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**Chief Radiographer │Radiography Manager**

**Snapshot:** Versatile resourceful Radiographer with proven track record of delivering outstanding results seeks a challenging position with a reputable organization to utilize acquired skills & knowledge and contribute to achievement of organizational goals & objectives

**Executive Summary**

* Qualified & competent radiolographer 29+ years of rich experience in conducting all types of routine and special procedures in MRI, CT, DSA, operation theatre & interventional radiology.
* Proven capability of independently managing radiography department of a large multispecialty hospital, leading teams of radiographers assuring delivery of consistent high quality of services.
* Experience of working in reputable hospitals in Oman including Sultan Qaboos University Hospital & Ministry of Health facilities and in India including the Christian Medical College & Hospital Vellore.
* Skilled in implementing effective policies & procedures and enforcing all radiological safety, hospital safety, housekeeping and documentation requirements to meet statutory, NABH & ISO 9001 requirements.
* Skilled in quick assimilation of new technology & methods and training fellow radiographers and medical students on radiological techniques.
* Deft in building & sustaining productive relations with all stakeholders and leading, motivating & monitoring teams eliciting superior performances.
* Proactive, dedicated, result driven professional with excellent communication, coordination, problem solving, decision making, planning & execution skills

**Competency Matrix**

**Radiography Procedures**

* **MRI Scans** – MRI sequences of all brain studies including routine studies, Spectroscopy, CVA, demyelinating diseases, hematoma, small vessel disease, AVM, angiography, tumours like pituitary adenoma & CT angle tumours, CSF flow study, temporal lobe epilepsy, paediatric brain, orbit studies, all spine studies like cervical, thoracic & lumbar studies, neck study, abdomen studies with cholangio & MRCP sequences, upper & lower extremities, various joints including shoulder, knee, ankle & wrists, MR angiograms of kidneys, liver, brain and upper & lower limbs .
* **CT Scan Studies** – routine CT studies with vascular angiograms, cardiac CTs, 3-D reconstruction studies for various clinical entities like double renal arteries, tumours, bone reconstruction for orthopaedic requirements, reconstruction of skull & brain lesions using multiplanar reconstruction techniques for neurosurgical & dental requirements, maximum intensity projection, surface shaded display & volume rendering techniques. Experience in virtual bronchoscopy & virtual colonoscopy, high resolution CTs (HRCT), orbits, PNS, abdomen, trauma cases, radio surgery cases, quantum CTs, CT guided biopsies & FNACs.
* **Digital Subtraction Angiography (DSA)** – Operating DSA machine for procedures like carotid angiogram, vertebral angiogram, renal angiogram, celiac axis angiogram, peripheral angiogram, angioplasty and special procedures like TIPS, embolization, IVC filter placement & biliary stenting
* **Operation Theatre Radiography (C-arm)** – Procedures like dynamic hip screwing, open reduction & internal fixation, spinal stabilization, intramedullary nailing, RGP, DJ stenting, transsphenoidal excision of pituitary adenoma and cervical discectomy
* **X-rays for GI studies** – Barium swallow, barium meal, barium enema, small bowel enema, myelogram, ERCP, PTC and hysterosalpingogram (HSG)
* **Bedside portable x-rays** in coronary care unit, intensive medical care unit, intensive surgical care unit, paediatric unit, orthopaedic wards and trauma & emergency wards
* **Routine Radiography** – X-rays of skull, chest, extremities, spine, abdomen, trauma & emergency cases using digital radiography units and conventional x-ray units
* Working with Picture Archival & Communication System (PACS)
* Manual & automatic processing of films in the dark room

**Radiography Equipment**

* **PACS Systems** – GE Medical ,Philips & Siemens PACS
* **Digital Radiography (DR)** – Philips DigitalDiagnost
* **CR** – AGFA,FUJI,KODAK
* **Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)** – 1.5 Tesla, 0.5 Tesla & 0.35 Tesla Siemens, Philips & Toshiba MRI machines
* **Computed Tomography (CT)** – Siemens SOMATOM Sensation 64 slice CT, Siemens Smile Spiral CT, Toshiba 300S CT, GE Dual Plus Spiral CT
* **Operation Theatre Radiography (C-arm)** – Philips BV25 Gold – AV Mulars, GE C-arm, Philips BR Libra
* **Fluro Radiography** – Siemens SERIGRAPH D2
* **Mobile Radiography** – Siemens SIMOX D, Shimadzu DR Mobile DaRt Evolution, Siemens Mobilett II
* **General Radiography** – Siemens TRIDOROS 500 mA X-ray machine
* **Processing Area** – AGFA & Kodak Automatic processors

**Professional Experience**

**Apollo KH Hospital │Vellore India │Sep 2013 to date**

*Apollo KH Hospital is a 100-bed multi-specialty hospital. https://www.apollohospitals.com/locations/india/ranipet*

**Radiographer in Charge**

*Report to: Head of the Department Team: 12*

*The hospital provides 24-hour diagnostic services including MRI, Spiral CT scan, X-ray, ultrasound, TMT & echo-colour Doppler*

**Responsibilities**

* Manage day-to-day operations of the department, preparing duty chart of radiographers and monitoring to ensure smooth provision of services to patients.
* As a member of the core team, ensure maintenance of all requirements for NABH accreditation in the radiology department.
* Organize continuing education programs including workshops on radiology and training programs for students
* Prepare monthly & annual statistical reports & graphs on departmental performance.
* Conduct periodical performance appraisals of staff, counsel on improvement requirements and provide various training & development opportunities.
* Coordinate with hospital supply chain & maintenance teams assuring availability of radiological supplies and maintenance of all equipment
* Ensure compliance with all policies & procedures including medical documentation, radiological safety and housekeeping in the department.

**Highlights**

* Led efforts leading to successful accreditation of the hospital to ISO 9001 standard
* Won recognition as the best department in the hospital

**Early Work Experience**

* **Quality Scans**, Vellore India, **Senior MRI Technologist**, May 2011 – Sep 2013 – Led a team of 5 radiolographers, conducted MRI scans and trained junior staff
* **Sultan Qaboos University Hospital**, Muscat Oman, **Senior Technical Radiology Scientist**, Sep 2008 – May 2011 – Led a team of 8 radiographers, conducting MRI scans. Trained junior staff & medical students.
* **Apollo KH Hospital**, Vellore India, **Senior Radiographer**, Feb 2004 – Sep 2008 – Led a team of 7 radiographers and conducted MRI scans of patients. Prepared the department for ISO audit. Trained radiologists
* **Elite Mission Hospital**, Thrissur India, **MRI Radiographer**, Aug 2003 – Feb 2004 – Led a team of 4 radiographers and conducted MRI scans as per medical advice. Trained radiographers.
* **Dr T Nandakumar Hospital**, Vellore India, **Radiographer**, Dec 2000 – Jun 2003 – Led a team of 3 radiographers conducting routine X-rays & special procedures. Trained radiographers.
* **CSI Holdsworth Memorial Hospital**, Mysore India, **Radiographer in Charge**, Mar 1998 – Nov 2000 – Led a team of 7 radiographers and ensured smooth provision of services to patients
* **Ministry of Health**, Oman, **Radiographer**, Jan 1993 – Oct 1997 – Led a team of 4 radiographers conducting routine X-rays & special procedures
* **Coimbatore Scan & Research Centre**, Coimbatore India, **CT Scan Radiographer**, Jun 1990 – Jan 1993 – Conducted CT scans of patients as per physician’s advice.
* **Christian Medical College**, Vellore India, **Radiographer**, Aug 1987 – May 1990 – Member of department with 100 radiographers, conducting routine X-rays & special investigations

**Education & Professional Registration**

**Education**

* **B.Sc. Medical Imaging Technology**, Manipal University, Bangalore, 2007, Distinction
* **2-Year Diploma in Radiodiagnostic Technology**, Christian Medical Association of India (CMAI) at Christian Medical College & Hospital, Vellore India, 1987, Distinction

**Registration**

* **Indian Association of Radiological Technologists (IART)** LM #1357