## CONEMAUGH SCHOOL OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY

# **Program Mission, Goals, Student Learning Outcomes and Philosophy**

#### Mission

The School of Radiologic Technology is dedicated to the fair and equitable delivery of a quality education in radiologic technology through continuous program improvement, program revision and actualization of program goals while fostering life-long learning.

#### **Goals**

The School of Radiologic Technology is committed to effective education in this allied health profession.

The Student / Graduate will:

- 1. Gain the knowledge and professional skills necessary to perform competently as an entrylevel radiologic technologist
- 2. Demonstrate critical thinking and problem-solving skills
- 3. Communicate effectively and demonstrate professional, respectful, and caring behaviors when interacting with patients, family members and healthcare professionals

## **Student Learning Outcomes**

A Student / Graduate of Conemaugh of School of Radiologic Technology will:

- 1. Demonstrate proficiency in radiographic positioning
- 2. Practice radiation protection to patient, themselves, and others
- 3. Practice proper patient care practices
- 4. Demonstrate critical thinking when analyzing problems
- 5. Effectively adjust equipment and perform modifications in patient positioning for non-routine examinations
- 6. Practice appropriate oral and written communication skills to better interact with the patient and co-workers
- 7. Demonstrate professionalism in the clinical setting

### **Philosophy**

The philosophy of Conemaugh School of Radiologic Technology has been developed and implemented on the beliefs that:

- The Radiologic Technologist is an indispensable member of the healthcare team.
- Radiography is a vital tool of modern medicine by allowing the referring physician to diagnose injuries and disease to the best of their abilities.
- Students in this profession are provided with the scientific knowledge and clinical experience which they must possess to become qualified technologists while always remembering medical ethics, patient care and radiation safety.

 A well-planned curriculum delivered by qualified individuals, who have dedicated their time to enlightening others in the field, will accomplish the goals of the School and students.

## **Accreditation Information**

The School of Radiologic Technology at Conemaugh School of Radiologic Technology is accredited by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology, 20 N. Wacker Drive, Suite 2850, Chicago, Illinois, 60606; (312) 704-5300, FAX (312) 704-5304 www.jrcert.org

The Conemaugh School of Radiologic Technology received an 8-year accreditation in 2019.