

**COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
WEST VIRGINIA WESLEYAN COLLEGE AND GLENVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY  
FOR:  
MASTER OF ATHLETIC TRAINING**

This Agreement is entered into this 19<sup>th</sup> day of MAY, 2025, by and between West Virginia Wesleyan College ("WVWC") and Glenville State University ("GSU") (WVWC and GSU are sometimes collectively referred to hereinbelow as the "Parties").

**Whereas**, WVWC offers a professional Master of Athletic Training ("MAT") program; and

**Whereas**, it is the desire of the Parties for highly qualified students attending GSU to enter the WVWC's professional MAT program.

**Now, therefore**, the Parties agree as follows:

1. GSU will provide an undergraduate education that meets the stated requirements for WVWC's professional MAT program. GSU students must satisfy one of the following two pathways:
  - a. Complete an undergraduate bachelor's degree, in any major which includes the prerequisite courses required for admission into WVWC's professional MAT program, from GSU prior to matriculation into the WVWC's professional MAT program (4+2 model);
  - b. Complete a minimum of 91 credits towards an undergraduate bachelor's degree in Health Sciences with Pre-Athletic Training concentration from GSU prior to matriculation into WVWC's professional MAT program (3+2 model);
    - i. Students must complete all courses listed in Appendix I for the Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences with Pre-Athletic Training concentration;
    - ii. Students will earn their Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences with Pre-Athletic Training concentration from GSU upon successful completion of the 30 credits of WVWC Year 1/Year 4 as outlined in Appendix II;
    - iii. Transcript showing successful completion of the 30 credits from WVWC must be requested by the student to be sent to GSU Registrar Office within 18 months after their last enrollment with GSU. GSU will waive the policy requiring students who interrupt their schooling for two or more regular academic semesters to be readmitted under the most current catalog.
2. WVWC's professional MAT program will accept up to four (4) GSU students each year, provided said students meet the following criteria:
  - a. Complete either undergraduate pathway at GSU as described above which meets the stated requirements for WVWC's professional MAT program;
  - b. Submit a Letter of Intent (Appendix III) to both WVWC and GSU Registrar's offices detailing the pathway for meeting the stated requirements for WVWC's professional MAT program with the expected entrance date
    - i. Early Assurance Pathway: Students may apply during their Freshmen or Sophomore year, guaranteeing a seat in WVWC's professional MAT program, and remain eligible by meeting all prerequisite courses from GSU and completing 50 observation hours with a certified athletic trainer;
      1. Students who complete the Health Sciences with Pre-Athletic concentration prior to matriculation to WVWC's professional MAT program (4+2 program) will satisfy the 50 observation hours with EXSC 493 Practicum;
      2. Students who enter WVWC's professional MAT program (3+2 program) after completion of a minimum of 91 credits towards Health Sciences with Pre-Athletic concentration must

complete 50 observations hours with a certified athletic trainer in addition to the required coursework

- c. Attain an overall cumulative undergraduate grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale or higher;
  - d. Attain a grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale or higher in the required prerequisite courses, which includes, without limitation: BIOL 120, HLTH 105, HLTH 107, PED 201, HLTH 230, HLTH 231, PED 332, PED 421, CHEM 101, PHYS 201, PSYC 201, and MATH 256. Higher level courses may be substituted for lower-level courses in the same area;
  - e. Attain a minimum grade of C (2.0) in each required prerequisite course;
  - f. Complete online application with WWC's Graduate Admissions Office including all requisite elements (undergraduate official transcript, essay, technical standards form, resume, two recommendations using the online graduate recommendation form, etc.);
    - i. WWC shall waive deposits and offer a tuition discount rate of 5% for all eligible students from GSU;
    - ii. WWC shall waive recommendation forms and offer a tuition discount rate of 10% for all GSU Early Assurance Pathway students;
  - g. Successfully complete the professional MAT program interview process;
    - i. WWC shall waive interviews for all GSU Early Assurance Pathway students;
3. In addition, WWC shall also require the following items for GSU students enrolling in its professional MAT program: physical examination within the last 12 months, copy of Hepatitis B immunization record or signed declination, current American Heart Association Basic Life Support (BLS) certification, Healthcare Provider or American Red Cross Professional Rescuer CPR and AED certification, criminal background check, drug screening, blood titers, universal precautions bloodborne pathogen training, National Athletic Trainers' Association student membership, and recommended direct observation experience with a certified athletic trainer.
4. All notices required under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if: (i) delivered by hand and receipted for by the party to whom said notice or other communication shall have been directed; or (ii) mailed by certified or registered mail with postage prepaid, to the following addresses:

School:	School:
West Virginia Wesleyan College	Glenville State University
59 College Avenue	200 High Street
Buckhannon, WV 26201	Glenville, WV 26351
Academics	Academics
Title: Provost/Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs	Title: Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs
(304) 473-8042	(304) 462-6171
Mechanism to Transfer Credits	Mechanism to Transfer Credits
Title: Academic Services/Registrar	Title: Registrar
(304) 473-8046	(304) 462-6111
Aid and Scholarships	Aid and Scholarships
Title: Director of Financial Aid	Title: Financial Aid Director
(304) 473-8080	(304) 462-4103
Admissions	Admissions
Title: Vice President of Enrollment & Marketing	Title: Vice President of Enrollment & Student Affairs
(304) 473-8518	(304) 462-6131

Program/Department	Program/Department
Title: Master of Athletic Training, Program Director	Title: Dean of Health Sciences
(304) 473-8002	(304) 462-6471

5. This Agreement may be terminated by either party upon six (6) months written notice to the other party. Provided that, WVWC shall permit any student who has entered its program finish said program, including those students accepted into the Early Assurance pathway.
6. This Agreement may be immediately terminated if either party loses their accreditation status, ceases doing business, or for financial exigency of a party.
7. No provisions of this Agreement are intended, nor shall they be interpreted, to provide or create any third-party beneficiary rights or other rights of any kind.
8. This Agreement may not be assigned by either party without the written consent of the other party.
9. This Agreement may be modified or amended upon mutual agreement of the Parties.
10. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of West Virginia.
11. The Parties to this Agreement are not partners or joint venturers with each other, and nothing herein shall be construed to constitute them as partners or joint venturers or impose any liability as such on either of them.
12. The provisions of this Agreement are intended to bind the Parties as to each other and are not intended to, and do not, create rights in any other person or confer upon any other person any benefits, rights or remedies, and no person is, or is intended to be, a third-party beneficiary of any of the provisions of this Agreement.

WVWC:

WEST VIRGINIA WESLEYAN COLLEGE,  
A West Virginia non-profit corporation

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Dr. James H. Moore  
Its: President

GSU:

GLENVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY,  
A West Virginia non-profit corporation

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Dr. Mark A. Manchin  
Its: President

Appendix I

**BS: HEALTH SCIENCES  
CONCENTRATION IN PRE-ATHLETIC TRAINING  
PLAN OF STUDY**

\*Students with ACT Math score of 20 or lower or SAT Math score 520 or lower must take MATH 108 in the fall semester.

**First Year\***

CART 101	3	ART 200 (OR) MUSC 200	2
ENGL 101	3	BIOL 120	4
GSU 100	0	ENGL 102	3
HIST 201, 202, 207, 208 (OR)	3	HLTH 107	3
POSC 203		MATH 115	3
HLTH 101	3		
HLTH 105	3		
<b>Total Hours – Fall Semester</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total Hours – Spring Semester</b>	<b>15</b>

**Second Year**

CHEM 101	4	HIST 201, 202, 207, 208 (OR)	3
ENGL 203, 204, 205 (OR) 206	3	POSC 203	
HLTH 230	4	HLTH 231	4
HLTH 293	3	MATH 256	3
PED 201	1	PED 131	3
		PSYC 201	3
<b>Total Hours – Fall Semester</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total Hours – Spring Semester</b>	<b>16</b>

**Third Year**

EXSC 350	4	EXSC 351	4
PED 421	3	EXSC 465	4
PHYS 201	4	PED 332	3
SCNC 390	1	SOCL 342	3
SOCL 341	2	GENERAL ELECTIVES	2
<b>Total Hours – Fall Semester</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>Total Hours – Spring Semester</b>	<b>16</b>

Appendix II

Year 1/Year 4 Course Study Plan MAT

Term	Course #	Course Title	GR CR
MAT Sum II YY	EXSC 505	Foundations of Patient Care*	3
7 weeks		*Online	(3)
Fall 20YY	EXSC 506	Advanced Emergency Care for the Athletic Trainer	2
	EXSC 515	Principles of Athletic Training	2
	EXSC 535	Clinical Experience I	2
	EXSC 550	Orthopedic Support and Immobilization Techniques	2
			(8)
Sp 20YY	EXSC 536	Clinical Experience II	3
	EXSC 540	Evaluation and Treatment of the Lower Extremity	3
	EXSC 570	Therapeutic Interventions	3
	EXSC 605	Evaluation and Treatment of General Medical Conditions	3
			(12)
MAT Sum I YY	EXSC 635	Rehabilitative Interventions	2
7 weeks	EXSC 545	Evaluation and Treatment of the Upper Extremity & Spine	3
		**Hybrid: In-person 4 weeks/Online 3 weeks**	(5)
MAT Sum II YY	EXSC 613	Psychosocial Aspects of Athletic Training*	2
7 weeks		*Online*	(2)

The following WVWC courses will satisfy requirements in the Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences with the Pre-Athletic Training Concentration as reflected below:

**Glenville State University**

EXSC 370	3
EXSC 455	3
EXSC 493	6
HLTH 435	3
PED 333	2
GENERAL ELECTIVES	12
	<b>29</b>

**West Virginia Wesleyan College**

EXSC 635	2
EXSC 613	2
EXSC 535 & 536	5
EXSC 505	3
EXSC 506	2
EXSC 515, 540, 545, 550, 570, & 605	16
	<b>30</b>

Appendix III

**Articulation Agreement Letter of Intent**

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT LETTER OF INTENT

West Virginia Wesleyan College Master of Athletic Training Program

To: West Virginia Wesleyan College Academic Services/Registrar

My name is \_\_\_\_\_, and I have recently enrolled in the

Pre-Athletic Training articulation program at Glenville State University, in the  
(select a pathway)

Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences, Pre-Athletic Training degree program (3 + 2)

Bachelor of \_\_\_\_\_ degree program (4 + 2)

I understand that this is the first step to becoming a participant in the Pre-Athletic Training articulation program, and that this does not obligate me in any way to apply for admission to the West Virginia Wesleyan College Master of Athletic Training Program. I understand that if I complete the articulation program with the required courses, grades and cumulative GPA, along with all other admissions requirements, I will qualify for assured admission to West Virginia Wesleyan College if I choose to attend.

At this time, I estimate that I will be ready to begin my Master of Athletic Training studies in \_\_\_\_\_ (month/year). If I plan to enter West Virginia Wesleyan College at that time, I will submit my application one year in advance of that entrance date to ensure that my place is reserved in the above timeline's entering class.

I would appreciate receiving current information about the West Virginia Wesleyan College Master of Athletic Training Program.

Sincerely,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Area Code/Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Permanent Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, ZIP

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, ZIP

Advisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor Department: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send a copy of this letter to:**

- Academic Services/Registrar, West Virginia Wesleyan College, 59 College Ave, Buckhannon, WV 26201
- Office of Registrar, Glenville State University, 200 High Street, Glenville, WV 26351

