POST-BACCALAUREATE CERTIFICATE IN ADVANCED NEUROLOGIC PHYSICAL THERAPY

Web Site: https://twu.edu/physical-therapy/graduate-programs/post-professional-certificate-programs/

Both novice and intermediate physical therapists working primarily with persons who have neurologic injuries and who are interested in lifelong learning can benefit from this certificate program, in which the student may choose any 12-credit-hours of coursework. This Certificate will allow physical therapists to earn a recognized academic certificate that can be applied as evidence of continued competence for licensure (CCU) renewal (see Texas Physical Therapy Association (http://www.tpta.org/)) and/or an advanced degree. These courses are open to post-professional students in occupational therapy with permission from their advisor.

The purposes of this Post-baccalaureate (Post-Professional) Certificate (https://www.twu.edu/physical-therapy/graduate-programs/post-professional-certificate-programs/) are to (a) advance and validate the educational and clinical foundation of physical therapists choosing to practice primarily with persons who have neurologic injuries, (b) provide a means through formal higher education to address self-identified weaknesses in specialized knowledge and/or skills, and (c) assist prospective students to move from novice or intermediate practice in neurologic physical therapy toward expert and/or specialist practice.