Bachelor of Science in Athletic Training

The following Program Learning Outcomes have been established by Evangel faculty to define the areas of knowledge and skills that students graduating from this major degree program should have developed.

1. Equip students with a sound base knowledge, values and skills form an athletic training perspective in preparation for professional practice.
   - Apply the knowledge and skills of an athletic trainer, to practice with systems of all sizes.
   - Apply critical thinking skills within the context of athletic training practice.
   - Use communication skills differentially across patient populations, colleagues and communities.

2. Prepare students to demonstrate use of knowledge and skills necessary to promote the physical well-being of patients and student-athletes.
   - Understand and interpret the history of the profession of athletic training and its contemporary structures and issues.
   - Analyze, formulate and influence safety and prevention policies.
   - Function within the structure of organizations and service delivery systems, and under supervision, seek organizational change.

3. Prepare students to demonstrate an understanding and respect for patient rights advocacy through ethical, evidence-based practice.
   - Understand and apply theory, principles and skills of current athletic training practice for patient care.
   - Understand the value base of the profession and its ethical standards and principles and accordingly practice.

4. Prepare students to contribute to the athletic training profession through professional development including graduate education and leadership activities that promote competent athletic training practice.
   - Use direction, consultation, and referral appropriate to the practice of athletic training.
   - Demonstrate active involvement in the Christian community and community at large as knowledgeable and skilled citizens within the profession of athletic training.