

**GUIDELINES FOR  
 PRE-REHABILITATION SCIENCES  
 Master of Physical Therapy (MPT)  
 UBC (Vancouver)**

The Master of Physical Therapy degree, offered at the University of British Columbia, provides the professional education necessary to obtain a licence to practice physical therapy. Admission to MPT is offered on a competitive basis with **100 seats available for domestic** applicants, and an additional **8 seats for international** applicants.

It is imperative that all prospective applicants refer to the UBC website for a complete list of academic and non-academic criteria:

<https://physicaltherapy.med.ubc.ca/prospective-students-2/mpt-admissions/>

Completion of a four-year recognized bachelor's degree (120 credits) in any field with a minimum overall average in the 76% range in all senior level (3000/4000) courses and completion of the stated prerequisites with a minimum grade of 72% in each course:

| Requirements (UBC)  | TRU Equivalencies   | TRU Prerequisites/Co-requisites   |
|---|---|---|
| First-Year English (3 credits)  | One of: ENGL 1100 or 1110 or 1120 or 1140 or 1210   | English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12 (73%) or ENGL 0600 (C+) or ENGL 0620 (C+)  |
| Human Anatomy (3 credits)   | BIOL 1592 & 1594 AND<br>BIOL 1692 & 1694<br><br>OR<br>BIOL 3701   | Anatomy & Physiology 12 or Biology 12 or BIOL 0600 (C+) AND Chemistry 11 or CHEM 0500<br><br>6 credits of Intro Anatomy or Biology and 60 credits   |
|   | <b>NOTE:</b> BIOL 1592 & 1594 and 1692 & 1694 must be taken together for the credit to apply. 3 credits will apply towards the Human Anatomy requirement and the remaining 3 credits will apply towards the Human Physiology requirement. All courses must be taken in order to be considered and needs to be accompanied by a further 3 credits of advanced physiology or exercise physiology. |   |
| Human Physiology (6 credits)  | BIOL 1592 & 1594 AND<br>BIOL 1692 & 1694<br><br>AND<br>PHED 2150  | Anatomy & Physiology 12 or Biology 12 or BIOL 0600 (C+) AND Chemistry 11 or CHEM 0500<br><br>BIOL 1592 & 1594 AND BIOL 1692 & 1694  |
|   | <b>OR</b>   |   |
|   | BIOL 3540<br><br>AND<br>BIOL 3550   | BIOL 2130 (C) (prerequisite BIOL 1110 & 1210; CHEM 1500 & 1510 or 1520); Co-requisite: BIOL 3130 (prerequisite CHEM 2120 & 2220)<br>BIOL 3540 (C)   |
| First Year Physics (3 credits) or<br>Physics 12 (or equivalent)<br>(lab component not required) | PHYS 1100 & PHYS 1200 (both needed)<br><br>OR<br>PHYS 1150<br><br>OR<br>PHYS 0600   | Physics 11 or PHYS 0500 AND Pre-Calculus 12 (C+); Co-requisite Math 1140 & 1240 or Math 1150 & 1250<br><br>Physics 12 (C+) or PHYS 0600 AND Pre-Calculus 12 (C+); Co-requisite MATH 1140 or Math 1150<br><br>Physics 11 or PHYS 0500 AND Pre-Calculus 11 or MATH 0510 |
| Psychology (3 credits)  | PSYC 1110 or 1210   | None  |
| Statistics (3 credits)  | STAT 2000 or<br>STAT 1200 or<br>equivalent  | MATH 1140 or MATH 1150 (Pre-Calculus 12 C+)<br>Foundations of Math 11 (C) or Pre-Calculus 11 (C)  |

## For more information on the MPT program, contact

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### NOTE

The intent of this information is to serve as a guideline for students planning to apply for admission to the MPT program offered at UBC-V. Admission requirements can change; it is the **student's** responsibility to check they have met the requirements of the institution and chosen program:

<https://physicaltherapy.med.ubc.ca/prospective-students-2/notes-for-applicants/>