



ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE

PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT

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Health and Public Services Division

Therapy & Wellness Programs Department

TECHNICAL Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
PTA110	Therapy Sciences	1	Department Chair Approval or Admission to the PTA Program and Co-PTA118	
PTA118	Principles of Patient Care	1	Co-PTA118L	
PTA118L	Principles of Patient Care Lab	2	Co-PTA118	
PTA119	Professional Values and Ethics	1	Co-PTA118	
PTA120	Introduction to Orthopedics	2	PHY101 and Co-PTA120L and Co-PTA128	
PTA120L	Introduction to Orthopedics Lab	1	Co-PTA120	
PTA125	Professional Clinical Practice for the PTA	1	PTA119 and Co-PTA138	
PTA128	PTA Procedures I Clinical Interventions	4	PTA110 and PTA118 and Co-PTA120	
PTA136	Neurological Foundations for Rehabilitation	1	BIO122 or BIO123	
PTA138	Data Collection	1	PTA128 and Co-PTA125 and Co-PTA138L	
PTA138L	Data Collection Lab	2	Co-PTA138	
PTA223	PTA Procedures III	2	PTA224 and PTA225	
PTA224	PTA Procedures II Ortho	3	EXS120 and PTA120 and BIO124	
PTA225	PTA Procedures II Neuro	3	BIO124 and PTA136 and Co-PTA248	
PTA228	Seminar I	1	PTA125 and Co-PTA247	
PTA230	Seminar II	1	PTA228 and Co-PTA257 and Co-PTA267	
PTA247	Clinical Experience I	1	PTA125 and Co-PTA228	
PTA248	Multisystems	1	PTA138 and Co-PTA225 and Co-PTA248L	
PTA248L	Multisystems Lab	1	Co-PTA248	
PTA257	Clinical Experience II	1	PTA247 and Co-PTA230	
PTA267	Clinical Experience III	2	Co-PTA230	
Total		33		
NON-TECH Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
SSC101	Student Success Seminar^^	1	<i>Take first semester</i>	
BIO123	Principles of Human Structure and Function (lab)#@	5	BIO101 or Proficiency	
BIO124	Human Diseases	3	BIO122 or BIO123	
ENG124	College Composition^	3	Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011 or Proficiency	
EXS110	Anatomy of Exercise	3	Co-BIO122 or Co-BIO123 and Co-EXS110L	
EXS110L	Anatomy of Exercise Lab	1	Co-EXS110	
EXS120	Exercise Applications	2	EXS110 and Co-EXS120L	
EXS120L	Exercise Applications Lab	1	Co-EXS120	
MTH105 or MTH124	Math for Allied Health ^ or Statistics^ Ω%	3 or 3	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>	
PHY101	Principles of Physics (lab)^*	4	(MTH024 or MTH025 or Proficiency) or MTH105 or MTH107 and (IDS102 or Proficiency)	
PSY121	General Psychology^	3	IDS102 or Proficiency	
PSY123	Human Growth and Development	3	PSY121	
Total		32		
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		65		

^Based on SSC placement scores.

^^ To promote student success, this course should be taken in the first semester.

@“B” or better in BIO101 or High School Biology (must be within 5 years).

BIO121 and BIO122 can be substituted for BIO123

Ω MTH124 Statistics should only be taken by students planning to transfer to a four-year institution.

%MTH125 College Algebra can be substituted for MTH124.

*PHY121 and PHY122 can be substituted for PHY101.

Minimum grade of “C” in all technical and non-technical courses in the program curriculum is required.

This program requires an application (separate from the College). Please see your advisor to discuss the application process.

PART-TIME STUDENT ADVISING NOTES

Academic Advising

Students should make an appointment to see their advisor before registering for classes each semester. They should have prepared a completed registration form, including courses they wish to take, prior to this meeting.

Course Sequence

The semester-by-semester listing below provides the normal scheduling option for part-time associate degree students who plan to finish in eight semesters.

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Credit Hours</u>	<u>Pre- and Co-requisites</u>
SSC101	Student Success Seminar^^	1	<i>Take first semester</i>
BIO123	Principles of Human Structure and Function (lab)#@	5	BIO101 or Proficiency
ENG124	College Composition^	3	Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011 or Proficiency
PHY101	Principles of Physics (lab)^*	4	(MTH024 or MTH025 or Proficiency) or MTH105 or MTH107 and (IDS102 or Proficiency)
		13	
<u>Second Semester</u>			
BIO124	Human Diseases	3	BIO122 or BIO123
EXS110	Anatomy of Exercise	3	Co-BIO122 or Co-BIO123 and Co-EXS110L
EXS110L	Anatomy of Exercise Lab	1	Co-EXS110
MTH105	Math for Allied Health ^	3	
or	or	or	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>
MTH124	Statistics^ Ω%	3	
		10	
<u>Third Semester</u>			
EXS120	Exercise Applications	2	EXS110 and Co-EXS120L
EXS120L	Exercise Applications Lab	1	Co-EXS120
PSY121	General Psychology^	3	IDS102 or Proficiency
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<u>Fourth Semester</u>			
PSY123	Human Growth and Development	3	PSY121
PTA110	Therapy Sciences	1	Department Chair Approval or Admission to the PTA Program and Co-PTA118
PTA118	Principles of Patient Care	1	Co-PTA118L
PTA118L	Principles of Patient Care Lab	2	Co-PTA118
PTA119	Professional Values and Ethics	1	Co-PTA118
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<u>Fifth Semester</u>			
PTA120	Introduction to Orthopedics	2	PHY101 and Co-PTA120L and Co-PTA128
PTA120L	Introduction to Orthopedics Lab	1	Co-PTA120
PTA128	PTA Procedures I Clinical Interventions	4	PTA110 and PTA118 and Co-PTA120
		7	
<u>Sixth Semester</u>			
PTA125	Professional Clinical Practice for the PTA	1	PTA119 and Co-PTA138
PTA136	Neurological Foundations for Rehabilitation	1	BIO122 or BIO123
PTA138	Data Collection	1	PTA128 and Co-PTA125 and PTA138L
PTA138L	Data Collection Lab	2	Co-PTA138
		5	
<u>Seventh Semester</u>			
PTA224	PTA Procedures II Ortho	3	EXS120 and PTA120 and BIO124
PTA225	PTA Procedures II Neuro	3	BIO124 and PTA136 and Co-PTA248
PTA228	Seminar I	1	PTA125 and Co-PTA247
PTA247	Clinical Experience I	1	PTA125 and Co-PTA228
PTA248	Multisystems	1	PTA138 and Co-PTA225 and Co-PTA248L
PTA248L	Multisystems Lab	1	Co-PTA248
		10	
<u>Eighth Semester</u>			
PTA223	PTA Procedures III	2	PTA224 and PTA225
PTA230	Seminar II	1	PTA228 and Co-PTA257 and Co-PTA267
PTA257	Clinical Experience II	1	PTA247 and Co-PTA230
PTA267	Clinical Experience III	2	Co-PTA230
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	TOTAL CREDITS	65	

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