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Physical Therapy (DPT) Prerequisites

HEALTH PROFESSIONS ADVISING

	General Biology (with lab)	General Chemistry (with lab)	Organic Chemistry (with lab)	Physics (with lab)	Statistics	Human Anatomy (with lab)	Physiology (with lab)	Kinesiology	Exercise Physiology	General Psychology	Additional Psychology	Behavioral Science	English Composition	Communication	Medical Terminology	Other
Azusa University	Required	1 Year		1 Year	Required	Required	Required	Recommended (or Biomechanics)	Required	Required	1 Course Requried	-	Required (2 Additional Humanities/Arts Courses also required); Writing Course Recommended	-	-	Additional Upper Division Bio (Lecture Only); Recommended: Nutrition, Athletic Training, Exercise Science
Boston University	4.5-6 Units (or Cell bio with lab)	9-12 Units	-	9-12 Units	4.5-6 Units	4.5-6 Units	4.5-6 Units		4.5-6 Units	4.5-6 Units (Gene Psy	eral or Developmental chology)			-	-	-
Columbia University	12 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	4.5 Units (no business/ economics statistics)	4.5 Units (w/ Lab preferred)	4.5 Units (w/ Lab preferred)	-	-	9 Units		22.5 Units	-	-	-	4 Units Additional Science Course (More is recommended)
CSU Fresno	5-6 Units	3 Quarters	-	3 Quarters	4 Units	5-6 Units	5-6 Units	-	-	8 Units (4 Units of General or Developmental; 4 Units of Abnormal)		-	-	-	-	-
CSU Long Beach	3 Quarters	3 Quarters	-	3 Quarters	1 Quarter	Required	Required	-	-	1 Quarter	-	-	-	-	-	-
CSU Northridge	5 Units	10 Units		10 Units	4 Units	4 Units	5 Units	-	-	4 Units	4 Units (Upper Division)	-	-	-	-	-
CSU Sacramento	-	12-15 Units		12 Units	4.5 Units	6 Units	6 Units	4.5 Units (OR Biomechanics)	4.5 Units	4.5 Units	4.5 Units		-	-	-	-
Chapman University	2 Quarters (any bio with a lab component)	3 Quarters		3 Quarters	1 Quarter	Required	Required		-	1 Quarter			-		-	-
Loma Linda University	2 Bio Courses (lab not specified)	Required (complete sequence)	-	Required (complete sequence)	Required	Required	Required	-	-	Required	Required (Developmental Psych/Human Growth & Development)	-	-	Required (oral communication)	Required	-
Mount Saint Mary's University	12 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	4.5 Units	6 Units	6 Units	Recommended	Recommended	13.5 Units		Ethics and Critical Thinking Recommended	-	4.5 Units Written; 4.5 Units Speech	-	Neuroscience and Motor Learning/ Development Recommended
Samuel Merritt Univeristy	12 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	3 Units	6 Units	6 Units	-	-	3 Units	-		-	-	-	-
San Diego State University	Required	Required (1 Year)	-	Required (1 Year)	Required	Required	Required	-	-	Required	1 Upper Division Required		1 Course Required	-	-	Upper Division Bio Course with Lab Required
UCSF/San Francisco State University	-	12-15 Units	4 Units Highly Recommended	12-15 Units	4 Units	4 Units	5 Units	4 Units Highly Recommended	4 Units Highly Recommended	-	4 Units Abnormal Required; 4 Units Developmental Highly Recommended	4 Units Biomedical Ethics Highly Recommended	-	-	-	4 Units of Upper Division Biology Required; Neuroscience and Motor Learning/Control Highly Recommended
University of Southern California	12 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	4.5 Units	6 Units	6 Units	-	-	9 Units			-	-	-	-
University of St. Augustine	9 Units (General or Upper level)	9 Units -		9 Units	-	9 Units		-	-	-			-	-	1.5 Units	4.5 Units Human Growth and Development Required
University of the Pacific	9 Units (incl. another Upper Divsion Bio that doesn't need a lab)	12 Units	-	12 Units	4 Units	5 Units	5 Units		4 Units		4 Units Abnormal Psychology		-	-	2-4 Units	-
West Coast University	4.5 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	4.5 Units	6 Units	6 Units	-	-	-	-	9 Units (Life Span Development Preferred)	-	-	-	-
Western University of Health Sciences	-	12 Units	-	12 Units	4 Units	6 Units	6 Units		-	12 Units (Abnormal and/or Developmental Psych highly recommended)		-	4 Units	-	-	-

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If a school appears to have no requirements, then that school's admissions requirements are based on competencies, not courses. See school website for details.

If you have any questions, contact the school or visit the school website.