CAREER DESCRIPTION*

» Typical Salary: $49,810 (NE); $55,270 (National)
» Projected job growth: 8.4% (NE); 1.4% (NE)
» As imaging technology evolves, medical facilities will replace more invasive, costly procedures, which will increase the need for highly qualified technologists.

TYPICAL EDUCATION**

» Years of school (including undergraduate): 5 years
» Approximate cost (CVIT only): Pending 2019-2020 Tuition
» Average entering GPA: 3.0
» Must have graduated from a Radiography program (Bachelor’s)
» Typical-entry level education: Associate’s/Bachelor’s

NEARBY SCHOOLS

» UNMC
» Nebraska Methodist College
» Clarkson College
» Southeast Technical Institute (Sioux Falls, SD)
» University of Iowa

TIPS FOR SUCCESS

» Shadow professionals in the field
» Maintain GPA to stay competitive
» Graduate from an accredited Radiography program
» Obtain a current certification by the ARRT

WHAT PRACTICING PROFESSIONALS SAY

I enjoy being a CVIT because it involves so many specialized radiographic techniques. My career makes me feel important in that I perform so many different procedures.

-UNMC CVIT Graduate, 2018

UNMC offers a great Cardiovascular Technology program. My time here is preparing me to take on all of the different aspects and processes of what a CVIT does.

-Current UNMC CVIT Student

*Data and information from Bureau of Labor Statistics
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