

# ADMISSIONS

## Master of Physician Assistant Studies Hybrid Program in Arizona

Learn about the admissions process for our Physician Assistant Hybrid Program.

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### Admissions Prerequisites

In order to be considered for admission to the M.P.A.S. Hybrid Program, the applicant must provide documented evidence of having successfully completed the following:

#### Prerequisites:

- Anatomy & Physiology I (4 credits, with lab)
- Anatomy & Physiology II (4 credits, with lab)
- General chemistry I (4 credits, with lab)
- General chemistry II (4 credits, with lab)
- Organic chemistry OR Biochemistry (3 credits)
- Microbiology (4 credits, with lab)
- Statistics (3 credits)
- Biological science w/ lab (8 credits, with lab)

In addition, the following courses are recommended:

- Medical Terminology (1 credit)
- Psychology (3 credits)
- Genetics (3 credits)
- Immunology (3 credits)

Coursework must be recent (within the last 10 years). All prerequisite courses must be passed with a grade of "C" or better and be completed prior to matriculation. Applicants must possess a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 and a science GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. Applicants may apply with up to two outstanding prerequisites, which must be completed prior to matriculation.

### Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)

All applicants who were born outside of the United States and who did not graduate from a United States high school will be required to submit internet-based TOEFL (iBT) scores with their application. A minimum total score of 100 (with at least 25 in each section) is required. The Educational Testing Service (ETS) code for submitting your score to CASPA is C981.

### Application Process

Applications are accepted only through the Central Application Service for Physician Assistants (CASPA) at <https://caspa.liasoncas.com>

All applications must be verified by December 1 for the following year, and will be reviewed on a first-come, first-served basis. Applications will be reviewed and ranked for consideration of an invitation for an interview.

No entrance examinations are required for admission to the program. Additional considerations: Academic & personal achievements, healthcare or patient experience, shadowing, volunteerism, leadership.