity to reach to hook up oxygen, get supplies and manipulate radiographic equipment overhead.
10. The emotional stability to react and respond safely, effectively and calmly under stressful situations.
11. Intellect to avoid potential exposure from bodily fluids and minimize radiation exposure.
12. Physical abilities sufficient to move from room to room and maneuver in small spaces.

I have read the above requirements for a student in the Sanford Radiography Program, and feel that I am capable of meeting those functions.

Student signature: _____ Date: _____

Please submit this form along with your application.

