

## MISSION

Orlando VA's Orthopedic PT Residency Program seeks to build the residents' lifelong clinical decision-making skills in orthopedics through strong mentorships, varied clinical experiences, and evidence-based didactic education. With an interdisciplinary approach to care for the diverse VA population, our program provides an advanced learning setting that embraces the vertical growth of the residents as they become expert-level providers in orthopedic care.

## RESIDENCY ACTIVITIES

- ◆ Independent Clinical Care
- ◆ 1:1 mentorship
- ◆ Observation experiences in specialty PT clinics and Orthopedic Surgery
- ◆ In-services & Journal Clubs
- ◆ Resident and Guest Lecturer presentations
- ◆ Huddles & Rounds
- ◆ Clinical supervision of DPT and PTA students
- ◆ Medbridge & APTA Education

## IMPORTANT DATES

Application Deadline  
March 15th, 2023

Candidate Notification  
NLT April 28th, 2023

Residency Start Date  
August 2023

**Must submit a complete  
REPTCAS Application by the  
published deadline.**

If you have additional questions, please contact our Residency Program Director:

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## **CANDIDACY STATUS**

**ABPTRFE**  
American Board of Physical Therapy  
Residency & Fellowship Education

**VA**



U.S. Department  
of Veterans Affairs

Orlando VA Healthcare System  
**Orthopedic  
Physical Therapy  
Residency Program**



*Expert Providers in Orthopedic PT Practice*

*Models of excellence and professionalism*

*Advanced Evidence-Based Clinical Care*

*Rated Among the Top Florida  
Hospitals for 5-Star Recognition for  
Patient Experience*



### **EXPLORE CENTRAL FLORIDA**

Orlando is an ethnically diverse and inclusive community. It is home to world-famous theme parks and attractions such as Disney World, Universal Studios, SeaWorld, and NASA's Kennedy Space Center. The city's professional sports teams include NBA's Orlando Magic and the Orlando City Soccer Club.

Central Florida also provides access to world-class entertainment at several museums and the Dr. Phillips Center for Performing Arts. Central Florida is a paradise for nature lovers with access to beaches, parks, natural springs and opportunities to get up close to wildlife.

### **Eligibility Qualifications**

- ◆ U.S. Citizen
- ◆ Graduate of an APTA Accredited Physical Therapy Program
- ◆ Hold an active physical therapy license or Be eligible for licensure in any US state

### **Application Criteria**

- ◆ Physical Therapy School Transcripts
- ◆ Letter of Intent
- ◆ Curriculum Vitae/Resume
- ◆ Three (3) Professional Letters of Recommendation

### **Benefits**

Benefits include accrual of paid annual and sick leave, 11 paid federal holidays, optional healthcare benefits, and malpractice insurance coverage.

### **Orlando VA Healthcare System**

13800 Veterans Way  
Orlando, FL 32827

### **About Orlando VA HealthCare System**

Orlando VAHCS - Lake Nona Campus is part of the large health and life science park known as "Medical City".

The medical center provides acute care, emergency department care, complex specialty care, advanced diagnostic services, multispecialty outpatient clinic, mental health support, and administrative services. The Lake Nona campus also includes a 120-bed Community Living Center and 60-bed residential rehabilitation program (Domiciliary). Rehabilitation Clinics are also located at Lake Baldwin, Viera, and Daytona Beach Outpatient Clinics. Additional general community based outpatient clinics are located in Clermont, Deltona, Kissimmee, Palm Bay, and Tavares.

