

Assistant Professor (Non-Tenure)

The University of Maryland Baltimore, School of Medicine, Department of Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation Science, Entry Level Doctor of Physical Therapy program (PTRS) is now accepting applications for a full-time, non-tenure track faculty position with significant time spent in orthopedic clinical practice.

Duties and Responsibilities

Clinical practice responsibilities include evaluation and treatment of student-athletes within University of Maryland Intercollegiate Athletics, patients referred from University of Maryland Orthopaedic Associates (UMOA) surgeons and others. Collaboration opportunities with other services provided at the practice include radiology, occupational therapy, and orthotics/prosthetics. This position will require the candidate to travel between the University of Maryland Baltimore and the University of Maryland College Park on a weekly basis.

- Consult and practice with other members of the Maryland Sports Performance Staff (strength coaches, athletic trainers, coaching staff, physicians, etc.).
- Develop individual, player centered care plans, activity progressions, return to play progressions, and post-operative rehabilitation protocols.
- Develop and implement health and performance screening processes.
- Establish and update player and staff electronic medical record and hard file.
- Update and maintain accurate daily treatment reports will be sent daily to appropriate medical and front office staff.
- Provide mentorship and education for other members of the medical staff.
- Assist with research and development of pre-operative, surgical, and post-operative data/best practices across baseball as related to common baseball pathologies.

Teaching responsibilities include didactic instruction within the PTRS DPT Program in areas of content expertise; participation in curriculum evaluation and development of the DPT program; student advisement; engagement in scholarly activities; and service.

Required Qualifications:

- A physical therapy license or Maryland eligibility for PT licensure,
- graduate of a clinical doctoral degree (DPT) from a CAPTE-accredited physical therapist education program,
- prior experience working with patients with orthopedic conditions are required.
- ABPTS Sports Clinical Specialist (SCS) certification,
- previous academic teaching experience,
- ability to work collaboratively and successfully within multiethnic, multicultural campus, and community settings, and
- experience treating patients covered by Workers' Compensation.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Desired continuing education coursework: SMFA, DNS, Spinal Manipulation, Dry Needling.

- Fellow of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Manual Physical Therapists (FAAOMPT) and/ or ABPTS Orthopaedic Clinical Specialist (OCS) certification.
- Experience working as a Physical Therapist for a professional sports organization and/or collegiate environment.
- Experience working in leadership roles as a physical therapist.
- Strong evaluation skills.
- Strong manual therapy skills.
- Strong interpersonal communication skills.

Physical requirements as per that of an orthopedic/sports, manual physical therapist including, but not limited to:

- Ability to stand for long periods of time.
- Ability to provide manual intervention and resistive exercise to physically active populations.
- Ability to demonstrate complex movement patterns and exercises.
- Ability to kick/throw/play catch.
- Ability to transfer and lift patients independently.

Rank and Salary: Assistant Professor (Salary commensurate with experience and qualifications).

Applications: Accepted until position is filled. Submit a letter of application, and curriculum vitae to the Chair of the Search Committee: Peter Bowman, PT, DPT, FAAOMPT, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Department of Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation Science, 100 Penn Street, Baltimore, MD 21201-1082.

Please include the Position number 03-329-47 in your letter of application.

About PTRS and UMOA:

We are located on the professional campus of the University of Maryland in Baltimore within the University of Maryland School of Medicine. The PTRS Department offers the entry-level DPT, a PhD in Physical Rehabilitation Science, and a DPT/MPH Dual Degree Program (<http://pt.umaryland.edu>). UMOA is a non-profit group (501c3) affiliated with the University of Maryland School of Medicine.

About Baltimore:

Baltimore is known as “Charm City” because of its beautiful downtown skyline and waterfront as well as many historic and vibrant neighborhoods. Culturally on a par with nearby cities of Washington DC, Philadelphia and New York, Baltimore has an international airport, is home to the Orioles and Ravens and has close access to a variety of beaches and two mountain ranges.

About the University of Maryland College Park:

Founded in 1856, University of Maryland, College Park is the flagship institution in the University System of Maryland. Our 1,250-acre College Park campus is just minutes away from Washington, D.C., and the nexus of the nation’s legislative, executive, and judicial centers of power. This unique proximity to business and technology leaders, federal departments and agencies, and myriad research entities,

embassies, think tanks, cultural centers, and non-profit organizations is simply unparalleled. Synergistic opportunities for our faculty and students abound and are virtually limitless in the nation's capital and surrounding areas. The University is committed to attracting and retaining outstanding and diverse faculty and staff that will enhance our stature of preeminence in our three missions of teaching, scholarship, and full engagement in our community, the state of Maryland, and in the world.

The University of Maryland, Baltimore is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action/ Employer. Minorities, women, individuals with disabilities, and protected veterans are encouraged to apply.

Job Type: Full-time