



2017 Application Process for Performing Arts Specialty Clinical Rotation

Athletico Physical Therapy is proud to offer a Specialty Clinical Rotation in the field of the Performing Arts. A limited number of placements are available for DPT students completing their final clinical rotation. This rotation offering is primarily Outpatient Orthopedics with exposure to patients in a performing arts environment. Selected students will be placed with a Clinical Instructor who specializes in treating performing artists, specifically dancers and gymnasts. Students will treat the general orthopedic population, but will have exposure to adolescent dancers, pre-professional dancers, professional dancers, and/or gymnasts. The student and clinical instructor may treat patients in the clinic, onsite at a dance studio or provide backstage coverage for performances. The student may be giving lectures or providing screenings for a performing arts population. This is a specialty rotation, and an application is required. The application process for 2017 is currently underway.

Requirements:

- Resume and cover letter
- Letter of recommendation from a faculty member
- Final Clinical Rotation for 2017
- Strong Orthopedic background
- Knowledge in performing arts terminology

Interested applicants should email a resume and cover letter to jennifer.warning@athletico.com by May 16, 2016. Applications will be reviewed by Athletico's Student Clinical Education Team, as well as the Performing Arts Program Manager. Top applicants will undergo a phone interview in August, and final decisions will be announced by August 22, 2016. This is a competitive application process. Athletico Physical Therapy has only 4-6 Performing Arts rotations available.

Terms:

- If an applicant does not receive a Performing Arts Specialty Clinical, the applicant is not guaranteed a general Outpatient Orthopedics rotation with Athletico Physical Therapy.
- Athletico Physical Therapy will accept applications from academic programs with which we do not currently hold a contract. If the applicant is chosen, Athletico will execute a one-time contract.
- Selected Students will be assigned to a Clinical Instructor in the Chicagoland area.

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