



PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT STUDIES PROGRAM CURRICULUM AND COURSE SEQUENCING

FALL SEMESTER (YEAR 1): DIDACTIC

PA Term 1

- Clinical Anatomy & Physiology
- Biomedical Sciences
- Evidence-Based Practice
- Introduction to Pharmacology
- Care Across the Lifespan
- Physician Assistant Seminar

SPRING SEMESTER (YEAR 1): DIDACTIC

PA Term 2

- Laboratory & Diagnostic Medicine
- Patient Evaluation & Counseling
- Principles of Public Health
- Infectious Diseases
- Dermatology, ENT, and Ophthalmology

PA Term 3

- Cardiology
- Pulmonology
- Cultural Competence & Multicultural Healthcare
- Medicolegal Issues & Healthcare Ethics
- Primary Care Longitudinal SCPE

SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 1): DIDACTIC

PA Term 4

- Gastroenterology
- Renal, Genitourinary, and Electrolytes
- Endocrinology
- Health Systems Science I
- Primary Care Longitudinal SCPE

PA Term 5

- Hematology & Oncology
- Orthopedics & Rheumatology
- Behavioral Medicine
- Health Systems Science II
- Primary Care Longitudinal SCPE

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Accreditation

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PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT STUDIES PROGRAM CURRICULUM AND COURSE SEQUENCING

FALL SEMESTER (YEAR 2):

DIDACTIC/TRANSITIONAL

PA Term 6

- Neurology
- Reproductive Medicine & Women's Health
- Care of the Perioperative Patient
- Lifestyle Medicine
- Team-Based Practice
- Primary Care Longitudinal SCPE

PA Term 1

- Pediatrics
- Geriatrics
- Emergency Medicine
- Clinical Decision Making
- Clinical Phase Seminar
- Primary Care Longitudinal SCPE

PA Clinical Term

(YEAR 2): CLINICAL YEAR

Core Rotations:

- Family Medicine
- Internal Medicine
- Emergency Medicine
- Surgery
- Behavioral Medicine
- Women's Health
- Pediatrics

PA Clinical Term

(YEAR 2): CLINICAL YEAR CONTINUED:

Elective Rotations (3)

Any medical or surgical subspecialty subject to availability; examples:

- Cardiology
- Pulmonary/Critical Care
- Neurology
- Infectious Diseases
- Nephrology
- Hematology/Oncology
- Plastic Surgery
- Trauma Surgery
- Cardiothoracic Surgery
- Orthopedic Surgery
- Pediatric specialties
- Reproductive endocrinology
- Radiology (Diagnostic or Interventional)
- Anesthesiology
- Repeat core rotation

Senior Seminar