



Dear Student,

We are pleased you will be completing one of your clinical experiences at Athletico. This will be an educational and rewarding opportunity for both you and your clinical instructor. You will receive a Student Packet prior to your first day and will be a good resource for what to expect during your time with Athletico.

What to complete prior to your first day?

1. Prior to the start of your clinical experience, you will need to register with Athletico and create your student profile online. You will receive the link for registration in the welcome email from our resource center.
2. Review and sign the electronic onboarding documents, which will be emailed to you approximately 2-4 weeks before your start date.
3. Upload a copy of your CPR Certification Card.
4. Verify your DCE has emailed the acknowledgment of a clear background check to clinicaleducation@athletico.com. If you have not previously completed a background check with your academic institution, then please contact clinicaleducation@athletico.com.
5. Communicate with your CI regarding clinic hours and dress code. Provide any additional information you wish to share, such as your clinical interests and learning style.
6. Review Athletico's General Learning Objectives.

The orientation checklist will be completed your first week.

Before beginning your experience, please consider the following clinical programs within Athletico for potential shadowing experiences:

Vestibular/Concussion, Endurance, Women's/Men's Health, Functional Movement Screens, ACL Prevention, Hip Preservation, Overhead Athlete, Headache, Cheerleading/Gymnastics, Performing Arts, Manual Therapy, Graston/Astym, ART, Dry Needling, Blood Flow Restriction, Video Analysis, Lymphedema, TMJ, Golf, Work Conditioning, Functional Capacity Evaluations, LSVT BIG, and Orthosis fabrication.

More information regarding these programs can be found at <https://www.athletico.com/services/specialized-services/>. We encourage you to discuss your interests with your clinical instructor during the first week of your rotation, as there may be opportunities for you to participate in one or more of these programs.

You may find it beneficial to bring reference textbooks in order to review material during your clinical. Examples include orthopedic, kinesiology, goniometry, and manual muscle testing textbooks.

Upon completion of your clinical experience, please fill out the APTA Physical Therapist Student Evaluation Form and turn this into your clinical instructor. Please assist your CI in ensuring all your paperwork is complete and turned in by your final day.

We look forward to having you join us! Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions that you may have regarding your placement or upcoming clinical experience.

Sincerely,

Athletico's Clinical Education Team
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