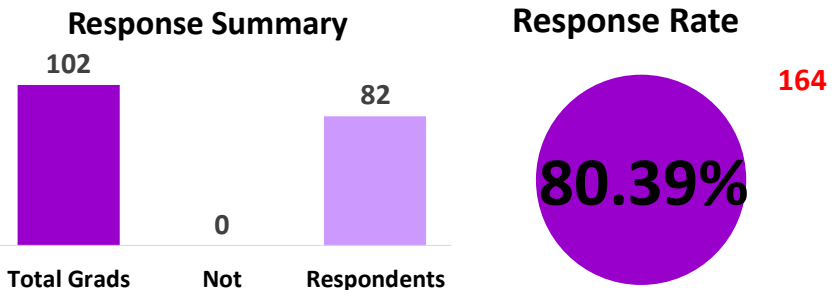
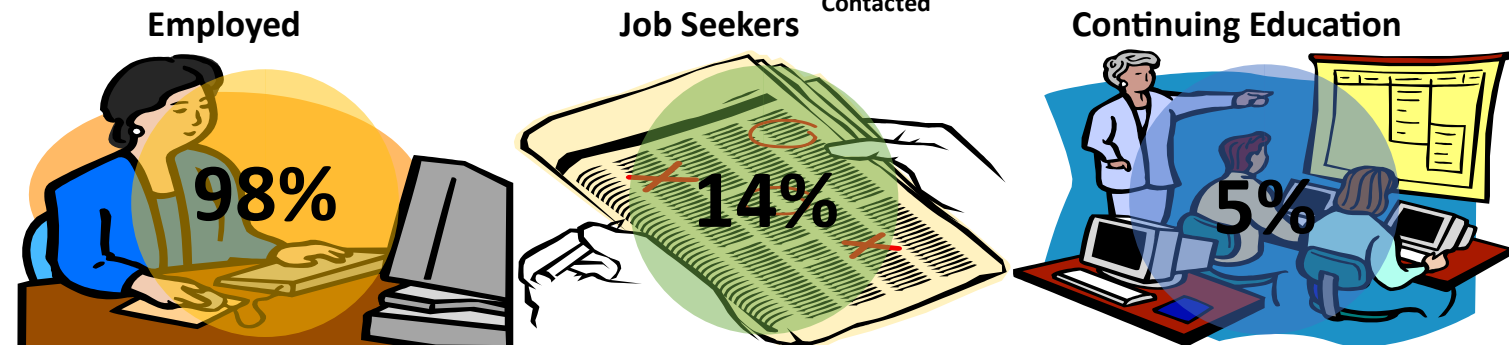
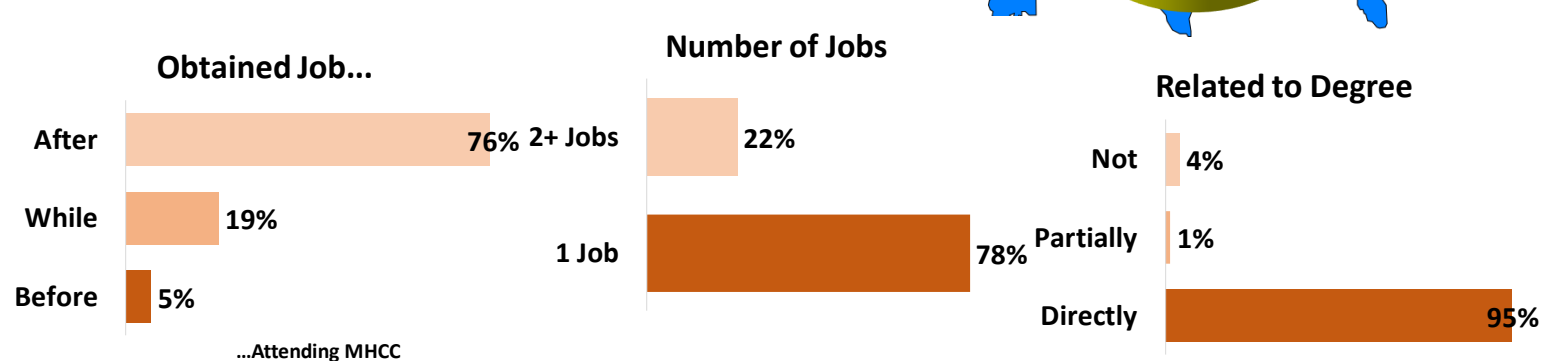
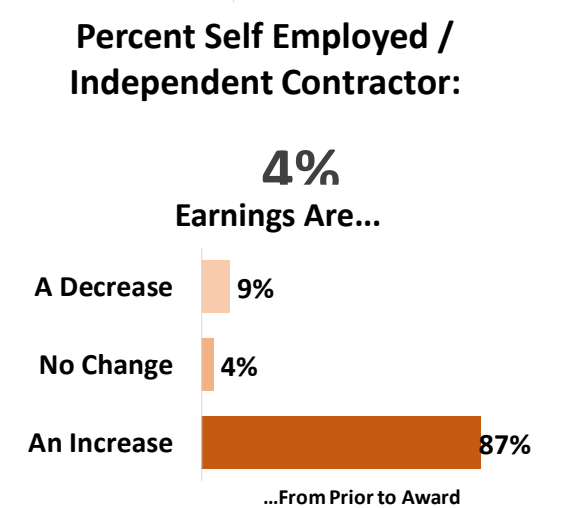
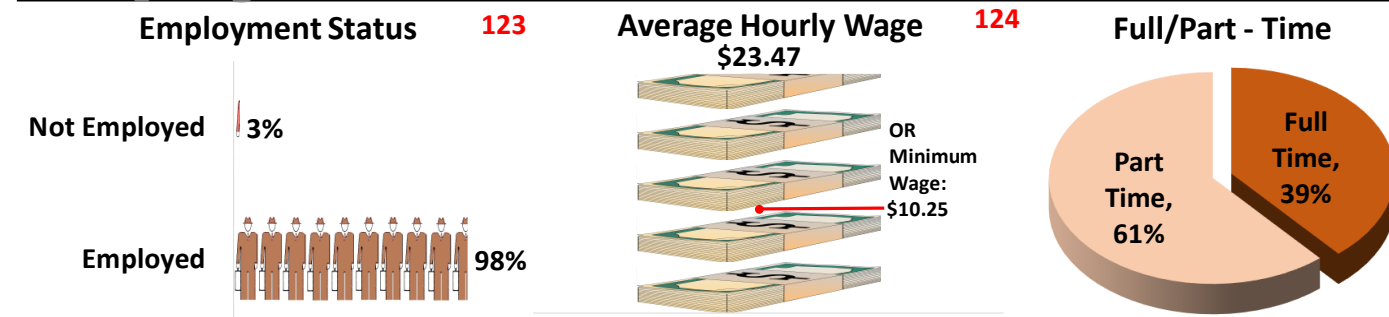


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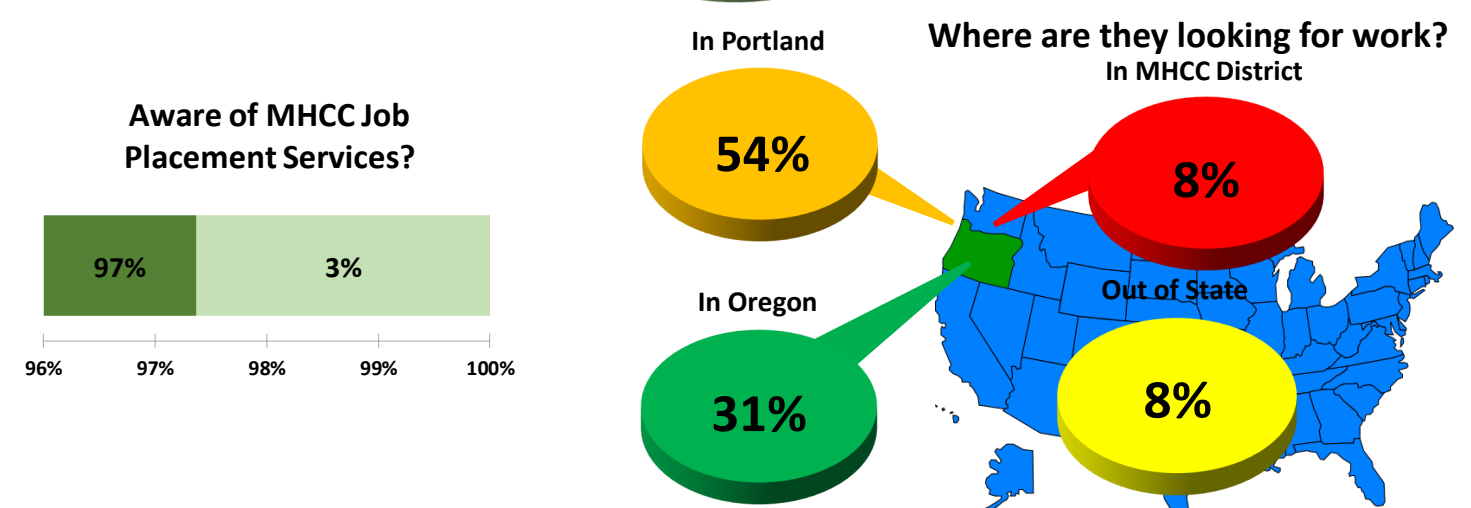
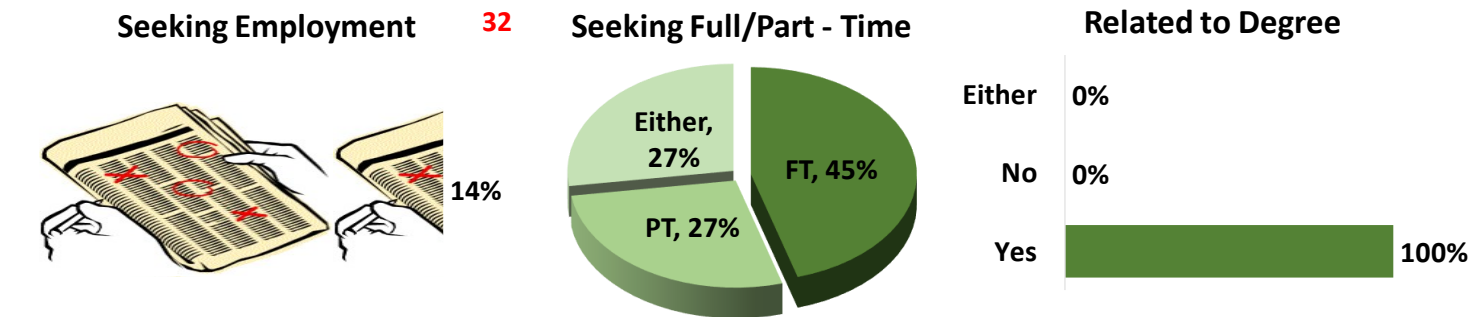
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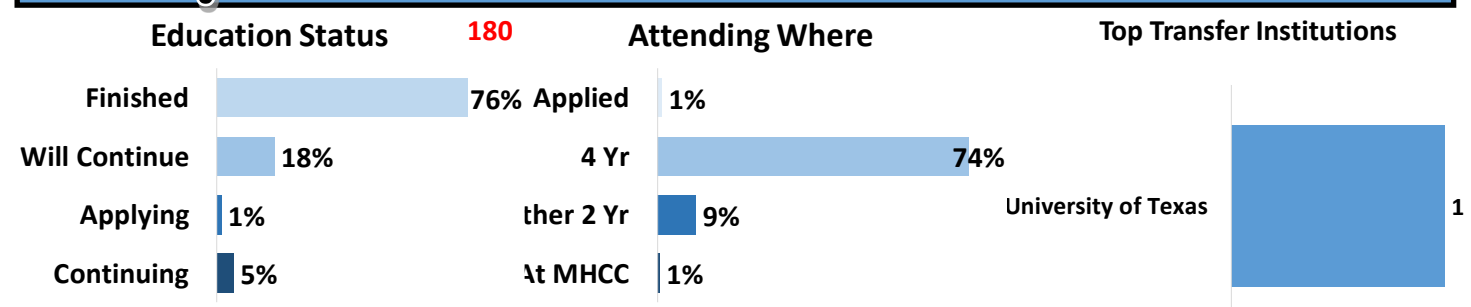
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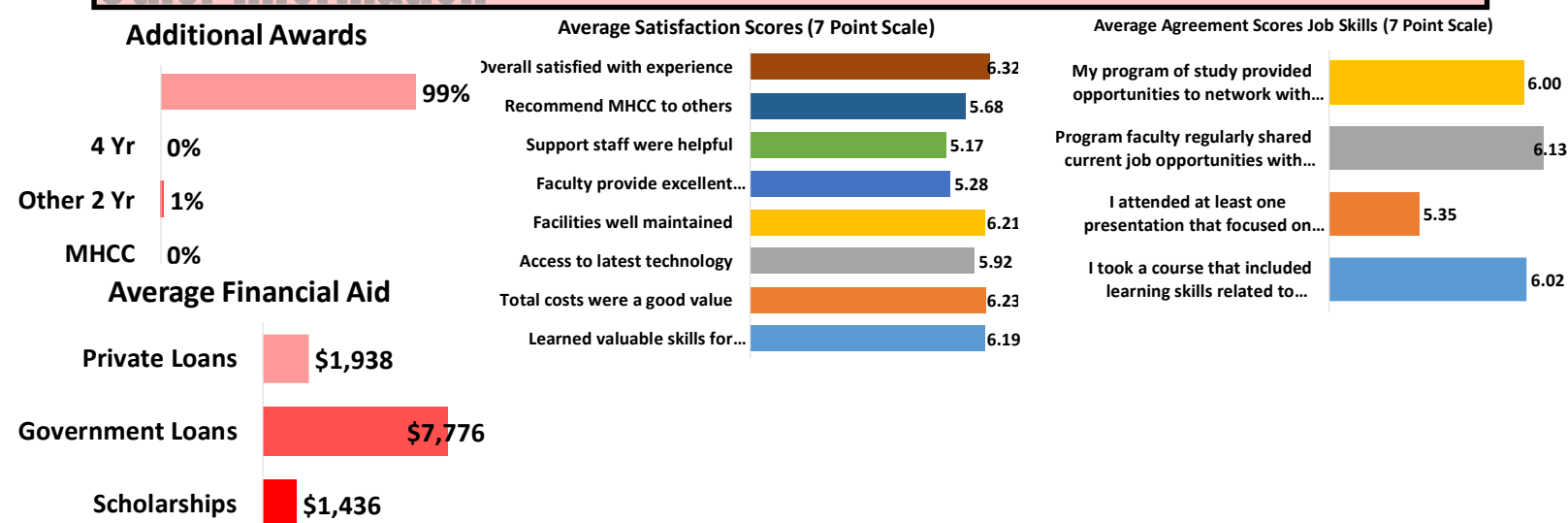
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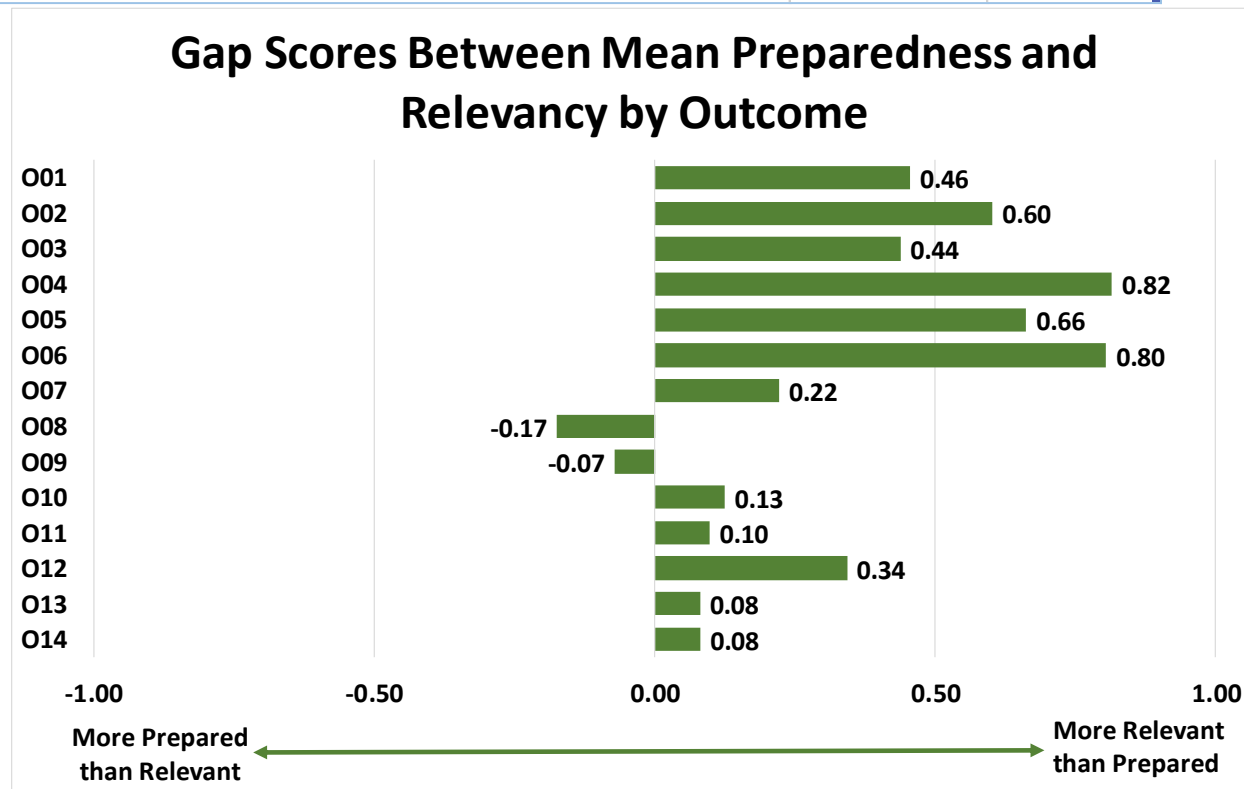
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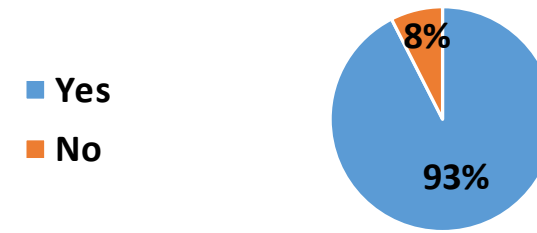
Program-specific Questions

Outcome	Preparedness	Relevancy
O01) Effective plan of care review.	6.16	6.62
O02) Effective interventions as established in the plan of care.	6.01	6.62
O03) Effective teaching strategies.	6.05	6.49
O04) Appropriate progression within the established plan of care.	5.80	6.62
O05) Data collection skills to measure patient status and/or progress.	5.91	6.57
O06) Documentation of patient care.	5.85	6.66
O07) Effective intervention in emergencies and/or maintaining a safe working environment.	6.08	6.30
O08) Using health care literature.	6.07	5.89
O09) Competent education of others in the health care team regarding the role fo the PTA.	6.13	6.06
O10) Effective resource management (e.g. human, fiscal, systems).	5.81	5.94
O11) Demonstrating standards of behavior apopropriate to the profession (e.g. cultural competency, integrity, compassion, accountability).	6.44	6.54
O12) Effective communications with patients, the pabulic, and members of the health care team.	6.23	6.57
O13) Demonstrating helth-promoting behaviors and recognizing opportunities to educate others about health, wellness, and prevention.	6.23	6.31
O14) Self-assessment and a willingness to engage in self-directed career development.	4.38	4.46

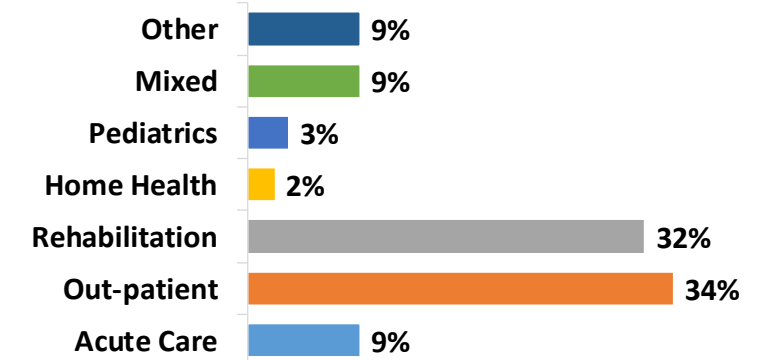


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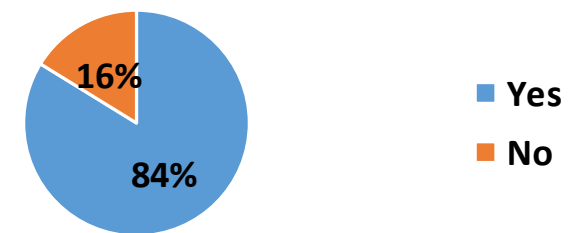
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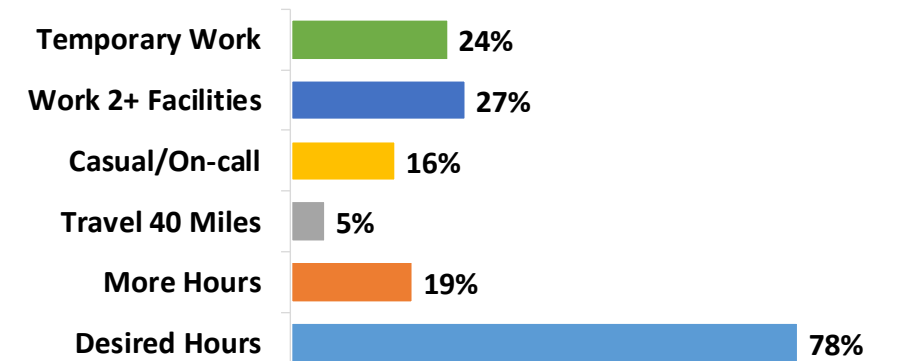
Practice Setting



Preferred Setting?



Work Status



Data Tables for: Physical Therapist Assistant

Physical Therapist Assistant - Employment

Employment Status					Hours Worked per Week And Full Time / Part Time Status							Calculated Hourly Wages					Independent Contractor / Self Employed									
		Employed		Not Employed				Avg Hours	Min	Max	Full Time		Part Time				Avg Wage	Min	Max	5% Trimmed Avg Wage			Yes		No	
2017-18	20	100%	0	0%	2017-18	34.42	10	45	5	28%	13	72%	2017-18	\$24.60	\$21.00	\$30.75	\$24.44	2017-18	1	5%	19	95%				
2016-17	11	100%	0	0%	2016-17	36.10	24	40	7	70%	3	30%	2016-17	\$25.46	\$9.75	\$45.00	\$25.25	2016-17	1	9%	10	91%				
2015-16	18	100%	0	0%	2015-16	35.00	24	42	3	17%	15	83%	2015-16	\$22.80	\$11.67	\$30.00	\$23.29	2015-16	0	0%	18	100%				
2014-15	14	93%	1	7%	2014-15	34.82	25	43	6	43%	8	57%	2014-15	\$22.71	\$16.83	\$27.00	\$22.80	2014-15	0	0%	14	100%				
2013-14	15	94%	1	6%	2013-14	33.37	20	40	8	53%	7	47%	2013-14	\$22.43	\$19.23	\$29.26	\$22.21	2013-14	1	7%	14	93%				
Total	78	98%	2	3%	Total	34.65	10	45	29	39%	46	61%	Total	\$23.48	\$9.75	\$45.00	\$23.50	Total	3	4%	75	96%				

Salary Change from Prior to Award							
		Increase		No Change		Decrease	
2017-18	19	95%	1	5%	0	0%	
2016-17	8	73%	0	0%	3	27%	
2015-16	15	83%	1	6%	2	11%	
2014-15	14	100%	0	0%	0	0%	
2013-14	12	80%	1	7%	2	13%	
Total	68	87%	3	4%	7	9%	

Job Location										
		MHCC District		Portland		In State		Out of State		
2017-18	2	10%	12	60%	3	15%	3	15%		
2016-17	1	9%	6	55%	4	36%	0	0%		
2015-16	2	11%	9	50%	5	28%	2	11%		
2014-15	2	14%	6	43%	5	36%	1	7%		
2013-14	1	7%	8	53%	3	20%	3	20%		
Total	8	10%	41	53%	20	26%	9	12%		

Time Position Obtained (Relative to Award)							
		Before		During		After	
2017-18	0	0%	3	15%	17	85%	
2016-17	0	0%	2	18%	9	82%	
2015-16	1	6%	2	11%	15	83%	
2014-15	0	0%	5	36%	9	64%	
2013-14	3	20%	3	20%	9	60%	
Total	4	5%	15	19%	59	76%	

Number Of Jobs									
		1 Job		2 Jobs		3 Jobs		4+ Jobs	
2017-18	13	65%	7	35%	0	0%	0	0%	
2016-17	8	73%	3	27%	0	0%	0	0%	
2015-16	16	89%	1	6%	1	6%	0	0%	
2014-15	12	86%	2	14%	0	0%	0	0%	
2013-14	12	80%	2	13%	1	7%	0	0%	
Total	61	78%	15	19%	2	3%	0	0%	

Related to Degree										
		Directly		Partially		Not				
2017-18	19	95%	0	0%	1	5%				
2016-17	11	100%	0	0%	0	0%				
2015-16	17	94%	0	0%	1	6%				
2014-15	14	100%	0	0%	0	0%				
2013-14	13	87%	1	7%	1	7%				
Total	74	95%	1	1%	3	4%				

Physical Therapist Assistant - Job Seekers

Seeking Employment					Seeking Full Time / Part Time						Seeking Work Related to Degree							
		Yes		No		Full Time		Part Time		Either		Related		Not Related		Either		
2017-18	3	15%	17	85%	2017-18	1	33%	1	33%	1	33%	2017-18	3	100%	0	0%	0	0%
2016-17	1	9%	10	91%	2016-17	0	0%	0	0%	1	100%	2016-17	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%
2015-16	3	17%	15	83%	2015-16	2	67%	0	0%	1	33%	2015-16	3	100%	0	0%	0	0%
2014-15	2	13%	13	87%	2014-15	1	50%	1	50%	0	0%	2014-15	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%
2013-14	2	13%	14	88%	2013-14	1	50%	1	50%	0	0%	2013-14	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%
Total	11	14%	69	86%	Total	5	45%	3	27%	3	27%	Total	11	100%	0	0%	0	0%

Job Seeking Location					Job Placement Services												
		MHCC District		Portland		In State		Out of State		Not Aware More Info		Not Aware Not Needed		Aware Used		Aware Not Used	
2017-18	1	20%	3	60%	1	20%	0	0%	2017-18	1	33%	1	33%	0	0%	1	33%
2016-17	0	0%	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	2016-17	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
2015-16	0	0%	1	33%	2	67%	0	0%	2015-16	1	33%	2	67%	0	0%	0	0%
2014-15	0	0%	1	50%	0	0%	1	50%	2014-15	15	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
2013-14	0	0%	1	50%	1	50%	0	0%	2013-14	16	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total	1	8%	7	54%	4	31%	1	8%	Total	34	89%	3	8%	0	0%	1	3%

Physical Therapist Assistant - Education

Continuing Education Status									Continuing Education Where										
		Continuing		Applying		Future Plans		Finished		MHCC		Other 2-Year		4- Year		Applied		Not Applied	
2017-18	2	10%	0	0%	3	15%	15	75%	2017-18	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	3	100%
2016-17	0	0%	0	0%	3	27%	8	73%	2016-17	0	0%	0	0%	1	33%	0	0%	2	67%
2015-16	1	6%	0	0%	3	17%	14	78%	2015-16	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	4	100%
2014-15	1	7%	0	0%	4	27%	10	67%	2014-15	0	0%	0	0%	1	20%	0	0%	4	80%
2013-14	0	0%	1	6%	1	6%	14	88%	2013-14	0	0%	0	0%	1	50%	0	0%	1	50%
Total	4	5%	1	1%	14	18%	61	76%	Total	0	0%	0	0%	3	18%	0	0%	14	82%

Transfer Institutions

University	Attending	Applied
University of Texas	1	0

Physical Therapist Assistant - Response Rates by Degree

Associate of Applied Science - Physical Therapist Assistant

Grad Year	Total Graduates	Total Contacted	Total Respondents	Response Rate
2017-18	24	24	21	87.50%
2016-17	15	15	10	66.67%
2015-16	20	20	18	90.00%
2014-15	20	20	15	75.00%
2013-14	21	21	16	76.19%
Total	100	100	80	80.00%

Totals for Physical Therapist Assistant

Total	100	100	80	80.00%
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Note: Totals may not match Program Total Data Tables. Students with multiple awards are counted in each award earned.

Employment																											
Grad Year	Employed		Number of Jobs				Related to Degree			Job Location				Time Position Obtained			Independent Contractor		Hours per Week			Calculated Salary			Salary Change		
	Yes	No	1	2	3	4+	Directly	Partially	Not	MHCC District	Portland	In-State	Out-of-State	Before Starting	While Attending	After Award	Yes	No	Avg. Hours	# Full-Time	# Part-Time	Avg. Salary	Min. Salary	Max. Salary	Increase	No Change	Decrease
2017-18	20	0	13	7	0	0	19	0	1	2	12	3	3	0	3	17	1	19	34.42	5	13	\$24.60	\$21.00	\$30.75	19	1	0
	100.00%	0.00%	65.00%	35.00%	0.00%	0.00%	95.00%	0.00%	5.00%	10.00%	60.00%	15.00%	15.00%	0.00%	15.00%	85.00%	5.00%	95.00%							95.00%	5.00%	0.00%
2016-17	9	0	7	2	0	0	9	0	0	1	4	4	0	0	1	8	1	8	35.67	6	3	\$25.40	\$9.75	\$45.00	7	0	2
	100.00%	0.00%	77.78%	22.22%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	11.11%	44.44%	44.44%	0.00%	0.00%	11.11%	88.89%	11.11%	88.89%							77.78%	0.00%	22.22%
2015-16	18	0	16	1	1	0	17	0	1	2	9	5	2	1	2	15	0	18	35.00	3	15	\$22.80	\$11.67	\$30.00	15	1	2
	100.00%	0.00%	88.89%	5.56%	5.56%	0.00%	94.44%	0.00%	5.56%	11.11%	50.00%	27.78%	11.11%	5.56%	11.11%	83.33%	0.00%	100.00%							83.33%	5.56%	11.11%
2014-15	14	1	12	2	0	0	14	0	0	2	6	5	1	0	5	9	0	14	34.82	6	8	\$22.71	\$16.83	\$27.00	14	0	0
	93.33%	6.67%	85.71%	14.29%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	42.86%	35.71%	7.14%	0.00%	35.71%	64.29%	0.00%	100.00%							100.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2013-14	15	1	12	2	1	0	13	1	1	1	8	3	3	3	3	9	1	14	33.37	8	7	\$22.43	\$19.23	\$29.26	12	1	2
	93.75%	6.25%	80.00%	13.33%	6.67%	0.00%	86.67%	6.67%	6.67%	6.67%	53.33%	20.00%	20.00%	20.00%	20.00%	60.00%	6.67%	93.33%							80.00%	6.67%	13.33%
Totals	76	2	60	14	2	0	72	1	3	8	39	20	9	4	14	58	3	73	34.57	28	46	\$23.45	\$9.75	\$45.00	67	3	6
	97.44%	2.56%	78.95%	18.42%	2.63%	0.00%	94.74%	1.32%	3.95%	10.53%	51.32%	26.32%	11.84%	5.26%	18.42%	76.32%	3.95%	96.05%							88.16%	3.95%	7.89%

Job Seeking																										
Grad Year	Seeking Employment		Seeking FT/PT			Related to Degree			Job Seeking Location				Job Placement Services													
	Yes	No	Full-Time	Part-Time	Either	Related	Not Related	Either	MHCC District	Portland	In-State	Out-of-State	Not Aware More Info	Not Aware Not Needed	Aware Used	Aware Not Used										
2017-18	3	17	1	1	1	3	0	0	1	3	1	0	1	1	0	1										
	15.00%	85.00%	33.33%	33.33%	33.33%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	60.00%	20.00%	0.00%	33.33%	33.33%	0.00%	33.33%										
2016-17	1	8	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0										
	11.11%	88.89%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%										
2015-16	3	15	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	0										
	16.67%	83.33%	66.67%	0.00%	33.33%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	0.00%	0.00%										
2014-15	2	13	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	15	0	0	0										
	13.33%	86.67%	50.00%	50.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%										
2013-14	2	14	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	16	0	0	0										
	12.50%	87.50%	50.00%	50.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	50.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%										
Totals	11	67	5	3	3	11	0	0	1	7	4	1	34	3	0	1										
	14.10%	85.90%	45.45%	27.27%	27.27%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	7.69%	53.85%	30.77%	7.69%	89.47%	7.89%	0.00%	2.63%										

Education																										
Grad Year	Continuing Education Status				Continuing Education Where																					
	Continuing	Applying	Future Plans	Finsihed	At MHCC	Other College	2Yr University	4Yr University	Currently Applying	Have Not Applied																
2017-18	2	0	3	15	0	0	0	0	0	3																
	10.00%	0.00%	15.00%	75.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%																
2016-17	0	0	3	6	0	0	1	0	0	2																
	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	0.00%	0.00%	66.67%																
2015-16	1	0	3	14	0	0	0	0	0	4																
	5.56%	0.00%	16.67%	77.78%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%																
2014-15	1	0	4	10	0	0	1	0	0	4																
	6.67%	0.00%	26.67%	66.67%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	0.00%	0.00%	80.00%																
2013-14	0	1	1	14	0	0	1	0	0	1																
	0.00%	6.25%	6.25%	87.50%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%																
Totals	4	1	14	59	0	0	3	0	0	14																
	5.13%	1.28%	17.95%	75.64%	0.00%	0.00%	17.65%	0.00%	0.00%	82.35%																

Physical Therapist Assistant

List of Employers

Advanced Home Health Northwest

Avamere rehab

Benchmark Rehab Partners

Clackamas ESD

Columbia Gorge PT

Consonus

Consonus Health

Consonus Healthcare

Consonus Rehab

Empres Healthcare

First Call Home Health

Fort Vancouver Post Acute through Genesis Rehab.

Gateway Sports Medicine & Rehab

Genesis Rehab

Glisan Care Center, Portland, Oregon

Go Health Urgent Care

Good Sheppard Physical Therapy (Rehab Associates)

Gresham SportsCare Physical Therapy

HDH Physical & Sports Therapy

I am currently doing a real estate investment contract job in conjunction with my family

Infinity

Infinity Rehab

Infinity Rehab / Porthaven Health Care Center

Laurelhurst Physical Therapy

Legacy Good Samaritan Hospital

Legacy Health (Good Samaritan hospital)

Legacy health system

Legacy Health, Rehabilitation Institute of Oregon

Marquis Wilsonville Skilled Nursing Facility

Milwaukie Prestige post-Acute and rehab

Mount Ogden Rehabilitation

New Heights Physical Therapy

New Heights Physical Therapy Plus

Oasis Physical and Sports Therapy

Olympia Orthopaedic Associates

PeaceHealth Southwest Medical Center

Pediatric Therapy Services

Providence

Providence Marianwood

Providence Portland

providence st vincent

Providence St. Vincent Hospital

Sandy physical therapy

SportsCare Physical Therapy

TAI

Team Rehab of Bridgeport

Therapeutic Associates

Therapeutic Associates Incorporated

Therapeutic Associates Scholls Physical Therapy

Tuality Healthcare outpatient clinics in Forest Grove/Hillsboro and aquatic therapy

West Portland physical therapy

Physical Therapist Assistant: Question 1

Please share any barriers or experiences related to your PTA employment search that you would like us to know?

- * Hard to find jobs in Washington, near impossible to find part time or prn work. Took me 3 months of searching
- * I encountered no barriers to employment.
- * I had none. I found a job in my field immediately.
- * I am extremely comfortable using modalities. I am not confident knowing the various injuries/diagnosis and what that means or what a course of care would like for that. We received an overview but it would be nice to talk more in depth about what helps an
- * None
- * Very few resources for finding job posting were given shooting school.
- * Limits in pediatric job opportunities.
- * None that I can think of.
- * Lack of mentorship with new employment.
- * Not many places want new grads
- * My employment search was more of a transition from my final clinical to my current job. I believe this was due to the fact that I was well prepared from MHCC to enter the work force, and due to the fact that MHCC is a respected PTA program that is desirable
- * I interviewed for, and was offered employment at the only facility I applied to. I was very fortunate to encounter no barriers. I was hired by a facility where I did a rotation, so I would suggest that students treat each of their clinical rotations as a
- * I have not yet looked for a job as a PTA. Due to some unexpected opportunities to pursue a couple of financial investments which will pay off dividends long into my future, I have decided to delay looking for PTA employment until this summer.
- * I was able to locate a job shortly after obtaining my PTA license. There are elements of my job that I enjoy but am hoping to work at an outpatient clinic and there were none available in the area when I began my job search.

Physical Therapist Assistant: Question 2

Is there anything else you'd like to tell us to help enhance the preparation of future MHCC PTA graduates or those exploring this as a career option?

- * Train more with appropriate exercise, understanding compensations, progressions of therex and balance. More tools in the therex toolbox
- * I was very prepared.
- * Remain up to date on techniques being used in clinics. I felt that was one of the weakest links we had in school; not only was I not up to date on manual techniques, but there were many out of date exercises and modalities we learned that could have been
- * More in depth explanations of various injuries/diagnosis and what interventions to use and WHY.
- * None
- * No, I am overall very satisfied with my experience at MHCC. I may have a different opinion when I start working in the field, but I won't know that until it happens.
- * More practice and education on documentation. Overall had a great experience at MHCC and enjoying growing in my skills and experience.
- * None that I can think of.
- * Teach patient documentation based on codes (ex 97110, 97116)Be realistic with students and tell them many of them will most likely start out working at SNF's
- * More practice on specific charting systems (Epic) that are in high demand and a good selling point on resumes
- * Continue to prepare students to adapt and be flexible. This is one of the, if not the most, important aspect of my job. I am very happy with my MHCC PTA program experience.
- * Have the resume and interview section be specified to PTA jobs, not just a general overview.
- * There seem to be ample opportunities in SNFs. Having a rotation in a SNF would be great exposure before considering that option.