

SPORTS RESIDENCY OVERVIEW

ATI Sports Residency Mission

The mission of the ATI Sports Residency is to create a growth opportunity for physical therapists interested in becoming board-certified clinical specialist in sports physical therapy. The program will provide a quality advanced education, including guided growth and continuous improvement through strategic initiatives to enhance patient care.

This mission, along with our company values, assists in guiding our residency in achieving this goal.

Our Values











TRUST

PATIENT CARE

EXCELLENCE

COLLABORATION

INNOVATION

Residency Program Overview

Our sports residency program runs from August through September of the following year. We take 2-4 residents for each location, depending on our clinic availability, candidates, and mentors. Our program is offered in: Birmingham, AL; Charleston, SC; Chicago, IL; Greenville, SC; Phoenix, AZ; and Tacoma, WA.

Residents treat patients on average for 32 hours per week with an additional 4 hours of mentorship, 4 hours of sport coverage, 3-4 hours of specialty practice observation, and 4 hours of didactic/Journal club each week.

Total Residency Hours					
Patient Care	1800 Hours				
Didactic	260 Hours				
Mentoring	180 Hours				
Sports Venue Coverage	200 Hours				
Specialty/Physician Observation	60 Hours				

Our full pay residency is valued at \$15,000, and we provide full coverage of that cost with a 2-year commitment to ATI after successfully completing the residency program. Completion can be fulfilled any location with an open position in the company.

Admission Requirements

Residents must be licensed clinicians when they start the residency program in the state where they are enrolled in the program. We are looking for candidates who are willing to learn, have a strong passion for sports, are flexible, and demonstrate effective communication and teamwork.

When clinics are located in close proximity, residents rotate between sites to gain exposure to diverse patient populations and mentorship styles. In instances where travel between clinics is not feasible, we provide alternative opportunities to ensure residents receive guidance and development from multiple mentors.

To apply using our standard application process, please visit the RFPTCAS website at rfptcas.liaisoncas.com

If you're interested in an early application process because you are either an ATI Employee, ATI Student or someone who is only interested in applying to our program, please email us at residency@atipt.com. We'll provide a link to submit your application through an alternate platform without a fee.

Application deadline for Sports: December 31, 2025

Sample Sports Resident Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
OFF	Didactic/ Journal Club	Clinical Care	Physician Observation				
			Clinical Care		Clinical Care	OFF	
	Clinical Care	Mentorship		Clinical Care			
			Sports Coverage				
	Sports Coverage	Clinical Care		_			
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For additional questions or to express interest in the Sports Residency program, please contact:

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