

# ATHLETIC TRAINING

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## Fast Facts about Minnesota State Mankato Athletic Training

- Minnesota State Mankato's Athletic Training program was established in 1969—one of the first four Athletic Training programs in the United States. Since then, it has become widely known as one of the best programs in the country.
- We have state-of-the-art equipment and facilities, including a new, customized Athletic Training classroom/lab, as well as state-of-the-art technology. Our students have access to synthetic and digital cadavers, all therapeutic modalities and rehabilitation equipment, and other equipment specific to athletic training.
- Great education at a great value—ALL students pay in-state tuition! Tuition for the two-year master's degree program is less than \$18,000, compared to two or three times that cost for other comparable programs.
- The profession of athletic training has established that the entry-level degree will be a master's level by 2022. Minnesota State Mankato's program is already at the master's degree level, which gives graduates an advantage in the job market.
- Our award-winning faculty are doctoral-prepared leaders in the field who serve in many capacities on state, district and national associations as well as on national accreditation and credentialing boards. They have been honored as distinguished and outstanding educators, received national service awards and been inducted into both state and national Halls of Fame.
- Our well-trained clinical preceptors serve NCAA Division I, II and III athletes as well as highly competitive high school athletes.
- Our students receive hands on, real-world clinical experiences. They apply what they learn on real patients while being mentored by outstanding preceptors, physicians, paramedics, nurses, physical therapists and physician assistants at a variety of medical facilities in the region.



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