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**Job Title:** Assistant Professor/Asst. Director Of Clinical Education-Physical Therapy

**Organization:** Midwestern University

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**Midwestern University Physical Therapy Program** in Glendale, Arizona invites applications for a full-time, 12-month tenure track faculty appointment. This position provides an opportunity to participate in both the academic and clinical education programs. The ADCE role involves 50% administration time for clinical education responsibilities. The ADCE will work closely with the DCE and the administrative coordinator of the clinical education program to advise, evaluate, and develop the clinical education curriculum. Responsibilities may include, but are not limited to, managing and facilitating new and existing clinical site partnerships, enforcing policy, developing and leading clinical faculty development initiatives, performing site visits, advising students, and evaluating student performance. The successful candidate will also teach in one or more content areas within the program. Additional responsibilities include scholarly activities, student advisement, and service to the community, profession, and all levels of the university. Specific assignments are dependent upon program needs.

*Midwestern University* is an independent, not-for-profit organization that provides graduate and postgraduate education in the health sciences. Midwestern University has two campuses, one in Glendale, Arizona and a second campus in Downers Grove, Illinois. The Glendale campus includes the College of Health Sciences, Arizona College of Osteopathic Medicine, College of Pharmacy-Glendale, College of Dental Medicine-Arizona, Arizona College of Optometry, and College of Veterinary Medicine. The *College of Health Sciences* includes programs in Cardiovascular Perfusion, Clinical Psychology, Nurse Anesthesia, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Physician Assistant, Speech Pathology, and Arizona School of Podiatric Medicine. The Physical Therapy Program offers the entry-level Doctor of Physical Therapy degree, matriculating 54 students each year. The Program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education and currently has 12 faculty members and a complement of clinical adjunct faculty members. The University is accredited by The Higher Learning Commission, a Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. We encourage you to [visit www.midwestern.edu](http://www.midwestern.edu) for additional details about our dynamic University.

**Description:** Qualified applicants must secure licensure as a physical therapist in the State of Arizona, have a minimum of four years of clinical experience, and a minimum of three years of experience supervising/mentoring students. Applicants should possess strong organization, communication, and interpersonal skills. Applicants must have the ability to travel to sites within and outside of Arizona for site visits during clinical experiences. The preferred candidate will have a terminal academic degree (i.e., PhD, EdD, DHSc) or American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties Geriatric Certification, a strong interest in clinical education, have completed the American Physical Therapy Association Credentialed Clinical Instructor Program, and have prior experience as a DCE, assistant DCE, or Site/Center Coordinator of Clinical Education. Preference will be given to those with content expertise in geriatrics and/or assessment of student performance in simulated clinical encounters. Salary and benefits are competitive for this tenure track position.

Please submit your application packet through MWU's online job board. Your online profile should include:

- A cover letter
- Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- Contact information for three references
- Teaching philosophy statement

**Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. If you have questions feel free to contact Dr. Bierwas.**

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