

PRE-OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY MAJORS COMBINED BS/MOT PROGRAM



CHICAGO STATE UNIVERSITY

College of Health Sciences

The Department of Occupational Therapy offers a combined Bachelor of Health Sciences (BHS) Pre-Occupational Therapy degree, which is a pre-professional degree designed to prepare students to enter the Master of Occupational Therapy (MOT) program at Chicago State University. The combined BHS/MOT curriculum allows students to enter the professional phase of the occupational therapy program as undergraduates (in their senior year) and supports the transition to a post-baccalaureate degree (MOT) in occupational therapy.

To become a Pre-Occupational Therapy major, students must apply to and meet the university's general admission requirements and officially declare Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy as a major. Admission to the professional phase of the program (BHS/MOT program) is a competitive process based on completing the course requirements listed below and acceptance by the Occupational Therapy Admissions Committee. To be considered for acceptance to the BHS/MOT program, applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (for all CSU and accepted non-CSU courses) and a GPA of 3.0 for the nine required OT course prerequisites (anthropology or sociology, statistics, developmental psychology, abnormal psychology, medical terminology, human anatomy, human physiology, cadaver lab, and introduction to occupational therapy).

<u>Freshman Year/Fall Semester Year 1</u> ENG 1270 MATH 1200 ANTH 1010 or SOC 1010 CMAT 2030 Total	Credit hours 3 3 3 3 12	<u>Freshman Year/Spring Semester Year 1</u> ENG 1280 PHIL 1020 or 1030 PSYC 1100 BIO 1080 CPTR 1060 Total	Credit hours 3 3 3 3 3 15
<u>Summer</u> FINE ARTS	Credit hours 3		
<u>Sophomore Year/Fall Semester Year 2</u> ZOO 2050 Elective H SC 1104 H SC 2150 or ANTH 1010 Total	Credit hours 4 3 3 3 3 16	<u>Sophomore Year/Spring Semester Year 2</u> ZOO 2610 Elective H SC 3321 OT 2010 HUMANITIES Total	Credit hours 2 3 3 3 3 14
<u>Summer</u> ELECTIVE	Credit hours 4		
<u>Junior Year/Fall Semester Year 3</u> PH S 1000 or 1100 or CHEM 1400 H SC 2250 PSYC 2000 or 2040 PSYC 4190 or MATH 1600 or HSC 3329 ELECTIVE Total	Credit hours 3/4 3 3 3 3 15/16	<u>Junior Year/Spring Semester Year 3</u> PSLY 2040 HSC 3375 PSYC 2155 ELECTIVE Total	Credit hours 4 3 3 3 3 13
<u>Senior Year/Fall Semester Year 4</u> OT 4100 OT 4140 OT 4150 OT 4160 Total	Credit hours 3 5 3 3 14	<u>Senior Year/Spring Semester-Year 4</u> OT 4110 OT 4141 OT 4151 OT 4161 Total	Credit hours 3 3 5 3 3 14

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A manual arts course (e.g., ceramics, jewelry making, weaving) is highly recommended for one of the elective courses.