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Radiology Technology Workshop Held at Northwest Iowa Community College

Northwest Iowa Community College, Sheldon, IA, is presenting a Radiology Technology workshop Saturday, October 14, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The three topics that will be discussed are: Understanding the Workflow Advantages of PACS, Stress Management for Radiographers, and Film Critique and Evaluation of the finger, thumb, hand, and wrist.

The first session will be *Understanding the Workflow Technology of PACS*. This will be a great seminar for those interested in integrating PACS into facilities or seeking more information about current systems. Objectives for the workshop include: PACS Overview, Film Overview, Data Flow, Budget, Government Regulations, Technique Constraints, PACS Advantage, CR/DR Benefits. The presenters will be Shawn Pew, Director of Clinical Networking and Support Services at Cassling Diagnostic, and Randy Wobig, Vice President of Clinical Networking at Cassling Diagnostic.

The second session will be *Stress Management for Radiographers*. Learn interesting facts about stress and how it can affect you in your everyday interactions with those around you. Practice some techniques to reduce stress and start your own "Stress Recognition Diary." Jack L. Barr, M.S., R.T.R., will be the presenter.

The third session is *Film Critique and Evaluation of the finger, thumb, hand, and wrist.*This will review the anatomy and positioning of the upper extremity. Presenter will be Mary Cowan, Radiologic Technology Program Director at NCC.

Radiographers can earn 6 CEHs and nurses can earn .6 CEUs.

For more information or to register call Northwest Iowa Community College at 712-324-5061 or 800-352-4907.