

Radiation Management Provisional Mammographers Registration/Certification Program

Standards for mammography facilities both reduce radiation exposure to the patient and help ensure a quality radiograph is available for review by the radiologist. The registration of mammographers is a means of ensuring qualified personnel are available to perform this function.

Who Must Apply

Any person who is not registered in mammography by the American Registration of Radiologic Technology (ARRT) needs to be registered with the Department for a provisional certificate.

Application Process

An operator who is registered in Radiology by the ARRT may apply to the State for a provisional certificate while participating in a structured training program in mammography. This operator must be under the direct supervision of a radiographic technologist who is ARRT registered in Mammography. The operator must complete a form provided by the Department (Form R-64) and submit the application to the HMWMD Radiation Control Program, X-Ray Certification Unit. The certificate is good for one year. All applicants will be notified in writing on the status of their application

An operator may request a renewal of the provisional certificate if the first certificate has expired. The operator must complete a form provided by the Department (Form R-64) and submit the application to the HMWMD Radiation Control Program, X-Ray Certification Unit. This certificate can be renewed only once.

Duration of Permit

The provisional certificate granted for individuals participating in a structured training program is valid for a period up to one year. The certificate is no longer valid once the mammographer has successfully passed the ARRT mammography Certification.

Fees

A one-time fee of \$50 must accompany the initial provisional application filed during any of the described certification processes.

Public Participation

There are no public participation requirements for this certificate.

Statutes and Regulations

CRS 25-11-104 (b) (2.5)

Rules and Regulations Pertaining to Radiation Control, 6 CCR 1007-1 Part 2

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