

Lumberton Radiological Associates, P.A.

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LRA receives ACR mammography accreditation

Lumberton, July 11, 2006: Adding peace of mind to its list of qualifications, Lumberton Radiological Associates has once again received an accreditation in mammography from the American College of Radiology, the accrediting body for the Food and Drug Administration.

“I am very proud of our staff,” said Dr. Jim Parker “this distinction demonstrates a commitment to quality care and patient safety.”

This re-accreditation marks the 18th year that Lumberton Radiological Associates has received this distinction, and is just one of the three areas LRA has received accreditation including ultrasound and stereotactic breast biopsy. For more than 80 years the ACR has been health care’s recognized leader in all facets of radiology and the nation’s leading organization representing radiologists, and has been required by law to accredit mammography facilities since 1994.

According to Dr. Ben Gasque, “LRA received its first accreditation in 1988, six years prior to any federal mandate. LRA was the second accredited mammography facility in the state and one of the first in the nation.”

With its continual accreditation LRA proves that it has the highest professional standards for providing screening mammography services. Plus, LRA also meets the guidelines set up by The American Cancer Society which not only instructs women in how to get a yearly mammogram, but that women should always look for the FDA certificate at their mammography facility.

For more information concerning LRA’s mammography accreditation, or any of LRA’s comprehensive breast care services, please feel free to contact Mike DeCinti, Director of Marketing, at (910)738-8222 ext 258 or by e-mail at mdecinti@lraxray.com. Also please feel free to visit our website at www.lraxray.com.

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