COMMUNICABLE DISEASE POLICY

Boise State University athletic training program students may not participate in their clinical experiences during the time they are affected by a communicable disease and shall not return to clinical participation until cleared by a physician or other medical provider.

In the case that an athletic training student becomes ill, he/she must report to the Boise State UNIVERSITY HEALTH SERVICES (UHS) center, or to another medical practitioner, for evaluation. Upon evaluation, the medical practitioner will determine the appropriate intervention needed and the amount of time the student shall remain out of contact with others to prevent transmission. If the athletic training student acquires a communicable disease, the student will notify their preceptor as soon as possible. The student will not be permitted to return to their clinical experience until he/she has been re-evaluated and cleared by a medical practitioner.

The UHS is required to report to the Idaho Department of Health the names of students who have certain communicable diseases. Students that contract a communicable disease are required to obey prescribed guidelines by his/her attending physician and the recommendations of the University affiliated physicians at UHS center. While a complete list of communicable diseases is not provided, the UHS center advises all students to seek medical attention for any illness or disorder that could potentially be communicable in nature.

The athletic training student must report to the UHS center or another medical practitioner if one of the following diseases is suspected:

- Chickenpox
- Conjunctivitis
- Diarrhea - Infectious Disease
- Diphtheria
- Group A Streptococcal
- Hepatitis A, B, or C
- Herpes Simplex
- HIV
- Impetigo
- Scabies
- Influenza
- Lice (Pediculosis)
- Measles (Rubeola)
- Mumps
- Meningitis
- Pertussis
- Rabies
- Rubella

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Student’s Name                  Student’s Signature               Date