

LSR1120 - Image Production I

Credits:	4 (3/1/0)
Description:	This course is designed to introduce the student to image acquisition techniques. A comprehensive review of technical factors and their impact on image quality will be covered, along with technique charts and their components. Students also will be introduced to x-ray production processes, the fundamental properties of x-rays and the basic components of imaging equipment.
Prerequisites:	• BIOL2260 • COMM1140 • HLTH1116
Corequisites:	• LSR1100 • LSR1140 • LSR1160
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	 Demonstrate an understanding of the characteristics of each technical factor used in image acquisition. Discuss the role of technical factors in x-ray production and image acquisition. Explain the impact each technical factor has on x-ray production and image quality. Demonstrate how technical factors can be manipulated and interchanged to produce x-rays and a quality image. Use mathematical equations related to image acquisition and x-ray production processes. Outline the steps of x-ray production. Diagram the components of a diagnostic x-ray tube. Explain the characteristics of each component of an x-ray tube. Describe the fundamental properties of x-rays. Discuss the importance of technique charts. Exhibit an understanding of each component of a technique chart. Differentiate the components of various technique charts. Construct a technique chart. Identify the basic components of imaging equipment. Operate the basic components of imaging equipment. Create images in the lab using image acquisition techniques.
MnTC goal areas:	None

^{*}Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.