

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ATHLETIC TRAINING (CUW)

The CAATE accredited Concordia University Wisconsin (CUW) Master of Science in Athletic Training (MSAT) program will provide students with the professional preparation necessary to succeed as an entry-level athletic trainer. The program will provide students an educational experience encompassing communication, problem solving, clinical skills, and service. As a result, students graduating from the program will possess the knowledge, skills, and abilities of a successful clinician, will be prepared to pass the Board of Certification Examination, and will be eligible for appropriate state credentialing. The CUW MSAT program will accomplish its mission through a holistic approach to the development of the mind, body, and spirit.

Graduate Program: Students who already possess a bachelor's degree can complete a Master of Science in Athletic Training degree at CUW.

Concordia's MSAT program consists of 69 graduate-level credits, completed over the course of six (6) semesters. The program enhances this classroom education with extensive hands-on clinical experiences in a variety of settings, under the supervision of health care professionals. Students in the Graduate MSAT program complete five (5) semesters of clinical education rotations, including an immersion experience.

Program Learning Outcomes

- Students will communicate effectively with others in an oral or written professional format.
 - Students will communicate professionally, to a variety of audiences, utilizing various media modes.
- Students will write clearly and professionally, using appropriate medical vernacular.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to work collaboratively with other professionals in a team approach to practice.
- Students will demonstrate effective critical thinking and problem solving.
 - Students will identify and analyze a research problem or clinical question.
 - Students will apply an evidence-based model to make informed decisions about patient care.
 - Students will demonstrate data fluency through effective analysis and application.
- Students will demonstrate the knowledge, skills, and abilities expected of an entry-level athletic trainer.
 - Students will demonstrate an understanding of the importance of health promotion and injury prevention.
 - Students will demonstrate the ability to perform a thorough clinical examination, formulate an appropriate diagnosis, and refer to another health care provider if necessary.
 - Students will determine and apply appropriate therapeutic interventions.
 - Students will utilize appropriate psychosocial strategies and recognize the need to refer a patient to another health care provider if necessary.
 - Students will abide by the moral, ethical, and legal obligations established by the Board of Certification and applicable State Regulatory Agencies.
 - Students will understand the administrative and organizational duties required of an entry-level athletic trainer.

- Students will understand the role of a Christian health care provider.
 - Students will demonstrate an understanding of the Christian faith and other worldviews, as it relates to the profession of athletic training.
- Students will identify the importance of serving diverse populations in the Church and the World.

Curriculum

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		
AT 5500	Patient Centered Care	3
AT 5510	Psychosocial Aspects of Athletic Training	3
AT 5520	Athletic Training Foundations	3
AT 5530	Athletic Training Clinical I	1
AT 5540	Professional Development	1
AT 5550	Recognition & Evaluation of Orthopedic Injuries I	4
AT 5560	Emergency Care in Athletic Training	3
AT 5570	Athletic Training Clinical II	2
AT 5600	Administration & Management in Athletic Training	4
AT 5610	Rehabilitation Techniques of Orthopedic Injuries I	3
AT 5620	Recognition & Evaluation of Orthopedic Injuries II	4
AT 5630	Athletic Training Clinical III	3
AT 5640	Therapeutic Modalities	3
AT 6510	Rehabilitation Techniques of Orthopedic Injuries II	3
AT 6520	Recognition & Evaluation of Orthopedic Injuries III	4
AT 6530	Athletic Training Clinical IV	3
AT 6540	General Medical Conditions	4
AT 6575	Seminar in Athletic Training III	3
AT 6600	Research Methods	3
AT 6610	Case Studies in Athletic Training	3
AT 6630	Athletic Training Clinical V	3
AT 7800	Immersion Experience in Athletic Training	6
Total Hours		69

MSAT Graduate Program Admission Requirements

All students applying for admission to the CUW MSAT graduate program will be required to submit the following initial application materials:

- ATCAS application, with a personal statement
- Two letters of recommendation
- Transcripts

Following an admission interview and a positive initial application review, students will be required to submit the following:

- Proof of CPR certification
- Background check
- Handbook agreement signatures
 - Extracurricular Activity Policy, if applicable
- Immunization records

Graduate MSAT Program Admission Requirements

- Bachelor's Degree
- 3.00 GPA
- Anatomy & Physiology: C minimum
- Postsecondary coursework in:

- Anatomy
- Biology
- Biomechanics
- Chemistry
- Exercise Physiology
- Nutrition & Public Health
- Physics
- Physiology
- Psychology

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Students may be allowed to transfer up to 12 credits into this program with Director approval.

Plan

Course	Title	Hours
Semester 1		
AT 5500	Patient Centered Care	3
Hours		3
Semester 2		
AT 5520	Athletic Training Foundations	3
AT 5530	Athletic Training Clinical I	1
AT 5540	Professional Development	1
AT 5550	Recognition & Evaluation of Orthopedic Injuries I	4
AT 5560	Emergency Care in Athletic Training	3
AT 5570	Athletic Training Clinical II	2
Hours		14
Semester 3		
AT 5600	Administration & Management in Athletic Training	4
AT 5610	Rehabilitation Techniques of Orthopedic Injuries I	3
AT 5620	Recognition & Evaluation of Orthopedic Injuries II	4
AT 5630	Athletic Training Clinical III	3
AT 5640	Therapeutic Modalities	3
Hours		17
Semester 4		
AT 7800	Immersion Experience in Athletic Training	6
Hours		6
Semester 5		
AT 6510	Rehabilitation Techniques of Orthopedic Injuries II	3
AT 6520	Recognition & Evaluation of Orthopedic Injuries III	4
AT 6530	Athletic Training Clinical IV	3
AT 6540	General Medical Conditions	4
AT 6575	Seminar in Athletic Training III	3
Hours		17
Semester 6		
AT 5510	Psychosocial Aspects of Athletic Training	3
AT 6600	Research Methods	3
AT 6610	Case Studies in Athletic Training	3
AT 6630	Athletic Training Clinical V	3
Hours		12
Total Hours		69

Course options and schedule are subject to change.