

PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT PROGRAM

Rhodes State College wishes to inform you of the following special considerations that you should be aware of prior to your application to the Physical Therapist Assistant Program.

STATE OF OHIO LICENSING PROCEDURE FOR PHYSICAL THERAPISTS ASSISTANTS

The Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Athletic Trainers Board in section 4755.47 of the Ohio Revised Code, states that the Physical Therapy section of the Ohio OT, PT, and AT Board may refuse to grant a license to an applicant for licensure as a Physical Therapist Assistant on any of the following grounds:

1. Habitual indulgence in the use of controlled substances, other habit-forming drugs, or alcohol to an extent that affects the individual's professional competency;
2. Conviction of a felony or a crime involving moral turpitude, regardless of the state or country in which the conviction occurred;
3. Obtaining or attempting to obtain a license by fraud or deception;
4. An adjudication by a court, as provided in section 5122.301 of the Revised Code, that the applicant or licensee is incompetent for the purpose of holding the license and has not thereafter been restored to legal capacity for that purpose;
5. Subject to section 4755.471 of the Revised Code, violation of the Code of Ethics of the American Physical therapy Association;
6. Violation of section 4755.40 to 4755.56 of the Revised Code, or any order issued or rule adopted under those sections;
7. Failure of the licensing examination;
8. Aiding or abetting the unlicensed practice of physical therapy;
9. Having been disciplined by the physical therapy licensing authority of another state or country for an act that would constitute grounds for discipline under this section.

Therefore, any person to whom any of the above conditions apply, may be denied the opportunity to take the examination for licensure.

PRINT NAME _____

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____ ID# _____