

# WESTERN UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT PROGRAM

# **Supplemental Application for Admission Class Entering in August of 2004**

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|----|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|---|--|
| 1. | Name: Dennis Last                       | <u>L</u> ue<br>Middle   |                         | DID YOU APPLY FOR<br>THE CLASS ENTERING<br>IN 2003? |   |  |
| 2. | Social Security No.: 518-08-579         | 91 3. C                 | citizenship : U.S.A.    | <del> </del>  | Yes No_X  |  |
| 4. | If you possess a <b>permanent</b> alien | resident card, state no | umber & expiration date | <b>9</b> :  |   |  |
| 5. | If you possess a <u>temporary</u> visa, | state visa category, nu | mber & expiration date  | :   |   |  |
| 6. | Telephone numbers∖e-mail whe            | ere you may be reach    | ed between February     | 1 and March 15, 2                                   | 004:  |  |
|    | ( 619 ) <u>204-6875</u><br>Home         | ( 858 ) <u>678-459</u>  | 00 /_<br>Business Ext/I | ( )<br>Dept.  | Message/Cell/Pager  |  |
|    | dawnadennis@hotmail.cor<br>E-Mail       | m                       |                         |   |   |  |
| 7. | Parent/Guardian: Name                   | Living<br>Yes No        | Occupation              | State of Residence                                  | Education/College or highest level  |  |
|    | Father Wayne Dennis                     | (X ) ( ) <u>Se</u>      | enior Loan Officer      | Idaho   | B.S.  |  |
|    | Mother Ann Dennis                       | (x)() <u>Bo</u>         | ook keeper              | Idaho   | B.S.  |  |
|    | Guardian                                |                         |                         |   |   |  |
| 8. | Name of High Schools attended           | :                       |                         |   |   |  |
|    | Buhl High School                        |                         | 1994                    |   |   |  |
|    | High School Name                        | Year                    | of Graduation           |   |   |  |
|    | Buhl<br>City                            |                         | Idaho<br>State          |   | lace a <u>recent</u> wallet-size 2 X 2<br>professional-looking photo of<br>yourself |  |
|    | High School Name                        | Year                    | of Graduation           |   | (Optional)  |  |
|    | City                                    |                         | State                   |   |   |  |

| 9.  | The following information is requested for the purpose of applying for federal or other grants. This information will not be a consideration for admission.  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
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|     | A. Do you believe you grew up in a "Medically Underserved" community?  | Yes            | No X        |  |  |  |  |
|     | B. Do you believe you are from an "Economically Disadvantaged" environment? (For example, your family income, at the time you grew up, was below the Department of Census' threshold for your family size.) Note: To obtain the above information contact your local county/regional library or the Department of Census.  | Yes            | No _X       |  |  |  |  |
|     | C. Do you believe you grew up in an "Educationally Disadvantaged" environment?   | Yes            | No <u>X</u> |  |  |  |  |
| 10. | If you are a resident from Arizona, Nevada, New Mexico or Wyoming, you may be eligible for financial assistance through the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) program. For further information, please contact the WICHE Professional Student Exchange Program, Boulder, Colorado, (303) 541-0214 |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | Have you applied for the WICHE program? Yes No_X   |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | If yes, have you been certified? Yes No  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
| 11. | Have you ever applied to any other Physician Assistant schools including Western Univer  | sity?          |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | Yes No_X Year(s)   |                |             |  |  |  |  |
| 12. | List all physician assistant programs and medical or health science programs to which yo   | u are applying | this year:  |  |  |  |  |
|     | Physician Assistant Western University of Health Science, University of Florida, Finch University of Health Science - Chicago  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | Medical School, Mercy College Graduate Program in PA Studies, Drexel University.   |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | Medical/Health Science   |                |             |  |  |  |  |
| 13. | Have you contacted a Physician Assistant for information?  Yes X No if the answer is yes, please list name and nature of contacted a Physician Assistant for information?  | ıct:           |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | Name of Physician Assistant: Jennifer Cates - Shadowing  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | (please print name and nature of contact)  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | Name of Physician Assistant: Denise Lago (Student) - Attended a day of classes at Western University with her  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | (please print name and nature of contact)  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
| 14  | . Please describe your involvement in any type of community service (non-medical or med  | lical).        |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | I volunteered at the Scripps Memorial Hospital in the Intensive Care Unit for the last year. Duties include helping to transport,  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | feed and wash patients, along with helping to calm them and providing company. Also responsible for transporting lab samples,  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | and picking up medications. For the past 8 months, I have been serving at a local Planned Parenthood Clinic. This job includes   |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | taking vital signs and stats and running pregnancy tests, along with basic counseling for birth control, preventing sexually   |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | transmitted diseases and pregnancy.  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
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| 15. | How did you hear about Western University's PA program?  |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | ☐ Information Session ☐ Recruitment at your undergraduate college ☐ Internet   |                |             |  |  |  |  |
|     | ■ Western University graduate    ■ College Advisor    ■ Books/Articles    ■ Other    ■   |                |             |  |  |  |  |

## 16. Prerequisite Worksheet:

Indicate how you have fulfilled the prerequisites listed below. Do not leave any blanks. This form must be completed and returned with the supplemental application.

| Prerequisites                         | COLLEGE OR<br>UNIVERSITY<br>WHERE TAKEN | Write department name,<br>Course number <u>, and</u> complete<br>Course title | SEM. OR<br>QTR.<br>UNITS | Year &<br>Term<br>Taken | FINAL<br>GRADE |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| College English                       | University of Idaho                     | ENG111 - Lit of Western Civilization  | 3 Sem. Units             | Spring 96               | В              |
| English Composition                   | University of Idaho                     | ENG104 - Essay Writing  | 3 Sem. Units             | Fall 94                 | В              |
| College Algebra                       | University of Idaho                     | MATH180 - Analytical Geometry and Calculus                                    | 2 Sem. Units             | Spring 96               | Α              |
| Human Anatomy                         | Miramar College                         | BIO 230 - Human Anatomy with Lab  | 4 Sem. Units             | Fall 03                 | Α              |
| Human Anatomy Lab                     | Miramar College                         | See above   | See above                |                         |                |
| Human Physiology                      | Miramar College                         | BIO 235 - Human Physiology with Lab   | 4 Sem. Units             | Fall 03                 | Α              |
| Human Physiology<br>Lab               | Miramar College                         | See above   | See above                |                         |                |
| Microbiology                          | University of Idaho                     | MMBB250 - General Microbiology with Lab                                       | 5 Sem. Units             | Spring 96               | В              |
| Microbiology Lab                      | University of Idaho                     | See above   | See above                |                         |                |
| General/Inorganic<br>Chemistry        | University of Idaho                     | CHEM 111 - Principles of Chemistry  | 4 Sem. Units             | Fall 94                 | В              |
| General/Inorganic<br>Chemistry        | University of Idaho                     | CHEM 112 - Inorganic Chem /Qual Anal w/ Lab                                   | 5 Sem. Units             | Spring 95               | В              |
| General/Inorganic<br>Chemistry<br>Lab | University of Idaho                     | See above   | See above                |                         |                |
| Psychology (Intro. or General)        | Miramar College                         | Psych 101- General Psychology   | 3 Sem. Units             | Spring 04               | ТВА            |
| Sociology (Intro. or General)         | University of Idaho                     | SOC 110- Intro to Sociology   | 3 Sem. Units             | Spring 95               | В              |
| Introductory Statistics               | University of Idaho                     | STAT 251- Principles of Statistics  | 3 Sem. Units             | Fall 95                 | В              |
| Humanities                            | University of Idaho                     | PHIL 101- Ethics  | 3 Sem. Units             | Fall 94                 | А              |
| Humanities                            | University of Idaho                     | MUSH 101- Survey of Music   | 3 Sem. Units             | Fall 97                 | А              |
| Humanities                            | University of Idaho                     | ECON 201- Principles of Economics   | 3 Sem. Units             | Spring 96               | В              |

**Note:** Anatomy & Physiology must be taken out of the Anatomy, Physiology, A&P, Biology or Zoology departments. If Anatomy & Physiology are combined, a <u>minimum</u> of 5 semester units will be accepted.

English as a Second Language (ESL) courses are not accepted for the English prerequisites.

English must be taken within the English department

Introductory level courses in the required sciences are not accepted (i.e., courses taken in the sciences for non-science majors). Also, all science prerequisite courses require labs.

For consideration of prerequisite courses that are not titled the same as those listed on the application, you must submit a catalogue course description (full-page from catalogue), along with the cover page from the catalogue, for the course(s) in question or any additional information you feel will be helpful.

#### 17. Personal Statement:

Type one page per question (use the front of the page only). Please type and double space your response using either Arial or Times New Roman, size 12 font. *All applicants need to answer A and B. Re-Applicants must also answer C in addition to the rest of the questions.* 

- A. Describe the characteristics of the ideal PA student. Discuss how this description reflects you.
- B. You have been honored as the PA Student of the year. Describe your accomplishments that lead to this honor.
- **C.** Re-Applicants only: Describe what you have done in the past year to enhance your application to Western University's Physician Assistant program.

The application packet is due within 30 days after receipt of the supplemental application or February 1, 2004 (final deadline) whichever comes first.

Western University is not responsible for delays in mail delivery.

### Personal Competencies For Admissions and Matriculation

To be admitted to the PA program, an applicant must meet the Personal Competencies for Admissions and Matriculation. To review these guidelines, please refer to the college catalogue on our web site at: www.westernu.edu/catalog/Allied Health-PA.pdf.

### **CERTIFICATION**

I certify that all responses to the questions and any information given herein are my own and true. For the purpose of determining admission, I hereby consent to and authorize any educational institution I have attended to release any academic and/or disciplinary information to Western University of Health Sciences. I understand that if any of the information provided in this application is misleading or untrue, whether resulting from an affirmative misstatement or from the omission of material information, my application may be rejected immediately, and any offer of admission to me may be withdrawn, or I may be dismissed from Western University of Health Sciences following admission.

| APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE | DATE |
|-----------------------|------|

We comply with Titles VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Sections 503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Sections 102 and 302 of the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, handicap, or sexual orientation in any of our policies, procedures, or practices. For further information, please refer to your college catalogue.

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