### Pre-Physical Therapy Curriculum

**Freshman Year**
- ENC 1101 Freshman English I  
  3
- MAC 1105 College Algebra  
  (State Core)  
  3
- BSC 9010 Biological Science Lecture and Lab*  
  (State Core)  
  4
- CHM 1045 General Chemistry I Lecture and Lab*  
  4
- HSC 1000 Intro to Health Science or SLS 1101 First Year Exp  
  1-2
- ENC 1102 Freshman English II  
  3
- STA 2023 Statistics*  
  (State Core)  
  3
- BSC 1010 Biological Science Lecture and Lab*  
  4
- CHM 1046 General Chemistry II Lecture and Lab*  
  4
- DEP 2004 Human Growth and Development  
  3

**Credits: 32-33**

**Social Science I Civics Literacy (AMH 2020, PDS 2041, ISS 1009)  
  3**
- PHY 2053 College Physics I Lecture and Lab*  
  4
- BSC 2093 Anatomy & Physiology I Lecture and Lab*  
  4
- Humanities I  
  (State Core)  
  3
- PSY 2012 Intro to Psychology*  
  (Social Science II)  
  3
- PHY 2054 College Physics II Lecture and Lab*  
  4
- BSC 2094 Anatomy & Physiology II Lecture and Lab*  
  4
- Elective 1  
  (2000 level or higher)  
  1-2
- Humanities II (General Education)  
  3

**Credits: 29-30**

**Sophomore Year**
- HSA 3110 Organization & Adm of Health Facilities (OR) HRE 3000/4000  
  3
- HSC 3531 Medical Terminology (OR) HRE 3000/4000  
  3
- HUM 3437 Fundamental Medical Science I  
  3
- PHT 4028 Professional Development  
  3
- AMH 2091/AFA 3104/AFA2000 African American History or Experience  
  3
- STD 3400 Medical Sociology (OR) HRE 3000/4000  
  3
- HUM 3438 Fundamentals of Medical Science II  
  3
- Elective 2  
  (2000 level or higher)  
  3
- HSC 3640 Health Law (OR) HRE 3000/4000  
  3
- RCS 3030 Intro to Rehabilitation  
  3

**Credits: 30**

**Junior Year**
- RCS 3700 Disability and Society  
  3
- HSA 4700 Health Research  
  3
- SYP 4750 Aging in America (OR) HRE 3000/4000  
  3
- RCS 4500 Psychological Aspects of Disability  
  3
- RCS 4200 Intro Vocational Evaluation  
  3
- HSC 4608 Critical Thinking Health Aspects of Disability  
  3
- CLP 4143 Abnormal Psychology  
  3
- HSC 4634 Critical Health Issues (OR) HRE 3000/4000  
  3
- RCS 4610 Supervision and Coordination  
  3

**Credits: 27**

**Pre-Physical Therapy Degree Total Hours: 120**

*CHM 1025 is a university pre-requisite for CHM 1045  
  // *required pre-requisites for graduate DPT programs

HRE = HEALTHRELATED ELECTIVE  
Course substitutions indicated in the State Common Prerequisite Manual at www.facts.org will be accepted with a grade of C or better. Be mindful of any pre-requisites that may be required by the particular Graduate Program that you elect to pursue.

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The School of Allied Health Sciences (SOAHS) is one of three health professional schools at Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU). The school was established to recognize the need to provide access to quality education in a group of rapidly growing health professions. The school is divided into six (6) divisions:

- Health Informatics and Information Management (HIIM)
- Cardiopulmonary Science (CPSC)
- Occupational Therapy (OT)
- Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT)
- Health Care Management (HCM)
- Health Science (Health Science General, Pre-Physical Therapy & Pre-Occupational Therapy)

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Health Science Pre-Physical Therapy undergraduate degree major is a pre-clinical track which includes all of the courses required for application for admission to graduate professional physical therapy programs.

While recommended for students interested in majoring in Physical Therapy at the graduate level; successful completion of the undergraduate Health Science Pre-Physical Therapy degree is only one criteria for entry into the Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program. The admissions process is highly competitive and spaces are limited. (Please see DPT program for additional criteria)

Additionally, the Health Science Pre-Physical Therapy curriculum is designed to produce graduates capable of demonstrating those characteristics identified as desirable by employers of tomorrow’s health care professionals.

LIVING AND LEARNING COMMUNITY

For first-year students pursuing studies in professional health fields, the School of Allied Health Sciences Living Learning Community (LLC) will afford you an opportunity to live with like-minded peers in an enriching environment that will support your academic, personal and professional success. Students with a minimum high school GPA of 3.25 on a 4.0 scale are encouraged to apply.

HOW TO APPLY

Applications are submitted online at www.famu.edu/admissions and through the Common Application (Common App). Admissions decisions are made throughout the year based on the desired term of entry. (Fall, Spring, or Summer)

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*Applications submitted after the deadline may be considered for a future term

WHY US!

- Only HBCU that’s MHA CAHME accredited
- State-of-the-art facilities/sim labs
- Internship opportunities with NFL+ NBA
- Administrative internships
- Real-world projects
- Real-world issues
- Highly trained faculty (ACUE)

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