



## **Athletic Training Education Program Application**

Thank you for your interest in becoming a part of the Athletic Training Education Program. Below are instructions regarding the various forms that need to be completed by you and/or others. Please read and follow them carefully.

***APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 22, 2013 at 4:30pm.  
Submit all application materials to Lisa Kaufman, HP 311***

***Reference the Checklist for complete details.***

**To be considered for the Athletic Training Education Program, applicants must have:**

1. Completed one year residency at BSU with a minimum GPA of 2.75 (note: transfer students may apply during their first semester).
2. Completed AT 196 (with a B- or better grade). This course must be completed or in progress at the time of application (or equivalent for transfer students).
3. Completed 25 observation hours at time of application.

**\*\*\*IF YOU DO NOT OR WILL NOT MEET THESE 3 REQUIREMENTS BY THE APPLICATION DEADLINE,  
STOP HERE AS YOU DO NOT QUALIFY FOR ADMITTANCE INTO THE PROGRAM\*\*\***

**Disclaimer:** Should you be accepted into the program, a requirement is that you MUST become a student member of National Athletic Trainers' Association (NATA) as we use their Athletic Training Tracking system called ATrack and in order to obtain access to ATrack, you must be a NATA member.

Please refer to the link below for complete details of description of the cost involved and the dues structure:  
<http://www.nata.org/dues/dues-structure>

# Application forms

The following PDF forms are provided for you through links on our web page. Some are in fillable format while others will need to be printed and completed by hand. Click on each form and complete them as instructed here:

- **Application form** (fillable PDF): to be completed by you then printed.
- **Four questions** (fillable PDF): to be completed by you then printed.
- **Medical History** (PDF): print, fill out and take with you to physician of your choice (either BSU Health Center or personal physician) for his/her reference.
- **Report of Physical Examination** (PDF): print and take with you to same physician to complete.
- **Technical Standards Waiver** (PDF): print and take with you to same physician. Both you and physician must read and sign.
- **Confidential Recommendation Waiver** (PDF): to print and be completed by you.
- **Mid-term grade report** (PDF): print and take to your classes with you for professors to write in your current mid-term grade, initial and return to you.
- **Checklist** (PDF): for your use only (does not need to be turned in). Please read and follow instructions carefully.

These are additional requirements beyond the above forms:

- A professionally written letter from you to the Admission Committee stating your background, interests, and strengths that should be considered for admittance into the program...this is your chance to sell yourself! Letter should be one page only.
- Two (2) recommendations (cannot be from members of the BSU Athletic Training Staff). Please direct two personal recommenders to this site: <http://www.bsu.edu/forms2/athletictraining/confidrecomm/> to submit their recommendation online before the application deadline.
- Pre-Athletic Training Observation Form. For this, you need to ask a BSU Clinical Instructor to go to this site: <http://www.bsu.edu/forms2/athletictraining/athtrainobserv/> and submit a recommendation online for you. Again, be sure to inform them of the deadline.
- Official BSU college transcript. (Transfer students must also submit official college transcripts from former institutions).
- Copy of Observation Log to date (***minimum of 25 hours required at time of application***).  
*NOTE: Original log is due at time of interview.*

## **Post application submission process**

You will be notified via email on or after March 20 as to whether you have been chosen to come in for an interview or not. If you are not chosen for an interview, this means that you have not been chosen to participate in the program at this time. If you are chosen for an interview, these will be held on March 29 with further details listed in the March 20 email. Note that being granted an interview is not a guarantee that you have been accepted into the program, it just means that you made it one step further. Final admittance decisions are made immediately after the interviews and subsequent emails sent out to applicants notifying them of such.

**If you have any questions about the application process, you may contact Lisa at:**

Email: [lakaufman@bsu.edu](mailto:lakaufman@bsu.edu)

Phone: 765-285-5178