

**Radford University**  
**Department of Health and Human Performance**  
**Athletic Training Program**

Criteria for Progression and  
Completion

Students accepted into the Athletic Training Program at Radford University are expected to make satisfactory academic progress, and possess the required academic ability, technical expertise, character and attitude suitable for athletic training. Students are informed of the following criteria used to evaluate academic and clinical progress:

1. Maintain a cumulative grade point of a 3.0 or better.
2. Earn a "B" or better in BIOL 310, 311 or 322.
3. Earn a "C" or better in all athletic training education major courses (see progress sheet for details).
4. Earn "3" or better on all athletic training behaviors (including professional disposition and behavior) evaluated at the clinical site.
5. Maintain current CPR certification through the American Red Cross or the American Heart Association or equivalent agency.

Consequences for not meeting the above criteria are:

1. Failure to maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better will result in the student being allowed Wintermester or the Summer term to achieve a 3.0 cumulative GPA. After the Wintermester or Summer Terms if a student's overall cumulative GPA is still below a 3.0 the student will be removed from the program.
2. Failure to earn a "B" or better in BIOL 310, 311 or 322 will result in the student being removed from the program.
3. Failure to earn a "C" or better in an athletic training core course ATTR 205, ATTR 225, ATTR 250, ATTR 323, ATTR 333 (Taken 4 times), ATTR 325, ATTR 335, ATTR 340, ATTR 345, ATTR 355, ATTR 365, ATTR 422, ATTR 425, ATTR 420, ATTR 430, ESHE 390, ESHE 392, ESHE 350, HLTH 465 will result in the student being removed from the program.
4. Failure to earn an average score of "3" or better on all athletic training behaviors evaluated at the clinical site will result in the student being removed from the program.
5. Failure to maintain current CPR Certification will result in the inability to participate in clinical experiences until current certification is received in the program office. This will affect student performance in the practicum courses.

The student has the right to appeal any decisions made by the Athletic Training Program Director.

If a student wishes to object to the decision of the Athletic Training Program Director, he or she must provide a written, reasoned objection to the Department Chair for Health and Human Performance within 5 working days of notification. The chair will set a date

within 10 days to meet with the student and the Athletic Training Program Director. The chair will notify the student of the decision within 5 days. If the student wishes to appeal the department chair's decision, the student may appeal to the department of Health and Human Performance's personnel committee.

The committee will decide if further appeal is warranted. If the committee decides that the student's appeal has merit, the student will be informed immediately, and a meeting will be set with the committee within 10 working days. If the committee feels that the appeal lacks merit, the student will be notified and this will end the appeal process.

If the case is reviewed by the committee, an appeal date will occur within ten class days following the decision to review the appeal. The committee may interview the student, the Athletic Training Program Director and others involved in this matter. If the committee decides to interview individuals, representatives of both sides of the appeal must be interviewed.

A written copy of the decision of the committee will be sent to the student within three days of the meeting to review the appeal. The decision of the personnel committee is final.