Master of Medical Science
Physician Assistant Program

Application Process
To apply for the Physician Assistant Program, visit the Central Application Service for Physician Assistants (CASPA).
caspa.liaisoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login.

Application Deadline:
September 1
The UTHSC PA Program uses a rolling admissions process and even though the CASPA deadline is September 1st, the class may be filled before then.

Estimated Expenses 2017-2018
Estimated Tuition and Fees
$11,950/$19,969 per semester (in-state/out-of-state)
Associated Costs
$13,827 per semester
Please visit uthsc.edu/finance/bursar for detailed breakdown of costs.

Prerequisites

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<td>Biological Sciences*</td>
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*Recommended: Cell Biology, Molecular Biology, Biochemistry, Organic Chemistry, Genetics
Applicants must hold a Bachelor’s Degree and have taken the GRE (MCAT is not accepted).
Applicants must also have at least 500 hours of direct patient care experience.
**Curriculum**

### Year 1 – Spring Term (January–June)

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<td>PAS 570 - The Physician Assistant Profession</td>
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**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS** 32

### Year 1 – Fall Term (July–December)

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### Year 2 – Clinical Year* (January–December)

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**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS – CLINICAL YEAR** 48

**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS – CURRICULUM** 112

*Rotation campuses in Memphis, Knoxville, Nashville, and Chattanooga

### Program Information Sessions

To attend UTHSC PA Program Information Sessions, visit uthsc.edu/physician-assistant

### For more information:

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