



Physical Therapist Assistant

(*see Accreditation statement and Disclaimer to applicants)

Description

Help individuals of all ages regain physical function and improve mobility under the direction and supervision of a licensed physical therapist. Utilize contemporary curriculum in an engaging clinical environment. Gain the skills needed to work in a rewarding and satisfying career helping others reach maximum potential & independence.

Application Information

Applications are available at Connors State College, all ICTC campuses and online at www.ictctech.com or www.connorsstate.edu

Entrance Requirements

- Post-Secondary students only
- Admission to Connors State College
- Completed PTA program application
 - Apply at: <http://connorsstate.edu/applynow/>
- Minimum college GPA 2.5 (cumulative)
- Completion of college credit hours in the following:

- ENG 1113	English Comp I "C" or higher	3 credit hrs
- ENG 1213	English Comp II "C" or higher	3 credit hrs
- HIST 1493 or	HIST 1494 US History	3 credit hrs
- POLS 1113	American Federal Government	3 credit hrs
- PSYC 1113	General Psychology "C" or higher	3 credit hrs
- Math 1513	College Algebra OR	
- MATH 1473	Applied Mathematics "C" or higher	3 credit hrs
- SPCH 1113	Intro to Oral Communications or	
- COMS 1113	Fundamental Computer Usage "C" or higher	3 credit hrs
- BIOL 1114	General Biology "C" or higher	4 credit hrs
- BIOL 2104	Human Anatomy "C" or higher	4 credit hrs
- BIOL 2114	Human Physiology "C" or higher	4 credit hrs
- NURS 1003	Medical Term "C" or higher	3 credit hrs
- Documentation of a minimum of 16 hours observation experience with a PT or PTA
- Interview
- Background/sex offender check
- Drug screen (as required)
- Demonstrate physical and mental sustainability as evident by a health history and physical exam

Advanced Standing

Applicants meeting criteria may be eligible to obtain credit for previous coursework in Physical Therapist Assistant.

Tuition

Approximate cost of program (in-district) \$6,000.00. Additional transcribing and enrollment fees as applicable required by Connors State College. *All costs are estimated and subject to change.

Financial Aid & Scholarships

For qualifying students, financial aid is available through CSC and scholarships are available through both CSC and ICTC.

College Credit

Through an agreement between ICTC and Connors State College, Physical Therapist Assistant students who have completed the degree plan from Connors State College (CSC), and successfully completed the PTA technical courses at ICTC, may be granted an Associate of Applied Science degree by Connors State College, as well as a certificate from ICTC.

**See Disclaimer to Applicants on back.*

Employment Options: Hospitals, private practice, outpatient clinics, in-patient rehab facilities, home health, schools, nursing homes, sports facilities, industrial / occupational environments

Approx. Local Salary Potential:

\$41,000-\$51,000 annually

Schedule/Location

Monday through Friday, 8:00 am - 3:00 pm
Clinical Education hours may vary by clinical site/place-
ment Muskogee Campus - 2403 N. 41st Street E.
918-913-3923 / 918-348-7998

Courses/Clock Hours:

Introduction to Physical Therapy	30
Kinesiology for Physical Therapist Assistants w/lab	60
Pathophysiology for Physical Therapists Assistants	60
Basic Patient Care Skills	90
Therapeutic Exercise I w/lab	90
Physical Agents w/lab	90
Clinical Procedures w/lab	72
Therapeutic Exercise II w/lab	90
Clinical Practice I	120
Orthopedic Management for PTAs w/lab	30
Neurology and Rehabilitation for PTAs w/lab	90
Clinical Practice II	200
Professional Issues	30
Clinical Practice III	240

Total hours of instruction 1292

Estimated time to complete technical coursework at ICTC: 1 year

Certifications/Credentials

Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA)

Accreditation

Graduation from a physical therapist assistant education program accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE), 1111 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, VA 22314; phone: 703-706-3245; accreditation@apta.org is necessary for eligibility to sit for the licensure examination, which is required in all states. Complaints or questions regarding accreditation status or the PTA program may be directed to Debra Bartel at 918-571-4050 or Debbie.bartel@ictctech.com or Joyce Johnson at 918-684-5427 or joycesj@connorsstate.edu. To register a complaint, contact CAPTE at 703-706-3245 or at accreditation@apta.org,

CSC/ICTC is seeking accreditation of a new physical therapist assistant education program from CAPTE. The program is planning to submit an Application for Candidacy, which is the formal application required in the pre-accreditation state, on December 1, 2016. Submission of this document does not assure that the program will be granted Candidate for Accreditation status. Achievement of Candidate for Accreditation status is required prior to implementation of the technical phase of the program; therefore, no students may be enrolled in technical courses until Candidate for Accreditation status has been achieved. Further, though achievement of Candidate for Accreditation status signifies satisfactory progress toward accreditation, it does not assure that the program will be granted accreditation.

***Disclaimer to applicants: Students will be conditionally accepted into the program, pending a positive decision from CAPTE to grant Candidacy status to the program in order to proceed with a June, 2017 start date for the first cohort.**

Student Organizations

Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA)
Oklahoma Physical Therapy Association (OPTA)
American Physical Therapy Association (APTA)



Associate in Applied Science (AAS)

Physical Therapist Assistant

Granted by Connors State College through agreement with Connors State College & Indian Capital Technology Center

TOTAL MINIMUM DEGREE HOURS 70 hours

General Education Requirements 21 hours

(*Check catalog course listings section for prerequisites)

ENGL 1113	English Comp I	3 hours
ENGL 1213	English Comp II	3 hours
HIST 1483 or	U.S. History 1493	3 hours
POLS 1113	American Federal Government	3 hours
PSYC 1113	General Psychology	3 hours
MATH 1513	College Algebra OR	
MATH 1473	Applied Mathematics for College Algebra	3 hours
SPCH 1113	Intro to Oral Communications OR	
COMS 1113	Fundamental Computer Usage	3 hours

Technical Occupational Support Courses 15 hours

BIOL 1114	General Biology	4 hours
BIOL 2104	Human Anatomy	4 hours
BIOL 2114	*Human Physiology	4 hours
NURS 1003	Medical Terminology	3 hours

Technical Occupational Specialty Courses (ICTC) 34 hours

PTAT 1011	Intro to Physical Therapy	1 hour
PTAT 1012	Kinesiology for Physical Therapist Assistant w/lab	2 hours
PTAT 1122	Pathophysiology for Physical Therapist Assistants	2 hours
PTAT 1203	Basic Patient Care Skills	3 hours
PTAT 1033	Therapeutic Exercise I w/lab	3 hours
PTAT 1023	Physical Agents w/ lab	3 hours
PTAT 1232	Clinical Procedures w/ lab	2 hours
PTAT 2033	Therapeutic Exercise II w/ lab	3 hours
PTAT 1212	Clinical Practice I	2 hours
PTAT 2011	Orthopedic Management for Physical Therapist Assistants w/lab	1 hour
PTAT 2043	Neurology and Rehabilitation for Physical Therapist Assistants w/lab	3 hours
PTAT 2124	Clinical Practice II	4 hours
PTAT 2121	Professional Issues	1 hour
PTAT 2134	Clinical Practice III	4 hours

*BIOL 1314 AND BIOL 1324 (combined A&P I & II) may substitute for BIOL 2114 Human Physiology. The combined A&P courses must have a laboratory component & be offered by a biology department.

For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, please visit our website at www.ictctech.com/Gainful_Employment_Disclosures.htm.