Baylor College of Medicine Physician Assistant Program

2020-2021 Academic Calendar Didactic Phase

Fall 1 Semester	
Term 1 (5 weeks)	June 22-July 24, 2020
First Day of Classes	June 24
Holiday (Independence Day-Observed)	July 3
Last Day of Classes	July 17
Study Time and Exams*	July 18-July 24
Vacation	July 25-August 2
Term 2 (9 weeks)	August 3-October 2, 2020
First Day of Classes	August 3
Holiday (Labor Day)	September 7
Last Day of Classes	September 25
Study Time and Exams*	September 26-October 2
NO VACATION	
Term 3 (10 weeks)	October 5-December 11, 2020
First Day of Classes	October 5
Holiday (Thanksgiving)	November 25
No School	November 26
Last Day of Classes	December 4
Study Time and Exams*	December 5-December 11
Vacation	December 12-January 3
Spring 1 Semester	
Term 1 (9 weeks)	January 4-March 5, 2021
First Day of Classes	January 4
Holiday (Martin Luther King Day)	January 18
Last Day of Classes	February 26
Study Time and Exams*	February 27-March 5
NO VACATION	
Term 2 (10 weeks)	March 8-May 14, 2021
First Day of Classes	March 8
Last Day of Classes	May 7
Study Time and Exams*	May 8-May 14
Vacation	May 15-May 23
Term 3 (9 weeks)	May 24-July 23, 2021
First Day of Classes	May 24
Holiday (Memorial Day)	May 31
Holiday (Independence Day-Observed)	July 4
Last Day of Classes	July 16
Study Time and Exams*	July 17-July 22
Clinical Year Orientation	July 23
Vacation	July 24-start of clinical year

^{*}Length of each term includes exam week. Exams are given intermittently throughout the term as well as during the designated exam week.