

ASSISTANT ATHLETIC TRAINER

DEFINITION

Assist Athletic Trainer with the coordinated athletic training program which includes training and conditioning. Attend practice sessions, sports events and perform duties assigned. Assist with the treatment of athletes and prevention of injury to athletes. Provide emergency medical care to athletes based on physician recommendations. Administer various types of sports medicine physical therapy as advised.

SUPERVISION RECEIVED AND EXERCISED

Supervision is provided by the Athletic Director.

May provide work direction to student workers.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES

Tape and wrap athletes for the treatment and prevention of injuries.

Attend various team events; administer first aid as necessary and provide protective devices to athletes.

Assist in ordering equipment and maintenance of inventory control as directed.

Update Athletic Trainer on the severity of sports injuries and approximation of partial or full recovery.

Assist in the maintenance and security of training room facilities.

Assist in program development of various physical conditioning modalities

Provides work direction and training to student workers.

Verifies time sheets for student workers.

Performs other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge of:

Training athletes for team competition.

Treatment of sports injuries.

Taping and wrapping for prevention of injuries.

First Aid and CPR.

Computer software programs.

QUALIFICATIONS (continued)

Ability to:

- Administer First Aid and CPR.
- Prepare and update inventory charts.
- Operate a computer.
- Keep accurate records and schedules.
- Maintain training room modalities.
- Train and provide work direction to others.

EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS

Minimum Qualifications:

At least two years experience working in an athletic training room and attending practices and games in the capacity of an athletic trainer. College coursework in anatomy, athletic training, biology, physical therapy, physiology, or a closely related field may substitute for one year of the experience requirement.

Special Requirements:

National Athletic Trainers Association Certification or Board of Certification qualified.