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ADOPTED-BOARD OF TRUSTEES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508 APRIL 4, 2024

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508 COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

RESOLUTION APPLICATION FOR NEW PROGRAMS COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY BASIC CERTIFICATE THE OFFICE OF ACADEMIC AND STUDENT AFFAIRS MALCOLM X COLLEGE

WHEREAS, new educational programs require approval of the Board of Trustees of Community College District 508, the Illinois Community College Board (ICCB) and the Illinois Board of Higher Education (IBHE); and

WHEREAS, an application for approval of the City Colleges of Chicago Computed Tomography Basic Certificate has been received and appropriately reviewed/is under review by the Joint Curriculum Development Council for submission; and

WHEREAS, the Computed Tomography (CT) Basic Certificate at Malcolm X College will build upon the existing Associate in Applied Science in Radiography by providing the opportunity for licensed Radiologic Technicians to earn an additional specialized certification to perform CT Scans; and

WHEREAS, labor market data shows strong demand for Computed Tomography Technologist with 345 advertised job openings in Cook County in 2023, and a median advertised salary of \$118,500 annually, representing a more than 25% increase in earnings potential over a Radiologic Technician without the additional credential.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, County of Cook and State of Illinois, hereby approves the submission of this program for permanent approval by the Illinois Community College Board and Illinois Board of Higher Education, pending completion of Proposed Academic Curriculum Changes (PACC) process per Academic Policy 9.02.

April 4, 2024 – The Office of Academic and Student Affairs