

Jefferson State Community College
DOCUMENTATION OF PHYSICAL THERAPY OBSERVATION

Applicant: _____ **A Number or SS:** _____
Applying for PTA Program Beginning: Summer 2026

Candidates for the Physical Therapist Assistant program at Jefferson State Community College are required to complete **forty (40)** hours of observation/volunteer experience under the supervision of a licensed Physical Therapist or Physical Therapist Assistant **within one year** prior to the application deadline. Qualifying hours must be achieved between Jan 1, 2025, and Jan 14, 2026, for the next deadline. **Eight (8)** of these hours must be completed in an inpatient, acute care, or skilled nursing setting. **Applicants must provide Documentation of Physical Therapy Observation (Pages A and B) for each clinical facility in which hours are completed. Documented hours will not be credited without both forms.** It is the applicant's responsibility to be sure the form is complete, accurate, and submitted with the JSCC Physical Therapist Assistant Application by the **Deadline: January 15, 2026**. Different forms will not be accepted; this form may be reproduced as necessary.

Please type or print legibly in Black ink.

Facility Name: _____

Facility Address: _____

Facility Phone Number: _____ Fax: _____ Contact Email: _____

Supervisor(s): Name of Physical Therapist or Physical Therapist Assistant supervisor of observation (PLEASE PRINT):

Name: _____ License Number: _____

Name: _____ License Number: _____

Name: _____ License Number: _____

Name: _____ License Number: _____

I VERIFY THAT THE HOURS DOCUMENTED ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE(S) ARE TRUE AND ACCURATE:

Student Signature

Date

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Date Month/Day/Year	IN Time HR: MIN AM/PM	OUT Time HR: MIN AM/PM	IN Time HR: MIN AM/PM	OUT Time HR: MIN AM/PM	Number of Hours	Type of Experience Observed*	Supervising Therapist (Signature)	Supervising Therapist License Number

Types of Observation Experience*

Inpatient Settings	Outpatient/Other Settings	
Acute care hospital	Outpatient clinic	Pediatrics/Early intervention/School-based program
Extended care facility	Private practice	Industrial Medicine/Occupational Health
Skilled Nursing Facility	Hospital-based outpatient	Aquatic Rehabilitation
Rehabilitation unit – inpatient	Rehabilitation unit – outpatient	Wellness/Prevention/Fitness
Home Health	Home Health	Other: _____
Other: _____	Sports Medicine/Athletics	