COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCE

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL SONOGRAPHY



There are exciting developments taking place in the ultrasound industry. According to the U.S. Department of Labor, imaging technology is expected to evolve rapidly, spawning many new Sonography procedures, allowing sonographers to scan and image areas of the body where ultrasound has not traditionally been used.*

That means it may be a good time for you to consider a Sonography Degree. The government projects employment of diagnostic medical sonographers is expected to grow by 39 percent between 2012 and 2022, much faster than the average for all occupations.*

At ECPI University's College of Health Science, Medical Careers Institute, you can earn an Associate of Applied Science Degree in Health Science – Diagnostic Medical Sonography in 1.5 years through Medical Career Institute's year-round schedule.



Outcomes

- Prepare students for the challenging responsibilities of the profession and provide opportunity to acquire a working knowledge of the field.
- Provide a clinical educational experience that enables students to be capable of performing routine sonographic procedures and related functions specific to general Diagnostic Medical Sonography.
- Provide an education experience that promotes effective communication skills, critical thinking abilities and professionalism.
- Promote the development of core values and ethical standards necessary for the delivery of quality, patient-centered care.

Possible Career Track

- ▶ Hospitals and Medical Imaging Centers
- ▶ Women's Health Centers
- ▶ Government and Military
- ▶ Private Practice Physicians Offices
- ▶ Public Health Facilities
- Mobile imaging

Upon program completion, you are qualified to take the American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonographers (ARDMS) registry examinations in Ultrasound Physics and Instrumentation (SPI), Abdomen (AB), Obstetrics/Gynecology (OB/GYN).

*The information in this section comes from "Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2013-2014 Edition"