Physical Therapy
UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

University of Colorado
Anschutz Medical Campus

School of Medicine
Dept. of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation
Residential Pathway

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Colorado Springs

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College of Nursing and Health Sciences
Hybrid Pathway

University of Northern Colorado
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Courses listed below are available at the University of Northern Colorado and satisfy the specific prerequisite course requirements for admission to the Doctor of Physical Therapy Program at the University of Colorado. There may be additional courses that meet prerequisites. For additional information, visit our prerequisites page or contact PT.Admissions@CUAnschutz.edu.

Prerequisite Requirements	Approved Courses	
Anatomy (or A&P I) lecture/lab *4 semester hours*	BIO 245 **_OR_** BIO 341	Introduction to Human A&P with lab[1] Human Anatomy with lab
Physiology (or A&P II) lecture/lab *4 semester hours*	BIO 246 **_OR_** BIO 345	Advanced Human A&P with lab[1] Human Physiology with lab
Upper Division Science *3 semester hours*	SES 322 SES 324 SES 331 SES 431	Exercise Physiology I Exercise Physiology II Biomechanics Advanced Methods in Biomechanics
General Chemistry I lecture/lab *4 semester hours*	CHEM 111/111L	Principles of Chemistry I & lab
General Chemistry II lecture/lab *4 semester hours*	CHEM 112/112L	Principles of Chemistry II & lab
General Physics I lecture/lab *4 semester hours*	PHYS 220 **_OR_** PHYS 240	Introductory Physics I with lab[2] General Physics I with lab[3]
General Physics II lecture/lab *4 semester hours*	PHYS 221 **_OR_** PHYS 241	Introductory Physics II with lab[2] General Physics II with lab[3]
Psychology *6 semester hours (2 classes)*	PSY 120 PSY 230 PSY 255 PSY 430	Principles of Psychology Lifespan Development Introduction to Mental Health Dev. Disabilities & Psychopathology
Statistics *3 semester hours*	STAT 150 **_OR_** STAT 250	Introduction to Statistics Analysis Statistics for Life Science
English Composition *3 semester hours*	ENGL 122	College Composition

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[1] Lower Division course; upper division course strongly recommended

[2] Algebra-based

[3] Calculus-based