

School of Health and Social Care

Interview and selection day criteria

Therapeutic Radiography (BSc (Hons), BSc (Hons) Extended, PgDip/MSc(Top-up)/MSc)

The interview is an opportunity to explain face-to-face why you are the right student for the course. The format of the interview is a multiple mini interview.

Welcome Presentation

The day will start with a group presentation. The presentation gives an overview of what LSBU offers to prospective students and includes details of library services, support services as well as the type of candidates we are looking for and the NHS Core values. There is also an opportunity for the candidates to ask questions in that setting.

The Multiple Mini Interview process (MMI)

The MMI comprises of no more than six applicants moving around six individual stations to be interviewed by separate interviewers in a one-to-one interview. The starting point for each applicant is different but each interviewer will ask the same question of all six applicants in turn. Four minutes is allowed for each answer and one minute for moving between stations. The first interviewer will ask a starter question so your time with them will be eight minutes. There will be interviewers at each station. They will ask you a question based on one of the NHS core values:

- Working together for patients
- Respect and dignity
- · Commitment to quality of care
- Compassion
- Improving lives
- Everyone counts

We are looking for candidates that have the following:

- A keen and informed interest in Therapeutic Radiography
- Candidates that are motivated and excited about the prospect of studying Therapeutic Radiography
- Candidate is interested in radiography technology and is interested in learning about human biology and physiology
- Individuals that want to work with patients and are supporters of patient-centered care



- Individuals that like the idea of working within a hospital and multi-disciplinary environment
- Individuals that excel in working with others
- Have an interest in higher education and dedicated to their own educational and personal development

Interview checklist

- ✓ Be clear, confident and convincing about your reasons for choosing this career.
- ✓ Be sensitive and compassionate.
- ✓ Reflect on your personal qualities, skills and what you have learnt through any placement's or work experience when presenting your answers.
- ✓ Stay calm and collected; take your time to consider your answers.

Documents to bring

Your identity will be checked against your passport or driving licence. You must bring
one of these documents with you to your interview. If you forget we will not be able to
interview you.

Clinical visit

When you attend your interview you will need to have visited a Radiotherapy department that is local to your home for at least one day before your interview. Download the Therapeutic Radiography Clinical Visit Report Form (PDF File 140 KB), take it with you when you visit, ask the superintendent radiographer to complete section B and bring the form to the interview together with section A which you need to complete.