

TABLE 19—The Army Physical Therapy Course curriculum, 1948–50, 1953, and 1959

Academic subjects	1948		1949		1950		1953		1959	
	Phase I (26 weeks)	Phase II (23 weeks)	Phase I (32 weeks)	Phase II (17 weeks)	Phase I (27 weeks)	Phase II (22 weeks)	Phase I (29 weeks)	Phase II (20 weeks)	Phase I (29 weeks)	Phase II (20 weeks)
Gross anatomy	200	.....	156	.....	156	.....	¹ 150	.....	150	.....
Bandaging	23	.....	23	.....	24	.....	17	.....	17	.....
Clinical medicine	112	100	120	85	195	10	¹ 117	.....	128	.....
Clinical observation and practice	38	626	85	489	.....	834	88	713	73	622
Electrotherapy and electrodiagnosis	65	10	70	10	70	10	80	.....	80	.....
Ethics and administration .....	.....	5	7	5	7	5	13	5	15	10
Hydrotherapy	25	.....	25	.....	25	.....	20	.....	25	.....
Journal club .....	.....	40	.....	40	.....	50	.....	50	.....	20
Kinesiology .....	.....	40	84	.....	84	.....	60	.....	60	.....
Massage	60	10	60	.....	60	.....	50	.....	50	.....
Medical physics	40	10	50	.....	50	10	40	.....	40	.....
Muscle testing	20	10	30	10	30	.....	40	.....	40	.....
Pathology	30	.....	30	.....	30	.....	¹ 30	.....	30	.....
Phototherapy	30	.....	32	.....	32	.....	26	.....	28	.....
Physiology	63	12	75	.....	75	.....	¹ 75	.....	¹ 105	.....
Principles of occupational therapy .....	.....	10	.....	10	.....	10	.....	12	.....	12
Psychology	16	.....	15	.....	15	.....	16	.....	24	.....
Selected nursing techniques	10	.....	10	.....	10	.....	10	.....	8	.....
Tests and measurements .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38
Therapeutic exercise	97	23	105	15	105	15	115	.....	128	78

¹ Combined classes with occupational therapy students.

² This figure carries a 3-semester credit prerequisite.