## Central Michigan University Master of Science in Athletic Training - Fact Sheet

Aquinas College and Central Michigan University (CMU) wish to facilitate the acceptance of students who have completed the required courses and a bachelor's degree from Aquinas College into the Master of Science in Athletic Training program at CMU.

## Requirements:

- 1. Submit a completed application in ATCAS by January 15 including transcripts, verification form, and two letters of recommendation.
  - a. Upload the verification form indicating a minimum of 60 practical experience hours with an Athletic Trainer were completed.
  - b. Upload two professional recommendations in ATCAS.
    - i. One professional recommendation must be completed by an athletic trainer with whom clinical observation hours were obtained.
    - ii. One professional recommendation must be completed by an instructor or professor.
- 2. Complete the CMU Graduate School Application
- 3. Meet minimum cumulative grade point average requirement of 3.0 or higher
- 4. Meet a GPA of 3.0 or higher in identified prerequisite courses (See list below)
- 5. Complete an admissions interview. Applicants are required to interview with the Athletic Training personnel in person or virtually and must have the ability to meet all Technical Standards of the Athletic Training Program.

Aquinas College in consultation with the Athletic Training Program, shall be responsible for nominating two Pre-Athletic Training students. These two nominees will receive direct admission to the Athletic Training Program via a non-competitive process. This nomination process shall occur during the Fall semester of their senior year using a process and selection criteria mutually agreed upon by both Aquinas College and the Athletic Training Program and disclosed to the students.

PRE-ATHLETIC TRAINING REQUIREMENTS -

BIO 155 Human Anatomy & Physiology I

BIO 156 Human Anatomy & Physiology II

BIO 171 Introduction to Cells

CHEM 121 General Chemistry I

KIN 215 Community Health

KIN 230 Nutrition for Sport Performance

KIN 235 Physiology of Exercise