## Curriculum summary_PA2023

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### Preclinical education

#### Semester I

**Unit 1**

(4 weeks)  
- PA 626  
  Fundamentals of Basic Sciences  
  2

**Unit 2**  
(8 weeks)  
- PA 642  
  Being a PA I  
  1  
- PA 621  
  Clinical and Diagnostic Skills I  
  2  
- PA 611  
  Clinical Reasoning and Inquiry-Based Learning I  
  2  
- PA 627  
  Foundations of Medicine and Surgery I  
  1.5  
- PA 612  
  Patient Care I  
  2  
- PA 631  
  Pharmacology and Therapeutics I  
  1.5

Total semester hours  
12

#### Semester II

**Unit 3**  
(12 weeks)  
- PA 643  
  Being a PA II  
  1  
- PA 622  
  Clinical and Diagnostic Skills II  
  3.5  
- PA 613  
  Clinical Reasoning and Inquiry-Based Learning II  
  3  
- PA 628  
  Foundations of Medicine and Surgery II  
  2  
- PA 614  
  Patient Care II  
  3  
- PA 632  
  Pharmacology and Therapeutics II  
  1.5

Total semester hours  
14

#### Semester III

**Unit 4**  
(8 weeks)  
- PA 644  
  Being a PA III  
  1  
- PA 623  
  Clinical and Diagnostic Skills III  
  1  
- PA 615  
  Clinical Reasoning and Inquiry-Based Learning III  
  2  
- PA 629  
  Foundations of Medicine and Surgery III  
  1.5  
- PA 708A  
  The Graduate Project  
  0.5  
- PA 616  
  Patient Care III  
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- PA 633  
  Pharmacology and Therapeutics III  
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