

Registration procedure International Physiotherapy Programme Saxion

Enrolment study year 2025-2026



In total 60 international students will be selected and admitted to the course.
The selection and admission procedure will be explained below, please read this procedure carefully.

Step 1: Apply in Studielink.nl and complete your application via the Saxion Application Portal (sis.saxion.nl).

Step 2: Assessment: The first selection takes place during step 2. You must score a 65 (scale 1 to 100) or higher on at least 10 items in the assessment, there are 15 items in total. After you finished the online assessment you'll have to upload a motivation letter (PDF file).

If you fail to meet the requirement of the assessment, the application stops here and you will not be admitted. If your score is 65 or higher on at least 10 items in the assessment and your motivation letter gives us a good impression then you will proceed to step 3.

Step 3: Interview

Step 4: Confirmation of your selection

Our recommendation is to complete your assessment as soon as possible since the interest for our programme is high and we will review applications in order of registration.

Candidates who have completed all steps of the selection procedure will enter the selection in order first come – first served.

STEP 1: REGISTRATION IN STUDIELINK AND PROVIDE SAXION WITH NECESSARY INFORMATION

Apply in Studielink.nl and complete your application via the Saxion Application Portal (sis.saxion.nl).
The best way to do so is to use the 'Apply now' button on the Saxion.edu site of the physiotherapy program.

Complete your registration by uploading all documents necessary to review your registration.
For best performance of our system, it is necessary to register and send in documents on a laptop or PC.

Valid registration and taking part in the selection procedure is only possible if step 1 has been completed successfully before **1 April 2025!**

STEP 2: ASSESSMENT

The online assessment is the second part of the Saxion intake procedure. After you finished the online assessment you'll have to upload a motivation letter (PDF file).

You can complete the assessment at home or in another quiet surrounding. You will need a computer with Google Chrome for the best performance. Please note that it is not possible to make the test on your phone or tablet. The test will take approximately up to 1,5 hours.

The assessment consists of four parts:

General questions

Qualities and obtained skills

Personality traits

Word spelling
Numerical reasoning
Logical sequence of pictures
Single analogies
Double analogies
Logical reasoning
Spatial thinking

Orderliness
Drive
Caution
Ambition
Compliance
Achievement motivation
Self-confidence
Dedication

Motivation letter

View on profession, includes uploading your motivation letter (PDF file).

The motivation letter is part of the online assessment. Please tell us about your inspiration and experiences with respect to health care and your motivation to study physiotherapy at Saxion. Your motivation gives us a first impression of how well our physiotherapy program fits you. In your motivation you might want to answer the following questions:

- What appeals most to you in the field of physiotherapy?
- What is the origin of your interest in this field of health care?
- What do you expect of the study program and your future career as a physiotherapist?

You will be asked to upload a motivation letter in the last step of the online assessment.

The first selection takes place during step 2. You must score a 65 (scale 1 to 100) or higher on at least 10 items in the online assessment. There are 15 items in total. If you fail to meet the requirement of the assessment, the application stops here and you will not be admitted.

If your score is 65 or higher on at least 10 items in the assessment and your motivation letter gives us a good impression then you will proceed to step 3.

You will get the outcome whether you have been rejected or selected within seven days via email.

If your application is successful, you will receive more information about the payment of tuition fees by email.

If you are rejected then we request you to terminate your application in studielink.

Once the number of 60 students who have been accepted has been reached, we will put the remaining students on the waiting list. The following applies: first come first served.

Step 3: Personal interview

Once you have passed the online assessment including the motivation letter you will be able to plan your interview. You will receive an email with the procedure about scheduling the interview within 7 days after you finished the online assessment.

You will be assessed on three elements (score outstanding = 3, good = 2, sufficient = 1).

Minimum average score of 2.5 for admission.

Communication

1. Listens attentively when the conversation partner is talking
2. Has active input
3. Formulates clearly and concisely/gives good and concise argumentation
4. Non-verbal communication is effective and correct

Attitude

1. Has an attitude and radiation suiting the occasion and future occupation
2. Has correct manners
3. Seeks responsibility and challenges
4. Shows self-directing capacity
5. Social resilience

Motivation / enthusiasm

1. Is motivated to follow a course at higher vocational training
2. Is motivated for the course physiotherapy
3. Radiates enthusiasm
4. Has a clear and correct picture of what can be expected of this course
5. Has a clear and correct view of what can be expected of a physiotherapist
6. Has a clear and correct view of what can be expected of an internship
7. Has a clear and correct view of living in the Netherlands
8. Prepared well for the study and/or profession

STEP 4: Confirm your selection:

If you are selected to the programme you'll have to confirm your selection by sending an email to Ms Tanja Houdel (intake.agz@saxion.nl) **before 15 June 2025**.

If you do not confirm your study place, your application for this academic year will be withdrawn and your study place will be awarded to another candidate.

You will receive the outcome of your selection by email followed by the letter of admission and an invoice for payment.

Note:

- We strive for a diverse study environment, including diversity in the classroom. For this reason we take into account a maximum number of students from a specific country in the selection.
- The application procedure will be closed in case the number of 60 applicants will be reached before 1 April 2025.

Questions?

Contact person admission procedure Physiotherapy

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