

- A. Able to stand, walk on all surfaces, stoop, bend, kneel, crouch, and sit for long periods of time.
- B. Able to maintain good balance to assist with gait and transfer training.
- C. Able to transfer or maneuver (by self or with assistance) patients weighing up to 300 pounds.
- D. Able to lift, push, pull, and carry objects weighting up to fifty pounds.
- E. Able to reach above and below the waist.
- F. Able to manually, auditorially, and visually operate and/or manipulate wheelchairs, mobile aids, ambulation devices, instrumentation, and equipment.
- G. Able to visually and cognitively recognize changes in a patient's condition.
- H. Able to effectively communicate with patients and relay information about a patient verbally and in writing.
- I. Able to wear appropriate protective equipment and to tolerate unsightly, noxious environments.
- J. Able to manage physical, emotional, and mental stress effectively.
- K. Able to tolerate others' value systems, morals, cultures and religions, which may be different from your own.
- L. Able to exhibit professional behavior and ethical conduct in a clinic and classroom.

#### **Re-Admission of Returning Students:**

Any student who fails a PTA course will not be able to continue onto the next semester of PTA courses. If this is the student's first failure, the student may re-apply to the PTA Program for the following year. If the student fails for a second time, it will result in permanent dismissal from the program without change of re-admission.

**For additional Health Sciences Division policies that apply to this program, please refer to Academic Regulations, Section R, Background Check**

**Depending on your enrollment status, you may be required to take DART 1000, "First Year Experience." Please refer to Section 7 Academic Support Services Paragraph J**