

Pre-Physician Assistant Planning Guide

Type of Course	Course Numbers	Satisfies Program Requirement?	Semesters Offered	Prerequisites
General Chemistry with lab	Chem 11a	Yes	Fall, Summer	Math 5a or placement into Math 10a
	Chem 11b	Yes	Spring, Summer	Chem 11a
	Chem 18a (L)	Yes	Fall, Summer	Chem 11a
	Chem 18b (L)	Yes	Spring, Summer	Chem 11b
	Chem 15a (H)	Yes	Fall	Chem 11a
	Chem 15b (H)	Yes	Spring	Chem 15a
	Chem 19a	Yes	Fall	Chem 15a
	Chem 19b	Yes	Spring	Chem 15a, Chem 19a
Biology with Lab	Bio 14a	Yes	Fall, Spring	None
	Bio 15b	Yes	Fall, Spring, Summer	None
	Bio 18b (L)	Yes	Fall	Bio 15b
	Bio 18a (L)	Yes	Spring	Bio 18b, Bio 14a
Microbiology with lab	Bio 132a	Yes	Fall	Bio 14a, Bio 15b
	Bio 159a (L)	Yes	Spring	Bio 18a, Bio 18b
Human Anatomy with Lab	Bio 43b	Yes	Spring	Bio 15b, Bio 16a
Human Physiology with lab	Bio 41a and Bio 42b	Yes	Fall, Summer	Bio 14a, Bio 15b
Statistics (only one required)	Math 8a	Yes	Fall, Spring, Summer	None
	Bio 51a	Yes	Fall, Spring, Summer	Bio 14a, Bio 15b
	Psyc 51a	Yes	Fall, Spring, Summer	Psyc 10a
Intro Psychology	Psyc 10a	Yes	Fall, Spring, Summer	None
Organic Chemistry I with lab	Chem 25a	Only some programs require	Fall, Summer	Gen Chem
	Chem 29a (L)	Only some programs require	Fall, Summer	Gen Chem
Biochemistry (only one required)	Bchm 88b	Only some programs require	Fall, Summer	1 year bio and 1 year organic chemistry
	Mchm 100a	Only some programs require	Fall, Spring	1 year organic chemistry and labs

2 Semester of English/Writing	Any English class/UWS	Only some programs require	Fall, Spring, Summer	Varies
Medical Terminology	Not Offered	Only some programs require		
Human Genetics	Bio 128a	Only some programs require	Fall	1 year bio

Prerequisite courses vary from school to school. It's very important that you check the websites of schools you know you want to apply to in order to make sure you're taking the courses they require. The courses in this table are a summary of the most common requirements.