



Program Information

Program Name	University of Cincinnati
General Description / Special Programs	
Established	
Country	United States
State	OH
City	Cincinnati
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Program Information

This page is intended for college transfer students and graduates ONLY. High school students MUST contact the institution directly for information about the guaranteed freshman-entry program. Do not apply using PTCAS.

Program Description	<p>The two year average initial pass rate on the National Physical Therapy Exam for 2017-2018 for UC is 100% and the national average initial pass rate for this time period is 91.2%. The average mean scale score on the National Physical Therapy Exam for the UC Doctor of Physical Therapy is 709.05 and the national average is 675.1.</p> <p>All of our students (2017-2018) who sought employment in the field were employed within one to six months of graduation. Informal data shows that students are typically employed within one month of graduation pending their passing of the licensure examination.</p>
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
Program conducts interviews as part of the admissions process?	No

Program Information

Is a Deposit Required for Accepted Applicants?	Yes
Total cumulative deposit	\$500
Additional Information about Deposit	If offered, applicants confirm acceptance by submitting an admission deposit of \$500 to the Department of Rehabilitation, Exercise, and Nutrition Sciences to secure their enrollment.
Deposit Refundable?	No
Due Date of First Required Deposit	01/15/2020
Anticipated Size of the Next Entering Class	35
Size of Most Recent Entering Class	35
% of IN-STATE applicants accepted	80%
% of OUT-OF-STATE (non-resident) U.S. applicants accepted	20%
% Male	29%
% Female	71%
% African-American/Black (Non-Hispanic)	3%
% White (Not of Hispanic Origin)	86%
% Two or More Races	11%
Additional information about the class profile	<p>The DPT program is a graduate-level degree-seeking program. Applicants have three options to apply for the physical therapy program. Standard Admissions Pathway (SAP): The standard pathway is for college students who have graduated or are about to graduate with their undergraduate degree. Junior Early Assurance Pathway (JEAP): This pathway is for UC College of Allied Health Sciences (CAHS) students majoring in Health Sciences. In order to qualify for this pathway, students must be a University of Cincinnati student from the beginning of their academic career as an entering, 1st year, 1st semester freshman. These students will have the option of applying to the DPT program during the spring term of their junior year. High School Early Assurance Pathway (HEAP): This pathway is for qualified high school seniors interested in pursuing a UC undergraduate degree in Health Sciences in the College of Allied Health Sciences and then continuing on to pursue a Doctor of Physical Therapy degree. Please refer to program website for further information. http://www.caahs.uc.edu/dpt The University of Cincinnati does not discriminate on the basis of disability, race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, sex, age, sexual orientation, veteran status or gender identity and expression in its programs and activities. The complete Notice of Non-Discrimination can be found at http://www.uc.edu/about/policies/non-discrimination.html.</p>

Admission Requirements

Supplemental FEE required?	Yes
Supplemental fee amount	\$65
Supplemental APPLICATION required?	No
Supplemental MATERIALS required?	Yes - for selected applicants only
Supplemental forms and materials required by program - item 1	Virtual Interview Proctored by KIRA Talent
Link to supplemental forms or instructions	http://grad.uc.edu/
Is GRE Required?	Yes

Admission Requirements

Program's PTCAS GRE code	7605
Last acceptable GRE test date for this cycle	09/15/2020
MINIMUM GRE Verbal reasoning scaled score	146
AVERAGE GRE Verbal reasoning scaled score	154
MINIMUM GRE Verbal reasoning % score	29
AVERAGE GRE Verbal reasoning % score	64
MINIMUM GRE Quantitative reasoning scaled score	143
AVERAGE GRE Quantitative reasoning scaled score	154
MINIMUM GRE Quantitative reasoning % score	13
AVERAGE GRE Quantitative reasoning % score	53
MINIMUM GRE Analytical writing scaled score	3.0
AVERAGE GRE Analytical writing scaled score	4.0
MINIMUM GRE Analytical writing % score	15
AVERAGE GRE Analytical writing % score	57
Physical Therapist-1	Applicant must send one reference from this specific type of evaluator
Physical Therapist-2	Evaluator type accepted
Professor in Major	Evaluator type accepted
Professor	Evaluator type accepted
Academic	Evaluator type accepted
Supervisor/Employer	Evaluator type accepted
Teaching Assistant	Evaluator type not accepted
PTA	Evaluator type 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 references are required for application to the Physical Therapy program. Any references submitted beyond the three required may not be reviewed by the admissions committee. The PT reference must be from a physical therapist with whom you worked in the clinic.
Information about your PT requirements	* A total of 50 hours of observation/volunteer work is required in a physical therapy setting. * 25 hours are required to be completed in an Inpatient Care setting. Inpatient is defined as a setting where patients stay the night and receive PT services. * The observation hours must occur in a clinical PT setting. NO research observation hours will be considered in the required 50 hours. However, any research hours may serve to enrich your overall PT experience.

Admission Requirements

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	50
DEADLINE for completion of all PT hours	10/01/2020
Paid	Accepted/Considered
Volunteer	Accepted/Considered
Inpatient	Required
Outpatient	Required
MINIMUM GPA Overall Undergraduate Cumulative	3.00
AVERAGE GPA Overall Undergraduate Cumulative	3.74
MINIMUM GPA Science Prerequisite GPA	3.00
AVERAGE GPA Science Prerequisite GPA	3.56
MINIMUM GPA Non-Science Prerequisite GPA	3.00
AVERAGE GPA Non-Science Prerequisite GPA	3.85
Additional information about program's GPA requirements	The UC Graduate School requires students enter with a 3.0 undergraduate GPA. The DPT program calculates this GPA by averaging an applicant's cumulative GPA from every institution where the applicant completed undergraduate coursework. The Science Prerequisite GPA is comprised of A&P, Biology, Chemistry and Physics coursework. The Non-Science Prerequisite GPA is comprised of English Composition, Introductory Psychology, Abnormal Psychology, Medical Terminology, Exercise Physiology and Statistics. If any prerequisites were retaken, the higher of the two grades will be used to calculate the prerequisite GPA. However, both grades will be used in calculating the cumulative GPA and determining admission status.
Program considers Canadian coursework?	Yes
CanadianTranscriptsDictionary	Send original Canadian transcript to PTCAS (recommended), Send WES foreign evaluation for Canadian courses to PTCAS
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	English translation required for original foreign transcripts. World Education Services (WES) evaluation required for all foreign transcripts.

Course Prerequisites

Bachelor's degree required prior to matriculation into PT program?	Yes
General Information	Applicants may not have more than 4 incomplete prerequisite courses (two core science courses and two non-science courses) at time of application submission and must be completed prior to program start date. The lab is not considered a separate course for science prerequisites.
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://cahs.uc.edu/academic-programs/graduate-programs/physical-therapy/dpt_application_reqs.html

Anatomy & Physiology I

1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's BIOL 201/2001C. Coursework older than 10 years not accepted.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4 QS: 4
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A&P: Advanced• A&P: COMBINED Course (eg. A&P)• A&P: Human• A&P: Mammalian• A&P: SEPARATE courses

Anatomy & Physiology II

1 semester or 2 quarters equivalent to UC's BIOL 202-203/2002C. Coursework older than 10 years not accepted.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4 QS: 8
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A&P: Any• A&P: COMBINED Course (eg. A&P)• A&P: Human• A&P: Mammalian• A&P: SEPARATE courses

Biology I

This course should be taken at a level required for science majors. 1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's BIOL 101-111/1081-1081L. Coursework older than 10 years not accepted.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4 QS: 5
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Biology: General• Biology: General I• Biology: General II

Biology II

This course should be taken at a level required for science majors. 1 semester or 2 quarters equivalent to UC's BIOL 102-112 and 103-113/1082-1082L. Coursework older than 10 years not accepted.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4 QS: 10
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Biology: Cell• Biology: General• Biology: General II• Biology: Genetics• Biology: Microbiology• Biology: Molecular

Chemistry I

This course should be taken at a level required for science majors. 1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's CHEM 101-111/1040-1041L. Coursework older than 10 years not accepted.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4 QS: 5
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chemistry I• Chemistry: Inorganic

Chemistry II

This course should be taken at a level required for science majors. 1 semester or 2 quarters equivalent to UC's CHEM 102-112 and 103-113/1042-1042L. Coursework older than 10 years not accepted.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4 QS: 10
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chemistry II• Chemistry: Inorganic

English Composition / Writing

Applicants are required to take 2 composition/writing courses. Speech communication courses are not considered equivalent. 1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's ENGL 101/1001.

Course Level	Introductory
Lab Required	Not Applicable
Credits	SH: 3 QS: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• English Composition• English Composition I• Technical Writing• Writing

English Composition / Writing

Applicants are required to take 2 composition/writing courses. Speech communication courses are not considered equivalent. 1 semester or 2 quarters equivalent to UC's ENGL 102-289/1012.

Course Level	Introductory
Lab Required	Not Applicable
Credits	SH: 3 QS: 6
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• English Composition• English Composition II• Technical Writing• Writing

Exercise Physiology

1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's HLSC 411/3032C

Course Level	Introductory
Lab Required	Not Required
Credits	SH: 3 QS: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exercise Physiology

Medical Terminology

1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's HLSC 211/2012.

Course Level	Introductory
Lab Required	Not Applicable
Credits	SH: 3 QS: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Medical Terminology

Physics I

This course should be taken at a level required for science majors. The Physics course should be either Algebra/Trigonometry based or Calculus based. 1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's PHYS 101-111/1051-1051L. Coursework older than 10 years not accepted.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4 QS: 5
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Physics I• Physics: General

Physics II

This course should be taken at a level required for science majors. The Physics course should be either Algebra/Trigonometry based or Calculus based. 1 semester or 2 quarters equivalent to UC's PHYS 102-112 and 103-113/1052-1052L. Coursework older than 10 years not accepted.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Required
Credits	SH: 4 QS: 10
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Physics II• Physics: General

Psychology

Abnormal Psychology is preferred but Developmental & Life Span is also accepted. Abnormal Psych may also be called Psychopathology or Behavior Disorders. 1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's PSYC 251/2051 or HLSC 294/3013. 2 of 2 psychology courses required.

Course Level	General or College
Lab Required	Not Required
Credits	SH: 3 QS: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Psychology: Abnormal• Psychology: Developmental• Psychology: Life Span Development

Psychology

Introductory/General Psychology is required. 1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's PSYC 101/1001. 1 of 2 psychology courses required.

Course Level	Introductory
Lab Required	Not Required
Credits	SH: 3 QS: 3
Acceptable Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Psychology: General

Statistics

1 semester or 1 quarter equivalent to UC's STAT 146 or 147/1031.

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

Deadlines

PT program start date for entering class	05/17/2021
Multiple start dates?	No
PTCAS application deadline	Oct 01 2020
Deadline Type	Firm
Program has rolling admissions process?	No

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