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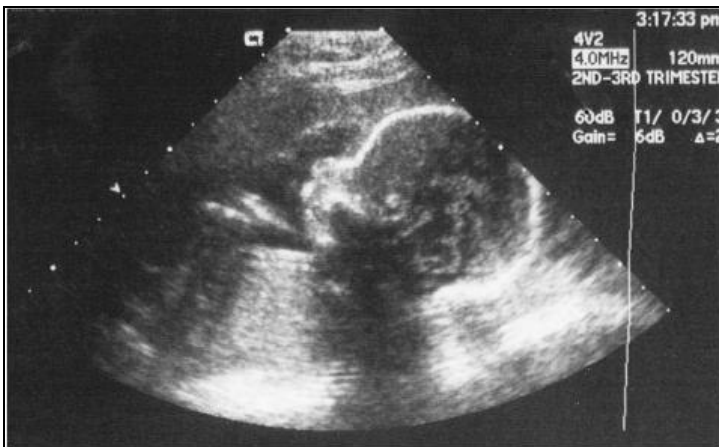
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Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program Receives CAAHEP Accreditation

The Diagnostic Medical Sonography program at Athens Technical College recently received accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP). Receiving CAAHEP accreditation means that the Diagnostic Medical Sonography program meets or exceeds national standards and guidelines. Upon completion of a prescribed curriculum, students are eligible to apply to take exams for the American Registry of Diagnostic Medical Sonographers. Most employers require sonographers to become registered because of advanced medical treatment needed for patient care and new requirements by insurers for reimbursement.

Athens Technical College offers one of two accredited Diagnostic Medical Sonography Associate of Science degree programs in Georgia. The students are assured quality education at Athens Technical College and employers are guaranteed students are prepared for the marketplace with advanced education and clinical experiences.

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