

**Spalding University  
Catalog Years 2024-2025**

**Bachelor of Science in Health Science –  
Early Entry DPT Track\*  
121 Credit hours**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_  
ID Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Entry Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
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**UNIVERSITY STUDIES PROGRAM  
(49 hours)**

**Introduction to College (1 hour)**

SU 100 Successful Student Strategies 1

**Communication (9 hours)**

ENG 109 College Writing Workshop I 3  
ENG 110 College Writing Workshop II 3  
COM 201 Effective Speaking 3

**Humanities (9 hours)**

PHIL 154 Ethics 3  
Literature \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
Fine Arts/Theater Arts \_\_\_\_\_ 3

**Natural Sciences and Mathematics  
(15 hours)**

MATH 113 College Algebra 3  
MATH 120 Advanced Mathematics 3  
for Natural Science  
BIO 121 Intro to Biology 3  
BIO 251 Anatomy & Physiology I\* 3  
BIO 252 Anatomy & Physiology II\* 3

*\*indicates required prerequisites.*

**Religious Studies (6 hours)**

RS 366 Sickness, Suffering and Death 3  
RS \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
(Recommend: RS 210; RS 217; RS 219; RS 366)

**Social Sciences and Psychology (9 hours)**

HIST \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
PSY 103 Psychological Systems 3  
SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology 3

**Health Science Required Courses (18 hours)**

HS 300 Survey of Health Professions 3  
HS 301 Medical Terminology 3  
HS 320 Personal Health & Wellness 3  
HS 350 Becoming a Consumer of Evidence-  
Informed Research 3  
HS 410 Personal Leadership Development 3  
HS 330 Social Determinants of Health 3

**Required Support Courses/Prerequisites for  
DPT Professional Program (22 hours)**

*All of the below are required pre-requisites*

BIO 123 Intro to Biology Lab 1  
BIO 253 Anatomy & Physiology I Lab 1  
BIO 254 Anatomy & Physiology II Lab 1  
CHEM 211 Gen Chemistry I 3  
CHEM 221 Gen Chemistry I Lab 1  
CHEM 212 Gen Chemistry II 3  
CHEM 222 Gen Chemistry II Lab 1  
PHYS 311 Classical Physics I 3  
PHYS 321 Classical Physics I Lab 1  
PHYS 312 Classical Physics II 3  
PHYS 322 Classical Physics II Lab 1  
MATH 231 Statistical Techniques 3

**Professional Phase\***

**DPT Year 1 Professional Courses (32 hours)**

*All major courses must be completed at  
Spalding University.*

BIO 408 Special Topics in Biology 1  
HS/DPT 701 Human Gross Anatomy 5  
HS/DPT 711 Patient Care Skills I 3  
HS/DPT 741 Professional Engagement I 3  
HS/DPT 702 Applied Physiology 3  
HS/DPT 703 Found of Neuro. for PT 4  
HS/DPT 712 Patient Care Skills II 3  
HS/DPT 721 Cells, Systems & Dis. I 2  
HS/DPT 722 Cells, Systems & Dis. II 2  
HS/DPT 731 Diagnostic and Pharm I 1  
HS/DPT 761 Found. of Move. Science 5

\* Students must apply to and be accepted  
by the Physical Therapy graduate program  
prior to taking Physical Therapy courses.

Course Number	Course Name	Credit Hours
<b>Year 2</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
DPT 862	Fundamentals of Patient Management	2
DPT 851	Critical Inquiry I	2
DPT 871	Integumentary Physical Therapy	2
DPT 842	Professional Engagement II	3
DPT 881	Professional Practice I	2
<b>Spring</b>		
DPT 872	Musculoskeletal Physical Therapy I	4
DPT 874	Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Physical Therapy	3
DPT 832	Diagnostics and Pharmacology II	2
DPT 852	Critical Inquiry II	2
<b>Summer</b>		
DPT 833	Diagnostics and Pharmacology III	2
DPT 873	Musculoskeletal Physical Therapy II	4
DPT 875	Neuromuscular Physical Therapy I	4

<b>Year 3</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
DPT 863	Physical Therapy in Geriatrics	3
DPT 878	Physical Therapy for Special Populations	2
DPT 843	Professional Engagement III	3
DPT 882	Professional Practice II	4
<b>Spring</b>		
DPT 876	Neuromuscular Physical Therapy II	4
DPT 877	Orthotics and Prosthetics	2
DPT 864	Physical Therapy in Pediatrics	4
DPT 834	Diagnostics and Pharmacology IV	2
<b>Summer</b>		
DPT 991	Clinical Decision Making in PT Practice	2
DPT 983	Professional Practice III	4

<b>Year 4</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
DPT 979	Health Promotion and Wellness	2
DPT 944	Professional Engagement IV	3
DPT 953	Critical Inquiry III	3
<b>Spring</b>		
DPT 945	Professional Engagement V	3
DPT 984	Professional Practice IV	6