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 (18) - Writing (24) – Speaking (26)

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