


School of Physical Therapy **PLAN-ON-A-PAGE**

UNIVERSITY VISION	 <p>“To inspire learning and creativity that ignites the mind, nurtures the spirit, and fulfills the promise of a better future”</p>				
COLLEGE MISSION	“To provide contemporary physical therapy education; to empower graduates and educators to exemplify excellence in clinical practice, scholarship, mentorship, leadership, and professionalism; and to engage all stakeholders in employing evidence-informed physical therapy that reflects and expands best practice.”				
VALUES	Integrity Duty Synergy Connectivity 				
PRIORITIES	<p>Students Provide an affordable, high-quality, and highly sought-after DPT degree that equips students to practice at the full scope of their physical therapy license.</p>	<p>Educational Team Cultivate a collaborative and effective educational team that delivers compassionate, student-centered DPT education.</p>	<p>Community Foster strong relationships among students, faculty, clinical partners, community organizations, and professional associations.</p>	<p>Sustainable and Competitive Maintain a thriving School of Physical Therapy that is financially sustainable and nationally competitive.</p>	
GOALS	Teaching / Learning / Curriculum	Students / Faculty	Service, Community / Alumni Engagement	Research / Testing / Knowledge / Collaboration	Innovation in PT / Healthcare
METRICS	In collaboration with students, faculty will identify and develop (18m) professional and career transition educational content as well as a plan for implementation (36m).	Develop (18m) and implement (36m) a holistic retention process to maximize successful completion of PT education for all students (admission to graduation).	Identify (12m) an alumni network that connects and mentors DPT 3 students and entry-level MUSOPT graduates and have the network (MUSOPT/Alumni Affinity Group) implemented within 24 m.	Over the next three years foster research collaborations with clinical partners, and other universities departments/schools to include at least 25% of capstone projects.	Explore, incorporate, and implement innovative technologies to enhance teaching and learning, such as virtual reality, simulations, AI, etc. into the PT curriculum over the next 3 years.