## OVERVIEW

Chapman University offers a pathway for students majoring in Health Sciences to enter the Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program. The BS Health Sciences to Doctor of Physical Therapy Bridge Program guarantees exceptional Health Science students a seat in Chapman University’s Doctor of Physical Therapy Program and makes them eligible for scholarship money awarded to outstanding physical therapy students. Early, guaranteed admission is a three-step process.

## STEP ONE:

Declare the Physical Therapy track through the Office of the Registrar by the end of the sophomore year.

## STEP TWO:

Complete the following courses and adhere to the criteria associated with the courses:

- BIO 204, BIO 205 (or BIO 208), HESC 210, HESC 365, HESC 366, CHEM 140, CHEM 150, PHYS 107, PHYS 108, and PSY 203 (or MATH 203)
- Must be taken at Chapman University or must be identified as equivalent in the Chapman University/Saddleback College TAG agreement
- May only be taken once
- Must be taken for a letter grade
- Must be completed by the end of spring semester junior year
- Taken together the courses must compute to a GPA > 3.6

## STEP THREE:

Student must schedule an interview with the Admissions Specialist to review and establish a plan to successfully complete the requirements guaranteed for early admission.

## STEP FOUR:

- Submit your application to PTCAS in August before the beginning of your senior year.
- GRE minimum scores: Verbal: 152, Quantitative 148, Writing 5.0
- Submit observation hours on PTCAS
- Degree conferral from Chapman University with a bachelor of science in Health Science GPA > 3.4

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