

Athletic Training Student Code of Ethics

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The following are professional guidelines adapted from the NATA Code of Ethics. The primary goal of these guidelines is the assurance of high quality health care.

1. Athletic Training Students shall respect the rights, welfare and dignity of all individuals. All athletes will be treated equally. Favoritism or discrimination is grounds for dismissal.
2. Athletic Training Students shall preserve the confidentiality of privileged information and shall not release or discuss any medical information. Discussing medical information with anyone other than athletic training staff is grounds for dismissal.
3. Athletic Training Students shall comply with applicable local, state, and federal laws and institutional guidelines.
4. Athletic Training Students must abide by the training room dress code for daily work and games.
5. Athletic Training Students are expected to follow and meet NCAA guidelines.
6. Athletic Training Students shall accept responsibility for the exercise of sound judgment.
7. Athletic Training Students shall provide only those services for which they are qualified via education and/or experience.
8. Whenever possible, Athletic Training Students are encouraged to participate and support others in the conduct and communication of research and educational activities that may contribute knowledge for improved patient care, patient or student education, and the growth of athletic training as a profession.
9. Athletic Training Students shall not engage in any form of conduct that constitutes a conflict of interest or that adversely reflects on the University.
10. Athletic Training Students shall not participate in any arrangement that exploits the athlete/patient.