Arapahoe Community College
Physical Therapist Assistant Program
Physical Therapy Setting Visitation Report

Note to the clinician: As part of the admission process for the Physical Therapist Assistant program at Arapahoe Community College, each prospective student is to spend time observing, volunteering, or working in a physical therapy setting. During this time, the student is to interact with a Physical Therapist or Physical Therapist Assistant and gain a better understanding of the Physical Therapy profession and the roles and responsibilities of PTs and PTAs. Knowing your schedule is busy, your help is greatly appreciated. When the individual has completed his/her visitation, please complete this form and return it to the student.

If you have any questions regarding the PTA program or any aspect of our admission procedures, please contact: Paula Provence, PT at (303) 797-5897 or via e-mail at paula.provence@arapahoe.edu.

Student's Name: _____

Clinical Setting's Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip _____

1. Student was punctual with his/her appointment. _____ yes _____ no

2. Student was dressed appropriately. _____ yes _____ no (explain)

3. Student's behavior was appropriate. _____ yes _____ no (explain)

4. Student's interest appeared _____ _____ _____ _____
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5. Number of hours student spent in your setting: _____

6. Any additional comments: _____

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Clinician Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

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Student Reflection

1. What unique knowledge about the Physical Therapy profession did this experience provide you?

2. If there were PTAs at work in this facility, how were they utilized? If there were not any PTAs in this facility, how was the question, “how might you utilize a PTA” answered.

3. What was a positive thing that you observed that would attract you to a career as a PTA?

4. What was a negative thing that you observed that would give you pause or make you reconsider a career as a PTA?

Facility Name: