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PHYSICAL THERAPY AIDE & P.T. TECHNICIAN

Physical Therapists provide services to help restore function, improve mobility, relieve pain and prevent or limit permanent physical disabilities of patients suffering from injuries or disease. Physical Therapists engage in examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention in an effort to maximize patient outcomes. Much of the responsibilities of physical therapist treatment can be delegated to knowledgeable and qualified personnel, under the direct supervision of the licensed physical therapist.

Dominican International Institute offers two programs for the training of Physical Therapist Aides & Physical Therapy Technicians to work at Physical Therapy Clinics, Hospitals, Outpatient Clinics, Rehabilitation Facilities, Nursing Homes, Hospices, Home Health Care Agencies, Industrial or Corporate Health Centers, Athletic Facilities, Fitness Centers, Sports Training Facilities, Recreational Facilities, etc.

All programs, including Continuing Education programs are available on-line. Labs & Clinical Training however must be completed at the school and/or at designated facility. Credits earned can be transferred for training in many other professions e.g. Business, Health Care, Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences or Language & Cultures. New classes start in January, April, July and October. Accelerated programs, credits for previous studies, scholarships, student loans and easy monthly payment facilities are available. Additional, non-credit courses, can be had for \$5.00 per hour, based on availability. Please refer to DII school catalog or contact the Registrar for more information.

CERTIFICATE Trimester 1-4 (1 year) 19 Courses = 760 clock hours Tuition: \$7,850.00	The 8-hours CPR & First Aid course is mandatory cost is included in the tuition	DIPLOMA Trimester 1-8 (2-years) 38 Courses = 1,320 clock hours Tuition: \$15,750.00
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Trimester-1 Courses		Hrs	Trimester-5 Courses		Hrs
ENG-101	English Composition -1	45	PTA-202	Physical Therapy-2 (Th. Exercise	45
MED101	Introduction to Healthcare	45	PTA202L	Lab PT-2 (Therapeutic Exercises)	15
MED102	Medical Terminology	45	PTA-204	Joint Structure & Function	45
PTA-101	Introduction to Physical Therapy	45	PTA204L	Lab- Joint Structure & Function	15
MAT101	Math & Algebra	45	PTA-210	Geriatrics – Physical Therapy	30

Trimester-2 Courses		Hrs	Trimester-6 Courses		Hrs
ENG-102	English Composition-2	45	PTA-205	Neuromuscular Physical Therapy	45
MED105	Human Anatomy & Physiology-1	45	PTA205L	Lab - Neuromuscular PT	15
PSY-101	Introduction to Psychology	45	PTA-211	Kinesiology	45
MED102	Human Growth & Development	45	PTA211L	Lab - Kinesiology	15

Trimester-3 Courses		Hrs	Trimester-7 Courses		Hrs
MED205	Human Anatomy & Physiology-2	45	PTA-203	Physical Therapy-3 (Patient Care)	45
SOC-101	Introduction to Sociology	45	PTA203L	Lab - PT-3 Patient Care Skills	15
CUL-101	Multicultural Studies	45	PTA-205	MusculoskeletalPhy Therapy	45
SPA-101	Spanish As Second Language	45	PTA205L	Lab –Musculoskeletal P T	15
PTA-209	Pediatrics –Physical Therapy	30	PTA-212	Therapeutic Massage	45

Trimester-4 Courses		Hrs	Trimester-8 Courses		Hrs
PTA-201	Physical Therapy-1 (Muscle Test)	45	PTA-207	Rehabilitation Techniques	30
PTA201L	Lab –PT-1 - Muscle Testing	15	PTA207L	Lab - Rehabilitation Techniques	15
MED104	Medical Professional Ethics	45	PTA-209	Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation	30
PTA-103	Intro to Orthotics & Prosthetics	15	PTA-290	Research in Physical Therapy	
	Clinical Training	25		Clinical Training	50