



Radiologic Technologist Professional Licensure Information

Professional Licensure Programs

A professional license is typically regulated by state laws and is required for graduates of these programs to practice, to use the professional designation in their title, and/or to gain employment in certain occupations.

The Associate of Applied Science in Radiologic Technology program is designed to prepare students for a career as a Radiologic Technologist.

Educational/State Licensure/Registration Requirements

Educational requirements for Radiologic Technologist licensure/registration can include specifications for the applicant’s type of academic credential, type of educational institution where the academic program was completed, and curriculum content within the academic program.

Requirements for Radiologic Technologist licensure/registration vary by state. Some states do not require individuals to hold a state-issued license/registration in order to be employed as a Radiologic Technologist. In states that do require licensure/registration, graduates who apply for a license/registration may need to satisfy other requirements beyond program completion, such as holding an active national certification, passing an examination, completing an application, or submitting to a background check.

The information provided below does not guarantee that any particular state licensure entity will approve or deny an individual application for certification or professional licensure; individual determinations are made by the state licensing boards upon review of all application materials.

Requirements for licensure/registration are subject to change at any time. Anyone who is interested in seeking licensure/registration as a Radiologic Technologist is encouraged to visit the state and U.S. territory websites listed in the chart below to review the current requirements to obtain licensure/registration. *Note: If links are not provided, a website for the regulatory agency in that location is currently unavailable.*

State/Territory	State-Issued License/Registration Required for Employment	Degree Program Meets State/Territory Educational Requirements for Licensure/ Registration	Degree Program Meets State/Territory Educational Requirements for Employment
Alabama Alabama Public Health	No	N/A	Yes
Alaska State of Alaska Department of Health	No	N/A	Yes
American Samoa	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined
Arizona Arizona Department of Health	Yes	Yes	Yes



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Arkansas Arkansas Department of Health	Yes	No	No
California California Department of Public Health	Yes	No	No
Colorado Colorado Department of Public Health & Environment	No	N/A	Yes
Connecticut Connecticut State Department of Public Health	Yes	Yes	Yes
Delaware Delaware Health and Social Services	Yes	No	No
District of Columbia DC Health	No	N/A	Yes
Federated States of Micronesia	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined
Florida Florida Department of Health	Yes	Yes	Yes
Georgia Georgia Environmental Protection Division	No	N/A	Yes
Guam	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined
Hawaii State of Hawaii, Department of Health	Yes	No	No
Idaho Idaho Department of Health & Welfare	No	N/A	Yes
Illinois Illinois Emergency Management Agency and Office of homeland Security	Yes	Yes	Yes
Indiana Indiana Department of Health	Yes	No	No



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Iowa Iowa Health & Human Services	Yes	Yes	Yes
Kansas Kansas State Board of Healing Arts	Yes	Yes	Yes
Kentucky Kentucky Board of Medical Imaging & Radiation Therapy	Yes	No	No
Louisiana Louisiana State Radiologic Technology Board of Examiners	Yes	Yes	Yes
Maine Maine Radiologic Technology Board of Examiners	Yes	Yes	Yes
Maryland Maryland Department of Health	Yes	Yes	Yes
Massachusetts Massachusetts Department of Public Health Division of Radiation Control	Yes	No	No
Michigan Michigan Department of Labor and Opportunity	No	N/A	Yes
Minnesota Minnesota Department of Health X-ray Program	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mississippi Mississippi State Department of Health	Yes	Yes	Yes
Missouri	No	N/A	Yes
Montana Montana Board of Radiologic Technologists	Yes	Yes	Yes
Nebraska Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services	Yes	Yes	Yes



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Nevada Department of Health and Human Services Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health	Yes	No	No
New Hampshire New Hampshire Office of Professional Licensure and Certification	Yes	No	No
New Jersey State of New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection	Yes	No	No
New Mexico New Mexico Environment Department	Yes	No	No
New York New York Department of Health	Yes	No	No
North Carolina NC Department of Health and Human Services	No	N/A	Yes
North Dakota North Dakota Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Board	Yes	No	No
Northern Mariana Islands CMNI Board of Professional Licensing	Yes	No	No
Ohio Ohio Department of Health	Yes	Yes	Yes
Oklahoma	No	N/A	Yes
Oregon Oregon Board of Medical Imaging	Yes	Yes	Yes
Pennsylvania	No	N/A	Yes
Puerto Rico	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined
Republic of Palau	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined
Republic of the Marshall Islands	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined



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Rhode Island State of Rhode Island Department of Health	Yes	No	No
South Carolina South Carolina Radiation Quality Standards Association	Yes	Yes	Yes
South Dakota	No	N/A	Yes
Tennessee	Yes	No	No
Texas Texas Medical Board	Yes	No	No
U.S. Virgin Islands	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined
Utah Utah Division of Professional Licensing	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vermont Vermont Secretary of State	Yes	Yes	Yes
Virginia Virginia Department of Health Professions	Yes	Yes	Yes
Washington Washington State Department of Health	Yes	Yes	Yes
West Virginia West Virginia Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Technology Board of Examiners	Yes	No	No
Wisconsin State of Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services	Yes	Yes	Yes
Wyoming Wyoming Board of Radiologic Technologist Examiners	Yes	No	No