

Fact Sheet 2011–2012

General Information

- Founded 1977 by Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH)
- Incorporated 1985 as a subsidiary of MGH
- Member of Partners HealthCare System, founded in 1994

Accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC); Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education; Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education; Council on Academic Accreditation of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association; Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology.

Approved by the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Nursing and the Massachusetts Board of Elementary and Secondary Education.

Academic Programs and Degrees

School of Nursing	Fall Enrollment	Degrees Awarded
Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing (ABSN)	91	93
Master of Science in Nursing:		
Direct-Entry (DEN)	304	89
Post-Professional	48	13
Doctor of Nursing Practice	47	7

School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences	Fall Enrollment	Degrees Awarded
Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders:		
Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology (SLP)	112	55
Certificate of Advanced Study in Reading	27	24
Program in Medical Imaging:		
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Medical Imaging	21	21
Department of Physical Therapy:		
Doctor of Physical Therapy (Entry-Level) (DPT)	166	58
Doctor of Physical Therapy (Post-Professional)	57	32
Master of Science (for International PTs)	38	23
Certificate of Advanced Study	3	6

Licensure and Certification Exam Pass Rates, First-Time Test Takers	IHP	National Average*
NCLEX-RN (ABSN)	89%	88%
NCLEX-RN (DEN)	91%	88%
NPTE (DPT)	98%	89%
PRAXIS (SLP)	100%	86%
ARRT-RAD	100%	93%

*Accreditation agencies report test results at varying times; national averages shown are most recent available.



Students

Enrollment	Heads	Percent of Total
Full-time	694	62%
Part-time	417	38%
School of Nursing	490	44%
School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences	424	38%
Non-Degree	197	18%

Demographics

Men	166	15%
Women	945	85%
21 - 29 years	709	64%
30 - 39 years	200	18%
40+ years	202	18%
Asian	110	10%
Black/African-American	34	3%
Hispanic	13	1%
American Indian or Alaska Native	4	<1%
White	679	61%
Unknown	271	24%

Number of Applicants to Entry-Level Programs 1,930

Percent of Applicants Offered Admission 38%

Average GRE Score of Admitted Students Verbal: 151

Note: New GRE Scoring System Quantitative: 149

Written: 4

Average Undergraduate GPA 3.22

Student Clubs & Organizations 10

Graduation Rate 98%

Alumni 4,457

Students Designated as Schweitzer Fellows 29

Faculty and Research FY12 (July 1, 2011–June 30, 2012)

Student : Faculty Ratio 8 : 1

Faculty

Full-time	73
Part-time	26
FTE Lecturers	76

Percent of Faculty with Doctoral or Terminal Degree 68%

External Grant Funding \$565,088

Faculty Designated as:

Fellow of the American Academy of Nursing (FAAN)	6
Catherine Worthingham Fellow of the American Physical Therapy Association (FAPTA)	6
Fellow of the Speech-Language-Hearing Association (FASHA)	6
Honors of the Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA Honors)	2
Fubright Fellows	2

Finances FY12 (July 1, 2011–June 30, 2012)

Operating Budget \$29.9 million

Endowment (June 30, 2011) \$39.6 million

Tuition Rate \$1,060 per credit
\$530 per audit credit

Total Tuition and Fees, Entry-level Programs

Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing	\$49,310
Master of Science in Nursing	\$102,030
Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology	\$72,950
Doctor of Physical Therapy	\$108,385

Financial Aid FY12 (July 1, 2011–June 30, 2012)

Percentage of Students Receiving Financial Aid 81%

Total Student Loan Volume \$29.7 million

Institutional Scholarship Budget \$3.25 million

Average Award as a Percentage of Program Cost 47%