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***EDUCATION***

*Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY*

Master of Science, Health Education (1981)

*Ohio University, Athens, OH*

Bachelor of Science in Health Education (1979)

***LICENSE/CERTIFICATION***

NATABOC Certified Athletic Trainer (1979 to present; # 040675)

State of New York Certified Athletic Trainer (1996 to present; #29)

State of Michigan Licensed Athletic Trainer (2016; #2601001627)

International Critical Incident Stress Foundation, Level Two Member (2001-present)  
(Individual, Group, and Peer Crisis intervention trained)

International Critical Incident Stress Foundation CISM Approved Instructor for Individual and Group  
Crisis Interventions (2016)

American Heart Association, Instructor in BLS for Healthcare Providers (2016)

Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative- Biomedical Research (2016)

Certificate of Credit, Lower Quarter PRT & Gait Analysis, Positional Release Therapy Institute (2016)

***PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE***

*Concordia University Ann Arbor (2016)*

Assistant Professor Health & Human Performance

Clinical Education Coordinator of Athletic Training

*President, TLN Consulting, Inc. (2007-present)*

Sports medicine consulting specializing in policy and procedures review and creation, concussion management planning, cardiac clearance, emergency action planning, physical examination process, athlete mental health, sports medicine department reviews.

*Syracuse University*

Assistant Director of Athletics for Sports Medicine (2005-2014)

Head Athletic Trainer (2000-2005)

Associate Athletic Trainer (1984-2000)

Assistant Athletic Trainer (1981-1984)

Adjunct Professor (1984-2014)

Graduate Assistant Athletic Trainer (1979-1981)

*United States Olympic Committee*

Athletic Trainer (1985-1987)

*National Collegiate Athletic Association Policy Writer*

NCAA Football Helmet Contact penalty

NCAA Football Defenseless Opponent penalty

NCAA Football Horse Collar Tackle penalty

NCAA Football Rules Book Points of Emphasis Section: Concussions, hydration, MRSA infections, elimination of tinted visor rule

Guideline 1f: Catastrophic Incident in Athletics, NCAA Sports Medicine Handbook (original author)  
Guideline 2o: Mental Health: Interventions for Intercollegiate Athletics, NCAA Sports Medicine Handbook (authored revisions 2012)

*Selected External Reviewer of Sports Medicine Programs*

University of Michigan Athletic Department In-Game Player Safety Procedures and Communication Plan (2014). Selected by president of University of Michigan to review and submit written report of findings.

University of Georgia Athletic Medicine Review Board (2015-present). Selected to serve on Board and to collect input from other Athletic Medicine Review Board members following the on-campus review and write the report to the University of Georgia on the athletic medicine department operation.

University of Cincinnati Athletics. Review of Student-Athlete Mental Health Policy, February 2016.

**HONORS and AWARDS**

National Athletic Trainers' Association Most Distinguished Athletic Trainer (2010)

New York State Athletic Trainers' Association Thomas Sheehan Award (2014)

NATA "Tough Cases" Award for Outstanding Performance in the Athletic Training Profession (2002) for using an AED to save the life of official suffering sudden cardiac arrest during Syracuse University-East Carolina University football game, September 29, 2001.

Ohio University School of Education Dean's Achievement Scholar (1978-1979 academic year)

- Omicron Delta Kappa member (scholarly activity)
- Kappa Delta Pi member (leadership in education)

**Distinguish Board Member and/or Advisor Experience**

Member, New York State Committee of Athletic Training

Member, University of Georgia Athletic Medicine Review Board

Ohio University Athletic Training Alumni Board

Advisory Board, The Jed Foundation

Advisory Board, College Athletics and The Law Newsletter

Editorial Board, Training & Conditioning, Athletic Management magazines

Manuscript Reviewer, *Education Research and Reviews*

Subject Matter Expert, Human Performance Resource Center, U.S. Department of Defense

Cramer Products Advisory Board

Invited Reviewer, 2006 NFL Combine. Authored report on medical exam process for NFL

Volunteer, Veteran Affairs Hospital, Syracuse, New York

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE - National Athletic Trainers' Association (NATA) (2002 - present)**

NATA Mental Health Certificate Subject Matter Expert and Co-Leader in developing certificate, 2016.

NATA Athletic Trainers Care (ATs Care) Program. Original author of athletic trainer peer to peer support program following a catastrophic event at a school or place of employment, expert committee member, 2016.

NATA Liaison, Mental Health America, 2015-present.

NATA Selected Reviewer, Mental Health Best Practices. NCAA Inter-Association Consensus Statement: Best Practices for Understanding and Supporting Student-Athlete Mental Wellness, 2016.

NATA Selected Member, development of NATA Amicus Brief in support of Towson University in *Class v. Towson University* case.

NATA Selected Reviewer, NCAA Inter-Association Consensus Statement on Cardiovascular Care of College Student-Athletes, 2015.

Chair, NATA Committee on Professional Ethics (COPE), 2015-present. (Member of COPE, 2013-present). Contributions as Chair include: Authored revisions to the Code of Ethics (2016); created COPE Fact Sheet for committee members on role and function of committee (2015). Authored revisions to the Code of Ethics (2016).

Member of NATA Professional Responsibility Work Group, 2015. Selected by NATA to study and make recommendations to the NATA Board of Directors on ethical, legal, and regulatory practices of athletic trainers. Work Group converted to Committee in 2016.

Chair, NATA Consensus Statement: Inter-Association Recommendations in Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer Student Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the Secondary School Level, *Journal of Athletic Training*, March 2015.

Member of Writing Group, NATA Position Statement: Pre Participation Physical Examinations and Disqualifying Conditions (Co-authored the Cardiac Risk Factors section, authored the Mental Health Considerations section, authored Determination of Clearance section) *Journal of Athletic Training*, February 2014.

NATA Representative, NCAA Student Athlete Mental Health Care Task Force, 2013.

Chair, NATA Consensus Statement: Inter-Association Recommendations in Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer Student Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the College Level, September 2013. Authored Executive Summary of Consensus Statement in *Journal of Athletic Training*, September-October 2013.

NATA Liaison to the NCAA Football Rules Committee, 2004-2009. Contributions include: author of language for helmet contact penalty, author of language for defenseless opponent penalty, creation of “Horse Collar” tackle penalty in college football, elimination of tinted eye shield rule; authored passages on MRSA, hydration, and concussion in the NCAA rules book points of emphasis section.

Participant, NATA sponsored Inter-Association Task Force on Emergency Preparedness and Management of Sudden Cardiac Arrest in High School and College Athletic Programs, 2006.

Participant, NATA Task Force on Spearing in Collegiate Football, 2005.

Feature Presentations, Mini Courses, and Special Topics Presentations at NATA National Meetings, 2002, 2007, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015.

Member of Selection Board, Educational Program for 2014, 2015, & 2016 NATA Annual Meetings.

Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of Athletic Training*, 2014, 2015, 2016.

Led representatives of NATA Young Professionals Committee on visit to military wounded, Intrepid Fallen Heroes Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas during 2009 NATA Annual Meeting & Clinical Symposia.

***PROFESSIONAL SERVICE - National Collegiate Athletic Association (2004-present)***

NATA Liaison to the NCAA Football Committee, 2004-2009.

Author, “Catastrophic Incident in Athletics”, Guideline 1F, NCAA Sports Medicine Handbook, 2004; authored revisions, 2008.

Author of revisions, “Mental Health: Interventions for Intercollegiate Athletics”, Guideline 2O, NCAA Sports Medicine Handbook, 2012.

Panel Member, NCAA Concussion in Sport Medical Management Summit, 2010. Contributions included providing template for return to activity protocol, concussion education acknowledgement for coaches.

Panel Member, NCAA Student Athlete Mental Health Care Task Force, 2013

Author, Inter-Association Recommendations in Developing a Plan for Recognition and Referral of Student-Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the Collegiate Level. *NCAA Publication, Mind, Body and Sport: Understanding and Supporting Student Athlete Mental Wellness*, 2014.

NATA Selected Reviewer, NCAA Inter-Association Consensus Statement: Best Practices for Understanding and Supporting Student-Athlete Mental Wellness, 2016.

NAIA Selected Reviewer, NCAA Inter-Association Consensus Statement on Cardiovascular Care of College Student-Athletes, 2015.

***PROFESSIONAL SERVICE – United States Olympic Committee – Sport Medicine Division (1985-1987)***

Volunteer Athletic Trainer, Lake Placid, NY (July 1985).

1986 U.S. Olympic Festival, Houston, TX (July, 1986), (selected by USOC Sports Medicine Division).

1987 Pan American Games Team USA (August 1987) (selected by USOC Sports Medicine Division).

USOC Sports Medicine Society, member (1992-present).

***PROFESSIONAL SERVICE – Big Ten Conference (2016)***

Independent Medical Spotter, University of Michigan home football games.

***PROFESSIONAL SERVICE – New York State (2000 - 2015)***

New York State Committee of Athletic Training, 2012-2015.

Chair, New York State Task Force on Cleaning and Reconditioning of Athletic Equipment to Prevent and Control Community Acquired MRSA, 2013.

Author, Return to Play Protocol, New York State Concussion Management & Awareness Act, 2012.

New York State Athletic Trainers' Association (NYSATA) Scholarship Committee, 2000-2014.

(Chair of Committee 2000-2012)

***PROFESSIONAL SERVICE – Professional Associations (2006 - present)***

Big East Conference Sports Medicine Society, Founding Member and Treasurer (2007-2013). Contributions include: incorporation of Society as non-profit organization; author of Society's mission statement and conflict of interest statements; raised over \$150,000 from various sponsors to fund annual meetings.

National Sports Medicine and Sports Law Symposium (Co-Course Director, 2012).

Presentations at NACDA Annual Meetings on sports medicine topics (2006, 2013, 2014).

Atlantic Coast Conference Sports Medicine Association (Keynote Presentation, 2013).

The University of Alabama (Distinguished Lecture in Sport Management, 2013-2015).

***SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY POLICIES AND STAFF ENHANCEMENTS***

*Syracuse University*

Creation of following procedures and policies: Emergency Action Plan and staff acknowledgement form, Concussion Management Protocol, AED Protocol, Sick Cell Trait Testing and Action Protocol, Release of Medical Information, Pre Participation Physical Examination process, Exiting Student Athlete Health Questionnaire, Post Eligibility Participation and Medical Payment Policy, Informed Consent Letters for student athletes participating with medical conditions, Pregnant Student Athlete Policy, Transgender Student Athlete Policy.

Created Student Athlete Mental Health Considerations document for athletic department. This plan is the model for numerous institutions and for the 2013 NATA Consensus Statement on Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer Student Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the College Level.

Created Catastrophic Incident Guideline for athletic department. This plan is the template for catastrophic incidents for the NCAA, NATA, NFL, USOC, and numerous conferences and athletic departments nationally. Served on Syracuse University committee that developed the university's Catastrophic Incident Plan, of which the athletic department's plan served as the model

Lead efforts in certifying full-time athletic training staff in following modes of care:

Active Release Technique (ART)

Performance Enhancement Specialist (PES)

Corrective Exercise Specialist (CES)

Sound Assisted Soft Tissue Mobilization (SASTM)

Kinesio taping (KTP)

### **EXPERIENCES-ATHLETICS ADMINISTRATION**

*Syracuse University*

Created 3 new full-time and 2 new graduate assistant athletic trainer staff positions

Collaborated with Syracuse University Athletics in help raise donations to build the Donald & Mary Lowe Sports Medicine Facility in the Carmelo Anthony Center

Created Physician Coverage Model for Athletic Department

### **EXPERIENCES - EDUCATIONAL SETTING (Academic Classroom)**

*Concordia University Ann Arbor*

*Assistant Professor in Health and Human Performance & Clinical Education Coordinator*

Created 40 Standards (Sponsorship, Outcomes, Program Delivery, and Health & Safety) for CAATE Athletic Training Master's Degree self-study.

Created the following CUAA ATEP policies & procedures:

Affiliation Site Memorandum of Agreement, Clinical Education Plan, Clinical Site Evaluation, Athletic Training Student Evaluation, Clinical Education Preceptor Training, Preceptor Policy & Agreement Statement, Athletic Training Student Evaluation of Clinical Site & Preceptor, Athletic Training Student Clinical Site Orientation, Disciplinary Athletic Training Student Incident Report for Clinical Violation, Request for Absence from Athletic Training Clinical Experience, Communicable Disease Policy, Communicable Disease Prevention Training, HIPPA, FERPA & Confidentiality Policy & Training, OSHA Blood-Borne Pathogen Policy, OSHA Blood-Borne Pathogen Policy and Procedures Training, Emergency Action Plan for CUAA North Building Clinic, AED Policy for CUAA North Building Clinic.

Instructor, Psychology in Sport, HHP 280 (2016) Undergraduate level.

*Syracuse University, Adjunct Professor in Exercise Science*

Care & Prevention, PPE 485 (2000-2014) Undergraduate level

Critical Thinking Concepts in Sports Medicine, PPE 600 (2000-2013) Graduate level

Modalities, PPE 600 (1997-1995) Graduate level

Advanced Rehabilitation Techniques, PPE 590 (1996-2008) Graduate level

## PRESENTATIONS

### National Athletic Trainers' Association

- Neal, T. (2016, June). *Suicide Risk Assessment in the Secondary School Setting*. 2016 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Expo, Baltimore, MD.
- Neal, T. (2016, June). *Cardiac Screening Considerations*. 2016 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Expo, Baltimore, MD.
- DeWald, L., McPherson, D., Kirland, C., Neal, T. (2016, June). *What are the AT's Responsibilities When an Athlete is the Victim of Sexual Assault?* 2016 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Expo, Baltimore, MD.
- Neal, T. (2016, May). *The Athletic Trainer's Role in Recognizing and Referring Athletes with Mental Health Concerns*. NATA Webinar, May 25, 2016.
- Neal, T. (2016, March). *Mental Health Concerns and Strategies for Student-Athlete Wellness*. 2016 Youth Sport Safety Summit sponsored by the NATA, Washington, DC.
- Neal, T. (2015, June). *Athletic Training Student Seminar: Considerations in Developing an Emergency Action Plan*. 2015 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Expo, St. Louis, MO.
- Neal, T. (2015, June). *Mini Course: Psychological Factors That Moderate and Mediate Response to Injury and Recovery for the Athlete with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)*. 2015 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Expo, St. Louis, MO.
- Neal, T., Hilker, J. (2015, June). *Facilitator for Peer to Peer Presentation: Managing Behavioral Health Care at the Collegiate Level*. 2015 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Expo, St. Louis, MO.
- Neal, T. (2015, June) Moderator for Presentation by Walters, S. *Mindset of Healing: Psychological Considerations During Rehabilitation*. 2015 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Expo, St. Louis, MO.
- Neal, T. (2015, March) *Recognizing Emotional Issues of Student Athletes*. 2015 Youth Sports Safety Summit sponsored by the NATA, Dallas TX.
- Neal, T. (2015, March) *Professional Ethics for Athletic Trainers*. 2015 NATA iLead Athletic Training Student Leadership Conference, Dallas TX.
- Neal, T. (2014, June) *Psychological Concerns in Student-Athletes*. 2014 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Expo, Indianapolis, IN.
- Neal, T. (2014, May) *A Template for Athletic Crisis Management*. 2014 Best Practices for Intercollegiate Sports Medicine Management, Athens, GA.
- Neal, T. (2014, May) *Recommendations for Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer a Student-Athlete with Psychological Concerns at the Collegiate Level*. 2014 Best Practices for Intercollegiate Sports Medicine Management, Athens, GA.
- Neal, T. (2014, March) *Mental Health and the Athlete*. 2014 Youth Sports Safety Summit sponsored by the NATA, Washington, DC.
- Neal, T. (2013, June) *Emergency Action Planning: Practical & Mental Readiness of the Athletic Trainer*. 2013 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Clinical Symposia, Las Vegas, NV.
- Neal, T. (2013, June) *NCAA Catastrophic Incident Guideline: Preparation & Implementation*. 2013 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Clinical Symposia, Las Vegas, NV.
- Neal, T. (2011, June) *Mental & Practical Readiness in Managing Athletic Emergencies*. 2011 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Clinical Symposia, New Orleans, LA.
- Neal, T. (2010, June) *Planning to Meet the Emerging Storm of Student-Athlete Mental Health Issues*. 2010 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Symposia, Philadelphia, PA.
- Neal, T. (2007, June) *Sudden Cardiac Arrest in a Football Official*. 2007 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Clinical Symposia, Anaheim, CA.
- Neal, T. (2002, June) *AED Use in College Football*. 2002 National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting & Clinical Symposia, Dallas, TX.

### **NATA District 2- Eastern Athletic Trainers' Association (EATA)**

Neal, T. (2014, January) *Recognizing & Referring Student-Athletes with Psychological Concerns*. 2014 EATA Annual Meeting, Foxwoods, CT.

### **NCAA**

Neal, T. (2013, November) *Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer Student-Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the College Level*. 2013 NCAA Task Force on Student-Athlete Mental Health, Indianapolis, IN.

Neal, T. (2007, January) *Catastrophic Incident Planning*. 2007 NCAA Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL.

### **National Association of College Directors of Athletics (NACDA)**

Neal, T. (2014, June) *Psychological Concerns in Student-Athletes*. 2014 NACDA Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL.

Neal, T. (2013, June) *Managing Risk in Intercollegiate Athletic Departments*. 2013 NACDA Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL.

Neal, T. (2006, June) *Catastrophic Incident Guideline Planning*. 2006 NACDA Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

### **New York State**

Neal, T. (2010, June) *Concussion Care Planning*. 2010 New York State Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting, Syracuse, NY.

Neal, T. (2006, May) *Professional Development for the Athletic Trainer*. 2006 New York State Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting, West Point, NY.

Neal, T. (2007, July) *Concussion Evaluation & Care*. 2007 New York State Empire State Games Sports Medicine Symposium, Rochester, NY.

Neal, T. (2005, May) *Emergency Planning*. 2005 New York State Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting, Rochester, NY.

Neal, T. (2002, August) *Sudden Cardiac Arrest in a Football Official*. 2002 New York State Empire State Games Sports Medicine Symposium, Syracuse, NY.

### **Big East Conference Sports Medicine Society**

Neal, T. (2007, May) *Heat Stroke in a College Football Player*. 2007 Big East Conference Sports Medicine Society Annual Meeting, Providence, RI.

### **College Athletic Trainers' Association (CATS)**

Neal, T. (2009, June) *Catastrophic Incident Planning*. 2009 CATS meeting, San Antonio, TX.

### **Connecticut State Athletic Trainers' Association (CATA)**

Neal, T. (2014, May) *Managing Student-Athlete Mental Health*. 2014 Connecticut Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting, New Haven, CT

Neal, T. (2010, May) *Emergency Planning: Mental Readiness of the Athletic Trainer*. 2010 Connecticut Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting, Hartford, CT.

### **DJO Global Annual Sports Medicine Meetings- San Diego, CA**

Neal, T. (2013, June) *Considerations in Understanding and Addressing the Athlete's Psychological Response to Injury*

Neal, T. (2011, June) *Developing a Student-Athlete Psychological Concerns Plan*

Neal, T. (2007, July) *Compartment Syndrome in a Quad Injury*

Neal, T. (2006, July) *Torsion Testicle in a College Football Player*  
Neal T. (2005, July) *Heat Stroke in a College Football Player*  
Neal, T. (2004, July) *Catastrophic Incident Planning*  
Neal, T. (2002, July) *Sudden Cardiac Arrest of College Football Official*  
Neal, T. (2001, July) *Testicular Cancer Detected in a Staff Athletic Trainer*  
Neal, T. (2000, July) *Pneumothorax in a Men's Lacrosse Player*

## **Other**

Neal, T. (2016, July). *Considerations in Recognizing and Referring Student-Athletes with Mental Health Issues*. 2016 American Southwest Conference Sports Medicine Meeting, Dallas, TX.  
Neal, T. (2016, May) *Professional Ethics*. 2016 Alliance for Intercollegiate Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, Clearwater, FL.  
Neal, T. (2016, May) *Factors that Mediate Athletes with ADHD Diagnosis*. 2016 Alliance for Intercollegiate Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, Clearwater, FL.  
Neal, T. (2015, November) *Mental Health Concerns in Secondary School Athletes*. Fairfax County Public School Athletic Trainers' Meeting, Falls Church, VA.  
Neal, T. (2015, October) *Considerations in Anticipating and Managing Risk in Intercollegiate Sports Medicine Departments*. Distinguished Lecturer, Sports Law & Ethics class, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.  
Neal, T. (2015, October) *Recognizing and Referring Athletes with Mental Health Conditions*. University of Alabama Distinguished Lecture, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.  
Neal, T. (2015, July) Panelist, *Effective Communication and Ethical Behavior*. 2015 Southwest Athletic Trainers' Association (SWATA) Annual Meeting and Clinical Symposia, Houston, TX.  
Neal, T. (2015, July) *Managing Behavioral Health for the Student-Athlete*. 2015 Southwest Athletic Trainers' Association (SWATA) Annual Meeting and Clinical Symposia, Houston, TX.  
Neal, T. (2015, June) *Before Stage 4 Planning: Recognizing and Referring Athletes with Mental Health Conditions*. 2015 Mental Health America Annual Meeting, Alexandria, VA.  
Neal, T. (2015, May) *Risk Management Considerations in Intercollegiate Sports Medicine Departments*. 2015 Educational and Institutional Insurance Administrators (EIIA) Sports Insurance Conference, Baltimore, MD.  
Neal, T. (2015, May) *Inter-Association Recommendations for Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer Student-Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the Collegiate Level*. 2015 Alliance for Intercollegiate Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, Clearwater, FL.  
Neal, T. (2014, November) *Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the Secondary School Level*. 2014 ACHIEVES Mental Health Conference, Arlington, VA.  
Neal, T. (2014, September) *Common Horse Sense in Managing Sports Medicine Risks*. 2014 University Risk Management & Insurance Association Annual Meeting, Louisville, KY.  
Neal, T. (2014, May) *Mental Health Considerations for Competitive Athletes*. 2014 Professional Association of Athlete Development Specialists Annual Meeting, New York, NY.  
Neal, T. (2014, February) *Mental Health Concerns in Athletes*. Washington University, St. Louis, MO.  
Neal, T. (2014, January) *Concussion Evaluation and Referral*. Syracuse University Health Services, Syracuse, NY.  
Neal, T. (2013, May) *Keynote Address: Psychological Concerns in Student-Athletes*. 2013 Annual Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) Sports Medicine Meeting, Greensboro, NC.  
Neal, T. (2013, April) *Considerations in Managing Adversity for Officers Deploying to Afghanistan*. 10<sup>th</sup> Mt. Division Combat Air Brigade, Ft. Drum, NY.  
Neal, T. (2013, February) *Psychological Concerns in Athletes*. State University of New York (SUNY) Medical School, Syracuse, NY.  
Neal, T. (2013, January) *Lower Body Injury Assessment*. Syracuse University Health Services. Syracuse, NY.



- Neal, T. (2012, May) *Risk Management Considerations in Collegiate Sports Medicine*. 2012 National Sports Medicine & Sports Law Symposium, Clearwater, FL.
- Neal, T. (2012, November) *Concussion Evaluation and Referral*. Syracuse University Ambulance Services. Syracuse, NY.
- Neal, T. (2012, January) *Upper Body Injury Assessment*. Syracuse University Health Services. Syracuse, NY.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Editorial Board Member for textbooks**

- Wright, K., Lewis, M. Barker, S., and Deere, R. (2014) *Comprehensive Manual of Taping, Wrapping, & Protective Devices, 4<sup>th</sup> edition*. Champaign, IL.: Sagamore Publishing LLC. (Print edition: 978-1-57167-759-4 and ISBN ebook: 978-1-57167-760-0)
- Wright K., Barker S., Bennett, J. & Deere R. (2013) *Basic Athletic Training, 6th edition*. Champaign, IL.: Sagamore Publishing LLC. (Print ISBN 978-1-57167-759-4 and eBook ISBN 978-1-57167-760-0)
- Wright K., Barker S., & Whitehill, W. (2007) *Basic Athletic Training, 5th edition*. Gardner, KS: Cramer Products Inc.
- Wright K., Whitehill W., & Lewis M. (2005) *Preventive Techniques: Taping/Wrapping Techniques & Protective Devices, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition*. Gardner, KS: Cramer Products Inc.
- Wright, K. & Whitehill, W. (1996) *The Comprehensive Manual of Taping & Wrapping Techniques, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition*. Gardner, KS: Cramer Products Inc., 1996.
- Wright, K. & Whitehill, W. (1995) *Basic Athletic Training, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition*. Gardner, KS: Cramer Products Inc.

### **Book Chapters**

- Neal, T. (2014) “Inter-Association Recommendations in Developing a Plan for Recognition and Referral of Student-Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the Collegiate Level”, *NCAA Publication, Mind, Body and Sport: Understanding and Supporting Student Athlete Mental Wellness*, 2014.
- Neal, T. (2012) Author for revisions, “Mental Health: Interventions for Intercollegiate Athletics”, Guideline 2O, *NCAA Sports Medicine Handbook*, 2012.
- Neal, T. (2004, revisions 2008) “Catastrophic Incident in Athletics”, Guideline 1F, *NCAA Sports Medicine Handbook*, 2004.

### **Journal Articles**

- Neal, T. (2016). Athletic trainers, take care of yourself. NATA Now blog article. May 20, 2016.
- Colston MA, Neal TL, Fetting D. (2016). Mandatory reporting and cyber-safety issues (part 2). *NATA News*. June 2016;28(6):32-34.
- Neal, T. (2016). Returning from an ACL tear. *Training & Conditioning*. April 2016; Vol. 26(3):52-54.
- Colston MA, Neal TL. (2016). Mandatory reporting and cyber-safety issues (part 1). *NATA News*. April 2016;28(4):38-39.
- Neal, T. (2016). Best of both worlds. *Training & Conditioning*. March 2016;26(2):44.
- Neal, T., O’Brien, T. (2016). Consider developing a college athletics board to enhance transparency. *College Athletics and the Law*. February 2016; Vol.12, Iss. 11.
- Neal, T., Quandt, E., Thornton, J. & Anderson, J. (2015). Minimize potential liabilities in collegiate sports medicine departments. *United Risk Management & Insurance Association (URMIA) 2015 Peer-Reviewed Scholarly Publication, URMIA Journal*. 2015;97-100.

- Neal, T., Sullivan, P., Coppel, D., Maniar, S., Baillie, P., Quandt, E. (2015). Update to NCAA bylaw raises concerns about impact on student-athlete's mental health. *College Athletics and the Law*. August 2015; Vol.12, Iss.5.
- Neal, T. (2015). Matters of the mind: recognizing and referring secondary school athletes with psychological concerns. *ADVANCE Physical Therapy & Rehab Medicine*. March 9, 2015;26(4):8.
- Neal, T. (Chair), Diamond, A., Goldman, S., Liedtka, K., Mathis, K., Morse, E., Putukian, M., Quandt, E., Ritter, S., Sullivan, J., Welzant, V. (2015). NATA Consensus Statement: Inter Association Recommendations for Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer Student-Athletes With Psychological Concerns at the Secondary School Level. *Journal of Athletic Training*. March 2015;50(3):231-249.
- Tucker T, Scarano M, Neal T, Mooradian. (2015) Advisory Board Speaks: Follow tips for hosting national championships, conference events. *College Athletics and the Law*. January 2015 Vol.11, Iss. 10, **Article received Best Instructional Reporting Award, Specialized Information Publishers Association, 2016.**
- Neal, T., Quandt, E., Thornton, J. & Anderson, J. (2015). Recognize everyone's duty of reasonable care to student-athletes. *College Athletics and the Law*, Vol. 11, Iss. 10, January 2015.
- Neal, T., Quandt, E., Thornton, J. & Anderson, J. (2014). Recognize the valuable role of athletic trainers. *College Athletics and the Law*, Vol. 11, Iss. 9, December 2014.
- Neal, T., (2014). Mental health and the college student athlete: Developing a plan to recognize and refer student athletes with psychological concerns at the college level. *NACDA Athletics Administration*, December 2014, Vol. 49, No. 8, pgs. 18 & 19.
- Mathner, R., Martin, C., Carroll, M., Neal, T. (2014). Extending sports wagering studies outside of the student-athlete population: NCAA division I athletic trainers' gambling behavior. *Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics*, 2014, 7:431-444.
- Neal, T., Quandt, E., Thornton, J. & Anderson, J. (2014). Minimizing potential liabilities in collegiate sports medicine departments. *College Athletics and the Law*, Vol. 11, Iss. 8, Nov. 2014.
- Neal, T. (2014). Help athletics staff develop a catastrophic incident plan. *Campus Legal Advisor*, Vol. 14, Iss. 8, April 2014.
- Conley KM, Bolin DJ, Carek PJ, Konin JG, Neal TL, Violette MA. (2014) National Athletic Trainers' Association Position Statement: Pre Participation Physical Examinations and Disqualifying Conditions. February 2014. *Journal of Athletic Training*. 2014;49(1):102-120. (Co-authored Cardiac Risk Factors section, authored Mental Health Considerations section, authored Determination of Clearance section).
- Neal, T. (2014). Develop catastrophic incident plan before it's too late. *College Athletics and the Law*, Vol. 10, Iss. 10, January 2014.
- Neal, T. (2013). AASP supports new consensus statement guidelines on college athletes and mental health. *Association for Applied Sport Psychology Newsletter*. Winter 2013;28(3):36-37.
- Neal, T. (Chair) (2013). Inter-Association Recommendations for Developing a Plan to Recognize and Refer Student-Athletes with Psychological Concerns at the Collegiate Level: An Executive Summary of a NATA Consensus Statement. *Journal of Athletic Training*. October 2013;48(5):716-720.
- Neal, T. (2013). Down and out: how to recognize and refer collegiate athletes with psychological issues. *ADVANCE for Physical Therapy & Rehab Medicine*. Nov. 2013;24(21):10-11, 19.
- Neal, T. (2010). Game Changers: Mental health issues can impair a student athlete's performance, so support is critical. *ADVANCE for Physical Therapy & Rehab Medicine*. Nov. 2010;21(25):32-33.
- Neal, T. (2005). Catastrophic incident guideline: Building a plan you hope is never used. *Athletic Therapy Today*. 2005;10(3): 18-21.
- Neal, T. (2004). Thinking the unthinkable. *Athletic Management*. April/May 2004;16(3):57-61.
- Neal, T. (2003). Catastrophic incident guideline plan. *NATA News*: 12, May 2003.
- Neal, T. (1996). This is only a test. *Athletic Management*. February/March 1996;8(2):50-53.
- Neal, T. (1996). Time on your side. *Training & Conditioning*. August 1996;6(4):4-6.

Neal, T. (1995). Anticipating away game injuries. *Athletic Management*. August/September 1995;7(6):32-35.

### **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

*\*National Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meetings (1977-present)*

*\*District 2: Eastern Athletic Trainers' Association Meetings (2000-present)*

*\*New York Athletic Trainers' Association State Meetings (2000-present)*

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