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Pre-Physician Assistant Information

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Student and Professional Associations:
UNT’s Pre-Physician Assistant Club – www.wix.com/untprepa/club
Association of Physician Assistant Programs – www.aapa.org
Texas Academy of Physician Assistant Examiners – www.tapa.org
Physician Assistant Education Association – www.paeaoonline.org

Physician Assistant Schools in Texas (offering Master Degrees):
Southwestern School of Health Professions - www.utsouthwestern.edu
The University of Texas Medical Branch – www.utmb.edu
University of North Texas Health Science Center at Fort Worth – www.uthsc.edu
Baylor College of Medicine – www.bcm.tmc.edu
Texas Tech University Health Science Center – www.ttuhsc.edu
University of Texas School of Allied Health Sciences at San Antonio – www.uthscsa.edu
The University of Texas Pan American – www.panam.edu/dept/pasp
Interservice Physician Assistant Program – www.cs.amedd.army.mil

Program and Application Information:
Programs usually start in the summer and take 23-34 months to complete at a full-time status. There is a common electronic application for physician assistant programs in Texas.
Central Application Service of Physician Assistants (CASPA) – www.cascaonline.org

Helpful Informational Websites:
Graduate Record Exam – www.gre.org

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Course Requirements for Physician Assistant Programs in Texas

All programs require a bachelor’s degree.
All courses must be complete with a grade of ‘C’ or better.

**Texas Tech**
- BIOL 1710/1730 Principles of Biology I (4hrs)
- BIOL 1720/1740 Principles of Biology II (4hrs)
- BIOL 2041/2042 Microbiology (4hrs)
- BIOL 2301/2311 Anatomy & Physiology I (4hrs)
- BIOL 2302/2312 Anatomy & Physiology II (4hrs)
- BIOL 3451 Genetics (3hrs)
- CHEM 1410/1430 General Chemistry I (4hrs)
- CHEM 1420/1440 General Chemistry II (4hrs)
- CHEM 2370/3210 Organic Chemistry I (4hrs)
- CHEM 2380/3220 Organic Chemistry II (4hrs)
- HMG1 1450 Principals of Nutrition (3hrs)
- BIOL 3500 Medical Terminology (2hrs)
- ANTH/PSYC/SOCI/Human Development or related courses (9hrs)

**UT-HSC**
- PSYC 1630 General Psychology I (3hrs)
- Any PSYC, SOCI or ANTH (3hrs)
- MATH 1100 College Algebra (3hrs)
- MATH 1680 Statistics (3hrs)
- BIOL 2301/2311 Anatomy & Physiology I (3hrs)
- BIOL 2302/2312 Anatomy & Physiology II (3hrs)
- BIOL 3451 Genetics (3hrs)
- CHEM 1410/1430 General Chemistry I (3hrs)
- CHEM 1420/1440 General Chemistry II (3hrs)
- CHEM 2370/3210 Organic Chemistry I (4hrs)
- CHEM Electives (6hrs): BIOL 3451, BIOL 4201, BIOL 3510, BIOL 4301, BIOL 4250, or BIOL 4300

**UT San Antonio**
- BIOL 2041 Microbiology (4hrs)
- BIOL Electives (3hrs): BIOL 4201, BIOL 3510, BIOL 4250, or BIOL 4300

**UT- Southwestern**
- MATH 1100 College Algebra (3hrs)
- Recommended Courses: BIOC 3621, BIOL 3510, BIOL 4201, BIOL 3500, BIOL 4250, MATH 1680, Human Sexuality, and Spanish

**UT- Southwestern (continued)**
- MATH 1680 Statistics (3hrs)
- PSYC 1630 or PSYC 4610 (3hrs)
- *No prerequisite can be in progress after the application deadline, October 1st. No grade of “pass” or “credit” will be accepted for science prerequisites.

**UT-Pan American**
- BIOL 1710 Principles of Biology I (3hrs)
- BIOL 2301/2311 Anatomy & Physiology I (4hrs)
- BIOL 2302/2312 Anatomy & Physiology II (3hrs)
- BIOL Electives (3hrs): BIOL 4201, BIOL 3510, Embryology, or Molecular Biology
- BIOL 3451 Genetics (3hrs)
- MATH 1100 College Algebra (3hrs)
- MATH 1680 Statistics (3hrs)
- Any PSYC or SOCI course (6hrs)
- *No on-line lab courses accepted

**Baylor**
- BIOL 2041/2042 Microbiology (4hrs)
- BIOL Electives (3hrs): BIOL 4201, BIOL 3510, Embryology, or Molecular Biology
- PSYC 1630 General Psychology (3hrs)
- Any PSYC elective (3hrs)
- Recommended: BIOL 3500 Medical Terminology

**UT- Medical Branch**
- BIOL 1710/1730 Principles of Biology I (4hrs)
- BIOL 2301/2311 Anatomy & Physiology I (4hrs)
- BIOL 2302/2312 Anatomy & Physiology II (4hrs)
- BIOL Electives (3hrs): BIOL 4201, BIOL 3510, Embryology, or Molecular Biology
- BIOL 3451 Genetics (3hrs)
- MATH 1100 College Algebra (3hrs)
- MATH 1680 Statistics (3hrs)
- Any PSYC or SOCI course (6hrs)
- *No on-line lab courses accepted

*Program requirements may change without notice and vary with each school.*