



### SUGGESTED PRE-PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT COURSEWORK

Admission requirements vary widely between schools. Students should **carefully check admission requirements** at Physician Assistant (PA) schools of most interest and take the required coursework. Search for accredited PA programs at the [PAEA Program Directory](#).

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Chemistry</b> <b>(3 semesters with Lab)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CHEM 111/111 Lab</b> (General Chemistry I + lab) <b>Prereq:</b> min 580 SAT math, min 25 ACT math, or min 46 ALEKS math score; or one of CHEM 101, MATH 143, MATH 160, or MATH 170; pass the Chemistry Fundamentals Exam; or Permission</li> <li>• <b>CHEM 112/112 Lab</b> (General Chemistry II + lab) <b>Prereq:</b> CHEM 111/111 Lab</li> <li>• <b>BIOL 380/382 Lab</b> (Biochemistry I + lab, <i>Fall Only</i>) <b>Prereq:</b> CHEM 112/112 Lab</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Biology</b> <b>(3 semesters)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>BIOL 115 /115 Lab</b> (Cells and the Evolution of Life + lab) <b>Prereq:</b> Chem 111/111 Lab</li> <li>• <b>BIOL 227</b> (Anatomy and Physiology I, <i>Fall Only</i>) <b>Prereq:</b> BIOL 115/115 Lab</li> <li>• <b>BIOL 228</b> (Anatomy and Physiology II, <i>Spring Only</i>) <b>Prereq:</b> BIOL 227</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Microbiology</b> <b>(1 Semester)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>BIOL 250/255 Lab</b> (General Microbiology + lab, <i>Fall Only</i>) <b>Prereq:</b> CHEM 111/111 Lab <b>AND</b> BIOL 115/115 Lab</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Math/Statistics</b> <b>(1 semester)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>STAT 251</b> (Statistical Methods) <b>Prereq:</b> One of MATH 108, MATH 143, MATH 160, or MATH 170; or 510-540 math SAT; or 19-21 math ACT, or min 42 ALEKS math score</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Psychology</b> <b>(3 semesters)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>PSYC 101</b> (Introduction to Psychology)</li> <li>• <b>PSYC 305</b> (Developmental Psychology) <b>Prereq:</b> PSYC 101</li> <li>• <b>PSYC 311</b> (Abnormal Psychology) <b>Prereq:</b> PSYC 101</li> </ul>

**Additional courses that may be required:**

- Medical Terminology:** H&S 232
- Genetics:** BIOL 310
- Immunology:** BIOL 432