TITLE: Radiograph Repeat Policy

POLICY NO: R-10

EFFECTIVE DATE: 8-27-2023

TARGET GROUP: CHS Students

SECTION: CHS Student Policy

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Purpose:

This policy is to inform the student radiographer must be directly supervised when a repeat radiograph is needed.

Policy:

The IU South Bend Radiography Program requires that any radiographic image that is repeated by a student must be done in the presence of a registered radiographer. At no time are students (first or second year) to repeat radiographs alone, regardless of their level of competency. There are no exceptions to this policy.

Compliance with the Radiography Program Radiograph Repeat Policy will be substantiated by completion of the Clinical Supervision and Repeat Policy Evaluation by the student in Canvas and by the supervising technologist in Trajecsys. The Clinical Supervision and Repeat Policy is validated for each clinical rotation.

Students must also demonstrate knowledge of how to correct an error prior to the repeat exposure as they progress in the program. If a student cannot explain how to fix or correct an error as they progress in the program, a violation may occur.

This policy follows R-13 and R-24, Notification for Improvement and Violation policies.