

**PHED 2171
ATHLETIC TRAINING PRACTICUM II
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Credit Hour: 1

Description: The Athletic Training Practicum course consists of two components; 1) a weekly formal instruction, discussion, and 2) practice seminar and a clinical/field experience held in a setting assigned by the Clinical Instructor. The class will meet for formal instruction, practice and evaluation of clinical competencies. It is the responsibility of the student to practice the clinical skills on their own time, during the allotted class time, and during the clinical experience. This course provides a practical experience for the Athletic Training Student. Students gain experience through a hands-on approach via clinical settings and field experiences. Practical experiences are supervised by a Licensed Athletic Trainer and provide opportunities for students to apply the knowledge and skills of injury/illness recognition during the clinical and field experience.

Objective: The goal of this course is to provide the student with the techniques necessary to perform an assessment of specific illnesses and injuries of physically active individuals. It is intended to teach the student Athletic Trainer how to recognize the signs and symptoms of specific injuries/illnesses and to properly assess the nature and severity of injuries/illnesses of the physically active. This course will provide the student Athletic Trainer with opportunities to learn, practice, and utilize assessment skills in a practical setting that complies with the Texas State Advisory Board for Athletic Trainers Education Council's Athletic Training Competencies and Clinical Proficiencies.

Method of Evaluation:

1. Oral/Practical Exams - 30%
2. Completion of assigned Athletic Training projects – 40%
3. Licensed Athletic Trainer Evaluations - 30%

Grading Criteria: 90 – 100% = A

80 – 89% = B

70 – 79% = C

60 – 69% = D

Attendance Policy: After three (3) unexcused absences your overall grade will be dropped one letter grade. Three tardies result in one absence.

16 WEEK OUTLINE

Wk 1 – Introduction and Orientation

Wk 2 – Review Information from Practicum I: Dr's, Forms, Rehab, Taping, and Anatomy

Wk 3 – Record keeping skills and documentation: patient confidentiality

Wk 4 – Assess Neurological responses of the body: dermatomes and myotomes

Wk 5 – Nutrition: pregame meal, supplements

Wk 6 – Training room and budget project: design and buy supplies

Wk 7 – Training room and budget project presentations

Wk 8 - Guest Lecture: Doctor, Physical Therapist, Athletic Trainer

Wk 9 – Evaluation of the Foot and Ankle: Talor Tilt Test, Drawer Test

Wk 10 – Evaluation of the Knee: Valgus, Varus, Drawer Tests

Wk 11 – Evaluation of the Shoulder: ROM

Wk 12 – Evaluation of the Head and Neck: Concussion Symptoms

Wk 13 – Thanksgiving Week, Journal Review

Wk 14 – Evaluation of the Spine: Regions and Special Test

Wk 15 – Review

Wk 16 – Final

PROCEDURE FOR REQUESTING SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS

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