



International Conference on Recognition

on 25 and 26 November 2021 and Pre-
Conference on 24 November 2021

Physician Assistance – Perspectives and Boundaries for International Mobility

D10.2 - Lightning Panel - Day 2 - 14:30-15:15 (CET)

- Prof. Dr. Peter Heistermann, German University Association Physician Assistant/Fliedner University of Applied Sciences



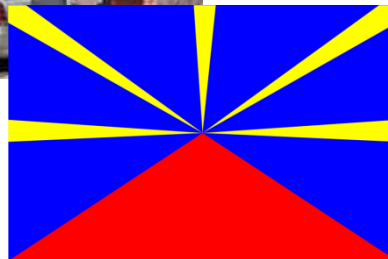
Challenges for international mobility

- Nationally very different regulations in health system and differing responsibilities for health professionals
- Strictly regulated access to the healthcare sector – relevant for interns
- Strong focus on connecting / interweaving theory and practice leads to a complex programme structure – needs more flexibility
- Dual programmes – employers to be considered as well



Option 1: Practical placements

Module clinical rotations as a mobility window
-> Placement abroad





Option 2: Same contents and similar structure

Dual Master Physician Assistant

- Hogeschool van Arnhem en Nijmegen
- alignment of study contents and structure in different national health systems

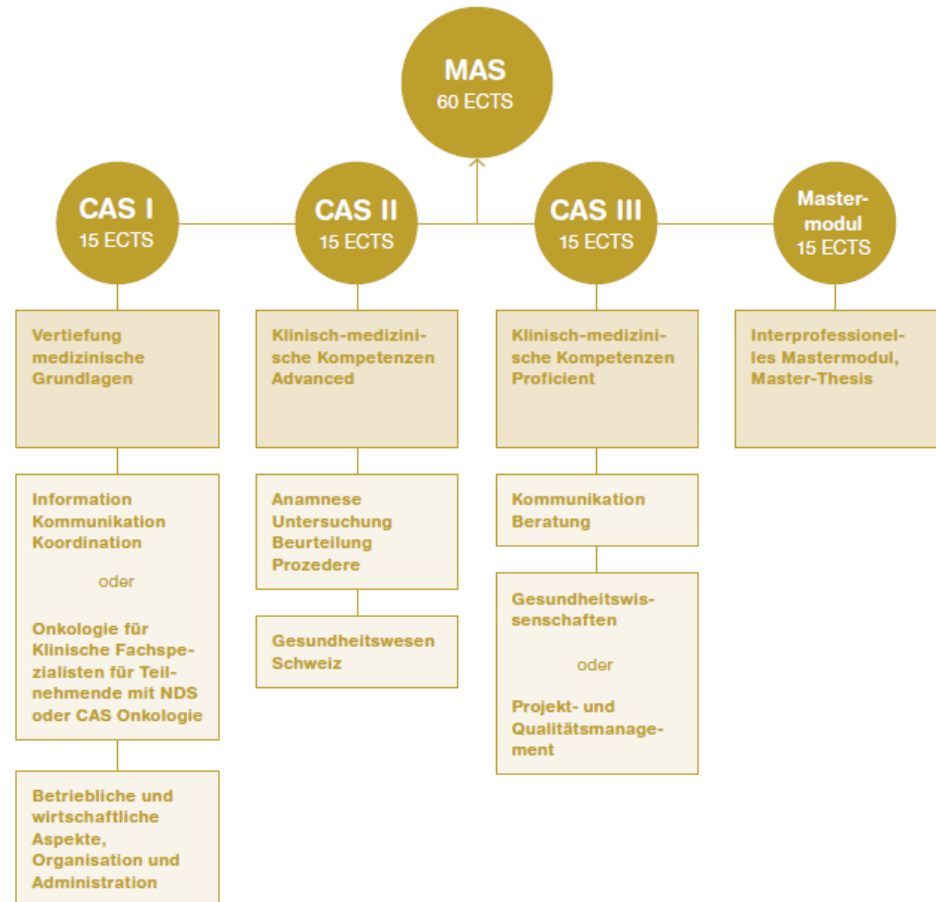
Onderwijseenheden	SBU	Studiepunten
JAAR 1		
1. Inleiding		
- Binnenschools	140	5
- Stages	140	5
- Werken en leren op de eigen werkplek	140	5
2. Patiënt met chirurgische aandoening		
- Binnenschools	140	5
- Stages	140	5
- Werken en leren op de eigen werkplek	140	5
3. Patiënt met inwendige aandoening		
- Binnenschools	140	5
- Stages	140	5
- Werken en leren op de eigen werkplek	140	5
4. Acut zieke patiënt		
- Binnenschools	140	5
- Stages	140	5
- Werken en leren op de eigen werkplek	140	5

Semester	Module			ECTS
1.	Klinische Entscheidungsfindung (Clinical Reasoning)	Chirurgische Patientinnen/Patienten inkl. EBM	Studienintegrierte Praxisphase	24 ECTS
2.	Internistische Patientinnen/Patienten	Akut kranke Patientinnen/Patienten	Studienintegrierte Praxisphase	24 ECTS
3.	Chronisch kranke Patientinnen/Patienten	Neurologische und psychiatrische Patientinnen/Patienten	Studienintegrierte Praxisphase	24 ECTS
4.	Geriatrische Patientinnen/Patienten	Paediatrische Patientinnen/Patienten und Patientinnen in Gynäkologie und Geburtshilfe	Studienintegrierte Praxisphase	24 ECTS
5.	Klinisches Handeln (Clinical Practice)	Forschungswerkstatt	Masterarbeit	24 ECTS
				120 ECTS



Option 3: Smaller units

- Short units, Summer Schools and Winter Schools
- Master of Advanced Studies in Physician Associate Skills (60 ECTS) ZHAW, Health Department, Switzerland:
3 courses of further Education (each contains 3 modules of 5 ECTS) + Master thesis = MAS





Option 4: International exchange within an existing module

- Bachelor Physician Assistance at Fliedner UAS and Bachelor Medische Hulpverlening, Hogeschool van Arnhem en Nijmegen
- Blended mobility as part of an existing module, carried out by both institutions

ORM2 Sozialmedizin und Public Health

4. Semester

CHI3 Traumatologie/ Orthopädie und Rehabilitation/ Hals-Nasen-Ohrenheilkunde (HNO)

ORM1 Rechtskunde/ Ethik

KLI2 Klinische Medizin/ Wissenschaftliches Arbeiten und Forschungsmethoden

KLI3 Innere Medizin/ Pharmakologie/ Biochemie

PRA3 Praxisphase Schwerpunkt klinische Medizin: „Evidenzbasierte Entscheidung“

5. Semester

CHI4 Gynäkologie/ Urologie/ Kinderchirurgie

KLI4 Psychologie/ Psychiatrie/ Neurologie

MTD 1 Medizintechnik/ Radiologie

KLI5 Anästhesiologie/ Schmerztherapie/ Innere Medizin II

PRA4 Praxisphase Schwerpunkt Psychologie: Fallbegleitung

6. Semester

CHI5 Herz-, Gefäß-, Thoraxchirurgie (AMV1 Wahlpflichtfach Ambulante Versorgung)

ORM2 Sozialmedizin und Public Health

MTD2 IT/ Medizinische Dokumentation/ Qualitätsmanagement

KLI6 Notfallmedizin/ Emergency Room Management/ Intensivmedizin

PRA5 Praxisphase Schwerpunkt Sozialmedizin/ Public Health: Fallbegleitung „Versorgungspfade“

<https://www.fliedner-fachhochschule.de/studium/physician-assistance-b-sc/inhalte-2/>



International exchanges planned

- Netherlands: Hogeschool van Arnhem en Nijmegen: Bachelor Medische Hulpverlening, Master Physician Assistant
- Switzerland: ZHAW: Master of Advanced Studies Physician Assistance, future Master of Science Ireland: RSCI Master Physician Associate
- Canada: McMaster University, Bachelor Physician Assistant

