

VALENCIA COLLEGE AWARD OF CREDIT

for

Professional Certifications toward the Bachelor of Science in Radiologic and Imaging Sciences Degree

To provide career opportunities for students in the Bachelor of Science in Radiologic and Imaging Sciences (BSRAD) Degree Program, Valencia College agrees to award the following credit for course work to eligible students who:

- currently hold one or more of the approved certifications listed
- have been granted full admission to the B.S. in Radiologic and Imaging Sciences (BSRAD) Degree Program at Valencia College, and
- have completed with grades of C or better a minimum of twenty-one (21) upper division credits for the (BSRAD) degree.
- Once the requirements for awarding the course work have been met, there will be no additional cost for the awarding of the credits.

MAXIMUM AWARD OF CREDIT

This agreement makes it possible for a student to receive 2 - 10 semester hours of college credit for each of the approved Certification options toward the Radiologic and Imaging Sciences B.S. degree program at Valencia College. This is in accordance with commonly-accepted good practice in higher education.

The credits achieved via an Award of Credit do not count as Valencia credits and, thus, it is the student's responsibility to confirm that with credits awarded via this Award of Credit option, the student still will satisfy the requirement for 25% of the degree credits to be completed via courses offered by Valencia.

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<i>Certification status</i>	<i>Potential Credit Awarded</i>	<i>Principles Courses</i>	<i>Clinical Practicum</i>
ARRT Primary Certifications (Radiography, Radiation Therapy, Sonography, Nuclear Medicine)			
Primary + MR	9	RTE 3591 RTE 3592	RTE 4943L
Primary + CT	6	RTE 3590	RTE 4942L
Primary + QM	3	RTE 4474	NA
Primary + M	6	RTE 3588	RTE 4941L
ARDMS Primary Certifications (RDMS, RDCS, RVT) OR CCI Primary Certifications (RCS or RVS)			
RDMS <u>and</u> either RDCS or RCS Cardiac Ultrasound	10	RET 4440C RET 4441C	RET 4942L RET 4943L
RDMS and either RVT or RVS Vascular Ultrasound	10	SON 3172C SON 3173	SON 3806L SON 4816L
RDMS and SPI Cardiac Ultrasound	2	RET 4443	N/A
RDCS and RVT <u>or</u> RCS and RVT Choose One:			
Cardiac Ultrasound	10	RET 4440C RET4441C	RET 4942L RET 4943L
Vascular Ultrasound	10	SON 3172C SON 3173	SON 3806L SON 4816L
NMTCB Primary Certification (Nuclear Medicine Technology)			
Primary + CT	6	RTE 3590	RTE 4942L

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

Valencia's faculty and staff who have responsibility for the supervision and coordination of the Radiologic and Imaging Sciences Degree program have assessed the adequacy of the documentation and determined that the learning outcomes, performance standards, and assessment procedures of the certification(s) meet the college standards for college credit course work and that the learning outcomes are consistent with the course work in the B.S. Degree program being articulated.

AWARD OF CREDIT PROCESS

To have the courses reported on the official Valencia College transcript, the student must:

1. Meet all admission requirements for the B.S. in Radiologic and Imaging Sciences Degree Program, including submission of the Health Sciences B.S. in Radiologic and Imaging Sciences Program Application and the program application fee.
2. Be in Active Student Status seeking the Radiologic and Imaging Sciences B.S. Degree.
3. Have completed with grades of C or better a minimum of twenty-one (21) upper division (3000 - 4000 level) credits for the BSRAD degree.
4. Have a minimum overall college GPA of 2.0, including transfer work.
5. Upon completion of numbers 1 through 4, submit the required paperwork, including documentation of the approved Certification(s), to officially request the Award of Credit.

The Program Chair for Radiologic and Imaging Sciences and the Dean of Allied Health on the West campus of Valencia will evaluate the student's record, determine the eligibility, and notify the Registrar's Office of acceptable credit to be awarded for the Bachelor of Science in Radiologic and Imaging Sciences.


TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This agreement applies to students who have earned one or more of the approved Certifications. The agreement will be reviewed as needed and it shall remain in effect until Valencia identifies a need for revision or termination.

APPROVED: VALENCIA COLLEGE


Susan Gosnell
Program Chair

Date 7/30/18


Jany Chulak
Interim Dean, Allied Health

Date 7/30/18