

# PHYSICAL THERAPY

## CAREER EXPLORATION PROGRAM

**PROGRAM DATES: JULY 10 - 21, 2017**

The Physical Therapy Career Exploration Program is a rigorous, two-week summer program that exposes high school students to different specialties and aspects of physical therapy. This program is free and lunch will be provided. Students are expected to provide their own transportation and cover all parking expenses.



### STUDENTS:

- Take classes in Fundamentals of Anatomy, Neuroanatomy, Diabetes, & Osteoarthritis
- Tour the VCU Health campus and Department of Physical Therapy
- Receive hands-on experience (check vital signs, gait training, bandaging, etc...)
- Participate in scholarly presentations involving important PT topics
- Gain exposure to Medical & PT research

### PROGRAM CRITERIA:

- Rising 11th & 12th high school students from diverse backgrounds are strongly encouraged to apply
- Online application complete with personal statement, as well as official transcript and two letters of recommendation from a high school teacher or school counselor are required.
- GPA (min.): 2.75



### HOW TO APPLY:

- The online application is available at [www.dhsd.vcu.edu](http://www.dhsd.vcu.edu)

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