



TEMPLE UNIVERSITY

College of Health Professions
 Department of Physical Therapy
 Doctor of Physical Therapy Program

Overview - Professional Curriculum

1 s t P r o f e s s i o n a l Y e a r											
Summer Semester II		Fall Semester				Spring Semester				Summer Semester I	
6 weeks		15 weeks		15 weeks		6 weeks		7			
Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours		
8512 Human Physiology	3	8502 Human Anatomy I	3	8521 Neuroscience	3	8514 Clinical Decision Making	2				
8536 Teaching, Learning, & Group Dynamics	3	8503 Human Anatomy II	3	8522 Rehabilitative Pathophysiology	3	8529 Exercise	3				
		8513 Movement Science I	3	8523 Movement Science II	4	8533 Movement Science III	2				
		8516 Introduction to Physical Therapy	1	8524 Clinical Examination & Intervention Skills II	2						
		8517 Clinical Examination & Intervention Skills I	3	8525 Clinical Electrophysiology	3						
		8528 Critical Inquiry I	3	8548 Critical Inquiry II	1						

2 n d P r o f e s s i o n a l Y e a r											
Summer Semester II		Fall Semester				Spring Semester				Summer Semester I	
4 weeks		15 weeks		10 Weeks		6+ weeks		9			
Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours		
9585 Clinical Internship I	4	8518 Psychosocial Aspects	3	8542 Clinical Management Musculoskeletal II	3	9586 Clinical Internship II	9				
		8532 Clinical Management Musculoskeletal I	3	8546 Bioethics	3						
		8534 Clinical Management Neuromuscular I	4	8554 Clinical Management Neuromuscular II	3						
		8535 Clinical Management Cardiopulmonary	3	8557 Management of Physical Therapy Practices	3						
		8547 Health Care Systems	3	9586 Clinical Internship II	0						

3 r d P r o f e s s i o n a l Y e a r											
Summer Semester II		Fall Semester				Spring Semester					
6+ weeks		15 weeks		18 weeks		20					
Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours	Course Number & Course Title	Credit Hours				
9685 Clinical Internship III	9	8551 Medical Diagnostics	2	8568 Evidence Based Practice II	2						
		8552 Clinical Management Musculoskeletal III	3	9686 Clinical Internship IV	9						
		8553 Clinical Medicine & Pharmacotherapeutics	3	9785 Clinical Internship V	9						
		8555 Prosthetics & Orthotics	2								
		8558 Evidence Based Practice I	2								
		8559 Elective - Clinical Specialty	3								