



PHYSICAL THERAPY SERVICES, P.A. **ORTHOPEDIC AND SPORTS REHABILITATION**

PHYSICAL THERAPY SERVICES/ CENTER FOR ATHLETIC MEDICINE

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Applicant must hold, or be eligible for, a Tennessee State Physical Therapy license. If eligible for licensure, the license must be in place before beginning the residency program
2. Applicant must possess one of the following: A current certification as an Athletic Trainer (ATC) designation with Tennessee licensure, current license or certification as an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT), or certification as an Emergency First Responder (preferred course work through the Sports Physical Therapy Section of the Physical Therapy Association) or successfully attain one of these designations within 1 month of beginning the Sports Physical Therapy Residency program.

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Applicant must submit a current Curriculum Vitae along with personal goals for the completion of the Sports Physical Therapy Residency program no later than 90 days before the beginning of the Residency.
2. Qualified applicants will be mailed a Residency application to be completed by the applicant no later than 60 days prior to the beginning of the Residency program
3. Residency applications will be reviewed by at least three of the residency faculty who shall serve as the admissions committee. Qualified applicants may be scheduled for an interview. All other applicants will be notified that his/her application has been rejected at this time
4. Qualified applicants may be interviewed by the Residency Director with results being reported to the Selection Committee.
5. The Admissions Committee will prioritize the qualified applicants and an offer will be extended to the preferred candidate for entrance into the PTS/CAM Sports Physical Therapy Residency Program no later than 30 days prior to the entrance into the program. Exceptions to this timeline may be handled on an individual basis as the need arises.
6. Upon acceptance into the Sports Physical Therapy Residency program, the resident will be mailed a Residency packet including information regarding goals, master calendar, employee contract, faculty listing, textbook listing, residency unit listings, and Chamber of Commerce moving guide for Northeast Tennessee.