Echocardiography Program Outcomes 2018-2021

The Echocardiography (ECHO) program is programmatically accredited through the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP), upon review of the Joint Review Committee on Education in Diagnostic Medical Sonography (JRC-DMS).
Feedback from industry affiliates confirms that the ECHO program not only meets the bar established by CAAHEP, but also produces graduates ready to work in any hospital or clinical lab setting with minimal orientation or instruction. Information on program accreditation can be found at www.caahep.org. The following metrics reflect the program outcomes as reported to CAAHEP:

Credentialing success, exams taken and passed within first year of completion

	2018	2019	2020	2021
ARDMS Pass rate for Sonography Physics and Instrumentation (SPI) - within class cohort	100% (19/19)	100% (20/20)	100% (16/16)	100% (18/18)
ARDMS/CCI pass rate for Echocardiography (Adult Echo)	100% (19/19)	100% (20/20)	100% (15/15)	100% (18/18)

Placement

	2018	2019	2020	2021
Employment within first 6 months of graduation.	100% (19/19)	100% (20/20)	100% (16/16)	100% (18/18)
Retention	95% (19/20)	91% (20/22)	84% (16/19)	86% (18/21)
Attrition	5% (1/20)	9% (2/22)	11% (2/19)	14% (3/21)

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Class of 2022 will be reported after January 2023