



Applicant Waiver Request

Applicants who do not meet the program's academic requirements may request a waiver for *only* one of the following:

- Overall GPA
- Science GPA
- Prerequisite Coursework Timeframe

Must provide responses to both questions below. May include any supporting documentation to be saved as one document or reference information included in your CASPA application.

1. Reason for Waiver Request

Please clearly explain why you are requesting this waiver and why an exception is warranted in your case. Your response should address:

- The current GPA or coursework timeframe for which you are requesting a waiver
- The circumstances that contributed to not meeting the stated requirement
- Any relevant academic, professional, personal, or life context.
- Your current academic readiness

Provide your response below:

2. Evidence of Academic Readiness and Applicant Strength

Please provide specific evidence demonstrating your ability to succeed in a rigorous Physician Assistant program.

- Recent coursework or post-baccalaureate/graduate-level classes
- Trends demonstrating academic performance
- Relevant clinical, professional or academic experience
- Certifications, advanced training, if applicable



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Provide your response below:

Waiver requests are reviewed using standardized criteria and are evaluated on a case-by-case basis. Submission of a waiver request does not guarantee approval. By submitting this waiver, the applicant acknowledges that all information is complete and accurate. The applicant acknowledges that the request was written without the assistance of another individual or AI (artificial intelligence).

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____