Amarillo College Curriculum Map Template

Division:	Health Services	
Degree/Academic Program(s):	Physical Therapist Assistant (PTHA.AAS, PTHA.AS)	
Dean:	Kim Crowley	
Chair/Director/Coordinator:	Sue Grady	
Submission Date:	Fall 2017	
Purpose Statement:	To provide the student with positive learning experiences within an atmosphere of academic excellence and to assure that the student acquires the knowledge, skills, and other abilities required of the entry-level physical therapist assistant to enhance the service area.	

Goal #1: The Amarillo College PTA Program will produce clinically competent graduates who will be able to work as entry-level physical therapist assistants under the direction and supervision of a physical therapist.

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Program-Specific Courses	PLO #1:	PLO #2:
	100% of students will achieve a clinical	100% of students will receive clinical instructor
	instructor ranking of "meets" level of	approval and/or reapproval of all skills in the
	performance compared to an entry level	Professional Behaviors, Data Collection, and
Courses	PTA or higher after completion of final	Interventions sections of the PTA MACS Progress
	clinical experience on the PTA MACS	Report by completion of the final clinical
	progress report.	experience.
PTHA 1301	I	I
PTHA 1405	I	I
PTHA 1413	D	D
PTHA 2301	D	D
PTHA 1431	D	D
PTHA 2409	D	D
PTHA 1260	D	D, M
PTHA 1321		
PTHA 2305		
PTHA 2431	D	D
PTHA 2435	D	D
PTHA 2317	D	D
PTHA 2567	D,M	D, M

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Goal #2: The Amarillo College PTA Program will produce graduates who can exhibit effective critical thinking and problem-solving skills.

Program-Specific Courses	PLO #1: 100% of all students will achieve clinical instructor approval or reapproval on all components of PTA MACS Skill #6 Critical Thinking and #9 Problem Solving by completion of the final clinical experience.
PTHA 1301	1
PTHA 1405	1
PTHA 1413	D
PTHA 2301	D
PTHA 1431	D
PTHA 2409	D
PTHA 1260	D
PTHA 1321	D
PTHA 2305	
PTHA 2431	D
PTHA 2435	D
PTHA 2317	D
PTHA 2567	M

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Goal #3: The Amarillo College PTA Program will produce graduates who can express effective oral, written, and nonverbal communication skills in a culturally competent manner with patients and their families, and other health care providers.

Program-Specific Courses	PLO #1: 100% of students will receive clinical instructor approval or reapproval on all components of the PTA MACS Skill #3 Communication Skills: Oral and Written by completion of the final clinical experience.
PTHA 1301	I, D
PTHA 1405	I, D
PTHA 1413	
PTHA 2409	D
PTHA 2301	D
PTHA 1431	D
PTHA 1260	D
PTHA 1321	D
PTHA 2305	
PTHA 2431	D
PTHA 2435	D
PTHA 2317	D
PTHA 2567	D, M

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Goal #4: The Amarillo College PTA Program faculty will provide students with positive learning experiences and a curriculum based on current physical therapy practice within an atmosphere of academic excellence.

Program-Specific Courses	PLO #1: The Amarillo College PTA Program faculty will provide students with positive learning experiences and a curriculum based on current physical therapy practice within an atmosphere of academic excellence,
PTHA 1301	I
PTHA 1405	I,D
PTHA 1413	I,D
PTHA 2409	D
PTHA 2301	D
PTHA 1431	D
PTHA 1260	D
PTHA 1321	D
PTHA 2431	D
PTHA 2435	D
PTHA 2305	D
PTHA 2317	D,M
PTHA 2567	D, M

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Goal #4: Goal #5: The Amarillo College PTA Program will promote the importance of continuing personal and professional development through life-long learning opportunities and membership in professional organizations.

	PLO #1:
Program-Specific	Course content regarding membership in the APTA professional organization and life-long
Courses	learning will be presented in PTHA 1301 The Profession of Physical Therapy and in PTHA 2317
	Issues in Health Care.
PTHA 1301	1
PTHA 1405	1
PTHA 1413	
PTHA 2409	D
PTHA 2301	D
PTHA 1431	D
PTHA 1260	D
PTHA 1321	
PTHA 2431	D
PTHA 2435	D
PTHA 2305	
PTHA 2317	D,M
PTHA 2567	D, M

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