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**Department of Medical Imaging and Radiation Sciences
Bachelor of Science
Nuclear Medicine, Radiation Therapy, Radiography, Sonography
High School Early Admission Program**



Supervisor Interview Instructions

Please find a full time hospital employee in the area to which you are applying (Sonography, Radiography, Nuclear Medicine, or Radiation Therapy) and request a meeting to interview him or her. When you ask for the meeting, let the person know that the interview will take no more than one hour.

It is required that you ask the hospital employee the following questions, and then type the questions and answers to submit by the application deadline of December 1st. You are welcome to ask the Supervisor additional questions if there is time available.

Please include the following in your typed Interview document to submit for application:

- 1. Supervisor Contact Information**
- 2. Supervisor Interview Questions**
- 3. Applicant Questions**

1. Supervisor Contact Information:

Supervisor being interviewed: _____

Place of employment: _____

Business phone: _____

Date of Interview: _____

2. Supervisor Interview questions:

- What motivated you to pursue the chosen profession?
- What different specialties are possible in this field?
- What are the work hours and call hours common in this field?
- How many patients do you interact with daily?

- What do I need to know about patient care?
- What should I pay most attention to when I'm in an imaging or radiation therapy program?
- What was your biggest surprise as you started clinical rotations as a student?
- What was your biggest surprise as you transitioned from being a student to an employee?
- What are the three most important personal characteristics you consider when hiring new employees?
- What is one question that you typically ask applicants during an interview?
- Is there anything else that you think is important for me to know about this field?

3. Applicant Questions (answer the following questions about yourself):

- Explain how you became interested in the particular radiation sciences program to which you are applying.
- Based on what you have learned about the profession, identify two specific characteristics that make you a strong candidate for the program.
- Communication in the health care setting is vital to proper patient care. As a health care professional you must be able to communicate effectively with co-workers, physicians, patients, and patient families. Provide a minimum of two specific weaknesses you identify in yourself with respect to professional communication with others, and describe how you plan to overcome these weaknesses during your clinical rotations.
- Identify and explain three responsibilities you see associated with being a medical professional.
- Provide a specific example of when you went above and beyond the call of duty. Relate this with being a medical professional.
- Differentiate yourself from the other applicants by explaining what makes YOU an excellent candidate for the program and include what you will be able to provide to the profession that is unique.