HONOURS BACHELOR OF HUMAN KINETICS AND MASTER OF HEALTH SCIENCES PHYSIOTHERAPY

Overview
The Bachelor’s and Master’s dual degree programs in Health Sciences have been designed for bilingual students from Francophone minority high schools across Canada (outside Quebec).

Honours Bachelor of Human Kinetics
This program is offered in French.

The Honours Bachelor of Human Kinetics (BHK) emphasizes the social sciences aspects of physical activity, sport, active leisure and health. It provides the knowledge and skills required to play a leading role in developing, promoting and implementing programs, policies and positive lifestyle behaviours for different populations in a variety of settings. Students will have the opportunity to do experiential education internships in a community venue, or do a research project supervised by faculty. Graduates of this program will gain theoretical and applied knowledge from disciplines such as sociology, psychology, pedagogy/coaching, leisure studies and administration, as well as foundational understandings of the biophysical aspects of human movement. This program prepares students to pursue a number of job opportunities in community recreation and sport; socio-cultural studies in leisure and sport; and leisure management; coaching in sport; teaching in schools and other settings; sport psychology; and sport, physical activity and health consultancy.

Master of Health Sciences Physiotherapy
This program is offered in French.

Physiotherapy is a self-governing profession that promotes fitness, health and wellness. The profession provides frontline client-centered healthcare services to help clients maintain and improve their functional independence; and prevent and manage pain, physical limitations, disabilities, and limits to participation in their activities (Canadian Physiotherapy Association, 2000). The goal of the physiotherapy program is to train bilingual physiotherapists who can serve francophone clients in Ontario and French-speaking communities across Canada and to foster excellence in research and teaching.

The program supports a client-centered approach and focuses on integrating evidence-based results from research on clinical decision-making. The conceptual framework of the program is based on the human movement sciences (kinesiology and pathokinesiology) and the clinical sciences and incorporates the International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health (ICF) framework as the standard for describing and measuring health and disability.

The MHSc in Physiotherapy program runs over six consecutive terms, i.e., two years of full-time study. Students must complete 60 course units and 1,025 placement hours. These mandatory placements can take place in Ottawa-area hospitals, schools and rehabilitation centres or at locations outside the National Capital Region.

The program follows the national physiotherapy curriculum guidelines established by the Canadian Council of Physiotherapy University Programs. Upon completing their education, graduates who wish to register with the College of Physiotherapists of Ontario must successfully complete the Canadian physiotherapy competency examination (Canadian Alliance of Physiotherapy Regulators).

Since the mission of the physiotherapy program is to train bilingual professionals able to serve Francophone populations, the program is only offered in French. However, assignments and exams can be written in either French or English. While French is the language of instruction, some clinical placements, however, take place in French, Bilingual and English settings. Students must therefore have a working knowledge of English.

Program Requirements
For the most accurate and up to date information on admission requirements, please visit the program prerequisites (https://www2.uottawa.ca/study/undergraduate-studies/program-prerequisites/) webpage.

Honours Bachelor of Human Kinetics

Compulsory courses at the 1000 level

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<td>Physiologie de l’activité physique (3 optional course units from:)</td>
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<td>Mesure et analyse des données quantitatives en sciences de l’activité physique</td>
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Optional courses

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3 optional course units from: 
SOC 1501 Éléments de sociologie 
SOC 1506 Explorer la diversité au Canada 

3 optional course units from: 
PHI 1501 Raisonnement et pensée critique 
PHI 1770 Problèmes philosophiques liés aux soins de santé 
PSY 1501 Introduction à la psychologie : fondements 
PSY 1502 Introduction à la psychologie : applications 
SOC 1501 Éléments de sociologie 
SOC 1506 Explorer la diversité au Canada 

30 optional course units in human kinetics (APA) at the 3000 or 4000 level

Total: 90 Units

Master of Health Sciences Physiotherapy

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2023-2024 calendars (https://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/) for the previous requirements.

Master's with Coursework

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Total: 60 Units

Note(s)

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Master's with Coursework and Research Project

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The Individual Research Project is an original production which serves to deepen knowledge of an issue related to physiotherapy through research methodology. The topic can be theoretical or applied to the field of study (case study). The Individual Research Project must be presented orally.

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Specific requirements for the master's program

Minimum Requirements

The passing grade in each individual course is C+. S (Satisfactory) is required for each clinical placement.

Two failures (course or clinical placement) results in withdrawal from the program. In the case of a single failure, the failed course or the clinical placement can be repeated the next time the course is offered, but registration for courses or clinical placements for which the failed course or clinical placement is a prerequisite will not be possible. In this case, it will not be possible to complete the program within the prescribed time. Failing the repeated course or clinical placement is considered a second failure.

Duration of the Program

The program normally runs over 6 consecutive full-time terms. All program requirements are expected to be complete, including the seminar course (PHT 6753) or the Individual Research Project (PHT 6920), within this two-year period.

Expected Professional Behaviour

As future rehabilitation professionals, you must comply with the requirements of integrity as well as professional ethics in all aspects of your program (courses, clinical placements, projects) during your interactions with colleagues, professors, clinical supervisors, clients, research participants, academic staff, etc. A list of essential skills and qualifications of physiotherapy can be found here (http://health.uottawa.ca/rehabilitation/sites/health.uottawa.ca.rehabilitation/files/pt_skills_attributes.pdf).

Requirements for Clinical Placements

You must adhere to the requirements established by the Faculty of Health Sciences Requirements for practical learning activities (https://www.uottawa.ca/faculty-health-sciences/clinicaleducation/) (courses, labs, internships and clinical placements) regarding immunizations, police records and any other training or information required to ensure health and safety in clinical placement settings. It is your responsibility to know these requirements and to abide by them.

Non-adherence to the requirements can have major consequences, including not being able to start a clinical placement and even withdrawal during a clinical placement.

Attendance at clinical placements is mandatory; the abandonment of a clinical placement already started without good reason is a failure.

In accordance with the affiliation agreement between the University of Ottawa and the clinical institution: "The organization may terminate an internship in a clinical setting and prohibit a student from continuing if, in its opinion, the student’s behavior represents a potential danger to its customers or patients or has a negative impact on their well-being or on the personnel of the organization." If you are dismissed from a clinical placement by the clinical organization, you will receive a failing grade for this clinical placement.

The clinical placements take place in the Ottawa region as well as in other parts of Ontario and Canada. You may be assigned to a local or out-of-area clinical placement. In some cases, the Consortium National de Formation en Santé (http://www.cnfs.ca/english/) (CNFS) may cover part of the travel costs for out-of-area clinical placements.