



Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in applying to the Sports Medicine Concentration (SPMD) at the University of North Georgia. The following packet has been constructed with a checklist to help you identify all of the required application materials that must be submitted to be considered for admission. Please be aware that the application process has transitioned to an online format. You can access the general on-line application at <https://coeadmissions.ung.edu/>. Please make sure that you select Sports Medicine from the program drop-down tab to ensure you complete the correct form.

You will be required to upload all documents that are listed in the applicant checklist with the exception of your two letters of recommendation. Physical letters of recommendation may be sent to the following address:

SPMD Admissions
Attn: Dr. Andrew J Jakiel
University of North Georgia
180 Alumni Dr.
Dahlonega, GA 30533

Digital letters of recommendation may be sent to the SPMD coordinator Dr. Jakiel at andrew.jakiel@ung.edu as long as they are sent directly from the reference's primary email address. Letters of recommendation that are forwarded or sent from the applicant's email address will not be accepted.

If you have any additional questions regarding the application process, please direct all inquiries to Dr. Jakiel (andrew.jakiel@ung.edu). Please also find the link below to access the SPMD's webpage for additional insight into the concentration, academic plan of study, and access to the online application portal: <https://ung.edu/kinesiology/bachelors/b.s.-kinesiology-sports-medicine.php>

Sports Medicine Concentration Application Checklist

Please utilize the provided checklist to ensure you have addressed all required application materials.

These requirements will go into effect Fall 2021.

- 1) Completed Online Application

- 2) Documentation of 50 Completed Observation Hours underneath a Certified Athletic Trainer provided on SPMD Hours Log (see page 3)

- 3) Proof of Current/Valid Basic Life Saving (BLS) CPR/AED Certification

- 4) Proof of Current/Valid First Aid Certification

- 5) One Letter of Recommendation from a Certified Athletic Trainer

- 6) One Letter of Recommendation from a non-familial source

- 7) Letter of Intent that expresses applicant's desires to pursue the SPMD Concentration, how the SPMD Concentration aligns with future career aspirations, and a rationale for why the applicant should be considered for acceptance.

To request this document in another format, contact Kathy Moody at kmoody@ung.edu or 706-864-1757

