A bachelor’s degree, preferably in an allied health or related major with a GPA of 3.0 or above in the last 60 semester or 90 quarter units of upper division coursework from any accredited college or university.

A minimum of 40 hours of volunteer work prior to admission. This must be in an orthotic and prosthetic facility.

Completion of all orthotic and prosthetic prerequisite courses with a grade of “B” or better. The list of classes can be found on our website.

GRE with a preferred score of 4.0 on the Analytical Writing portion.

Completed OPCAS Program Application and interview by orthotics and prosthetics faculty.

APPLICATION DEADLINES:
The MS O&P Program admits students once per year and has a two-stage application process. OPCAS Deadline is December 31. Cal State Apply Deadline is March 31.

CONTACT INFORMATION
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MS ORTHOTICS AND PROSTHETICS COURSE CURRICULUM (UNITS)

HEA 434 - Orthotics Soft Goods Fitters Course (1)
HEA 445 - Material Science and Laboratory Skills (2)
HEA 455 - Applied Anatomy (1)
HSC 500 - Health Care Leadership and Management (3)
HSC 501 - Advanced Research Methods in Health Science, (1-3), variable
HEA 508 - Clinical Pathology for Orthotists & Prosthetists (3)
HEA 516 - Clinical Evaluation Tools in Orthotics and Prosthetics (2)
HEA 535 - Practice Management for Orthotics and Prosthetics (2)
HEA 536 - Psychosocial Aspects of Disability (1)
HEA 540 - Orthotic Management of the Upper Limb (3)
HEA 541 - Orthotic Management of the Lower Limb I (4)
HEA 542 - Orthotic Management of the Lower Limb II (5)
HEA 544 - Orthotic Management of the Spine (4)
HEA 545 - Normal Gait and Biomechanics of Movement (2)
HEA 547 - Gait Analysis and Pathomechanics for O&P (1)
HEA 551 - Prosthetic Management of the Upper Limb (3)
HEA 552 - Prosthetic Management of the Lower Limb I (4)
HEA 554 - Prosthetic Management of the Lower Limb II (5)
HEA 580 - Applied Technologies in Orthotics and Prosthetics (1)
HEA 592 - Sub-specialties in O&P: (2)
HEA 593 - Capstone Activity for O & P (3)
HEA 596 - Clinical Practicum in Orthotics and Prosthetics (1, 4, 4)
  Practicum A: 60 hours, Observation and assistance in private and public O&P facilities.
  Practicum B: 240 hours, placement in O&P facility during summer year 1.
  Practicum C: 240 hours, placement in O&P facility during spring year 2.
HSC 598 - Directed Research in Orthotics and Prosthetics (1,1)