

### PA PROGRAM GOAL 3:

**100% of Physician Assistant (PA) Students, and PA faculty/staff will meet PA Program Mission annually through service, leadership or scholarship by participating in at least two of these areas.**

3a Service					3b Leadership				3c Scholarship			
Academic Year	21-22	22-23	23-24	24-25	21-22	22-23	23-24	24-25	21-22	22-23	23-24	24-25
<b>Students (PA)</b>	100%	100%	100%	100%	58%	42%	42.30%	68%	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Faculty/Staff</b>	100%	100%	100%	100%	86%	86%	86%	75%	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Examples</b>	<p><b>Combined Faculty and PA Student Service Activities:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tent City (health care for those experiencing homelessness)</li> <li>Operation Christmas Child</li> <li>Food for Thought and Sew Hope Community Meal Packing</li> <li>Totes for Tomorrow for Guatemala (2024-2025: constructed tote bags for children's school supplies)</li> </ul> <p><b>PA Student Service Examples:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Food bank volunteering</li> <li>Program admission event volunteers</li> <li>Peer mentoring for incoming PA cohorts</li> </ul> <p><b>Faculty Service Examples:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Service on Program and College committees</li> <li>Community and faith-based organization involvement</li> <li>MLK Day of Service participation</li> </ul>				<p><b>PA Student Organization Leadership:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Officers of Mercy College of Ohio chapter of Student Academy of the American Academy of PAs (SAAAPA)</li> <li>Class liaison positions representing each cohort</li> <li>SAAAPA Assembly of Representatives delegate attending annual AAPA conference</li> </ul> <p><b>Peer Leadership and Mentorship:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Organizing cohort-building events that unite current students and incoming classes (PA Olympics)</li> <li>Organizing "Lunch and Learn" sessions featuring practicing PAs discussing careers</li> </ul> <p><b>Professional Advocacy:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Promoting PA profession during PA Week through campaigns such as "Why PA?"</li> <li>Participating in AAPA/Ohio Academy of PAs (OAPA) Student Medical Bowl competitions and conferences</li> </ul> <p><b>Community and Educational Leadership:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Staffing Junior Achievement Inspire Events</li> <li>Serving as student panelist for "Healing Beyond Bias: Stories of Resilience in Healthcare" (Spring 2025)</li> </ul> <p><b>Faculty Leadership Examples:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Service on program committees and as SAAAPA faculty advisor</li> <li>College leadership including Graduate Studies Committee Recording Secretary</li> <li>Participation in Dignity and Unity Committee (diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives)</li> <li>Collaboration in Interprofessional Education initiatives</li> </ul>				<p><b>PA Student Scholarship:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Through research curriculum Scholarly Inquiry Project proposals</li> </ul> <p><b>Faculty Scholarship Examples:</b></p> <p><b>Scholarship of Teaching:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continuing Medical Education presentations</li> <li>Grant report writing and data analysis</li> <li>Accreditation reports with data analysis</li> <li>Curriculum development and evaluation</li> <li>Service as ARC-PA site visitor</li> </ul> <p><b>Scholarship of Discovery:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mentoring student scholarly inquiry projects</li> <li>Serving on dissertation committees as external experts</li> </ul> <p><b>Scholarship of Integration:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Interprofessional education (IPE) curriculum development and analysis</li> </ul> <p><b>Scholarship of Application:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clinical practice in diverse specialties (e.g., urgent care, palliative care, emergency medicine, orthopedics)</li> </ul>			