

Department of Physical Therapy

Since 1992 North Georgia College and State University has offered a graduate degree in Physical Therapy. Beginning in the Summer of 2006 the program became a partner in the Consortium DPT Program along with Medical College of Georgia and Armstrong Atlantic State University. All three program now offer the Doctorate of Physical Therapy at their individual campus with the degree being conferred through the Medical College of Georgia. The DPT curriculum, while distinct at each institution, is nine consecutive semesters in length. The NGCSU program accepts a new cohort of 24 new students who enter the program each summer and graduate in May three years later. The NGCSU program consists of 130 graduate semester credits of didactic and clinical work that includes 36 weeks of full-time clinical experience spent in clinical facilities away from the Dahlonega Campus.

Information regarding program requirements and application procedures are available in the NGCSU Graduate Bulletin as well as on-line at the NGCSU Graduate Admissions web site (<http://www.ngcsu.edu/enrollment/Graduate/programs/pt.shtml>).