



# Southern Union State Community College

## RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY

### Program Application

Name: Last \_\_\_\_\_, First \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_ SUSCC Student Id# \_\_\_\_\_

List all previous names you may have records under: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of application: \_\_\_\_\_ (Attach additional sheets if needed)

■ Radiologic Technology Program :  Fall Application Deadline -- April 1<sup>st</sup>  
 Program Location: Opelika Campus

**Notice: Applicants who do not complete ALL items on the following checklist will not be considered for admission.**

v	Application Checklist
	<b>Original Verification of Information Session attendance.</b> Student must attach the <u>ORIGINAL</u> verification of attendance to the program application. Applications without the original form will not be considered for admission. Register for an Information Session at <a href="http://www.suscc.edu">www.suscc.edu</a> by clicking on link on homepage or on Radiologic Technology webpage. The stamped/signed email confirmation is your verification of attendance.
	<b>Completed requirements for general admission to Southern Union.</b> Applicants must have completed the SUSCC Application for General Admission requirements according to College admission policy.
	<b>Meet minimal admission requirements</b> for application to the Radiologic Technology program.
	<b>Completed application form for the Radiologic Technology program submitted by deadline date.</b> It is your responsibility to ensure that the Health Sciences Admissions Office has received your COMPLETED application on or before April 1 <sup>st</sup> . You may verify receipt and completeness of application by emailing the Health Sciences Division if application is submitted at least 2 weeks before deadline. Applications received after deadline are not considered.
	<b>Essential Functions form answered, read and signed by applicant.</b> Student must maintain ability to meet essential functions for RAD with or without reasonable accommodations. <b>The application will be considered incomplete without applicant's signature and answer to question(s).</b> Physician's signature will be required following admission to program.
	<b>Course descriptions attached for courses to be transferred into SUSCC</b> that are required for RAD AAS degree (ex. math, English, biology, etc., taken at other colleges.) Contact previous college for description or search their website. <b>Failure to attach course description(s) may affect your acceptance to the program!</b>
	<b>Official transcripts from EACH college attended</b> (or high school transcript for applicants with no prior college coursework) <b>must be in the Registrar's office before the deadline.</b> Transfer credit listed on other college transcripts will NOT be accepted as replacement for official transcripts from EACH college. It is your responsibility to check with Records Office and verify that <b>transcripts have been received by the Records Office before the application deadline.</b> <b>Faxed or hand-delivered transcripts are not considered as official.</b> Have transcripts <u>mailed directly to the Records Office</u> at: <b>Southern Union State Community College, Admissions, P.O. Box 1000, Wadley, AL 36276.</b>
	<b>Current class schedule</b> must be attached if currently enrolled in a college other than SUSCC. In-progress transcript must be in Records Office before application deadline.
	<b>Official score on ACT NATIONAL OR ACT RESIDUAL.</b> Attach a copy to application. Application will be incomplete without score attached. To schedule testing, see directions on web at <a href="http://www.suscc.edu">www.suscc.edu</a> .

**\*\*READ and sign:** I have included ALL of the above items, as required, in my application packet. I understand that meeting minimal admission requirements does not guarantee admission to the program. I further understand that if ALL my official college transcripts are not in the Registrar's Office and my official ACT test score has not been received by SUSCC before the deadline for application, my application will not be considered for admission to the program.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL DATA**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_ Maiden: \_\_\_\_\_

SUSCC Student # \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Address on file in Admissions Office must be correct for us to notify you of admission status.**

**PRIOR EDUCATION**

Name of High School or GED: \_\_\_\_\_ Completion Year: \_\_\_\_\_

College: List ALL colleges attended with degrees earned, if applicable (including Southern Union). List any additional schools on bottom of this page, if necessary.

Name of College	City, State	Name(s) on transcript during attendance	Degree (if applicable)
<b>Attach additional sheet if more space is needed</b>			

Are you currently enrolled in a college other than SUSCC? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, attach copy of current class schedule and send in-progress transcript to SUSCC Records Office.

Have you ever been enrolled in another radiologic technology program? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, list name of program and reason for leaving: \_\_\_\_\_

**TESTING**

Have you taken the ACT National or ACT Residual Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as documented at the time of testing: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS ONLY (NOT REQUIRED FOR COURSES COMPLETED AT SUSCC):**

Must attach course description if taken at another college or university.

SUSCC Course number and name	Title of Course that you completed	College/University Granting Credit	Grade	Year
English 101 English Composition I				
Math 100 Intermediate Algebra or higher level math				
BIO 201 Anatomy & Physiology I				
BIO 202 Anatomy & Physiology II				
English 102 English Composition II				
SPH 107 Public Speaking or SPH 106 Oral Communications				
PSY 200 General Psychology				
Humanities or Fine Arts Elective				

**\* Completing this form does not ensure transfer of college credit. It is the applicant's responsibility to discuss transferability with the Academic Advisor for Health Sciences.**

## MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

1. Verification of Attendance at Health Sciences Information Session.
2. Unconditional admission to the college. (See College Catalog)
3. Completed application for the Radiologic Technology program by published deadline.
4. Minimum of 2.5 cumulative GPA of completed Radiologic Technology required academic core courses from a regionally accredited institution and transfer students must enter College on clear academic status.
5. Minimum 2.0 GPA at Southern Union.
6. Minimum of 2.5 high school 12<sup>th</sup> grade GPA for students without prior college work (GED passage acceptable in place of 2.5 GPA).
7. Eligibility for English 101, Math 100 and satisfaction of College reading requirement. This is verified by meeting College's ACT, SAT, COMPASS, OR ACCUPLACER placement score requirements, or transfer of English Composition I (for reading and English requirements) and Intermediate Algebra or higher level math (for math requirement).
8. A minimum of 18 composite score ACT National or Residual. Test scores must be on file with Records office and a copy must be attached to program application.
9. Good standing with the college.
10. Meet the essential functions required for Radiologic Technology.

**Non-Discrimination Policy:** It is the official policy of the Alabama State Board of Education and Southern Union State Community College that no person shall, on the grounds of race, color, disability, gender, religion, creed, national origin, marital status, or age, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program, activity, or employment. Persons requiring reasonable accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) should contact the Southern Union State Community College ADA Coordinator at (334) 745-6437 extension 5351.

**Notice:** According to the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists, application for certification to practice as a Radiographer may be denied if a person has been convicted of a felony, is guilty of a crime involving moral turpitude, and/or has displayed other grounds for denial as specified by law. Additionally, many health care facilities will not employ a person, even if fully certified and/or licensed, who has been convicted of a felony or who has unfit personal habits including alcohol or drug abuse.

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### Applicants please read and sign below:

I understand that completion of this application is a component of the student profile and does not in itself grant admission to the Radiologic Technology program. I understand this application must be resubmitted if I am not selected for the indicated application period. All application materials become the property of Southern Union State Community College. It is the sole responsibility of the applicant to ensure that the Health Sciences Division has received all of the requested documentation.

I hereby certify that the information given in this application is true and correct. I understand that providing false information may be deemed sufficient reason for dismissal and/or refusal of admission.

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Applicant's Signature

Date

Admission to the nursing program is competitive, and the number of students is limited by the number of faculty and clinical facilities available. **Meeting minimal requirements does not guarantee acceptance.**

**Send or Deliver Completed Applications to:  
Southern Union State Community College  
Attention: Health Sciences Admissions  
301 Lake Condy Road  
Opelika, AL 36801**

## RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY – ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

		Yes	No	If no, please comment
Mobility	1. Have physical stamina to stand and walk for 8 hours or more in a clinical setting.			
	2. Can stand on both legs, move from room to room, and maneuver in small spaces. <i>(Physical disabilities must not pose a threat to the safety of the student, faculty, patients, or other health care workers.)</i>			
Flexibility	1. Can bend the body downward and forward by bending at the spine and waist. <i>(This factor requires full use of lower extremities and back muscles.)</i>			
	2. Can flex and extend all joints freely.			
Strength	1. Can raise objects from a lower to a higher position or move objects horizontally from position to position. <i>(This factor requires the substantial use of the upper extremities and back muscles.)</i>			
	2. Possess mobility, coordination and strength to push, pull or transfer heavy objects. (Strength to lift 25 lbs. frequently and 50 lbs. or more occasionally.)			
Fine Motor Skills, Hand/Eye Coordination	1. Possess manual dexterity, mobility, and stamina to perform CPR.			
	2. Can seize, hold, grasp, turn and otherwise work with both hands.			
	3. Can pick, pinch, or otherwise work with the fingers.			
Auditory Ability	1. Possess sufficient hearing to assess patient's needs, follow instructions, communicate with other health care workers, as well as respond to audible sounds of radiographic equipment. <i>(Please comment if corrective devices are required.)</i>			
Visual Acuity	1. Possess the visual acuity to read, write and assess the patient and the environment. <i>(Please comment if corrective devices are required.)</i>			
Communication	1. Possess verbal/nonverbal and written communication skills adequate to exchange ideas, detailed information, and instructions accurately.			
	2. Able to read, comprehend, and write legibly in the English language.			
Interpersonal Skills	1. Able to interact purposefully and effectively with others.			
	2. Able to convey sensitivity, respect, tact, and a mentally healthy attitude.			
	3. Oriented to reality and not mentally impaired by mind-altering substances.			
	4. Able to function safely and effectively during high stress periods.			

These examples of criteria are not intended as a complete listing of Radiography practice behaviors, but are a sampling of the types of abilities needed by the Radiography student to meet program objectives and requirements. The Radiography Department reserves the right to amend this listing based on the identification of additional critical behaviors or abilities needed by students to meet program or agency requirements.

**Read the declarations below and answer only one option.** If you are **unable** to **fully** meet **any** criterion, you will need to direct your request to the College ADA Coordinator. Sign in the designated space.\*

\_\_\_\_\_ I have reviewed the Essential Functions for this program and I certify that to the best of my knowledge **I currently have the ability to perform these functions.** I understand that further evaluation of my ability may be required and conducted by the Radiography faculty if deemed necessary to evaluate my ability prior to admission to the program and for retention and progression through the program.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have read the Essential Functions for this program and **I currently am unable to fully meet the items indicated without accommodations.** I am requesting the following reasonable accommodations: Attach additional sheet

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student ID

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\* An individual who discloses a disability may request reasonable accommodations. Individuals will be asked to provide documentation of the disability in order to assist with the provision of appropriate reasonable accommodations. Documentation should address the specific accommodation and be dated within three years of the enrollment date. Once the documentation is filed with the College ADA Coordinator, the student's instructors will be notified of the requested accommodation. Students should update their information with the College ADA Coordinator by the courses for which they are seeking accommodations each semester.

## Radiologic Technology Program Admission Worksheet

<b>Printed Applicant's Name</b> _____		<b>Student ID#</b> _____	
<b>Required Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 on program required academic core courses listed on page 2 and a minimum of 2.0 GPA at SUSCC or entry to College on clear academic status if never enrolled at SUSCC.</b> Students without prior college work must have a minimum 2.5 GPA from 12 <sup>th</sup> grade coursework (GED acceptable). HAVE YOU MET THE MINIMUM GRADE POINT AVERAGE REQUIREMENT? <b>YES: _____ NO: _____</b>			
<b>SECTION A</b>			
<b>ACT NATIONAL or RESIDUAL COMPOSITE SCORE. NOTE:</b> There is no time limit of when the test was taken. Applicants who do not have their ACT test score submitted to the Admissions office before the deadline and have a copy attached to their program application will not be ranked for admission purposes. Verify with the Records office that the ACT score you want used matches those on file. You can access your submitted score through your MYSUSCC account.			
ACT English = _____	ACT Mathematics= _____	ACT Reading= _____	ACT Science= _____
<b>ACT Composite Score (TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION A):</b>			<b>_____ Points (max. 36 points)</b>
<b>SECTION B</b>			
<b>Points Awarded for Specific Coursework. NOTE:</b> You should consult with an Academic Advisor regarding the transferability of courses taken at another institution. A maximum of four (4) grades you have earned can be used for points as indicated in the following scale: <b>A=30 points; B=20 points; C=10 points.</b>			
BIO 201 Anatomy and Physiology I	Grade _____ = _____ points		
BIO 202 Anatomy and Physiology II	Grade _____ = _____ points		
ENG 101 English Composition I	Grade _____ = _____ points		
MTH 100 Intermediate College Algebra or higher level	Grade _____ = _____ points		
<b>TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION B:</b>			<b>_____ Points (max. 120 points)</b>
<b>SECTION C</b>			
<b><u>A total of THREE (3) additional points are earned by students who have completed either Academic Courses or Health Sciences Courses at Southern Union.</u></b>			
<b><u>Additional Academic Courses Points.</u></b> THREE (3) additional points are earned by students who have completed a minimum of 12 credit hours for the following <b>ACADEMIC</b> courses at <b>SUSCC</b> : ENG 101 (3 hrs.), MTH 100 or higher level math (3 hrs.), BIO 201 (4 hrs.), BIO 202 (4 hrs.), PSY 200 (3 hrs.) PSY 210 (3 hrs.), ENG 102 or SPH 106 or 107 (3 hrs.), or HUM Elective (3 hrs.). All courses must have been completed with a grade of "C" or better.			
<b><u>Additional Health Sciences Courses Points.</u></b> EMT or AEMT, PLB, or Wellness Certificate will be awarded <b>one (1)</b> point. EMT + AEMT, MCT, AMA, Wellness and Personal Trainer Certificate, or Therapeutic Massage Certificate will be awarded <b>two (2)</b> points. Students who have <b>completed</b> the Nursing, Surgical Technology, Paramedic, or Medical Assisting Technology programs at SUSCC may be awarded <b>3 (three)</b> points <b>ONLY</b> if the student has not earned 12 hours of academic credit with courses listed above. _____ <b>3 points</b>			
Three (3) points awarded if student has Associate Degree or higher awarded from a regionally accredited institution. Degree must be posted on official transcript. _____ <b>3 points</b>			
Total Additional Points _____ (max. 6 points)			
<b>Applicant will receive an additional point (1) for grade of A or B in the following college courses:</b>			
<b>Course</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Grade</b>
BIO 201 Anatomy & Physiology I		ENG 101 English Composition I	
BIO 202 Anatomy & Physiology II		MTH 100 Intermediate College Algebra or higher level	
Total Points from Above Courses _____			(max. 4 points)
<b>TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION C:</b>			<b>_____ Points (max. 10 points)</b>
<b><u>Total Applicant Score</u></b> = Section A + Section B + Section C = _____			<b>(max. 166 points)</b>

Applicants are ranked by Total Applicant Score.

If a tie should exist between applicants, the core GPA will determine ranking.

*Meeting minimal requirements does not guarantee acceptance. You must attend an information session for health sciences within 1 year of application to program. See [www.suscc.edu](http://www.suscc.edu) for dates and times.*