

WSCC PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT PROGRAM SAMPLE CURRICULUM PLAN

(0.5 + 2 academic years – model)

Pre-Requisites with a *must be completed before application to PTA program:

Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours
*BIOL 2010/2011	Anatomy and Phys I/Lab I	4
*BIOL 2020/2021	Anatomy and Phys II/Lab II	4
*MATH 1530 (or) 1630	Probability and Statistics or Finite Math	3
^ENGL 1010	Composition I	3
+ INFS 1010	Computer Applications	3

Apply to PTA Program by April 15. If accepted:

Fall Semester 1

Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours
PTAT 2410	Kinesiology for the PTA	4
PTAT 2440	Biophysical Agents for the PTA	4
PTAT 2250	Patient Care Skills for the PTA I	2
HIMT 1300	Medical Terminology	3
COMM 2025	Fundamentals of Speech communication	3

Spring Semester 1

Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours
PTAT 2260	Patient Care Skills for the PTA II	2
PTAT 2510	Musculoskeletal Conditions and Treatment for the PTA	5
PTAT 2520	Neuromuscular Conditions and Treatment for the PTA	5
PSYC 2130	Life Span Psychology	3

Fall Semester 2

Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours
PTAT 2530	Medical Surgical Conditions and Treatment for the PTA	5
PTAT 2370	Professional Development for the PTA	3
PTAT 2390	Integrated Clinical Education I	3
	Humanities/Fine Arts elective	3

Spring Semester 2

Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours
PTAT 2320	Special Topics for the PTA	3
PTAT 2391	Integrated Clinical Education II	3
PTAT 2590	Terminal Clinical Education I	5

Total of 70 hours

*This course is a pre-requisite for the PTA Program and must be completed prior to application.

^This course does not have to be taken prior to admission to the program. However, completion of all general education requirements with grades of C or better prior to application will result in additional ranking points. All general education courses excluding prerequisites can be taken in any order, but must be completed prior to beginning the semester of graduation.

+ The college requires all degree-seeking students to demonstrate computer competency either by passing an examination or by successfully completing a designated computer course. Students are required to meet computer competency during the first 30 hours of coursework.