Financial Aid Eligibility – Part-Time Semester of the PTA Program

Students enrolled in the PTA program are considered part-time in the spring semester of the second year in the program. Students enrolled in PTHA courses only will take 6 semester credit hours so they will qualify for 50% of their financial aid awarded (even though they will be in the clinic full-time for a significant portion of the semester. Additionally, during the summer semesters between the first and second year, students will be part-time, taking 2 semester credit hours and will not meet the eligibility requirement to receive financial aid.

Financial aid only applies to the courses in the PTA Program curriculum, so taking an additional class that is not in the curriculum will not meet eligibility. Please seek advice from your financial aid counselor. It will be necessary to make other plans for financial support during these semesters.

By signing the Information and Disclosures form, you acknowledge that you have read this form and understand the limitations (part-time status during certain semesters) of eligibility for financial aid while enrolled in the PTA program.