Physical Therapist Assisting Program
Prerequisites

- These 4 core courses must be completed prior to applying:
  - **HTEC-1000** Introduction to Patient Care
    (Offered at Tri-C Metro Campus only)
  - **ENG-1010** College Composition I
  - **BIO-2331** Anatomy and Physiology I
  - **MA-1020** Medical Terminology I
  (GPA for the above 4 courses must be 3.0 or higher, with no grade below a “C”)
  (*Any course can be repeated one time for a better grade - “W” counts as an attempt)

- Prerequisite core course GPA 3.0
  (Prerequisite courses may only be repeated once to improve grade; and a “W” or withdrawal from a course counts as a repeated attempt)

- Eligibility for MATH-1240 *Contemporary Mathematics* or higher
  (Must be eligible to take Math 1240 or higher for acceptance into the program)

- 40 Hours of documented observation/volunteer/work time
  (*Completed within the last 2 years and time split between 2 different types of physical therapy settings – Document on Experience Verification Form found on program website)

- 10-year limit for sciences credit
  (Science courses must be less than 10 years old)

- Overall College GPA 2.7
  (This includes all current and previous college credits)

- TOEFL scores for International and ESL Students
  (Required TOEFL iBT scores: Reading (21) - Listening (21) - Writing (24) – Speaking (26))

*The stipulations marked with * will be required for applications received after 12/31/17