

Athletic Training
Doisy College of Health Sciences



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Accreditation

Saint Louis University is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE) located at 2001 K Street NW, 3rd Floor North, Washington, DC 20006. The program will have its next comprehensive review during the 2024-2025 academic year.

More information is available at [caate.net](https://www.caate.net).



Program Outcomes

The freshman entry five-year Master of Athletic Training Program at Saint Louis University is divided into two phases. The pre-professional phase of the program starts with the freshman year and extends through the spring semester of the junior year. The professional phase of the program begins the summer following the junior year and extends for two years. Students can also enter the two-year program as a post-baccalaureate.

Program Retention Rate

Program Retention Rate measures the percentage of students who have enrolled in the professional program who return to the institution to continue their studies in the program the following academic year.

Retention Rate	2018 - 2019	2019 - 2020	2020 - 2021	3-Year Aggregate
Number of Students Beginning Program (cohort number)	23 (Summer 2017)	19 (Summer 2018)	11 (Summer 2019)	53
Number of Students Returning for Subsequent Year 2	19 (Fall 2018)	18 (Fall 2019)	8 (Fall 2020)	45
Program Retention Rate (%)	83%	90%	73%	85%

Program Outcomes Continued

Program Graduation Rate

The Program Graduation Rate measures the progress of students who began their studies as full-time degree-seeking students by showing the percentage of these students who complete their degree within 150% of “normal time” for completing the program in which they are enrolled.

Program Graduation Rate	2018 - 2019	2019 - 2020	2020 – 2021	3-Year Aggregate
Number of Students Graduating from Program	18	18	8	50
Student Graduation Rate (%)	75%	86%	73%	79%

Program Outcomes Continued

Graduate Placement Rate

Graduate Placement Rate measures the percentage of students within six months of graduation who have obtained positions in the following categories: employed as an athletic trainer, employed as other, and not employed.

Graduate Placement Rate	2018 – 2019	2019 – 2020	2020 – 2021	3-Year Aggregate
Number of Students Employed as AT	15	12	6	33
Student Employment/Placement Rate as AT (%)	83%	67%	75%	75%
Number of Students Employed as Other	2	2	0	4
Student Employment/Placement Rate as Other (%)	11%	11%	0%	9%
Number of Students Not Employed	1	1	2	4
Student Not Employed Rate (%)	6%	6%	25%	9%

Program Outcomes Continued

Board of Certification (BOC) Examination Pass Rate

To attain BOC certification as an athletic trainer, an individual must 1) graduate from a CAATE accredited athletic training program and 2) pass the BOC exam. More information regarding this process is available at bocatc.org.

BOC Exam Pass Rate	2018 -2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	3-Year Aggregate
Number of Students Graduating from Program.	18	18	8	44
Number of Students Graduating from Program Who Took BOC Examination.	18	18	8	44
Number of Students Who Passed the BOC Examination on the First Attempt.	18	15	7	40
Percentage of Students Who Passed the BOC Examination on the First Attempt.	100%	83%	88%	91%
Number of Students Who Passed the BOC Examination Regardless of the Number of Attempts.	18	18	18	44
Percentage of students who passed the BOC examination regardless of the number of attempts.	100%	100%	100%	100%

Technical Standards

Athletic Training Students must be able to perform certain mental, physical, and other tasks that are essential in providing care for their patients. These requirements are outlined in the Program's Technical Standards for Athletic Training Students.

After being admitted to the program, Athletic Training students must submit a signed certification statement stating that they believe that they can meet these standards with or without accommodation. The student's statement is also confirmed through a physical examination by a licensed healthcare provider of the student's choosing who also signs a statement on the form (Physician, PA, or Advanced Nurse Practitioner).

The certification form must be on file before beginning the courses or clinical experiences of the program. If a student believes they may require accommodation(s) in order to meet these requirements, they must have their need for accommodation validated through the Saint Louis University's Disability Services Office. The office can be contacted at:

Center for Accessibility and Disability Resources at Saint Louis University
Busch Student Center-Student Success Center
20 North Grand Blvd., Suite 331
St. Louis, MO 63103

Website: <https://www.slu.edu/life-at-slu/student-success-center/accessibility-and-disability-resources/>

Telephone: (314) 977-3484, Fax: (314) 977-3486

This office works jointly with the student and the Athletic Training Education Program to explore accommodation options.

Accommodation may not be possible in some cases.

1. Any student who cannot meet each of the Technical Standards with or without accommodation cannot be enrolled in the Athletic Training Education Program.
2. Students requesting accommodations must have their need for accommodation validated through the Office of Disability Services.
3. Requests for accommodation are not used prejudicially against students.
4. Students are responsible for informing their instructors about needs for accommodation for classroom or clinical education courses.
5. Accommodation requests must be made in a timely fashion in order to permit adequate time to arrange the accommodation. It may not be possible to provide some accommodations on short notice.

[AT Technical Standards Policy](#)

[AT Technical Standards Certification Statement](#)

[AT Technical Standards Document](#)

Clinical Sites

Afton High School

8309 Mackenzie Rd.
Afton, MO 63123

Bishop DuBourg High School

5850 Eichelberger St.
St. Louis, MO 63109

Cardinal Ritter College Prep

701 N. Spring Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63108

Chaminade High School

425 S. Lindbergh Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63131

Christian Brothers College High School

1850 De La Salle Dr.
St. Louis, MO 63141

DeSmet High School

233 N. New Ballas Rd.
St. Louis, MO 63141

Edwardsville High School

6161 Center Grove Rd.
Edwardsville, IL 62025

Fontbonne University

6800 Wydown Boulevard
St. Louis, MO 63105

Francis Howell High School

7001 MO-94
St Charles, MO 63304

Parkway Central High School

369 N. Woods Mill Rd.
Chesterfield, MO 63017

Parkway South High School

801 Hanna Rd.
Manchester, MO 63021

Parkway West High School

14653 Clayton Rd.
Ballwin, MO 63011

Rockwood Summit High School

1780 Hawkins Rd.
Fenton, MO 63026

Saint Louis University

One Grand Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63103

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

14 Rock Hill Court
Edwardsville, IL 62025

Triad High School

703 US-40
Troy, IL 62294

Washington University

One Brookings Drive,
Campus Box 1067
St. Louis, MO 63130

Webster Groves High School

100 Selma Avenue
Webster Groves, MO 63119

Clinical Sites Continued

Harris-Stowe State University

3026 Laclede Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63103

John Burroughs High School

755 South Price Road.
St. Louis, MO 63124

Lafayette High School

17050 Clayton Rd.
Ballwin, MO 63011

Lindbergh High School

4900 S. Lindberg Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63125

Marquette High School

2351 Clarkson Rd.
St. Louis, MO 63017

Westminster Christian Academy

800 Maryville Centre Dr.
St. Louis, MO 63017

*Additional clinical sites could
be utilized as needed

Program Complaint Policy

This policy for addressing program complaints does not include any complaints for which there is an established University, College or Program policy or procedure, such as grade appeals, academic dismissal appeals or allegations of racial, sexual, or gender harassment. These matters are covered in the Athletic Training Student Handbook, the [University Student Conduct Policies](#), or through the [Office of Diversity and Affirmative Action](#).

An individual who has a concern/complaint following an experience/encounter with any student, faculty, or staff member is welcome to communicate their complaint. Program complaints are recognized as an opportunity for program improvement and should be expressed with this end in mind. A complainant can choose to communicate a complaint either informally or formally.

Please [click here](#) for instructions as to how an informal or formal program complaint can be made.

Additional Program Requirements and Fees

Criminal Background Check	Two Step Tb/PPD Screening	CPR Fee	Course Fees
\$44	\$28	\$21	\$340

Criminal Background Check Fee: \$105.00

A majority of the Doisy College of Health Science's learning experience facilities mandate that criminal background checks be performed on all persons having any opportunity for patient/client interaction. This includes employees and volunteers, as well as students. A CBC revealing a charge and/or conviction for certain crimes could result in a ban from participation in learning experiences and thus prevent graduation. Therefore, every student in the Doisy College of Health Sciences whose academic program requires her/him to participate in learning experiences in an affiliate facility will be required to undergo the level of CBC required by their major department and/or the affiliate facility.

The Office of Clinical Education Compliance has a detailed policy that outlines the procedure for obtaining a CBC through the University. Please refer to the [Office of Clinical Education Compliance](#) or your department for a copy of this policy.

The timing of a CBC will be in concert with the student's program/department or affiliate facility policies. A single negative check does NOT preclude the requirement of additional checks at a future time. Students should be aware that any affirmative results from a CBC could restrict ability to participate in a learning experience and therefore restrict ability to complete degree requirements. In addition, the lack of an acceptable report on a CBC could bar the student from sitting for licensure examinations and thus from practice in certain professions.

In the event that a student's CBC is reported "affirmatively" the student will have the opportunity to contest the report by requesting an additional CBC. In the event that an Affirmative CBC is confirmed, the compliance officer will notify the designated program/department official and the student.

Two Step Tb/PPD Screening Fee: \$28.00

Provided at SLU Student Health

CPR Certification Fee: \$21.00

Provided inter-departmentally through MAT 5010 course fee.

Course Fees: \$340.00

Students are required to pay for consumables, supplies and packets for individual courses in the professional phase of the SLU AT program.