REHABILITATION SCIENCE
GROWING DEMAND FOR WELL-TRAINED REHABILITATION PROFESSIONALS

THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE PROGRAM FOCUSES ON THE MULTIDISCIPLINARY KNOWLEDGE REHABILITATION SCIENCE MAJORS NEED TO BUILD IN ORDER TO HELP RESTORE HEALTH AND STRENGTH TO PATIENTS WHO, THROUGH INJURY, DISABILITY, ADVANCED AGE OR OTHER REASONS, HAVE LOST THEIR INDEPENDENCE IN ONE OR MORE AREAS OF THEIR LIVES. REHABILITATION PROFESSIONALS WORK IN:

VA Veterans Affairs Centers
Addiction Treatment Centers
Independent Living & Community Programs
State & Federal Rehabilitation Programs
Disability Accommodation Programs

FAST FACTS

• The B.S. in Rehabilitation Science degree program is based on the Cochran Campus
• The majority of upper-level coursework is taught in traditional, face-to-face classes
• The curriculum integrates the basic sciences of anatomy, physiology, chemistry and physics with the applied and clinical social sciences to form a comprehensive study of human function/dysfunction and emerging rehabilitation interventions
• Coursework covers the basic concepts of disability studies, restorative and supportive therapy, statistics and research methods, psychology, health ethics, medical terminology, assistive technology, health informatics and rehabilitation case management

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT MGA.EDU/REHABSCIENCE
THE B.S. IN REHABILITATION SCIENCE DEGREE PROGRAM WILL APPEAL TO:

- Prospective students who will use their bachelor’s degree in rehab science to begin or continue in a rewarding healthcare career where they work in the community to help people prevent, overcome or adapt to disabilities

- Licensed Certified Occupational Therapy assistants who want to advance their careers by earning bachelor’s degree that also will provide the required prerequisites for admission to graduate occupational therapy programs

- Prospective students seeking a bachelor’s degree that will give them a competitive edge when applying to graduate programs in rehab science fields such as physical therapy, athletic training, speech language pathology, rehabilitation counseling, clinical exercise physiology and physician assistant

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT (OTA)

Middle Georgia State also offers a 2-year OTA program, which consists of 16 weeks of fieldwork that includes practical exposure to caring for patients.

An OTA helps patients develop, recover and improve the skills they need for daily living and working. Employment of OTAs is expected to grow by 40 percent through 2024. Learn more at mga.edu/OTA.

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