

Biology-Chemistry Major for Physician Assistant at St. Francis

Year 1

Fall	January	Spring
CHEM-111 General Chemistry I		CHEM-113 General Chemistry II
BIOL-106 Principles of Biology I		BIOL-108 Principles of Biology II
All necessary labs		All necessary labs

Paid patient care work over summer.

Year 2

Fall	January	Spring
CHEM-311 Organic Chemistry I		CHEM-312 Organic Chemistry II
PHYS-111 College Physics I or PHYS-210 General Physics I		PHYS-112 College Physics II or PHYS-220 General Physics II
PSYCH-110 Introduction to Psychology		BIOL-229 Introduction to Molecular Biology
All necessary labs		All necessary labs

Paid patient care work over summer.

Year 3

Fall	January	Spring
CHEM-405 Biochemistry I (Lab)		BIOL-422 Advanced Human Physiology
BIOL-313 Microbiology		(CHEM-406 Biochemistry II)
(PSYCH-224 Developmental Psychology)		CHEM-235 Analytical Chemistry
(PSYCH-225 Behavior Disorders)		
All necessary labs		All necessary labs

Paid patient care work over summer.

Year 4

Fall	January	Spring
BIOL-364 Comparative Vertebrate Anatomy		
Necessary Lab		

NOTES

1. Fundamentals of Human Anatomy with Lab may replace Comparative Vertebrate Anatomy with Lab.
2. Developmental Psychology or Behavior Disorders is required.
3. Biochemistry I Lab or Biochemistry II is required.

Semester Hours

55-58 Biology-Chemistry Major

46 Core

16-19 Electives

120 Required

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1. Students must:
 - a. Have a written reference from the Academic Advisor for pre-PA students supporting that they are on track for agreement admissions criteria including that they are in good standing with Manchester with no academic or professional issues
 - b. Accumulate at least 1000 hours of paid patient care work experience approved by the faculty advisor prior to graduation at Manchester
 - c. Have experience with the PA role, such as interviewing, shadowing or working with PAs
2. Students must formally apply to USF PA Program via the CASPA application process but a waiver of the GRE is granted for the Manchester students entering under this agreement.
3. Students may submit records to USF via the Manchester academic advisor and CASPA beginning June 1 for USF PA matriculation the following May.
4. Students must reserve their seat with the submission of the two part non-refundable deposit required of all incoming PA students with part 1 due by Jan 1 and part 2 by March 1 of matriculation year. The deposit money will be credited towards the first semester's tuition.
5. Students must complete at Manchester all prerequisite courses required of matriculating PA students prior to the beginning of classes in May.
6. The Graduate School at USF will make offers of provisional acceptance and its decision will be final. Matriculation is dependent upon completion of all admissions requirements including pre-requisite courses, maintenance of 3.5 overall and 3.0 science GPA with all courses C higher, and awarding of a baccalaureate degree or higher.
7. Students achieving early acceptance must complete their undergraduate program and receive a Bachelor's degree or higher from Manchester.
8. Two (2) students will be accepted through this agreement from Manchester per cohort.
9. For each admissions cycle, the window for early acceptance under this program begins on June 1 of the year prior to the PA program matriculation. Thereafter, additional qualified applicants from Manchester will be considered on a wait list.