

**PROGRAM SPECIFICATION**  
**MS Advanced Physiotherapy (MSAPT)**  
**Thesis or non-thesis (project) track**

<b>COURSE TITLE</b>	<b>MS Advanced Physiotherapy (MSAPT)</b>
<b>COURSE DURATION</b>	Two Years
<b>TYPE OF STUDY</b>	Full time evening
<b>STUDY SYSTEM</b>	Semester system
<b>DISTRIBUTION OF SEMESTER</b>	<p>1<sup>st</sup> Year Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 1<sup>st</sup> semester – 3 courses</li> <li>● 2<sup>nd</sup> semester – 2 courses with clinical practice</li> </ul> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Courses &amp; Research work:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 3<sup>rd</sup> semester – 2 courses with clinical practice</li> <li>● 4<sup>th</sup> semester – Research thesis / Project</li> </ul>
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<p>27 Credit hours (Course Work)</p> <p>6 /3 Credit hours thesis and project work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 33 credit hours with research thesis</li> <li>● 30 credit hours with project</li> </ul>
<b>DEGREE AWARDING INSTITUTION</b>	Dow University of Health Sciences School of Physiotherapy
<b>TEACHING INSTITUTION</b>	Department/School of physiotherapy, DIPM&R at Dow University of Health Sciences

## CREDIT HOURS & STUDY HOURS DETAILS

<b>Credit Hours Distribution</b>	<b>Course work &amp; Research Work (33/30 Credit hours)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Semester 1 = 9 Credit Hours (Course work)</li> <li>● Semester 2 = 8 Credit Hours (Course work+ clinical practice)</li> <li>● Semester 3 = 10 Credit Hours (Course work+ clinical practice)</li> <li>● Semester 4 = 6/3Credit Hours (thesis/ Project)</li> </ul>
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS OF THE PROGRAM</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 33 credits with research thesis</li> <li>● 30 credits with project</li> </ul>
<b>Study Hours Distribution</b>	<b>Study Weeks per Semester = 16 weeks</b> <b>Examination = 2 weeks</b> <b>Semester Break = 2 weeks</b>
<b>Teaching Hours Distribution</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Lecture hours</li> <li>● Practical / Lab. Hours</li> <li>● Clinical practice hours</li> <li>● Self-Directed Studies</li> </ul>