

Physical Therapist Assisting Program Application Completion Checklist

The Health Careers Enrollment Center at Cuyahoga Community College (Tri-C®) accepts applications year-round. This means you can submit your application to the Physical Therapy Assisting program at any time, provided you have completed all admission requirements. Please use this checklist to determine your readiness to apply.

I have completed the following:	YES	NO
1. Applied to Tri-C and have been accepted.		
2. Requested to have official transcripts from all other colleges and universities submitted to Tri-C for review, to determine transfer credits.		
3. Requested to have an official transcript from graduating high school submitted to Tri-C for review by the Health Careers Enrollment Center.		
4. Completed 40 hours of volunteer/observation hours in at least two different types of physical therapy settings within the past two years, under the supervision of a licensed PT/PTA, and completed the experience verification form, found here: https://www.tri-c.edu/programs/health-careers/physical-therapist-assistant/documents/updated-experience-verification-form-covid-19.pdf . (COVID-19 update: Provisions have been made for volunteer/observation hours-see website. Please submit essay with your application.)		
5. Completed all four core prerequisite courses with a minimum GPA of 3.0. (No course may be repeated or withdrawn from more than once.)		
6. Maintained an overall college GPA of at least 2.7, including all current and previous college credits.		
7. Completed both anatomy and physiology courses within the last 10 years.		
8. Completed MATH 1240 or a higher-level math course, or attained eligibility to take MATH 1240.		
9. Completed my Health Careers application form: https://www.tri-c.edu/programs/health-careers/documents/hc-application.pdf		

Once all of the above steps are complete, you are ready to submit your Health Careers program application, completed/scanned PTA program experience verification form and any attachments to healthcareers@tri-c.edu AND robert.madison@tri-c.edu.