

Students entering the Radiography Program must have documented, prior to program admission, a minimum of 4 hours clinical observation in a medical imaging department or completion of HEOCC 111. You may make observation arrangements at one of the program's clinical education centers listed below. Immediately following your observation, the clinical supervisor will complete a verification form and provide a copy for your application/file.

Methodist Medical Center, Peoria IL, 309-672-3154

Pekin Hospital, Pekin IL, 309-353-0368

Proctor Hospital, Peoria IL, 309-691-1071

A component of the clinical observation includes completion of the Radiography Program Observation Questionnaire. Download this form and complete the 'knowledge of the radiography profession and educational program' section prior to your observation experience. Complete the remainder of the questionnaire during the observation experience and give it to the clinical supervisor before leaving the facility.

Since you will be in a patient care area, it is important that you dress appropriately. Appropriate attire includes dress slacks or knee length skirt, conservative shirt and low-heeled shoes. Examples of inappropriate attire includes blue jeans, Capri pants, mini skirt, low riding slacks, midriff baring top, t-shirt, tennis shoes, high heeled or stacked shoes. You will be asked to reschedule your observation if your attire is not appropriate.

While visiting the hospital, you may have access to confidential information. You are expected to maintain confidentiality by not discussing information related to patients or hospital personnel with anyone after leaving the hospital.

Should you have questions, contact the Health Careers department at 309-999-4601.