

Clinical Education and Sites

Each clinical setting will expose the student to different types of management, department organization, personnel, technologies, equipment, projections and procedures. Students will travel and rotate through most of the clinical sites for varying intervals over the course of the two-year program. Advocate Bromenn Medical Center-Normal and OSF St Joseph Medical Center-Bloomington are our main clinical sites and students will be required to rotate through both sites. The number of students assigned to a clinical facility is determined by JRCERT accreditation standards.

Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital-Lincoln
Carle Eureka Hospital- Eureka
Carle Bromenn Medical Center- Normal
Central Illinois Orthopedic Surgery
Hopedale Medical Complex- Hopedale
OSF Medical Group College Avenue-Normal
OSF St. James John W. Albrecht Memorial Hospital- Pontiac
OSF St. Joseph Medical Center- Bloomington
Orthopedics and Sports Enhancement Center

During the second year, students have the opportunity to rotate through specialty areas for one week. Those areas include:

- Cardiac Cath/Angiography
- Ultrasound
- Nuclear Medicine
- Radiation Oncology
- MRI
- DEXA
- Computed Tomography- optional courses within AAS Curriculum designed to meet ARRT required Didactic Education component for advanced certification.
- Mammography rotations can be requested and are only granted based on policies of the clinical sites offering this opportunity.

Clinical obligations for the students during the program -

- Clinical rotations are generally between the hours of 7:30am-4:00pm.
- 1 or more evenings (2nd) shifts per semester between 2:00pm-11:00pm during each semester.
- Weekends (day shift Saturday and Sunday)- during 3rdnd thru 6th semesters.
- Three nights (3rd) shifts- (Sunday through Thursday) during the final semester.
- Rotation through an appropriate clinical site to ensure all patient care competencies are met