# **Prospective Student Clinical Visit Report**

## Diagnostic Radiography or Radiotherapy

The person named below has expressed an interest in application to a UK university to study either Diagnostic Radiography or Radiotherapy. In order to assist in the recruitment process and assessment of the suitability of the applicant, it is advised that they should visit a clinical department for at least one day. We would be very grateful for your assistance in helping us to select the most suitable candidates by confirming their attendance at the department and and, if you feel comfortable in doing so, would value your opinion on this applicant.

Section A, pages 1 & 2 of this report should be completed by the clinical visit coordinator and e-mailed or posted directly to the universities using the relevant addresses supplied by the applicant. Section B, the reflection on the visit, pages 3 & 4, will be completed by the applicant and then copied/printed as needed to support their applications to study and to help in preparing themselves for interview.

#### Section A - Assessment of applicant (to be completed by the clinical staff)

| Name of applicant:   |
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| Date of visit:   |
| Which types of imaging procedures and examinations were experienced? |
| Universities to which this form should be sent<br>1                  |

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Even though this applicant's visit may have been short, your impression of the applicant in a clinical situation is greatly valued by the university admission team. Please grade the applicant in the categories shown below;

|                                  | Poor | Satisfactory | Commendable |
|----------------------------------|------|--------------|-------------|
| Punctuality                      |      |              |             |
| Appearance                       |      |              |             |
| Asked relevant questions         |      |              |             |
| Existing knowledge of imaging    |      |              |             |
| Communication skills             |      |              |             |
| Self-confidence                  |      |              |             |
| Motivation                       |      |              |             |
| Attitude to clinical work        |      |              |             |
| Appropriate bedside manner, or   |      |              |             |
| Ease in the presence of patients |      |              |             |

Would you be content to have this applicant as a student in your department?

Yes / No

Further comment on this applicant.

| Radiographers' name:               | Telephone: |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Position:                          | Date:      |
| Hospital Address or Hospital Stamp |            |

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Section B – Reflection on the clinical visit (to be completed by the applicant)

1. What types of patients and clinical conditions did you see? How did the radiographer adapt to the variation experienced?

2. Outline what were the enjoyable aspects of your clinical visit?

3. Outline what was the most unusual or surprising aspect of your clinical visit?

4. Did you find any aspect of your clinical visit uninteresting or disturbing?

- 5. List the 3 most significant things you learned during your clinical visit. a.
  - b.

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- 6. What do you perceive to be the role of the radiographer in modern healthcare?

7. Which of your existing personal skills and characteristics will be of advantage in studying and practicing radiography?