



MASTER OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT

ON-CAMPUS



University of Findlay

Program Overview

Enrolled students participate in an innovative educational experience designed to foster learning, service, and leadership. Students are encouraged to take full advantage of the unique opportunity to be a student in an academic program dedicated to preparing competent and patient-centered individuals for the rewarding career of a practicing physician assistant.

The PA program faculty are committed to delivering education of the highest quality in an atmosphere of mutual respect and concern for each other, the community, and society. Our goal is to create a learning environment where you can maximize your academic pursuits, develop lifelong learning skills, mature professionally, and gain competency in health care services provided by entry-level physician assistants.

The Physician Assistant profession offers diverse areas of practice and opportunities both clinically as well as in other areas such as administration, education, research, etc. Our profession has been ranked high (often number one) in several different

publications over the last few years. These favorable rankings are typically based on job availability, job satisfaction, income, expected job growth, and other factors.

Program Goals

At the satisfactory completion of the requirements of the Master of Physician Assistant degree from The University of Findlay, the graduate will be able to:

- Evaluate diverse clinical situations by applying knowledge of anatomy, pathophysiology, clinical medicine, patient presentation, differential diagnosis, patient management, surgical principles and health promotion and disease prevention.
- Demonstrate interpersonal and communication skills that facilitate the effective exchange of information and collaboration with patients, families and other health professionals.
- Provide care that is effective, patient-centered, timely, efficient and equitable for the treatment of health problems and the promotion of wellness as a member of the health care team.

WHY MPA?

Our program provides students with the medical knowledge, technical skills, and experience in a variety of didactic and clinical settings necessary for them to become ethical, competent, and compassionate health care providers as part of a health care team.

ABOUT OUR FACULTY

At UF, you'll find we've built a tradition of professors who don't just teach theory; they've lived it. Our instructors maintain high standards while also drawing from their own professional experiences. They're approachable mentors who challenge you to think critically and meet academic expectations, but they also understand how prepare you for careers of service to others.

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student-to-faculty ratio ensures individual attention

99%

overall pass rate on the Physician Assistant National Certifying Exam since 2010

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One of the largest cadaver labs in Northwest Ohio located on our campus

RECENT GRADS WERE HIRED AT COMPANIES LIKE THESE:



Blanchard Valley
HEALTH SYSTEM



ORTHOPEDIC
INSTITUTE

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT STATISTICS



**The University of Findlay
Physician Assistant Program
has been awarded Platinum
status by the Ohio Association
of Physician Assistants for achieving 100 percent
student membership.**

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

The Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA) has granted Accreditation-Continued status to the University of Findlay Physician Assistant Program sponsored by the University of Findlay. Accreditation-Continued is an accreditation status granted when a currently accredited program is in compliance with the ARC-PA Standards. To view the UF PA Program's accreditation status with the ARC-PA, visit www.arc-pa.org/accreditation-history-university-of-findlay.

Required Courses

PHAS 500 Mechanisms of Health and Disease
PHAS 501 Clinical Anatomy
PHAS 502 Physical Assessment I
PHAS 505 Clinical Inquiry and Communication
PHAS 507 Orientation to the Physician Assistant Program and Profession
PHAS 508 Medical Ethics
PHAS 510 Clinical Medicine I
PHAS 511 Clinical Pharmacology I
PHAS 512 Physical Assessment II
PHAS 513 Health Care Systems, Policy and Practice
PHAS 514 Clinical Patient Care I
PHAS 520 Clinical Medicine II
PHAS 522 Clinical Patient Care II
PHAS 523 Clinical Heuristics and Decision Making
PHAS 530 Clinical Medicine III
PHAS 531 Fundamentals of Emergency Care
PHAS 532 Fundamentals of Surgical Patient Care
PHAS 533 Behavioral Medicine

PHAS 534 Community and Individual Wellness
PHAS 535 Evidence-Based Case Management
PHAS 541 Clinical Pharmacology II
PHAS 551 Clinical Pharmacology III
PHAS 601 Developing a Reflective Practitioner I
PHAS 603 Developing a Reflective Practitioner II
PHAS 605 Developing a Reflective Practitioner III
PHAS 606 Leadership Symposium
PHAS 611 Supervised Clinical Practice in Family Practice
PHAS 612 Supervised Clinical Practice in General Internal Medicine
PHAS 613 Supervised Clinical Practice in General Pediatrics
PHAS 614 Supervised Clinical Practice in Women's Health
PHAS 615 Supervised Clinical Practice in General Surgery
PHAS 616 Supervised Clinical Practice in Emergency Medicine
PHAS 617 Supervised Clinical Practice in Psychiatry/Mental Health
PHAS 618 Supervised Clinical Practice in Elective I
PHAS 658 Senior Seminar I and Research
PHAS 659 Senior Seminar II and Research

