



## **Being a Student in the Radiologic Technology Program**

The Radiologic Technology Program can be demanding and requires a full-time commitment. To remain in the program all Radiologic Technology courses must be passed with a 70% or better.

### **Outside Employment**

Due to the full-time commitment requirement, the Program encourages students to consider the effects that outside employment can have on their academic success. It is recommended that students discuss the employment options with the program director to be certain that it can be worked into the Program schedule successfully.

### **Clinical Experience**

Students are required to complete a minimum of 1800 clinical hours in many clinical education sites found throughout Arizona and New Mexico. This provides the student with opportunities to achieve clinical competencies required to be eligible to sit for the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists examination.

### **Clinical Experience Site Placement**

Clinical Experience Sites are located throughout Arizona and New Mexico. These are assigned by the Clinical Coordinator to ensure a successful experience for the student. These assignments are scheduled on weekdays between 5 a.m. and 8 p.m. Transportation to and from the clinical experience site is wholly the responsibility of the student, and requires reliable transportation means. Eastern Arizona College guarantees placement in a clinical experience site, however placement in a specific site cannot be guaranteed. Consideration is given to assign students to sites where living accommodations are available, this however may not be convenient. The foremost basis for clinical assignment will be student competency needs.