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Preparing for the Diagnostic Imaging Selection Process

The SAIT Medical Radiologic Technology (MRT) program selection process consists of two phases; phase 1 - a selection package and phase 2 – aptitude tests. Individuals who meet the specific benchmark of phase 1 will move to phase 2. Individuals who meet the benchmark of phase 2 will be offered a seat until the program is full. Once full they will be ranked on the program waitlist.

It is recommended that applicants research the SAIT program and the career to prepare for this process.

Selection Package

The following links, as well as the www.sait.ca, may be helpful in the selection package/ career investigation of

Professional Organizations

[Alberta College of Medical Diagnostic and Therapeutic Technologists \(ACMDTT\)](#)

[ACMDTT Radiological Technologists – About the profession](#)

[Canadian Association of Medical Radiation Technologists \(CAMRT\)](#)

[Alliance of Medical Radiation Technologists Regulators of Canada \(The Alliance\)](#)

- [Medical Radiation Technologists](#)

[The American Registry of Radiologic Technologists \(ARRT\)](#)

[Manitoba Association of Medical Radiation Technologists](#)

[Saskatchewan Association of Medical Radiation Technologists](#)

News Groups

[Aunt Minnie](#)

[Dotmed News](#)

Career Links

[Alberta Learning Information Service \(ALIS\) - Occupational Profile for MRT](#)



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Aptitude Tests

The following information may be helpful as you prepare for the aptitude tests.

The Profession Specific Aptitude Tests

The MRT aptitude tests assess your ability to answer questions delivered both in written and verbal format and your capacity to understand and follow directions. The assessment includes reading comprehension, math, science, critical thinking, career awareness, and reasoning-type questions. The test takes approximately one hour to complete.

CASPer

The CASPer test is comprised of 12 sections of video and written scenarios. CASPer assesses for collaboration, communication, empathy, equity, ethics, motivation, problem solving, professionalism, resilience and self awareness. Following each scenario, you will be required to answer a set of probing questions under a time contract. The test typically takes between 75-90 minutes to complete. Each response is graded by a different rater, giving a very robust and reliable view of personal and professional characteristics important to our program. No studying is required for CASPer, although you may want to familiarize yourself with the test structure at takeCASPer.com, and ensure you have a quiet environment to take the test.

Due to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act ([FOIP](#)), applicants may find it difficult to complete a job shadow prior to applying for the program. Job shadowing is not a requirement of the selection process.

