

## Florida Institute of Ultrasound

Undergraduate certificate in Diagnostic Medical Sonography/Sonographer and Ultrasound Technician

Program Length: 1 year

### Students graduating on time

91% of Title IV students complete the program within 1 year<sup>1</sup>

### Program Costs\*

**\$18,900** for tuition and fees

**\$885** for books and supplies

Other Costs:

\$40 approximate cost of a set of scrubs (recommended to buy at least two sets.)

\$25 approximate cost of a lab coat

\$39 approximate cost of drug screen

\$55.25 background check (1 county, 1 name), \$13 additional counties and names

Visit website for more program cost information: [fiupensacola.edu/tuition-and-fees/](http://fiupensacola.edu/tuition-and-fees/)

\*The amounts shown above include costs for the entire program, assuming normal time to completion.

Note that this information is subject to change.

### Students Borrowing Money

**The typical graduate leaves with**

**\$15,935** in debt<sup>3</sup>

**The typical monthly loan payment**

**\$164** per month in student loans with an interest rate of **4.45%**<sup>4</sup>.

### Graduates who got jobs

**85%** of program graduates got jobs according to the [Florida Department of Education job placement rate](#)<sup>7</sup>

**85%** of program graduates got jobs according to the [Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools \(ABHES\) job placement rate](#)<sup>8</sup>

**Program graduates are employed in the following fields:**

Diagnostic Medical Sonographers: <http://onetonline.org/link/summary/29-2032.00>

### Licensure Requirements<sup>6</sup>

The following do not have licensure requirements for this profession:

**Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New**

**York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virgin Islands, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming**

**Additional Information:**

No additional notes provided.

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These disclosures are required by the U.S. Department of Education

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## Footnotes:

- <sup>1</sup> The share of students who completed the program within 100% of normal time (1 year).
- <sup>2</sup> The share of students who borrowed Federal, private, and/or institutional loans to help pay for college.
- <sup>3</sup> The median debt of borrowers who completed this program. This debt includes federal, private, and institutional loans.
- <sup>4</sup> The median monthly loan payment for students who completed this program if it were repaid over ten years at a 4.45% interest rate.
- <sup>5</sup> The median earnings of program graduates who received Federal aid.
- <sup>6</sup> Some States require students to graduate from a state approved program in order to obtain a license to practice a profession in those States.

7. State Job Placement Rate:

Name of the state this placement rate is calculated for:

*Florida Department of Education*

Follow the link below to find out who is included in the calculation of this rate:

*http://N/A (http://N/A)*

What types of jobs were these students placed in?

*The job placement rate includes completers hired for: Jobs within the field*

*Positions that recent completers were hired for include: Diagnostic Medical Sonographers*

When were the former students employed?

*Students are tracked from the start of the reporting period until the report is due about 115 days after the close of the reporting period (July 1 - June 30). The students must be employed for at least 15 days.*

How were completers tracked?

*Through exit interview upon completion of the program, Alumni Update Your Information form on the school website and contacting the student by phone and email.*

8. Accreditor Job Placement Rate:

Name of the accrediting agency this placement rate is calculated for:

*Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools (ABHES)*

Follow the link below to find out who is included in the calculation of this rate:

*http://N/A (http://N/A)*

What types of jobs were these students placed in?

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