Murray State College
Physical Therapist Assistant Program

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Outcomes Information for the most recent three class years (2016, 2017, & 2018) the following information is provided:

- Graduation rates for these three years are: 2017 - 88.3 %, 2018- 87.5%, and 2019 – 81.2%. This data reflects that reported to CAPTE and is based on completion of students offered a position in the class.
- Over ninety percent (> 90%) of students who begin the Fall Semester of the technical year of the PTA program during these three years successfully completed the PTA program. Over 80% of students who were offered an initial position in a class ultimately completed the program successfully.
- Graduates over this period have over a 90% first time pass rate and a 97.7% ultimate pass rate on the NPTE licensure examination.
- Graduates who sought employment report finding jobs within 6 months of graduation. Graduates from these classes report high job satisfaction (> 90%) on graduate surveys. The graduate survey for the class of 2019 will be completed in 2020 and results will be added to this information as available.
- Supervising PTs and employers report graduates performing at appropriate entry level and that they would hire a graduate from the MSC PTA program again. (>94%)

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<th>Class</th>
<th>Graduation Rate</th>
<th>First Time Pass Rate</th>
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<th>Employment Rate^</th>
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<td>2018</td>
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** 10 of 11 graduates have taken the NPTE at the time of preparing this update. Two graduates have not yet taken the exam and are planning on taking in 2020. The one student who did not pass on initial attempt has not retaken at the time of preparing this update.

^ Employment rate includes those graduates who sought employment and who found employment (FT, PT, Contract) as identified by graduate survey and state licensure identification of work place. Formal survey of Class of 2019 will be completed in 2020.

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