

OHIO BOARD OF REGENTS

Agenda Item 3.4 Cuyahoga Community College, Associate of Applied  
Science degree in Diagnostic Medical Sonography

**RESOLUTION**

BE IT RESOLVED: upon recommendation of the Chancellor and with the concurrence of the Initiatives Committee of the Ohio Board of Regents that the following new degree program is approved:

Cuyahoga Community College  
Associate of Applied Science in Diagnostic Medical Sonography

## **BACKGROUND**

### **CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

Associate of Applied Science Degree in Diagnostic Medical Sonography

Cuyahoga Community College has developed an Associate degree program in Diagnostic Medical Sonography in response to the growing need for trained diagnostic medical sonographers that can perform sonographic exams. The program was designed to meet and exceed the standards for an educational Diagnostic Medical Sonography program as accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Program.

The Diagnostic Medical Sonographer is a recognized allied health professional combining technical expertise with a knowledge of anatomy and related pathology to produce and evaluate ultrasound images.

Students enrolled in this program will acquire the technical, professional and ethical skills needed to perform as competent entry-level diagnostic medical sonographers. Graduates of the program will have the education and training needed to take the necessary credentialing exams upon completion of the program.

Graduates of the Diagnostic Medical Sonography program will find career opportunities in hospitals, clinics, public health care facilities, laboratories, physician offices, and other medical facilities.