

Physical Therapist Assistant

PROGRAM CODE: 10-524-1



Associate Degree



COURSE	CREDITS
BIOSCI-177 General Anatomy and Physiology ‡..... 4 (or) BIOSCI-201 or BIOSCI-202 ‡	
ENG-195 Written Communication ‡ 3 (or) ENG-201 English 1 ‡	
PSYCH-199 Psychology of Human Relations..... 3 (or) Any 200-level PSYCH course	
PTASST-139 PTA Patient Interventions ‡ 4	
PTASST-140 PTA Professional Issues 1 ‡..... 2	
PTASST-156 PTA Applied Kinesiology 1 ‡ 4	
ENG-196 Oral/Interpersonal Communication ‡ 3 (or) Any 200-level ENG or SPEECH course	
PTASST-142 PTA Therapeutic Exercise ‡ 3	
PTASST-143 PTA Biophysical Agents ‡ 4	
PTASST-145 PTA Principles of Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation ‡ 4	
PTASST-157 PTA Applied Kinesiology 2 ‡ 3	
PTASST-144 PTA Principles of Neuromuscular Rehabilitation ‡ 4	
PTASST-146 PTA Management of Cardiopulmonary and Integumentary Conditions ‡ 3	
PTASST-147 PTA Clinical Practice 1 ‡ 2	
PTASST-148 PTA Clinical Practice 2 ‡ 3	
SOCSCI-172 Introduction to Diversity Studies..... 3 (or) Any 200-level HIST or SOCSCI course	
MATH-107 College Mathematics ‡ 3 (or) Any 200-level MATH course	
PTASST-149 PTA Rehabilitation Across the Lifespan ‡ 2	
PTASST-150 PTA Professional Issues 2 ‡ 2	
PTASST-151 PTA Clinical Practice 3 ‡ 5	

Location: Mequon Campus

Start Dates: January

Admission Requirement: High school diploma or GED, and one year of high school-level algebra, biology and chemistry or physics are required. This program admits students through a petition selection process. See program’s webpage at matc.edu to view the petition process and all requirements.

Transfer: Will transfer to one or more four-year institutions

Financial Aid Eligible: Yes.

Apply at fafsa.gov. Use School Code 003866.

Program Description

Work with physical therapy patients in a hospital, rehabilitation center, school, clinic or other healthcare setting. Under the supervision of a physical therapist, duties include implementing treatment programs, teaching patients to perform exercises and daily living activities, and reporting the patient’s progress.

Career Outlook

Employment is projected to grow due to increases in the geriatric population and the increased need for support personnel in this field.

Program Learning Outcomes

- Function under the supervision of a physical therapist in a safe, legal, professional and ethical manner to ensure the safety of patients, self and others throughout the clinical interaction.
- Demonstrate clear and collaborative communication with patients, families and healthcare team.



Complete Program Details

QUESTIONS? 414-297-6263, 262-238-2281 or healthpathway@matc.edu

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Total credits needed to complete this degree

64

‡ Prerequisite required.

Program curriculum requirements are subject to change.

Current MATC students should consult their Academic Program Plan for specific curriculum requirements.

This program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE), 3030 Potomac Avenue, Suite 100, Alexandria, VA 22305-3085; 800-999-2782; capteonline.org.