



Program Information

Program Name	Clarke University
General Description / Special Programs	
Established	
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State	IA
City	Dubuque
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Program Information

This page is intended for college transfer students and graduates ONLY and Clarke University students who were accepted in the "Standard Pre-PT Pathway" as a first year student or transfer. High school students MUST contact the institution directly for information about the guaranteed freshman-entry program. Do not apply using PTCAS.

Program Description	The Clarke University Physical Therapy Department is committed to excellence in physical therapy education and dedicated to educating individuals who are prepared to contribute to society as physical therapy professionals in a variety of settings. We are an integral part of the university that encourages personal and intellectual growth, promotes global awareness and social responsibility, and deepens spiritual values. We provide a supportive environment for learning while fostering the critical thinking and ethical decision-making skills required to participate in the rapidly changing health care environment.
Program offers a guaranteed freshman admission pathway?	Yes
Will the professional (entry-level) PT program offer a satellite or branch campus to applicants during the upcoming admissions cycle?	No
Institution's Religious Affiliation	Catholic
Program conducts interviews as part of the admissions process?	No
Is a Deposit Required for Accepted Applicants?	Yes
Total cumulative deposit	\$300
Deposit Refundable?	No
Due Date of First Required Deposit	01/15/2021
Anticipated Size of the Next Entering Class	33
Size of Most Recent Entering Class	33
% of IN-STATE applicants accepted	39%
% of OUT-OF-STATE (non-resident) U.S. applicants accepted	61%
% Male	45%
% Female	55%
% Hispanic	3%
% White (Not of Hispanic Origin)	94%
% Two or More Races	3%
Additional information about the class profile	Preferential admission is given to students who were accepted in the Early Assurance Pathway as first-year undergraduate students and individuals from institutions who have a signed 3 + 3 articulation agreement with Clarke University who meet the "priority admission requirements". Approximately 40-50% of students are admitted via the early assurance pathway.

Admission Requirements

Supplemental FEE required?	No
Supplemental fee amount	\$0
Supplemental APPLICATION required?	No
Supplemental MATERIALS required?	No
Is GRE Required?	Yes
Program's PTCAS GRE code	7577
Additional information about program's GRE requirements	Submit official GRE scores to the new PTCAS GRE code 7577 for the DPT program at Clarke University.

Admission Requirements	
Physical Therapist-1	Applicant must send one reference from this specific type of evaluator
Physical Therapist-2	Evaluator type accepted
Professor in Major	Applicant must send one reference from this specific type of evaluator
Professor	Evaluator type accepted
Academic	Evaluator type accepted
Supervisor/Employer	Evaluator type accepted
Teaching Assistant	Evaluator type not accepted
PTA	Evaluator type not accepted
Pre-PT Advisor	Evaluator type accepted
Politician	Evaluator type not accepted
Health Care Professional	Evaluator type accepted
Friend	Evaluator type not accepted
Family Member	Evaluator type not accepted
Co-worker	Evaluator type not accepted
Clergy	Evaluator type not accepted
Other	Evaluator type not accepted
Number of references required by program	3
Additional information about program's reference requirements	Three completed recommendation forms are required. At least one must be from faculty in major and one must be from a physical therapist whom the applicant has observed.
Information about your PT requirements	Record of observing in at least three of the following areas: pediatrics, geriatrics, inpatient, acute/subacute care, neurological rehabilitation, orthopedics, sports medicine, for a total of 30 minimum hours.
Program's PT hours requirement	PT hours are required - a licensed PT must verify hours w/ signed form uploaded or online via PTCAS
Total number of PT Hours REQUIRED	30
Paid	Accepted/Considered
Volunteer	Accepted/Considered
Inpatient	Accepted/Considered
Outpatient	Accepted/Considered
MINIMUM GPA Overall Undergraduate Cumulative	3.00
AVERAGE GPA Overall Undergraduate Cumulative	3.60
MINIMUM GPA Program-specific prerequisite	3.00
AVERAGE GPA Program-specific prerequisite	3.60
MINIMUM GPA Prerequisite Science	3.00
AVERAGE GPA Prerequisite Science	3.60
Additional information about program's GPA requirements	3.0 cumulative GPA, with no grades lower than a C. If the course was repeated, the program uses the highest grade earned in local GPA calculations. No more than two courses may be repeated for a higher grade.
Program considers Canadian coursework?	Yes
Program policy for non-U.S. (foreign/international) coursework	Send WES foreign transcript evaluation to PTCAS (recommended)
Are non-native English Speakers required to submit TOEFL scores?	Yes
Citizenship types eligible for admission U.S. citizens	U.S. citizens, U.S. permanent residents, Canadian citizens, Foreign (non-U.S.) citizens with a visa

Admission Requirements

Additional information about program's policy on foreign coursework	Minimum TOEFL PBT score of 550 or IBT score of 80 if English is not a first language.
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Course Prerequisites

Bachelor's degree required prior to matriculation into PT program?	Varies
If you selected, 'Varies,' please describe	Students applying to the Clarke University DPT program must have completed a baccalaureate degree unless they are Clarke University Pre-PT students or students from institutions who have a signed 3 + 3 articulation agreement with Clarke University.
General Information	3.0 prerequisite Science GPA (General College Biology 4 cr. hrs. w/ lab; College Chemistry I & II 8 cr.hrs. w/lab; College Physics I & II 8 cr.hrs w/lab; Anatomy & Physiology 8 cr. w/lab; Psychology 6 cr.)
Anatomy and/or Physiology (A&P) course prerequisites MUST be completed in biology, neuroscience, anatomy, or integrated physiology department	Yes
Link to program's prerequisite instructions	https://www.clarke.edu/academics/doctor-of-physical-therapy/doctor-of-physical-therapy-admission-requirements/

Anatomy & Physiology I

Coursework older than 8 years not accepted.	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A&P: COMBINED Course (eg. A&P) A&P: SEPARATE courses

Anatomy & Physiology II

Coursework older than 8 years not accepted.	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A&P: COMBINED Course (eg. A&P) A&P: SEPARATE courses

Biology / Biological Science

Coursework older than 8 years not accepted.	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A&P: COMBINED Course (eg. A&P) A&P: Human A&P: Physiology A&P: SEPARATE courses Biology: Cell Biology: General Biology: General I

Chemistry I	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chemistry: Any

Chemistry II	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chemistry: Any

Physics I	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physics I Physics II

Physics II	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physics II

Psychology	
1 of 2 psychology courses required	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Not Required
Credits	SH: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Psychology: General

Psychology	
2 of 2 psychology courses required	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Not Required
Credits	SH: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Psychology: General

Deadlines	
PT program start date for entering class	08/23/2021
Multiple start dates?	No
PTCAS application deadline	Nov 02 2020
Deadline Type	Firm
Program has rolling admissions process?	No

Program Contacts			
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