



Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science

Program Information

Program Name	Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science
General Description / Special Programs	
Established	1937
Country	United States
State	MN
City	Rochester
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Program Information

Program Description	<p>The Mayo Clinic School of Health Sciences Physical Therapy Program in Rochester, MN, is a 33-month, entry-level Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program that prepares students for a career as a physical therapist. The program is committed to educating students to become knowledgeable and skillful physical therapists who embrace high ethical and professional standards.</p> <p>Graduates from the program will be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skilled in screening, examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, intervention and prevention of disorders or conditions impairing movement, function and health. • Capable of assuming responsibility for independent judgment in making sound decisions regarding patient management. • Prepared to care for patients with varying conditions and in diverse health-care settings. • Able to practice both independently and collaboratively in a multicultural society. • Ready to assume the multifaceted roles of an active professional, including practitioner, educator, researcher, consultant, administrator, collaborator, advocate and lifelong learner. • Qualified to promote the advancement of physical therapy through practice, education and research. <p>Physical Therapy Program faculty members encourage students to commit to ongoing self-evaluation in their professional and personal development. Students will be trained as both a physical therapy consumer and practitioner, able to contribute to the field of physical therapy. Students will become a service-oriented professional who practices within the ethical and legal scope of current physical therapy practice.</p> <p>The Physical Therapy Program curriculum follows a traditional model that embraces evidence-based physical therapy practice. It includes a strong clinical education component to give students the necessary breadth and depth to achieve proficiency in professional skills.</p>
Program offers a guaranteed freshman admission pathway?	No
Will the professional (entry-level) PT program offer a satellite or branch campus to applicants during the upcoming admissions cycle?	No
Program conducts interviews as part of the admissions process?	Yes
Additional information about interviews	We use behavioral interviews; additional information can be found here: https://www.mayoclinic.org/documents/preparing-for-a-behavioral-interview/doc-20150425
Is a Deposit Required for Accepted Applicants?	Yes
Total cumulative deposit	\$500
Additional Information about Deposit	The application deposit for accepted applicants is applied to the first semester tuition and is non-refundable.
Deposit Refundable?	No
Due Date of First Required Deposit	01/15/2022
Total Cost of Education for In-State Students	\$102734
Total Cost of Education for out of State Students	\$102734
Anticipated Size of the Next Entering Class	28
Size of Most Recent Entering Class	28
% of IN-STATE applicants accepted	35%
% of OUT-OF-STATE (non-resident) U.S. applicants accepted	65%
% Male	35%
% Female	65%
% Hispanic	4%
% American Indian/Alaskan Native	4%
% Asian	14%
% White (Not of Hispanic Origin)	78%

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	3721
Additional information about program's GRE requirements	Official GRE scores are to be sent to the Mayo Clinic School of Health Sciences PTCAS Code #3721. Applicants will not be considered for an interview until these are received. For interview purposes, we recommend all applicants complete the GRE by July 31.
AVERAGE GRE Verbal reasoning scaled score	156
AVERAGE GRE Verbal reasoning % score	71
AVERAGE GRE Quantitative reasoning scaled score	157
AVERAGE GRE Quantitative reasoning % score	64
AVERAGE GRE Analytical writing scaled score	4.0
AVERAGE GRE Analytical writing % score	67
Physical Therapist-1	Applicant must send one reference from this specific type of evaluator
Physical Therapist-2	Evaluator type not accepted
Professor in Major	Evaluator type accepted
Professor	Evaluator type accepted
Academic	Applicant must send one reference from this specific type of evaluator
Supervisor/Employer	Applicant must send one reference from this specific type of evaluator
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 not 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	The required three letters of recommendation should be submitted from the following: 1) educational/academic 2) work-related/volunteer 3) PT related Applicants will not be considered for an interview until all three recommendations are received.
Information about your PT requirements	The observation requirement is waived (2020 and 2021) while the COVID-19 pandemic restricts opportunities for observation experiences.
Program's PT hours requirement	PT hours are not required but are highly recommended
Total number of PT Hours REQUIRED	0
Total number of PT Hours RECOMMENDED	100

Admission Requirements	
DEADLINE for completion of all PT hours	08/29/2022
Paid	Accepted/Considered
Volunteer	Accepted/Considered
Inpatient	Accepted/Considered
Outpatient	Accepted/Considered
MINIMUM GPA Overall Undergraduate Cumulative	3.00
AVERAGE GPA Overall Undergraduate Cumulative	3.73
MINIMUM GPA Program-specific prerequisite	3.00
AVERAGE GPA Program-specific prerequisite	3.73
Additional information about program's GPA requirements	Grades from all courses will be used to calculate the cumulative GPA.
Program considers Canadian coursework?	Yes
CanadianTranscriptsDictionary	Send original Canadian transcript to PTCAS (recommended)
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, Foreign (non-U.S.) citizens, Other non-citizens (e.g., refugees)
Additional information about program's policy on foreign coursework	International applications are welcome, though preference is given to U.S. workers. U.S. workers refers to those who are authorized to work in the United States, including: 1. U.S. citizens 2. U.S. nationals 3. Lawful permanent residents 4. Asylees and refugees English translation is required for foreign transcripts. The PTCAS TOEFL code is #5312. The program's minimum score requirement for the TOEFL, consistent with general recommendations for graduate students in the health professions, includes a TOEFL score that exceeds 89, with a minimum score of 25 for Speaking. Tests must be less than 2 years old.

Course Prerequisites	
Bachelor's degree required prior to matriculation into PT program?	Yes
Anatomy and/or Physiology (A&P) course prerequisites MUST be completed in biology, neuroscience, anatomy, or integrated physiology department	No
Link to program's prerequisite instructions	https://college.mayo.edu/academics/health-sciences-education/physical-therapy-doctoral-program-minnesota/admissions/

Anatomy	
A one semester course in Anatomy or one semester of combined Anatomy and Physiology meets this requirement.	
Course Level	Upper Division
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A&P: Animal • A&P: COMBINED Course (eg. A&P) • A&P: Comparative • A&P: Human • A&P: Mammalian • A&P: Physiology • A&P: SEPARATE courses • A&P: Vertebrate

Biology I

Exercise Physiology may satisfy one biological sciences prerequisite.

Course Level	General or College
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Lab Required	Required
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Credits	SH: 4
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Acceptable Courses

- Biology: Cell
- Biology: Embryology
- Biology: General
- Biology: General I
- Biology: Genetics
- Biology: Histology
- Biology: Immunology
- Biology: Microbiology
- Biology: Molecular
- Biology: Zoology

Biology II

Exercise Physiology may satisfy one biological sciences prerequisite.

Course Level	General or College
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Lab Required	Required
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Credits	SH: 4
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Acceptable Courses

- Biology: Cell
- Biology: Embryology
- Biology: General
- Biology: General II
- Biology: Genetics
- Biology: Histology
- Biology: Immunology
- Biology: Microbiology
- Biology: Molecular
- Biology: Zoology

Chemistry I

Course Level	General or College
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Lab Required	Required
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Credits	SH: 4
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Acceptable Courses

- Chemistry I
- Chemistry: Biochemistry
- Chemistry: Inorganic
- Chemistry: Organic

Chemistry II

Course Level	General or College
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Lab Required	Required
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Credits	SH: 4
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Acceptable Courses

- Chemistry II
- Chemistry: Biochemistry
- Chemistry: Inorganic
- Chemistry: Organic

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

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

Physiology	
A one semester course in Physiology or one additional semester of combined Anatomy and Physiology meets this requirement.	
Course Level	Upper Division
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A&P: Animal • A&P: COMBINED Course (eg. A&P) • A&P: Comparative • A&P: Human • A&P: Mammalian • A&P: Physiology • A&P: SEPARATE courses • A&P: Vertebrate

Psychology	
Abnormal psychology or equivalent	
Course Level	Upper Division
Lab Required	Not Required
Credits	SH: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychology: Abnormal • Psychology: Psychopathology

Psychology	
General or introductory psychology	
Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Not Required
Credits	SH: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychology: General • Psychology: General I • Psychology: General II

Statistics

The Statistics prerequisite should include basic statistics with elementary probability, descriptive statistics, confidence intervals, t-tests, ANOVA, and linear regression.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Not Required
Credits	SH: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology: Biostatistics • Business: Statistics • Mathematics: Statistics • Psychology: Statistics

Deadlines

PT program start date for entering class	08/29/2022
Multiple start dates?	No
PTCAS application deadline	October 15, 2021
Deadline Type	Firm
Program has rolling admissions process?	Yes
Important dates	The program uses a "rolling admissions" process in which applications will be reviewed in the order in which they are received. The Admissions Committee will begin reviewing applications in August. IT IS TO THE APPLICANT'S BENEFIT TO APPLY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE in the application cycle.

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