**Reserved Seats in Widener University’s Doctorate of Physical Therapy (DPT) Program**

Up to 6 eligible students annually may apply for reserved seats in Widener University’s Doctorate of Physical Therapy program using the [PTCAS](https://ptcasdirectory.apta.org/) centralized application system.

Eligibility Criteria:

* Enrolled in BS in Health Behavior Science—Health & Disability concentration
* Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 throughout undergraduate studies with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.3 by the end of the fall semester of senior year
* Grade of B or better in the following courses:
  + Biology (3 credits) (BISC207)
  + Human Anatomy & Physiology (6 credits, as separate or combined courses) (KAAP309/KAAP310)
  + Chemistry (8 credits) (CHEM103/CHEM133 and CHEM104/CHEM134)
  + Physics (6 credits) Lab is recommended, but not required (PHYS201/221 and PHYS202/PHYS222)
  + Humanities (9 credits, including 3 credits of English composition) (ENGL110, 6cr of Creative Art/Humanities breadth courses)
  + Social Science (9 credits, including 6 credits of psychology) (PSYC100, 6 credits of Social and Behavioral Science breadth courses)
  + Statistics (3 credits) (STAT200)
* Documentation of at least 40 hours of volunteer or work experience in physical therapy, preferably working with both inpatient and outpatient clients

Benefits of applying for one of the reserved seats:

* Expedited application review
* Guaranteed invitation to interview
* Priority consideration for acceptance

Note: Students in the Health Behavior Science major—Health & Disability concentration who do not meet all of the above eligibility criteria for application to reserved seats may still apply to the DPT program and benefit from the expedited application review, guaranteed invitation to interview, and priority consideration for acceptance