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Surgical & Radiologic Technologist Careers and Clinical Placements

Industry Job Market

Surgical and radiologic technologists in the Greater Sacramento area have shown high demand and a significant number of available positions over the past year, particularly from major employers like Sutter Health and UC Davis Health.

Industry Future

Surgical Technology and Radiologic Technologist roles in the Greater Sacramento region are expected to grow by 16% over the next five years, outpacing the average growth rate of 8%. In 2023, starting pay for these roles ranged from \$35.83 to \$39.82 per hour.

Desired Education

Employers prefer surgical technologists to hold a non-degree credential from a postsecondary institution rather than only a high school diploma. For radiologic technologists, an associate's degree is typically required.

Talent Pipeline Management

The Talent Pipeline Management (TPM) initiative enabled healthcare employers to discuss staffing challenges, strategize, share best practices, and create a coordinated approach to meet workforce needs. This collaboration aimed to build a prepared healthcare workforce that can adapt to the region's changing demands.

Where should I go next?

- Browse training programs at your local community college at Northstatecareers.org.
- Find a Job Center near you to talk to a career coach at Careeronestop.org.
- Talk to someone about work-based opportunities at your local community college.

Average Salary:

\$70,000

Annually

