

El Paso, TX Campus

Radiography Program Mission Statement

It is the mission of our program to graduate students with the entry-level employment skills required of a Radiologic Technologist. Students will graduate to be successful radiographers who can safely and competently perform radiographic exams as specified by ARRT guidelines.

Radiography Program Goals

Goal 1: Students will demonstrate clinical competence.

Goal 2: Students will demonstrate critical thinking and problem solving skills.

Goal 3: Students will demonstrate effective communication skills.

Student Learning Outcomes

Goal 1 Outcomes:

1. Students will demonstrate understanding of radiation safety concepts and will apply those concepts to observe ALARA.
2. Students will demonstrate knowledge and comprehension of appropriate technical factor selection, and patient care and safety techniques.

Goal 2 Outcomes:

1. Students will demonstrate problem solving and critical thinking skills in the areas of image acquisition, image quality, and image evaluation criteria.
2. Students will demonstrate ability to modify radiographic positions, projections and technical factors, as needed, to obtain diagnostic quality on radiographic images.

Goal 3 Outcomes:

1. Students will demonstrate effective patient communication skills.
2. Students will demonstrate professional behavior and effective interpersonal communication skills with physicians, co-workers, and others.

Institution Name: Pima Medical Institute, El Paso Campus

Program Type: Radiography

Degree Type: Associate Degree of Applied Science

Program Effectiveness Data

The following is the most current program effectiveness data. Our programmatic accreditation agency, the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT), defines and publishes this information. The information can be found directly on the [JRCERT webpage](#).

Credentialing Examination

The number of students who pass, on the first attempt, the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) certification examination, or an unrestricted state licensing examination, compared with the number of graduates who take the examination within six months of graduation. The five-year average benchmark established by the JRCERT is 75%.

Credentialing Examination Rates

Program year	Year	Number passed on first attempt within six months of graduation	Number attempted within six months of graduation	Percent passed
1	2021	10	11	91%
2	2022	6	10	60%
3	2023	16	32	50%
4	2024	9	15	60%
5	2025	19	29	66%

Program five-year average pass rate is 62 %.

60 students passed within six months of graduation.

97 students attempted the exam within six months of graduation.

Job Placement

The number of graduates employed in the radiologic sciences compared to the number of graduates actively seeking employment in the radiologic sciences within twelve months of graduating. The five-year average benchmark established by the JRCERT is 75%.

Job Placement Rates

Program year	Year	Number employed within 12 months of graduation	Number actively seeking employment within 12 months of graduation	Percent employed
1	2021	18	18	100%
2	2022	9	9	100%
3	2023	31	37	84%
4	2024	14	17	82%
5	2025	28	31	90%

Program five-year average employment rate is 89 %.

100 students were employed within 12 months of graduation.

112 students were actively seeking employment within 12 months of graduation.

Annual Program Completion Rate

The number of students who complete the program within the stated program length, excluding those students who leave the program for nonacademic reasons. The annual benchmark established by the program is 75 %.

Program Completion Rate

Program year	Year	Number graduated	Number started the program	Percent completed
1	2025	31	44	70%

Annual completion rate is 70 %.