

Pre-Occupational Therapy Program at OUHSC

It should be emphasized that “Pre-Occupational Therapy” is NOT a major. It simply means that the student is meeting requirements for transferring. Academic requirements for transferring vary by institution. To be eligible for transferring, you are advised to complete the following courses.

Enrollment Abbreviation	Course Name	Hours	Completed
ENGL 1113	Freshman Composition I	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
ENGL 1213	Freshman Composition II	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
HIST 1483 or 1493	American History	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
POLS 1113	American Federal Government	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
PHYS 1115	General Physics I	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
CS 1003	Computers in Modern Society	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
MATH 1513	College Algebra	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
MATH 3513 or PSYC 3553	Statistical Methods or Psychological Statistics	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
PSYC 1113	Introduction to Psychology	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
PSYC 2023	Life Span Development	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
PSYC 4563	Psychology of Personality	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
SCI 3113	Science and Medical Terminology	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 1013 (Lecture) BIOL 1011 (Lab)	Introductory Biology I	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 1023 (Lecture) BIOL 1021 (Lab)	Introductory Biology II	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 2154	Human Anatomy	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 3314	Human Physiology	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

Additional Information

3 Science Elective Courses	Chemistry I and General Physics II are recommended	9-12	<input type="checkbox"/>
HIST 1113 or 1213	Early Western Civilization or Modern Western Civilization	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Western Culture Class	SOC 4153, SOC 3123, MUS 3861, MUS 3852, HIST 4653, HIST 3723, ENGL 4883, ART 3013, ANTH 4153, ANTH 3123, or ANTH 2223	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Artistic Form Class	THTR 2843, THTR 2763, CMUS 3002, MUS 2543, HUM 2843, HUM 2763, ENGL 3033, ART 4453, ART 3223, or ART 3213	3	<input type="checkbox"/>

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Master of Occupational Therapy professional program consists of 80 semester hours of sequenced and integrated didactic and clinical courses including 26 weeks of fieldwork to be completed in no more than 5 years. All didactic course work is offered on the OUHSC campuses in Oklahoma City and Tulsa. This program begins in the summer of every year.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to the program requires completion of pre-requisite course work and submission of all application materials. The Department Admissions Committee will review application materials and will request additional information such as a personal interview. To be considered for admission to the Occupational Therapy Program an applicant must:

1. Have earned a Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university or have completed requirements (minimum 90 hours) to be eligible to earn Bachelor of Science in Health Studies degree after completion of 30 hours in the program
2. Be in good standing with the college or university last or currently attending
3. Have a minimum cumulative and science grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale for all college work and life science courses attempted
4. Have completed all department pre-requisite courses with grades of C or better
5. **Document 40 hours of observation experience in a variety of occupational therapy settings prior to application**
6. Submit Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores
7. Students for whom English is a second language must submit a minimum score of 600 (paper), 250 (computer) or 100 (internet) within two years prior to application on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL).

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Submit a completed online application from: <http://www.ah.ouhsc.edu/main/application/default.asp>
2. <http://alliedhealth.ouhsc.edu/ProspectiveStudents/ApplyingtoaProgram.aspx>
3. Submit the following by February 1, of the year in which admission is sought:
 - A completed University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center application
 - Official transcripts from all colleges or universities attended
 - Documentation of observation experience (40 hours)
 - GRE Scores
 - Non-refundable application fees
4. A letter of acceptance, alternate status, or denial to the Occupational Therapy program will be mailed the latter part of April. If notification is not received by May 1, contact the department.
5. The applicant must accept the position in writing within two weeks of notification and confirm their intention to enroll and attend with a non-refundable deposit upon enrollment. The deposit is applied toward tuition and fees during the first term or the position will be considered declined. Alternates will be selected according to ranking. Alternates may be admitted up to the first class day for the summer semester if not all positions have been filled.

TYPICAL ADMISSIONS STATISTICS

94 applied | 32 admitted | 3.64 avg. cumulative GPA | 3.38 avg. sci. GPA | GRE avg. quantitative = 150:
avg. verbal = 153: avg. analytical writing = 3.8

Two CAMPUSES: Oklahoma City and Tulsa

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