

PROGRAM	
Computed Tomography, Postprimary Certificate	
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DATE UPDATED	
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CREDIT HOURS	FORMAT
18	Seated (not online)

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE NOTES
<p>Computed Tomography is considered a postprimary credential, which means you must first complete the education and credentialing process for a primary credential, such as Radiography. In some states, earning the CT certification means you're qualified to perform computed tomography scans. Other states also require you to have a license, which may involve proving your credentials or taking additional exams.</p> <p>In states where the profession is not regulated at the state level, employers may require education and national credentials in CT or another primary imaging technology.</p> <p>Some states require that a particular body accredit the educational program. Examples of licensure or registry application requirements (among others) may include submission of an official high school or college transcript, a Social Security number, a photo ID, driver's license, or passport. Some states require criminal background checks and fingerprinting. Final determination of individual state requirements for registry or licensure can only be confirmed by that state's governing body.</p> <p>North Carolina requires individuals who perform diagnostic CT procedures on humans to meet educational standards and hold a valid registration from ARRT in CT, Radiography or Radiation Medicine, or from NMTCB in Nuclear Medicine. The state does not maintain a registry or require a license. Individuals are required to provide documentation to their employers. https://radiation.ncdhhs.gov/</p> <p>Sandhills Community College Computed Tomography program graduates may be eligible to sit for the American Registry of Radiologic Technologist-Advanced Level testing in Computed Tomography Imaging examinations.</p> <p>To easily find professional registry and licensure requirements in other states, visit https://www.asrt.org/main/standards-and-regulations/legislation-regulations-and-advocacy/individual-state-licensure</p>

STATE	MEETS EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS	DOES NOT MEETS EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS	COMMENTS
Alabama	X		Not regulated by the state
Alaska	X		Not regulated by the state
American Samoa		X	Information not available
Arizona	X		Certification required
Arkansas	X		Not regulated by the state
California	X		Not regulated by the state
Colorado	X		National Credential required
Connecticut	X		Not regulated by the state
Delaware		X	Certification required
Florida		X	Certification required
Georgia	X		Not regulated by the state
Guam		X	Information not available
Hawaii	X		Not regulated by the state
Idaho	X		Not regulated by the state
Illinois	X		Not regulated by the state
Indiana	X		Not regulated by the state
Iowa	X		Not regulated by the state
Kansas	X		Not regulated by the state
Kentucky	X		Not regulated by the state
Louisiana	X		Not regulated by the state
Maine	X		Not regulated by the state
Maryland	X		Not regulated by the state
Massachusetts		X	License required
Michigan		X	State standard
Minnesota		X	State standard
Mississippi	X		Not regulated by the state
Missouri	X		Not regulated by the state
Montana	X		Not regulated by the state
Nebraska		X	License required
Nevada		X	State standard
New Hampshire		X	License required
New Jersey	X		Not regulated by the state
New Mexico		X	Certification required
New York	X		Not regulated by the state
North Carolina	X		Not regulated by the state
North Dakota	X		Not regulated by the state
Northern Mariana Islands		X	Information not available
Ohio		X	State standard
Oklahoma	X		Not regulated by the state
Oregon		X	State standard
Pennsylvania	X		Not regulated by the state
Puerto Rico		X	Information not available
Rhode Island		X	License required
South Carolina		X	Certification required
South Dakota	X		Not regulated by the state
Tennessee	X		Not regulated by the state
Texas	X		Not regulated by the state
US Virgin Islands		X	Information not available
Utah	X		Not regulated by the state

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