

# PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT PROGRAM APPLICATION

Pierpont Community & Technical College  
School of Health Careers

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The Physical Therapist Assistant program is a two-year Associate degree program that will prepare you to take the licensing examination to work as a PTA. The application deadline is **January 31** for the class beginning the following August. Submit completed application, completed observation forms, and non-refundable \$20 application fee to the following address:

Pierpont Community and Technical College  
ATTN: Enrollment Services  
1201 Locust Avenue  
Fairmont, WV 26554

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ ID \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

A numerical score sheet is used to select 20 students for each class. Points are assigned for GPA, ACT/SAT scores and grades in algebra, physics, and certain other college courses. The students with the highest scores are chosen. Negative background check and drug screening are required for participation in the program.

Minimum grade point average for admission is **2.0**. Your cumulative **G.P.A.** is \_\_\_\_\_.

Minimum English ACT score is 18 (or equivalent). Your **English ACT** is \_\_\_\_\_.

Algebra and physics are required (C or better) before admission. Please list the year the course was completed.

- Algebra \_\_\_\_\_
- Physics \_\_\_\_\_

Please make a statement regarding your interest in physical therapy and your career goals. Your response must be hand written and is limited to the front and back of this page.

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Date Visited

Hours

Please have this section completed and signed by a physical therapist or physical therapist assistant at the clinic you visit.

Introduces self to staff.	Yes	No
Listens attentively.	Yes	No
Asks questions to aid learning.	Yes	No
Meets expectations for attendance and punctuality.	Yes	No
Responds in an appropriate manner to requests.	Yes	No
Respects confidentiality.	Yes	No
Converses appropriately with staff and patients.	Yes	No

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Clinic Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Therapist or PTA: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name

Signature

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