ATHLETIC TRAINING (ATHT)

ATHT 145 Introduction to Athletic Training
Prerequisites: Open to freshmen and sophomores only
Description: Introduction to preparation and work of the certified athletic trainer and to the profession and professional expectations and requirements. Observational and laboratory experiences.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Grading Option: Graded with Option
Prerequisite for: ATHT 146

ATHT 146 First Aid, Treatment, and Management of Athletic Injuries
Prerequisites: ATHT 145
Description: Role of the athletic trainer in providing first aid and care to the injured athlete. Emergency medical care systems and personnel, emergency planning, and first aid treatment techniques. Standard first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Grading Option: Graded with Option

ATHT 245 Organization and Administration of Athletic Training
Prerequisites: ATHT 345; parallel ATHT 348
Description: Supporting the daily activities of athletic trainers. Legal concepts, forms and record keeping, drug testing, insurance, concepts of financial management, facility management, and personnel management.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Grading Option: Graded with Option
Offered: SPRING

ATHT 246 Prevention and Care of Athletic Injuries
Prerequisites: Admission to the Athletic Training Program; parallel ATHT 247.
Description: The athletic trainer's duties and function in dealing with the prevention of athletic injuries through administering physical examinations, analyzing sports risk, supervising physical conditioning, properly fitting pads and equipment, and monitoring environmental conditions.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Grading Option: Graded with Option
Offered: FALL
Prerequisite for: ATHT 248; ATHT 249

ATHT 247 Clinical Education I
Prerequisites: Admission to the Athletic Training Program. ATHT 246 parallel.
Description: Organization skills in athletic training. Demonstration and practice of skills in: daily athletic training room operations, administration of physical examinations, practice of common skills found within the domains of athletic training, and use of appropriate wound care technique.
Credit Hours: 1
Max credits per semester: 1
Max credits per degree: 1
Grading Option: Pass No Pass
Offered: FALL

ATHT 248 Clinical Education II
Prerequisites: ATHT 246
Description: Prevention skills in athletic training. Demonstration and practice of skills in: use of various devices and techniques necessary to screen and evaluate athletes fitness and health; use of commercial conditioning equipment; collecting climatic data; fitting equipment; and the application of tapping, wrapping, splints, and braces.
Credit Hours: 1
Max credits per semester: 1
Max credits per degree: 1
Grading Option: Pass No Pass
Prerequisite for: ATHT 347

ATHT 249 Therapeutic Modalities
Prerequisites: ATHT 246
Description: Theoretical and practical guidelines for using light, hydrotherapy, thermal energy, electrotherapeutic equipment, TENS, traction, and manual treatment techniques.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Grading Option: Graded with Option
Offered: SPRING
Prerequisite for: ATHT 345

ATHT 345 Evaluation of Athletic Injuries
Prerequisites: ATHT 249 and parallel ATHT 347.
Description: Knowledge and skills needed by the athletic trainer to conduct a thorough evaluation of athletic injuries and illnesses for the purpose of formulating an impression of the injury so that proper care and disposition of the injury may be achieved.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Grading Option: Graded with Option
Offered: FALL
Prerequisite for: ATHT 346

ATHT 346 Rehabilitation and Reconditioning
Prerequisites: ATHT 345 and parallel ATHT 348.
Description: Planning and implementation of comprehensive rehabilitation and/or reconditioning programs for athletes. Physiological response to trauma, the healing cycle, evaluation of goals and objectives and the principles of therapeutic exercise and therapeutic modalities.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Grading Option: Graded with Option
Offered: FALL
Prerequisite for: ATHT 348; ATHT 445

ATHT 347 Clinical Education III
Prerequisites: ATHT 248 and parallel ATHT 345.
Description: Evaluation skills in athletic training. Demonstration and practice of skills in: taking the history of an injury; identifying objective signs of injury through observation, palpation, range of motion, and "special tests"; and incorporating findings into an effective clinical evaluation.
Credit Hours: 2
Max credits per semester: 2
Max credits per degree: 2
Grading Option: Pass No Pass
Offered: FALL
Prerequisite for: ATHT 348
ATHT 348 Clinical Education IV
Prerequisites: ATHT 347 and parallel ATHT 346.
Description: Rehabilitation skills in athletic training. Demonstration and practice of skills in: the use of manual muscle testing; goniometry; use of ambulatory aids; application of clinical modalities; use of exercise in the recovery from injury/illness.
Credit Hours: 2
Max credits per semester: 2
Max credits per degree: 2
Grading Option: Pass No Pass
Prerequisite for: ATHT 346

ATHT 445 Medical Conditions in Athletic Training
Prerequisites: ATHT 346; Parallel: ATHT 447
Description: Provide knowledge and skills for the recognition, treatment, and referral of non-orthopedic medical conditions and disabilities for the physically active population.
Credit Hours: 2
Max credits per semester: 2
Max credits per degree: 2
Grading Option: Graded with Option
Prerequisite for: ATHT 446
ACE: ACE 10 Integrated Product
Course and Laboratory Fee: $35

ATHT 446 Interprofessional Collaboration and Performance in Athletic Training
Prerequisites: ATHT 445 and parallel ATHT 448.
Description: Develop skills for working in an interprofessional health care environment with an emphasis on recognition, referral, and proper management of behavioral health conditions commonly seen in active populations.
Credit Hours: 2
Max credits per semester: 2
Max credits per degree: 2
Grading Option: Graded with Option
Prerequisite for: ATHT 448

ATHT 447 Clinical Education V
Prerequisites: Parallel ATHT 445
Description: Advanced skills in athletic training 1. Demonstration and practice of advanced skills in evaluation, treatment, and rehabilitation of athletic injury including isokinetic testing; Proprioceptive Neuromuscular Facilitation (PNF) techniques; and joint mobilization.
Credit Hours: 2
Max credits per semester: 2
Max credits per degree: 2
Grading Option: Pass No Pass
Prerequisite for: ATHT 445; ATHT 448

ATHT 448 Clinical Education VI
Prerequisites: ATHT 447 and parallel ATHT 446
Description: Advanced skills in athletic training 2. Demonstration and practice of skills in the evaluation of athletic injury and illness. Evaluation of common general medical conditions.
Credit Hours: 2
Max credits per semester: 2
Max credits per degree: 2
Grading Option: Pass No Pass
Prerequisite for: ATHT 446