Baylor College of Medicine Physician Assistant Program Admissions Self-Appraisal Checklist (2020-2021 Application Cycle)

	Required Semester Credit Hrs	Complete	In Progress	Incomplete
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES*				
*All science courses MUST be intended for science majors (NO exception				
for nursing, kinesiology, allied health, health/exercise sciences)				
Anatomy with lab	4			
Physiology with lab	4			
Microbiology with lab	4			
Genetics	3			
CHEMISTRY*				
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General Chemistry I with lab	4			
General Chemistry II with lab	4			
Organic Chemistry with lab	4			
HUMANITIES**				
General Psychology	3			
Psychology Elective (Sociology, Philosophy, Psychology)	3			
Expository Writing/English Composition	3			
STATISTICS**				
Statistics (must include Analysis of Variance/ANOVA)	3			
Required Grade Point Averages (ALL grades, courses, & institutions)				
Overall GPA 3.20 (based on 4.00 scale)				
Science GPA 3.20 (based on 4.00 scale)				
Graduate Record Exam (GRE) General Test				
Verbal Score: 153 minimum				
Quantitative Score: 144 minimum				
Analytical Writing Score: 3.50 minimum				
GRE scores must be no more than 5 years old				
Official GRE scores received by CASPA by August 1 st				
Applications, Transcripts, Reference Letters				
CASPA Application submitted by August 1 st				
Original transcripts received by CASPA by August 1 st				
Letters of Recommendation received by CASPA by August 1 st				
Other Requirements				
Bachelor's Degree completed before enrollment				
Supplemental Fee \$50 by August 1st				
BLS Certification through June of year following enrollment				

Minimum required coursework cannot be waived or substituted.

- *Prerequisite science coursework cannot be more than 7 years-old & **non-science coursework cannot be more than 10 years-old as of the application deadline of August 1st.
- Quarter or trimester credits must be converted by applicant to ensure equivalency to above listed semester credit hours.
- All laboratory prerequisites must be done in person, not through distance learning.
- AP credit for prerequisite coursework will not be accepted. No exceptions.
- Coursework can ONLY be approved in writing by the BCM PA Program, not CASPA or any other entity, at paprogram@bcm.edu