

# Allen College seeks to hire faculty for the Doctor of Physical Therapy Program

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Allen College seeks applications for a full-time, 12-month non-tenured faculty position for its hybrid Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) Program to start August 2025. The faculty will be hired at a rank commensurate with their credentials, qualifications, and experience. The DPT program uses a combination of online and on-campus learning experiences. The curricular delivery is conducted via synchronous or asynchronous learning experiences and onsite lab immersions. The hybrid learning model allows faculty to live remotely from campus. However, DPT faculty must be able to travel and stay in Waterloo, IA, for designated periods each semester.

Ideal candidates will have clinical and teaching expertise in the basic sciences of physiology, pathology, pharmacology, and/or anatomy. As well as teaching expertise in introductory patient care management and foundational clinical skills.

Faculty are members of the Allen College Faculty Organization Committee at large and are appointed to other faculty committees. Faculty are involved in the development and evaluation of the program and of the students. Faculty are actively involved in teaching, guidance, and academic advising of students, and report to the DPT Program Director and the Dean of the School of Health Sciences.

In compliance with the Clery Act, Allen College publishes an Annual Security Report containing three previous years of crime statistics, institutional policies concerning campus safety, and a fire safety report. The report is available at [ASR Report-2024.pdf \(allencollege.edu\)](#). A paper copy is available upon request.

### Qualifications

1. Physical therapy degree and license in any U.S. jurisdiction if applying to teach physical therapy content.
2. Terminal academic degree (PhD, EdD, DSc) or equivalent is preferred. Candidates currently pursuing their terminal degree are encouraged to apply.
3. Minimal degree and license (if appropriate) in another discipline if applying to teach other content (e.g. orthotics, pharmacology, wound care, etc.).
4. Demonstrate contemporary expertise in an area of teaching responsibility.
5. Four years teaching full-time on a higher education level or above and clinical experience in area of teaching is preferred.
6. Three years of full-time clinical experience.
7. Demonstrated ability to do scholarly work as demonstrated by professional publications or presentations.
8. Evidence of involvement in professional activity and community service.

Allen College is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Allen College was recognized in The Chronicle of Higher Education as a Great College to Work For in 2024. Allen College was given Honor Roll status and received recognition in several categories including: job satisfaction and support; compensation and benefits; professional development; confidence in senior leadership; faculty and staff well-being; shared governance; and faculty experience.

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### To apply:

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