

**VERIFICATION OF OBSERVATION FOR
PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT PROGRAM**

Name _____ JSCC ID _____

Directions: Application to the JSCC PTA Program requires documentation of a total of 24 hours of observation time in at least **TWO** physical therapy departments or settings. Applicants employed as PT technicians can document the length of their employment to meet one of these requirements but should obtain at least 12 hours of observation in ONE additional setting. Students MUST UPLOAD copies of observation verification forms with their application to demonstrate evidence of their observations/employment. The 24 hour observation requirements should have been completed within the **one year** prior to the program’s application deadline of June 1st and are **not** reusable on subsequent applications. The supervising Physical Therapist or Physical Therapist Assistant should complete the areas below and send the completed form directly to the mailing or email address at the bottom of this page.

Professional attire is required for observation: Shirt with collar (polo or golf shirt), pants (no jeans or shorts), no sandals or cloth tennis shoes. Other requirements may be specified by the facility.

Check one: _____ **Observation experience** **OR** _____ **Work experience**
This is to certify that _____ (Name)
observed/worked (please circle one) > _____ < hours at > _____
_____ < (name of facility/company)
in fulfillment of requirements for the Physical Therapist Assistant Program at Jackson State Community College.

Clinician Comments: (Please include the date(s) of the experience.)

Overall rating considering punctuality, appearance/behavior, communication, and initiative for this student:

4/excellent 3/good 2/marginal 1/poor 0

Dates:

Other Comments:

PT or PTA Name (Please print)**

PT or PTA License Number

PT or PTA Signature**

Date

****Must be a licensed PT or PTA**

Facility/Company

Please mail or scan/email to:
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