

LOMA LINDA UNIVERSITY DPT PROGRAM

Prerequisite Checklist:

- Anatomy and Physiology Complete sequence w/lab
- Two additional biology courses
- Medical Terminology - can be completed through Universal Class - Medical Terminology 101 is online, self paced, and right around \$80.
- General Chemistry complete sequence w/lab
- General Physics complete sequence w/lab
- Statistics
- General/Intro Psychology
- Developmental Psychology
- Speech

Observation Hour Checklist:

- 20 hours at an in-patient setting
- 20 hours at an out-patient setting
- 40 hours at a setting of your choice

GRE:

- Required. LLU Code: 4062

GPA:

Minimum GPA: 3.4

Science GPA: Only counts science prerequisites.

Non-science GPA: Consists of non-science prerequisites plus two humanities, one social science, and the English Composition sequence

Application Checklist:

- Submit PTCAS Application
www.ptcas.org
 - Send in transcripts to PTCAS
 - Submit Letters of Recommendation (3 minimum)
 - Submit observation hours
 - Submit GRE scores

Once transcripts have been received and PTCAS application has been verified, PTCAS will send your application to LLU. Upon receiving your application from PTCAS, LLU will email you a link for the secondary application

- Submit Secondary Application - you will have two weeks to complete the secondary application

Important Dates:

PTCAS Opens: Early July

PTCAS Priority Deadline: October 1st

PTCAS Final Deadline: December 1st

DPT Interviews: October through January

Admissions Decisions: Last week of November and January

What makes us Unique?

Therapeutic Alliance:

Intertwining therapeutic alliance throughout the curriculum gives students the tools they need to create a trusting bond with their patients. Research has shown if a patient trusts you, they are more likely to carry out their at-home exercise program and progress through the healing process more quickly.

Mission Trips:

If you are interested and eager to take your skillset and desire to help others abroad, our University offers several short and long term mission trips. Traveling to locations such as Haiti, Belize, Ethiopia, Mexico, and China are just a few of the countries we serve.

Professionalism:

Professionalism starts at the beginning. Our faculty believes in shaping our students to be caring and professional therapists. Showing respect for your patients, your field, and your fellow healthcare providers is a trait we value.

Location:

We are nestled among the mountains of the Inland Empire, making this a prime location to complete your Doctorate. Quiet around campus (ideal for studying), but not far from after school getaways. Drive time to the beach, the mountains or the desert takes about 45 minutes. With alluring hiking trails and many coffee shops situated around the University, who would want to go anywhere else?

Mentorship:

Peer mentorship sets our program apart from others. Each year, our second-year students will mentor the first-year students.

Student Clinic:

Street Medicine allows our students the chance to apply what they are learning in class and help those in need. This student ran clinic takes places twice a week and includes faculty oversight.

SIM Lab:

The SIM lab runs students through real-life scenarios, preparing them for the clinic and career ahead of them. Students state they are stronger going into the clinic after visiting the SIM lab.

Health & Wellness:

The well-being of our students is important to us. We have several programs available to ensure a holistic lifestyle. (Faculty, Chaplain's Office, SAP, and the Drayson Center)



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