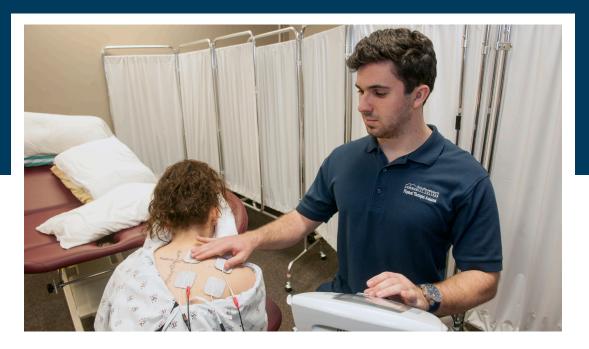
## Physical Therapist Assistant

Health Sciences











#### **ABOUT THIS FIELD**

The Physical Therapist Assistant curriculum prepares graduates to work in direct patient care settings under the supervision of physical therapists. Assistants work to improve or restore function by alleviation or prevention of physical impairment and perform other essential activities in a physical therapy department.



#### WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

Course work includes normal human anatomy and physiology, the consequences of disease or injury, and physical therapy treatment of a variety of patient conditions affecting humans throughout the life span.



#### WHAT YOU CAN DO

Employment opportunities include general hospitals, rehabilitation centers, extended care facilities, specialty hospitals, home health agencies, private clinics and public school systems.



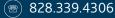
#### **PROGRAM START DATES:**

Refer to college catalog for deadline dates

### FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

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#### **CLASSES YOU'LL NEED TO TAKE**

#### **ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE (AAS) - A45620**

Total Semester Hour Credits: 76

FALL SEMESTER 1						
Prefix	Number	Title	Class	Lab	Clinical	Credit
BIO ENG PHY PTA PTA	168 111 125 110 130	Anatomy and Physiology I Writing & Inquiry Health Science Physics Introduction to Physical Therapy Physical Therapy Procedure I Totals	3 3 3 2 1 12	3 0 2 3 6 14	0 0 0 0 0	4 3 4 3 3 17
SPRING SEMESTER 1						
BIO ENG PTA PTA PTA	169 114 120 140 150	Anatomy and Physiology II Professional Research and Report Functional Anatomy Therapeutic Exercise Physical Therapy Procedure II Totals	3 ing 3 1 2 1 10	3 0 6 6 6 21	0 0 0 0 0	4 3 3 4 3 17
SUMMER SEMESTER						
PTA PTA PTA PTA	160 170 180 212	Physical Therapy Procedure III Pathophysiology PTA Clinical Education Introduction Health Care/Resources Totals	2 3 on 0 2 7	3 0 0 0 3	0 0 9 0 9	3 3 3 2 11
FALL SEMESTER 2						
HUM PSY PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA	115 150 182 222 240 254 280 282	Critical Thinking General Psychology PTA Clinical Ed I Professional Interactions Physical Therapy Procedure IV Pediatrics for the PTA PTA Issues I PTA Issues II Totals	3 3 0 2 3 0 1 0	0 0 0 0 6 3 0 3	0 0 6 0 0 0 0	3 2 2 5 1 1 1
SPRING SEMESTER 2						
PTA PTA	260 270	Advanced PTA Clinical Education PTA Topics	0 1	0	30 0	10 1
PTA	252	Geriatrics for the PTA Totals	2	0	0	2