## PARKER UNIVERSITY RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM

## **TECHNICAL STANDARDS**

Students must be physically capable of successfully performing the following standards related to the occupation in a safe, accurate, and expeditious manner. Please read the following standards carefully, make an assessment of your physical capabilities, and determine if you have any physical limitations that may restrict or interfere with your satisfactory performance of any of the standards listed below.

- Lift, move and transport patients (in excess of 50 pounds) to and from various ambulatory devices, (wheelchair, stretcher, hospital bed, and radiographic table) without causing undue pain or discomfort to patient or oneself.
- The ability to spend prolonged periods of time walking, standing, sitting, bending, reaching, pushing, and pulling.
  - Position patients for various radiologic examinations. This requires physical touch.
  - Manipulate x-ray equipment into proper positions, including fixed and mobile units. This requires upper and lower body dexterity.
  - Recognize audio sounds and (bells, buzzers, etc...) and visually distinguish colors.
  - Respond immediately to emergency situations that may otherwise jeopardize a patient's physical state if speedy care is not administered.
  - Evaluate written requisitions for radiographic procedures.
  - Communicate (verbal and written) the explanation of procedures and give effective instructions to a patient.
  - Obtain medical histories of patients and communicate this information to appropriate members of the health care team.
  - Visually evaluate radiographic images.

I confirm that I have read and understand the above statement regarding the required technical standards.

Student Name (print)	Date
Student Signature	