SUBJECT AREA AND COURSE NUMBER: SMED 183

COURSE TITLE: ATHLETIC TRAINING CLINICAL 3

UNITS/HOURS Units: 2

CATALOG COURSE DESCRIPTION: A clinical practicum course provides the athletic training student clinical experience in athletic training room within the college setting. Emphasis will be placed on taping, padding, bracing, splinting, protective equipment and the care of athletes with acute and chronic athletic conditions. The skills will be developed under the supervision and assistance by a Certified Athletic Trainer.

OUTCOMES:
1. Discuss legal concerns related to the use of protective equipment.
2. Identify the different types of protective equipment available for various parts of the body.
3. Describe the proper technique for fitting a football helmet and shoulder pads.
4. Discuss the efficacy of knee and ankle taping, braces, and supports in reducing injuries.
5. Demonstrate site preparation for taping.
6. Know the various types of tape that can be used.
7. Demonstrate basic skills in the use of taping for a variety of body parts.

REQUISITES: Advisories: SMED 040