

Physical Therapist Assistant – Associate in Applied Science (67-72 credits)

Name _____ Empl ID# _____

Madisonville
Advising Plan

2009
-2010

Students must achieve "C" in general education and PTA courses.

General Education Requirements

Course	Hrs	Grade	Semester
*ENG 101 Writing I	3		
ENG 102 Writing II	3		
*PY 110 General Psychology <u>or</u> *PSY 100 Introduction to Psychology	3-4		
PSY 223 Developmental Psychology	3		
*BIO 137 Human Anatomy & Physiology I w/ Lab	4		
*BIO 139 Human Anatomy & Physiology II w/ Lab	4		
*Mathematics (MT 110 <u>or</u> MT 150)	3		
Oral Communications (COM 181 <u>or</u> COM 252)	3		
Computer Literacy <u>or</u> skill demonstration by competency exam	0-3		
Heritage/Humanities/Foreign Language	3-4		

Subtotal Credits: 29-34 hours

PTA Program Courses

Student must be admitted into the PTA Program to enroll in PTA courses

Program Semester	Course	Hrs	Grade
1 st semester	PTA 100 Orientation to PT Practice	4	
1 st semester	PTA 150 Functional Ant & Kinesiology	6	
1 st semester	PTA 160 Medical Surg Conditions in PT	3	
1 st semester	PTA 170 Clinical Practicum I	1	
2 nd semester	PTA 200 Modalities & Procedures in PT	5	
2 nd semester	PTA 220 PT Problems & Procedures	5	
2 nd semester	PTA 240 Clinical Practicum II	2	
3 rd semester	PTA 250 Neurological Rehab in PT	5	
3 rd semester	PTA 260 Seminar in Physical Therapy	2	
3 rd semester	PTA 280 Clinical Practicum III	5	

Subtotal Credits: 38 hours

***Mandatory prerequisites:** Applicants must have completed or be currently enrolled in these course to be considered for admission into the PTA program.

Additional Preferred Courses: Medical Terminology (AHS 115);
Physics (i.e., PH 171, PHY 151, PHY 152)

Application Deadline: **October 1st**

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PTA program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE) of the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA)*

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SAMPLE SCHEDULING PLAN	
<p>FIRST YEAR <u>First Summer Semester</u> ENG 101 BIO 137 PY 110 or PSY 100 <i>Total: 10-11 credits</i></p>	<p>SECOND YEAR <u>Second Summer Semester</u> COM 181 or COM 252 Heritage/Humanities/Foreign Language <i>Total: 6-7 credits</i> <i>All general education courses <u>must</u> be completed prior to second year Fall term</i></p>
<p><u>First Fall Semester</u> ENG 102 BIO 139 Medical Terminology course Physics course MT 110 <u>or</u> MT 150 CIS 100 <i>Total: 13-20 credits</i></p>	<p><u>Second Fall Semester</u> PTA 200 PTA 240 PTA 220 <i>Total: 12 credits</i></p>
<p>Schedule upon acceptance into PTA Program <u>First Spring Semester</u> PTA 100 PTA 160 PSY 223 PTA 150 PTA 170 <i>Total: 17 credits</i></p>	<p><u>Second Spring Semester</u> PTA 250 PTA 280 PTA 260 <i>Total: 12 credits</i></p>

Program Coordinator's Notes:

Students are advised to complete as many general education courses as possible prior to Admission. If admitted, **ALL** general education courses must be completed prior to the 2nd semester of the PTA Program.

Other Requirements-

ACT Score or SAT equivalent (COMPASS is not accepted)

Minimum of 8 hours of Volunteer Experience in a physical therapy setting. 4 of 8 hours must be in a Hospital setting.

Preference for admission is given to applicants with the following-

- ▶ ACT Score or SAT equivalent score, 19 or higher
- ▶ Overall GPA, 3.0 or higher (minimum, 2.0)
- ▶ KEY GPA (BIO 137, BIO 139), 3.0 or higher (minimum, 2.0)
- ▶ 16 or more Hours (minimum, 8 hours; prefer 16 hours). To volunteer - contact any health care facility that offers physical therapy.
- ▶ Kentucky Residents
- ▶ Students that complete a Physics course (i.e., PH 171, PHY 151 or 152) and/or a Medical Terminology course with a "C" or better.

Students should be prepared to travel. Students can expect to spend at least one Clinical Practicum outside the Madisonville/Hopkins County area for as long as five (5) weeks. Students are expected to incur all costs related to Clinical Practicums, including transportation, housing and meals. Students must be aware that they may be required to meet additional requirements of clinical facilities to which they are assigned, including but not limited to, drug screening and a criminal background check and/or proof of medical insurance or waiver. Any costs associated with specific facility requirements are the responsibility of the student.