

2018 - 2019  
Associate in Science:  
Pre-Physician's Assistant Pathway  
Arts and Sciences



MULTIPLE LOCATIONS | VARIED SEMESTER LENGTHS | NUMEROUS PROGRAMS | FINANCIAL AID



# Associate in Science: Pre-Physician's Assistant Pathway

**All Pathways are design to transfer to a four-year institution for eventual completion of a BA/BS or BFA degree.**

Physician assistants work on teams with physicians or surgeons and other healthcare workers. Their specific duties and the extent to which they must be supervised by physicians or surgeons differ from state to state.

Physician assistants work in all areas of medicine, including primary care and family medicine, emergency medicine, surgery, and psychiatry. The work of physician assistants depends in large part on their specialty or the type of medical practice where they work. In some areas, especially rural and medically underserved communities, physician assistants may be the primary care providers at clinics where a physician is present only 1 or 2 days per week. In these locations, physician assistants collaborate with the physician as needed and as required by law.

In addition to earning a bachelor's degree, additional years earning a master's degree is required.

### For More Information:

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### Total Cost Estimate

<b>Tuition per Semester (NC Resident) (Subject to change)</b>	\$1,216.00 (16+ credit hours) \$76.00/credit hour (1-15 hours)
<b>Activity Fee</b>	\$32/semester (9+ credit hours) \$22/semester (1-8 credit hours)
<b>Computer Use and Technology Fee</b>	\$48/semester
<b>Student Insurance</b>	\$2/semester
<b>CAPS Fee</b>	\$10/semester
<b>Consumable Supply Fees</b>	\$15 Some ART, BIO,CHM, HEA, PED, and PHY courses
<b>Books</b>	cost may vary

## University of North Carolina and East Carolina University

	Course Prefix	Course Name	Credit Hours
1st Semester	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1
	CHM 151	General Chemistry I	4
	COM 231	Public Speaking	3
	ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3
	MAT 171	Precalculus Algebra	4
2nd Semester	CHM 152	General Chemistry II	4
	ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disc	3
	MAT 172	Precalculus Trigonometry	4
	PSY 150	General Psychology	3
3rd Semester	BIO 168	Anatomy and Physiology I	4
4th Semester	BIO 111	General Biology I	4
	BIO 169	Anatomy & Physiology II	4
	MAT 152	Statistical Methods I	4
	MUS 110	Music Appreciation	3
5th Semester	BIO 112	General Biology II (or CHM 251)	4
	BIO 175	General Microbiology (or BIO 275)	3
	HIS 112	World Civilizations II	3
	HUM 220	Human Values and Meaning	3

AA and AS degrees require completion of a minimum of 60 semester hours of credit, but pathways may include extra hours to meet university baccalaureate degree plans. Completion of hours beyond 60 may not be required to meet AA or AS graduation requirements but is recommended based on programs offered by intended transfer institutions.