

**PTA Program Goals**

1. Develop and deliver integrated academic program leading to licensed or certificate to practice as an entry level physical therapist assistant.
2. Provides curriculum consistent with guidelines with CAPTE and the normative model of physical therapist assistant education for entry level physical therapist assistant.
3. Utilizes current, evidence-based curriculum based upon input from the advisory committee, academic faculty, and clinical instructors.
4. Provide an academic setting that facilitates program graduates to enter the physical therapy profession in a timely fashion and in adherence to accrediting body's criteria.
5. Promotes faculty involvement with continuing personal and professional development through life-long learning opportunities and membership with professional organizations.
6. Promotes faculty participation with community events that promote professional and critical development.