



National Occupational Framework: MRI Technologist

MRI technologists operate MRI scanners to produce diagnostic internal images of the human body. They prepare patients for imaging tests, administer contrast agents intravenously, and monitor patients during and after procedures. They also operate the MRI scanner to obtain images, evaluate images for quality, and upload images for physician review and diagnosis.

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Apprenticeship: A Solution for Recruiting and Training MRI Technologists

Apprenticeship programs combine learning on the job and in the classroom to train workers in the exact skills needed by employers. MRI technologists play a key role in health care delivery by conducting imaging tests that enable physicians to assess and diagnose medical conditions. Apprenticeship programs can prepare these workers with the technical MRI imaging and patient care knowledge and skills they need to succeed in this important health care role.



Apprenticeship Benefits:

90%
employment retention for apprentices

86%
of employers with programs recommend apprenticeship

\$1.44
return on investment for every dollar spent

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN A NATIONAL OCCUPATIONAL FRAMEWORK?

- background information to help you learn more about the occupation
- comprehensive list of the competencies apprentices need to do the job
- building blocks of information for employers developing a registered apprenticeship program

Questions? Visit the National Apprenticeship Resource Hub at apprenticeships.urban.org or contact the Urban Institute at apprenticeship@urban.org.



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