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**DIAGNOSTIC SONOGRAPHY**  
ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE

Parker University's Associate of Applied Science with a major in Diagnostic Sonography provides a thorough foundation of the laboratory and clinical experiences faced by sonographers. The program combines diagnostic techniques with a focus on the most critical topics facing the sonographic profession today.

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## **PARKER UNIVERSITY'S DIAGNOSTIC SONOGRAPHY DEGREE**

As health care continues to shift toward cost-effective and non-invasive procedures, certain professions stand to benefit from the industry-wide approach to patient care. These measures, paired with new advancements in imaging technology, have led hospitals and clinics alike to employ sonographers to capture potentially life-changing images such as monitoring an unborn baby, diagnosing a condition, or guiding a surgeon during certain procedures. Today, career opportunities for sonography professionals are abundant as ever, with graduates employed in dynamic healthcare institutions around the world.

### **WHY PARKER'S DIAGNOSTIC SONOGRAPHY PROGRAM?**

The Associate of Applied Science with a major in Diagnostic Sonography is geared toward building an understanding of the methods, ethics, and tools crucial to advance in today's health care landscape. Course content includes sonographic sectional anatomy, ultrasound physics, and sonographic presentation of normal and disease process. The program can be completed in 18 months.



#### **Lock Step Program**

The knowledge from each academic class builds upon the prior resulting in confident students as they begin their clinical experience.



#### **Hands-on**

Students will receive six months of hands-on experience.

**STATS**

**15% Growth Rate<sup>1</sup>**

15% projected employment growth rate through 2033.

**15,200 Jobs<sup>1</sup>**

15,200 projected new diagnostic medical sonography jobs through 2033

**\$84,470 Median Income<sup>1</sup>**

\$84,470 median income for diagnostic medical sonographers as of 2023

<sup>1</sup><https://www.bls.gov/ooh/healthcare/diagnostic-medical-sonographers.htm>

### **CAREER OUTLETS FOR PARKER'S DIAGNOSTIC SONOGRAPHY GRADUATES INCLUDE:**

- Hospitals
- Diagnostic laboratories
- Private physician practices
- Imaging centers

#### **Accreditation**

Parker University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) to award associate, baccalaureate, masters, and doctorate degrees. Parker University also may offer credentials such as certificates and diplomas at approved degree levels. Questions about the accreditation of Parker University may be directed in writing to the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, GA 30033-4097, by calling (404) 679-4500, or by using information available on SACSCOC's website ([www.sacscoc.org](http://www.sacscoc.org)).

The Diagnostic Medical Sonography program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs ([www.caahep.org](http://www.caahep.org)) upon the recommendation of the Joint Review Committee on Education in Diagnostic Medical Sonography. The Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs is located at 9355 - 113th St. N, #7709 Seminole, FL 33775.

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