

2025-2026 Graduate Assistant Athletic Training Positions

Post-Professional Athletic Training Program

Department of Exercise Science, Arnold School of Public Health

Program Overview

The Post-Professional Athletic Training Program at the Arnold School of Public Health is actively seeking athletic trainers to join us as Graduate Assistants for the 2026-2027 academic year. This is an exciting opportunity for athletic trainers interested in advancing their careers by earning a Certificate in Graduate Studies in either **Behavioral Health in Athletic Training** or **Critical Incident Management & Primary Care**.

Graduate Assistant Benefits

- **12-month appointment:** Starting June 2024
- **Stipend & Tuition Package:** Approximately \$30,000, including stipend and tuition coverage, and student health insurance
- **Additional Earning Opportunities:** Option to provide athletic training services for USC Athletics Summer Camps and teaching assistantships offering extra summer pay

Certificate in Graduate Study Pillars:

- Advanced Practice Leadership
- Delivery of Diverse, Equitable, Assessable, and Inclusive Healthcare Practice
- Policy-to-Practice Integration
- Implementation and Development of Research

Clinical Placements

- USC Athletics & Local College/Universities
- USC Marching Band/Dance, Campus Recreation and USC's Sports Medicine Clinic (Student Health & Wellness Center)
- Local Secondary Schools (private & public)

Qualifications

To be considered, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- BOC Certified by June 2025
- Eligible for South Carolina State Licensure
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Admission to USC's Graduate School and enrolled in one of the Certificates Programs.

Simultaneous submission of both the Graduate School and Graduate Assistant application is required. For Graduate School applications, visit [USC Graduate School](#) or contact them at (803) 777-4243 for assistance.

Application Instructions

1. **Cover Letter:** Indicate which Certificate program you are interested in (Behavioral Health in Athletic Training OR Critical Incident Management and Primary Care).
2. **Resume**
3. **List of 3 references** (names and contact information)
4. **Provide a current cumulative GPA**
5. **BOC Certification:** Provide your estimated exam date or current BOC number if you are certified

Send application electronically to ATGRAD@mailbox.sc.edu. Application window opens November 15, 2025 through January 16, 2026. We will start formal interviews starting January 26 through February.

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