Washtenaw Community College Comprehensive Report

PTA 240 Clinical Education II Effective Term: Spring/Summer 2024

Course Cover

College: Health Sciences
Division: Health Sciences
Department: Allied Health

Discipline: Physical Therapist Assistant

Course Number: 240 Org Number: 15800

Full Course Title: Clinical Education II Transcript Title: Clinical Education II

Is Consultation with other department(s) required: No

Publish in the Following: College Catalog, Time Schedule, Web Page

Reason for Submission: Course Change

Change Information: Objectives/Evaluation

Rationale: Update objectives to better align with outcomes.

Proposed Start Semester: Winter 2024

Course Description: In this course, students will participate in their second clinical experience. Qualified physical therapist assistant students will participate in supervised clinical learning experiences with the opportunity to further develop and practice necessary clinical decision-making, treatment and documentation skills. Students will be assigned to varied off-site health care settings for 3 weeks, 40 hours/week, under the supervision of a licensed Physical Therapist (PT) or Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA) from an accredited PT or PTA program. This course is graded on a pass/no pass grading system.

Course Credit Hours

Variable hours: No

Credits: 2

Lecture Hours: Instructor: 0 Student: 0

Lab: Instructor: 0 Student: 0

Clinical: Instructor: 120 Student: 120

Total Contact Hours: Instructor: 120 Student: 120

Repeatable for Credit: NO

Grading Methods: P/NP (limited to clinical & practica)

Audit

Are lectures, labs, or clinicals offered as separate sections?: NO (same sections)

College-Level Reading and Writing

College-level Reading & Writing

College-Level Math

Requisites

Prerequisite

PTA 230 minimum grade "P"

General Education

Request Course Transfer

Proposed For:

Student Learning Outcomes

1. Interact with other health care professionals and patients in a professional and ethical manner.

Assessment 1

Assessment Tool: Outcome-related areas from the Clinical Performance Instrument (CPI)

Assessment Date: Fall 2025

Assessment Cycle: Every Three Years Course section(s)/other population: All Number students to be assessed: All

How the assessment will be scored: Full-time departmental faculty will analyze clinical

instructor and student evaluative findings in the CPI

Standard of success to be used for this assessment: 80% of the students will achieve the

Intermediate level of performance or higher on the CPI. Who will score and analyze the data: Departmental faculty

2. Perform Physical Therapy Interventions according to safe practice standards under close supervision of a clinical instructor.

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3. Accurately document the treatment plans using SOAP (Subjective, Objective, Assessment, Plan) format or format per facility guidelines.

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Course Objectives

- 1. Identify pertinent (current and past) medical issues, precautions and contraindications to procedures/interventions and social information.
- 2. Communicate effectively with the entire health care team, staff and patients.
- 3. Identify and practice appropriate professional and ethical behaviors in patient care situations.
- 4. Safely perform selected data collection techniques and interventions related to patient care under close supervision of the clinical instructor.

- 5. Record pertinent data and treatment utilizing the SOAP format or format per facility guidelines and or electronic medical record system.
- 6. Effectively document patient treatment.
- 7. Select appropriate insurance billing codes in accordance with ethical billing practices.
- 8. Identify issues related to insurance, equipment and family matters that may impact a patient's plan of care.
- 9. Complete an effective self-assessment of technical and professional skills.
- 10. Implement appropriate patient interventions and provide appropriate rationale and methodology under close supervision of the clinical instructor.
- 11. Provide physical therapy services at Intermediate competency, as defined by the clinical performance instrument, under the direction and supervision of clinical instructor to a variety of patients.
- 12. Identify and discuss those skills which are beyond the scope of practice of a PTA.

New Resources for Course

Course Textbooks/Resources

Textbooks Manuals Periodicals Software

Equipment/Facilities

Reviewer	Action	Date
Faculty Preparer:		
Ann Herbert	Faculty Preparer	Dec 06, 2023
Department Chair/Area Director:		
Kristina Sprague	Recommend Approval	Dec 08, 2023
Dean:		
Shari Lambert	Recommend Approval	Dec 20, 2023
Curriculum Committee Chair:		
Randy Van Wagnen	Recommend Approval	Apr 03, 2024
Assessment Committee Chair:		
Jessica Hale	Recommend Approval	Apr 10, 2024
Vice President for Instruction:		
Brandon Tucker	Approve	Apr 16, 2024

Washtenaw Community College Comprehensive Report

PTA 240 Clinical Education II Effective Term: Winter 2024

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Department: Allied Health

Discipline: Physical Therapist Assistant

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Full Course Title: Clinical Education II Transcript Title: Clinical Education II

Is Consultation with other department(s) required: No

Publish in the Following: College Catalog, Time Schedule, Web Page **Reason for Submission:** Three Year Review / Assessment Report

Change Information:

Consultation with all departments affected by this course is required.

Course description Outcomes/Assessment Objectives/Evaluation

Rationale: Three-year syllabus review based on assessment.

Proposed Start Semester: Winter 2024

Course Description: In this course, students will participate in their second clinical experience. Qualified physical therapist assistant students will participate in supervised clinical learning experiences with the opportunity to further develop and practice necessary clinical decision-making, treatment and documentation skills. Students will be assigned to varied off-site health care settings for 3 weeks, 40 hours/week, under the supervision of a licensed Physical Therapist (PT) or Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA) from an accredited PT or PTA program. This course is graded on a pass/no pass grading system.

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- 6. Effectively document patient treatment.
- 7. Select appropriate insurance billing codes in accordance with ethical billing practices.
- 8. Identify issues related to insurance, equipment and family matters that may impact a patient's plan of care.
- 9. Complete an effective self-assessment of technical and professional skills.

New Resources for Course

Course Textbooks/Resources

Textbooks Manuals Periodicals Software

Equipment/Facilities

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Faculty Preparer:		
Ann Herbert	Faculty Preparer	Jul 17, 2023
Department Chair/Area Director:		
Kristina Sprague	Recommend Approval	Jul 20, 2023
Dean:		
Shari Lambert	Recommend Approval	Aug 15, 2023
Curriculum Committee Chair:		
Randy Van Wagnen	Recommend Approval	Oct 13, 2023
Assessment Committee Chair:		
Jessica Hale	Recommend Approval	Oct 16, 2023
Vice President for Instruction:		
Brandon Tucker	Approve	Oct 19, 2023

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Office of Curriculum & Assessment

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PTA 240	Clinical Education II			
Course description State the purpose and content of the course. Please limit to 500 characters.	This second clinical experience will provide the qualified Physical Therapist Assistant student with supervised clinical learning experiences and the opportunity to further develop and practice necessary clinical decision making, treatment, and documentation skills. Students will be assigned to varied off-site health care settings for 3 weeks, 40 hours/week, under the supervision of a licensed PT or PTA from an accredited two-year program. This course is graded on a pass/no pass grading system.			
Course outcomes	Outcomes	Assessment		
List skills and knowledge	(applicable in all sections)	Methods for determining course effectiveness		
students will have after taking the course.	Interact with other health care professionals and patients in a professional and ethical manner	Clinical Assessment Tool for PTA 240, Ques # 1, #6		
Assessment method Indicate how student achievement in each outcome will be assessed to determine student	Safely practice Physical Therapy Interventions as delegated with close supervision Accurately document the interventions performed,	Clinical Assessment Tool for PTA 240, Ques #, #3, #4, #5, #6 Clinical Assessment Tool for PTA 240, Ques #		
achievement for purposes of course improvement.	and patient response to those interventions, using SOAP (Subjective, Objective, Assessment, Plan) format or format per facility guidelines.	# 2		
Course Objectives	Objectives	Evaluation		
Indicate the objectives that support the course	(applicable in all sections)	Methods for determining level of student performance of objectives		
outcomes given above. Course Evaluations	1. Identify pertinent (current and past) medical issues, precautions and contraindications to procedures/interventions and social information.	Evaluate student patient care notes and chart reviews.		
Indicate how instructors will determine the degree to which each objective is met for each student.	2. Identify and practice appropriate professional and ethical behaviors in patient care situations by communicating effectively with professional staff and patients.	Evaluate student's weekly goal sheets.		
	3. Safely perform selected interventions under close supervision related to patient care.	Evaluate student's weekly goal sheets and individual student logs.		
	4. Effectively document the interventions performed and the patient response to those interventions.	Instructor's review of patient care notes.		
	5. Identify issues related to insurance, equipment and family concerns that may impact a patient's plan of care.	Evaluate of weekly logs and patient care notes.		
	6. Complete an effective self-assessment of technical and professional skills.	Evaluate student self-assessment at midterm and final.		

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MASTER SYLLABUS

List all new resources needed for course, including library materials.				
The Guide to Physical Therapy Practice (\$99, for non student members of the APTA, \$42.95 for student members of the APTA).				
Student Materials:				
List examples of types	Lab coat		Estimated costs	
Texts	WCC Patch		\$ 35 (Lab coat)	
Supplemental reading			\$7 (patch)	
Supplies			4. 4	
Uniforms				
Equipment Tools				
Software				
	neck all that apply. (All classrooms have overhead	projectors and permanent screens.)		
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Level I classroom		— •		
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Level III classroom		Data projector/computer		
	s data projector, computer, faculty workstation	Other		
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Course	Course title
PTA 240	Clinical Education II

Assessment plan:

Learning outcomes to be assessed (list from Page 3)	Assessment tool	When assessment will take place	Course section(s)/other population	Number students assessed
1. Interacts with other health care professionals and patients in a professional and ethical manner	Clinical Assessment Tool for PTA 240 # 1, # 6	Fall, 2008	All	All
2. Safely practices Physical Therapy Interventions as delegated with close supervision	Clinical Assessment Tool for PTA 240 # 2, # 3, # 4,# 5, # 6	Fall, 2008	All	All
3. Accurately documents the interventions performed, and patient response to those interventions, using SOAP format or format per facility guidelines.	Clinical Assessment Tool for PTA 240 # 2	Fall, 2008	All	All

Scoring and analysis of assessment:

1. Indicate how the above assessment(s) will be scored and evaluated (e.g. departmentally developed rubric, external evaluation, other). Attach the rubric.

The Clinical Assessment Form is to be completed by the student's Clinical Instructor at the midterm and at the end of the clinical education experience. It is a narrative form, with 7 items to assess; including professional behaviors, documentation, assessment techniques, Intervention/Treatment techniques, use of modalities, and time management. There is also an area to assess the student's strengths, and areas needing improvement. The midterm assessment will help the Clinical instructor and student to establish goals and structure learning opportunities for the remainder of the affiliation.

The Physical Therapist Assistant Student Evaluation: Clinical Experience and Clinical Instruction will be completed by the student at the end of the affiliation. This is to be reviewed with the clinical instructor each term.

2. Indicate the standard of success to be used for this assessment.

Based on the Clinical Instructor's final assessment, the Clinical Instructor will determine whether the student has "satisfactorily performed for this clinical education experience" or performed "unsatisfactorily for this clinical education experience."

The student must receive a "satisfactory" from the Clinical Instructor and turn in all documents, logs, and assignments to receive a passing grade for Clinical Education II. 75% of the students in this course, each year, will receive a "satisfactory" evaluation from their Clinical Instructor.

- 3. Indicate who will score and analyze the data. Full-time faculty and clinicians will blind score the data.
- 4. Explain the process for using assessment data to improve the course.

The Clinical Assessment Form for PTA 240 will allow the faculty to determine areas of strengths and weakness in clinical education preparedness. The feedback received from all Clinical Instructors will be used to implement changes as appropriate in the curriculum. In addition, feedback from the Physical Therapist Assistant Student Evaluation Form, e.g. Clinical Experience and Clinical Instruction, from the APTA, will be used for clinical instructor/facility development as appropriate.