



### OSCE Requirements for Patient Model Volunteers

Thank you for your interest in volunteering as a patient model for a practical exam in the Master of Physical Therapy program. Please note our volunteer requirements:

- You must be of average size.
- You must inform the organizer ([carissa.dyck@ubc.ca](mailto:carissa.dyck@ubc.ca)) prior to exam day if you are uncomfortable wearing shorts (and a sports bra, if female) in front of the examiner & student, who may be male or female.
- You may be required to expose your back and/or hip in front of the examiner & student, who may be male or female.
- Females, please **do not** wear a sports bra that blocks access to the thoracic spine. This primarily concerns those sports bras with a strap running down the middle of the back (i.e., 'racer bras').
- You must wear runners and comfortable layered clothing (shorts, t-shirt, tracksuit, or something similar).
- You must inform the organizer ([carissa.dyck@ubc.ca](mailto:carissa.dyck@ubc.ca)) prior to exam day of any physical limitations you may have (e.g. back/knee problems).
- Please be aware that you may be required to assist as a hall monitor instead of acting as a patient model for a portion of the exam. This will be kept to a minimum in order to involve everyone as much as possible.
- If you find you are unable to attend on the day, please notify the organizer ([carissa.dyck@ubc.ca](mailto:carissa.dyck@ubc.ca)) as far in advance as possible (48 hour minimum). Students and examiners are relying on volunteers to be present in order to run the exam.
- It is imperative that volunteers are on time, otherwise, the exam may be delayed for everyone.

Lunch and refreshments will be provided for volunteers; however, please bring a water bottle plus a book or something to do in case you have a break. Volunteers will also be given a small gift as a token of our appreciation. Thank you again for your interest in participating!