

Didactic Curriculum

Below is the listed program curriculum for the Class of 2023 and Class of 2024.

Summer I (Matriculation Begins)

Course	Semester Credits
5011: Introduction to Pharmacology	1
5021: Fundamentals of Medical Imaging	1
5031: Introduction to Microbiology & Immunology	1
5041: Laboratory Medicine	1
Total Semester Credits	4

Fall I

Course	Semester Credits
5015: Human Anatomy	5
5104: Medical Science Foundations	4
5112: Developing the Physician Assistant I	2
5121: Rural Health	1
5123: Applied Clinical Medicine I	3
5223: Gastrointestinal System	3
5153: Nervous System	3
5233: Psychiatry System	3
Total Semester Credits	24

Spring I

Course	Semester Credits
5213: Applied Clinical Medicine II	3
5222: Developing the Physician Assistant II	2
5124: Cardiovascular System	4
5113: Respiratory System	3
5133: Hematology System	3
5143: Genitourinary System	3
Total Semester Credits	18

Summer II

Course	Semester Credits
5234: Applied Clinical Medicine III	4
5242: Developing the Physician Assistant III	2
5243: Endocrine System	3
5263: Musculoskeletal/Integumentary System	3
5253: Reproductive System	3
Total Semester Credits	15

Clinical Curriculum

The clinical curriculum begins with the Fall II semester and continues until graduation. It consists of 15 four-week rotations. The curriculum consists of seven required rotations as well as medical and/or surgery electives.

* Denotes a required rotation

Course	Semester Credits
5301: Research Methods for Evidence Based Medicine	1
5302: Developing the Physician Assistant IV	2
5554: Professional Enrichment	4
5404: Family Medicine I*	4
5414: Family Medicine II*	4
5424: Internal Medicine I*	4
5434: Internal Medicine II*	4
5444: Emergency Medicine I*	4
5454: Emergency Medicine II*	4
5464: Obstetrics/Gynecology*	4
5474: Pediatrics*	4
5484: Psychiatry*	4
5494: Surgery*	4
5544: Medicine Selective	4
5504: Medicine Elective I	4
5514: Medicine Elective II	4
5524: Medicine Elective III	4
OR	
5534: Surgery Elective	
Total Credit Hours	63

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Name	Total Credit Hours
Total Didactive Year Credit Hours	61
Total Clinical Year Credit Hours	63
Total Program Credit Hours	124

Student Information

- Students will not be required to provide or solicit clinical sites or preceptors
- Due to the rigorous nature and extensive time commitment of the Program, it is not recommended student's maintain employment while enrolled
- Students enrolled in the Program are prohibited from working for the Program
- Due to the rigorous nature of the curriculum, students are strongly discouraged from enrolling in any other academic program while enrolled in the PA program. Any PA student wishing to pursue another graduate program should discuss their interests with their faculty advisor and the Program Director before applying to another program.