

**Institution Name:** Merced College  
**Program Type:** Diagnostic Radiologic Technology  
**Degree Type:** A.S.

## Program Effectiveness Data

The following is the most current program effectiveness data. Our programmatic accreditation agency, the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT), defines and publishes this information. [Click here](#) to go directly to the JRCERT webpage.

**Credentialing Examination:** The number of students who pass, on the first attempt, the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) certification examination, or an unrestricted state licensing examination, compared with the number of graduates who take the examination within six months of graduation. The five-year average benchmark established by the JRCERT is 75%.

Credentialing Examination Rate	number passed on 1 <sup>st</sup> attempt divided by number attempted within 6 months of graduation
Year	Results
Year 1 - 2020	12 of 13 - 92%
Year 2 - 2021	14 of 14 - 100%
Year 3 - 2022	12 of 12 - 100%
Year 4 - 2023	9 of 11 - 82%
Year 5 - 2024	15 of 15 - 100%
<b>Program 5-Year Average</b>	<b>62 of 65 - 95.3%</b>

**Job Placement:** The number of graduates employed in the radiologic sciences compared to the number of graduates actively seeking employment in the radiologic sciences within twelve months of graduating. The five-year average benchmark established by the JRCERT is 75%.

Job Placement Rate	number employed divided by number actively seeking employment within 12 months of graduation
Year	Results
Year 1 - 2020	12 of 12 - 100%
Year 2 - 2021	14 of 14 - 100%
Year 3 - 2022	12 of 12 - 100%
Year 4 - 2023	9 of 9 - 100%
Year 5 - 2024	15 of 15 - 100%
<b>Program 5-Year Average</b>	<b>62 of 62 - 100%</b>

**Program Completion:** The number of students who complete the program within the stated program length. The annual benchmark established by the program is 75%.

Program Completion Rate	number graduated divided by number started the program
Year	Results
Year - 2024	15 of 16
<b>Annual Completion Rate</b>	<b>93.8%</b>