Department of Kinesiology and Applied Health

Athletic Therapy – Enhanced Major Form

The deadline to apply to the Athletic Therapy program for September admission is **April 1 of the intake year**. Enhanced Major Forms received after this deadline may be considered at the discretion of the Athletic Therapy program director.

Personal Information						
Name:		Date of Birth: (month/day/year)				
Address:		City:	<u> </u>	Province:		
Postal Code:	Phone:	Email:				
UW Student #:	Name of previous institution: Transfer Students ONLY					
Name of Referee (See #5)						
Name:						
Institution:						

Enhanced Major Requirements

1. Course Assessment

Successful completion of the prescribed 60 credits hours (https://www.uwinnipeg.ca/dept-kinesiology/degrees/4-yr-bsc-athletictherapy.html).

2. GPA

Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 with a regular status admission. Students who have not met the regular status requirement may still be considered on a case by case basis.

Transfer students must arrange to send:

• A transcript listing completed courses and grades from the student's previous institution.

3. Experience and Abilities

Students must submit a CV or resume and indicate their previous university/college experience as well as other skills that are relevant to a career in athletic therapy.

Examples:

- Work and/or volunteer experience must include start and end date.
- Professional related skills (i.e. computer, leadership, interpersonal, writing, etc.)
- Certifications/Memberships (i.e. CPR-HCP, First Aid, CATA, etc.)

4. Personal Submission (Maximum 800 words)

Students must indicate in their personal submission letter why they want to pursue athletic therapy. They should also indicate that they have investigated the profession of Athletic Therapy. This may include interviewing/observing/shadowing an AT in their workplace; volunteering in sport first aid with a sport team under the supervision of an AT at a university/college or other level as well as other skills that may be relevant to a career in athletic therapy.

5. Professional Recommendation Letter

A professional letter of reference from a previous employer, practicum supervisor, etc. The letter must address the student's potential for success in the Athletic Therapy program and profession, reliability, maturity, and other relevant professional qualities. The letter of reference must be personally submitted by the referee by email or mail. Letters submitted by students will not be accepted. Please have the letters submitted no later than **April 1** of the intake year.

Email: kinesiology@uwinnipeg.ca

Subject: Enhanced Major Reference Letter for (Student Name)

Mail: Department of Kinesiology and Applied Health

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6. Valid Certification

Standard First Aid - Red Cross or equivalent, and Basic Life Support must be completed prior to beginning classes in the Athletic Therapy program.

Please submit this form along with your Personal Submission and CV or resume (Transfer students must include their transcript from their previous institution) either by email or mail:

Email: kinesiology@uwinnipeg.ca Subject: Enhanced Major Form – (Student name, UW Student#)

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Signature:	Date:	