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**Job Title:** Tenure Track Faculty Position, Physical Therapy, East Tennessee State University

**Organization:** East Tennessee State University  
Physical Therapy Department

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### **Faculty Position-Department of Physical Therapy**

#### **College of Clinical and Rehabilitative Health Sciences**

#### **East Tennessee State University**

East Tennessee State University (ETSU) is seeking applicants for a 12 month tenure track faculty position in the Department of Physical Therapy. ETSU is a Carnegie classified doctoral/research intensive institution which enrolls a diverse student body of 15,000+ students. The Department of Physical Therapy is part of ETSU's Academic Health Science Center which includes the Quillen College of Medicine, the Gatton School of Pharmacy, and the Colleges of Clinical and Rehabilitative Health Sciences, Public Health and Nursing. ETSU is situated in the heart of Northeast Tennessee's medical center within walking distance of hospitals and clinics associated with a state of the art Veteran's Administration Hospital and the Mountain States Health Alliance. Opportunities are available for inter-professional collaboration and community based research, practice and service in a variety of specialties and settings through the university and its community partners.

The PT faculty are excited to move forward with their vision for the department's third decade and beyond. Plans include enhancements to the current DPT curriculum, new post-professional academic and clinical programs, expansion of local and international clinical, service and research opportunities for faculty and students, and major renovations of our teaching and office space. New initiatives involve inter-professional education, translational research, community service, integrated clinical education, and clinical specialization programs including residency and fellowship training. Experienced academic and/or clinical faculty who enjoy program development and innovation are encouraged to apply.

**Responsibilities:** Teaching, service, and research in the Doctor of Physical Therapy program with opportunities for clinical practice and participation in residency education & development of new programs.

**Description:**

**Qualifications:** Minimal qualifications include eligibility for Tennessee State PT licensure; terminal doctoral degree relevant to physical therapy and teaching responsibilities; clinical practice experience; citizen of the U.S./or an authorized alien; and excellent communication/interpersonal and organizational skills. Applicants with previous experience as full time academic faculty and/or those credentialed as clinical specialists with recent teaching experience are preferred. Preferred content expertise: geriatrics, cardiopulmonary, wound care, pharmacology, pathology, and/or physiology. Experienced faculty across all content areas are encouraged to apply and will be considered. Clinical experience equivalent to at least 3 years of full time practice is preferred.

ETSU provides an excellent benefits package including comprehensive health care, vision, dental care, life, and disability insurance and retirement investments. Tuition assistance is available for faculty and dependents. Salary and rank are commensurate with experience and qualifications.

ETSU is located in Johnson City, Tennessee close to the Virginia and North Carolina borders and between the Great Smokey Mountains and the Blue Ridge Mountains. This region is a recreational haven offering camping, fishing, mountain biking, whitewater rafting, hiking and snow skiing. The surrounding area offers many cultural/social events such as community festivals and fairs and is located along the Appalachian Trail in Tennessee. The area offers a moderate climate with all four seasons, and a low cost of living. Visit our website <http://www.etsu.edu/crns/physther> for additional information about our faculty & program.

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**Applications:** Applications are processed electronically at <https://www.jobs.etsu.edu/> Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. ETSU is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer

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