This information relates to Graduates of the UWI Mona BSc in Physiotherapy Program.

The process of application for Internship is part of registration for full Licensure in Trinidad and Tobago. Complete the following and submit all related documents.

1. Physical Therapists/Physiotherapists Internship Application for Registration (ensure all sections are completed)
2. Professional Forms-Two (2) are needed. Please be guided by the suggested options as this is a reference for a Professional body.
3. Police Certificate of Good Character dated no longer than 3 months prior to submission of documents
4. Letter from the University stating completion of program/ a copy of your diploma certified by the University of the West Indies

Following approval , the Board will then issue an Internship Clearance Form which you are to present as part of your application package for Internship jobs at the Regional Health Authorities These you must apply for on your own.

The following locations have been cleared for clinical placements

- NCRHA- Eric Williams Medical Sciences Complex
- NWRHA- Port of Spain General Hospital*
- ERHA- Sangre Grande Hospital
- SWRHA- San Fernando General Hospital
- TRHA- Scarborough General Hospital

You **must** ensure that you advise the board, via letter, of the location that was selected for Internship.

*-An alternate location is needed for a Pediatric rotation.

During your Internship

Remember this a Professional setting and is regarded as work experience. You will be held to the same code of ethics and professional guidelines as ALL registered Physiotherapists/Physical Therapists in Trinidad and Tobago.

At the end of **each** clinical rotation the Supervised Work Experience Verification form (attached) and Internship form must be completed by your supervising therapist
Currently we utilize the same as the Jamaica Internship Program.
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Rotations are expected in the following four areas with a minimum of 6 weeks allowed in any one rotation.

- Medicine
- Surgery/ Critical Care
- Orthopedics
- Paediatrics

Upon satisfactory completion of your Internship period (at least 12 months), you are to ensure that

1. The Internship Forms and Supervised Work Experience Forms have been submitted (one for each rotation).
2. Letter sent (by you) informing the Physiotherapists Board that you have completed your rotations
3. a copy of your diploma (if a verification letter was sent initially) that is certified by the university is submitted.

We will then advise of your registration status, number assignment and advise for payment of registration fees with the Council for Professions Related to Medicine, our overarching body for Licensure.

If you have not sent all required documents, the Board will allow you a three (3) month grace period to complete the registration process from receipt of the first document. If this period is exceeded, you will be required to re-commence the process.

Please note that for Non-Nationals

The applicant must have met applicable requirements under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to be employed in Trinidad and Tobago