



## **Non-General Education**

### **Athletic Training Specialization Minor Curriculum Change**

Proposal for Pathology and Evaluation of Athletic Injuries II (0835.220) Name Change

#### **1. Details:**

- a. It is proposed that Pathology and Evaluation of Athletic Injuries II course name be changed to Pathology and Evaluation of Orthopedic Injuries II.
- b. Sponsors: Dr. Douglas Mann (Program Director, Athletic Training Specialization), Dr. Robert Sterner, Mr. Charles Whedon (Coordinator of Athletic Training Services) and the Department of Health and Exercise Science.

#### **2. Rationale:**

- a. The term “athletic injuries” no longer describes the entire patient population that athletic trainers treat on a daily basis. Therefore, the National Athletic Trainers’ Association (NATA) has suggested that when relating to types of injuries, that the term “athletic injuries” no longer be used. The NATA suggests that “orthopedic injuries” be used in its place. It was also recommended by the reaccreditation site visit team that we make this change to the course title. Consequently, this course title change will also ensure that the athletic training education program is in accordance with the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Professions (CAAHEP) standards and guidelines for accreditation.
- b. **No change to the major or minor will result from this proposal’s approval. It also does not affect any other specialization in the Department of Health and Exercise Science.**

#### **3. Results of Consultation:**

- a. None necessary.