Prior to applying to the Radiologic Technology program offered at St. Louis Community College at Forest Park, a student must complete 8 hours of job shadowing in the general radiology (x-ray) department of a hospital. Time spent in other imaging modalities such as C.T., MRI, ultrasound, etc., should be minimal.

- This experience must be documented on the attached form and submitted upon application to the program.
- The 8 hours of shadowing may be done at one time, or at 2 different hospitals, 4 hours at each facility, if the student prefers. Complete a separate job shadowing form for each visit.
- The student arranges this on their own by contacting the human resources department of the hospital of their choice.
- Shadowing at clinics, physician offices, outpatient centers, surgery centers, etc. will not be accepted because the purpose of this experience is to expose students to the environment they will encounter throughout the program.
- If shadowing at a children’s hospital, only 4 hours will be accepted. The remaining 4 hours would need to be completed at a non-pediatric hospital.
RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM

DOCUMENTATION OF CAREER SHADOWING EXPERIENCE

NAME OF APPLICANT ________________________________________________________________

HOSPITAL __________________________________________________________

RADIOLOGY DEPARTMENT PHONE NUMBER ________________________________________

NUMBER OF HOURS IN DEPARTMENT _____________________________________________

NAME OF SUPERVISING TECHNOLOGIST __________________________________________
(Please print)

TECHNOLOGIST SIGNATURE ______________________________________________________

DATE _______________________________________________________________________

Applicant, please describe your observations with emphasis on the tasks that radiologic technologists perform.

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Students who apply to the Radiologic Technology Program after May 1, 2014 will be required to submit this form at the time of application. A total of eight hours of job shadowing is required, which may be completed at two different hospitals.