

Jefferson Health Sciences college adds two degrees

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Jefferson College of Health Sciences (JCHS) in Roanoke has been granted approval to offer Master of Science degrees in Occupational Therapy (MSOT) and Physician Assistant (MSPA) by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS). Both programs will begin classes in fall 2008 and are now accepting applications from prospective students.

JCHS was given approval to begin offering graduate level courses in 2005 by SACS. JCHS implemented the Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) program in 2005 and graduated the first class in May 2007.

With the approval of the MSOT and MSPA programs, JCHS now offers 18 degree programs in the health sciences, including associate, baccalaureate and master's degrees.