

A.S. Cannabis Health Therapy

Planting the seeds of relief

From planting the seed to relieving a patient's ailments, learn the healing side of the medical cannabis industry.

Why Choose P.I.T. to prepare you as a Cannabis Health Therapy professional?

✓ **Transferrable Credits**

✓ **Intimate Learning
Environment and Family
Atmosphere**

✓ **Parallel Learning**

✓ **Learn at Your Own Pace
with eLearning at P.I.T.**

✓ **Free Tutoring**

What is the Cannabis Health Therapy Program?

In April 2016, the Pennsylvania governor signed medical marijuana legislation, legalizing the use of cannabis for specific medical uses. Pennsylvania joined New Jersey and Delaware, along with 30 other states and the District of Columbia, permitting the use of cannabis for medical purposes in the United States.

As a burgeoning industry, cannabis provides an untapped well of potential careers. From the applications in the healthcare industry with opportunities available for individuals who want to pursue medical application in this relatively new market.



Why is the program beneficial to me?

Graduates of the Cannabis Health Therapy Program will earn an associate's degree. Students who are interested in pursuing a job will have an array of potential career fields, including:

- Growers
- Trimmers
- Cultivators
- Edible's Manufacturing

Where can I go after P.I.T.?

In addition to being prepared for immediate employment, P.I.T. has transfer agreements with a number of colleges and universities in the area. These agreements enable you to transfer your college credits earned at P.I.T. and complete a bachelor's degree at any accredited college or university. P.I.T. will prepare you for the next step that's right for YOU!

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CANNABIS HEALTH THERAPY (CHT)

Associate in Science (A.S.)

Recommended Course Sequence

Code	Course (Credits)		Physiology (4)
CAT 101	Introduction to Alternative Health Therapies (3)	CAT 210	Alternative Therapeutic Health Horticulture II (3)
ENG 108	Composition (3)	CAT 180	Management Retail Services & Dispensaries (3)
HUM 140	Critical Thinking in the Modern Age (3)	CHM 105	General Chemistry (3)
ENG 215	Analytical Writing (3)	CHM 106	General Chemistry Lab (1)
CAT 108	The Science of Medical Cannabis (3)	MTH 130	Mathematics for Healthcare Professionals (3)
CAT 109	The Politics, History, and Ethics of the Cannabis Industry (3)	COM 108	Communications and Social Interaction (3)
CAT 140	Alternative Health Therapies I (4)	HCM 221	Health Care Statistics (3)
CAT 131	Legal Aspects of Alternative Health Therapies (3)	PSY 105	Introduction to Psychology (3)
BUS 113	Introduction to Business (3)		
CAT 145	Alternative Health Therapies II (4)		
CAT 200	Alternative Therapeutic Health Horticulture I (3)		
CAT 225	Marketing Alternative Health Therapies (3)		
BIO 112	Introduction to Anatomy and		

PROGRAM TOTAL: 64

*Prerequisite coursework is required.

NOTE: Additional course(s) may be required based on the results of a placement test.

Course Highlights

CAT 101—Introduction to Alternative Health Therapies

This course provides an overview of alternative health being integrated into therapeutic treatments by a growing number of health-care clients. Discussions of alternative health, such as herbal medicines, traditional Chinese medicine/acupuncture, essential oils, and medical cannabis, are an integral part of the course.

CAT 131—Legal Aspects of Alternative Health Therapies

This course compares and contrasts the laws enacted by the Federal government versus the State governments. As of 2019, a total of 34 states, District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, and US Virgin Islands have approved a comprehensive, publicly available medical marijuana/ cannabis programs.

CAT 200—Alternative Therapeutic Health Horticulture I

The course is structured to provide you a survey of marijuana horticulture. The process will include understanding fundamental concepts integral to all aspects of production, such as understanding climate and soil, watering schedules, managing pests, harvesting, growing indoors or outdoors, and managing nutrient levels.

TUITION INFORMATION

Number of Terms in Program

Traditional – 7 Terms

Academic or Certification Achievement

Associate Degree for transfer to university or employment

Tuition and Fees for Associate Degree Programs

- Tuition: \$380 per credit, plus tech fees
- Graduation Fee: \$100
- May exclude books and supplies, course or program fees.

*A detailed breakdown may be obtained in the financial aid office.