

**Fundamental Techniques of  
Evaluation and Manual Therapy  
for the Spine**

**MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY  
ATHLETIC TRAINING  
&  
SPORTS MEDICINE**



**ATHLETIC TRAINING**

**May 12, 2005 – May 14, 2005**

**Duffy Daugherty Football Complex**

**Michigan State University**

## PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The workshop is designed to provide fundamental knowledge of manual therapy used in the identification and management of structural pathologies of the thoracic spine, lumbar spine and the pelvic girdle. The program includes didactic classroom work that is integrated with the “hands-on” experiences. The focus of the educational sessions is on the application of clinical techniques in the identification and management of structural pathology of the spine. The objectives of the course are:

1. To describe the principles and techniques for the structural evaluation of the spine for practicing athletic trainers.
2. To learn and practice the principles and techniques of layer palpation, segmental vertebral motion and vertebral dysfunction.
3. To learn and practice the principles of musculoskeletal screening for structural pathologies in the thoracic spine, lumbar spine and pelvic girdle.
4. To learn and practice muscle energy techniques to correct structural dysfunctions of the thoracic spine, lumbar spine and pelvic girdle.

### **Text Books:**

Required—Greenman PE. *Principles of Manual Medicine*. 3rd Edition.: Williams & Wilkins; 1996.

OR

Optional—Isaacs ER, Bookhout MR. *Bourdillon's Spinal Manipulation*. 6th Ed. 2002.

## FACULTY

Dave Carrier, MS, ATC – Adjunct Faculty, Dept of Kinesiology. Athletic Trainer Spartan Ice Hockey.

Jennifer Gilmore DO – Assistant Professor in the Department of Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine, Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine and MSU Ice Hockey Team Physician.

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Lawrence Nassar, DO, ATC – Assistant Professor in the Department of Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine in the Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine, USA Gymnastics Team Physician and MSU Team Physician.

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John Powell PhD, ATC – Assistant Professor Departments of Kinesiology and Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation in the Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine, Director of Graduate Studies in Athletic Training and Athletic Trainer for Spartan Wrestling and Swimming.

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## REGISTRATION

Fundamentals of Spinal Evaluation and Management for Athletic Trainers

May 12, 2005 – May 14, 2005

(NATABOC 20 Contact Hours)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Limited Spaces Available, So Register Today!

Conference Registration deadline is May 4, 2005

**Tuition: \$395**

Does not include hotel accommodations  
Continental breakfast, lunch and snacks included.

Check Amount: \_\_\_\_\_/Check Number: \_\_\_\_\_

If more than one person is attending and being paid for in one check, please complete an additional attendee registration form and identify the corresponding check number. Registration begins at 9:00 AM on Wednesday May 12 with Educational Sessions beginning at 10:00 AM. The course will conclude on Friday Saturday May 14 at 12:00 PM. Inquires should be directed to: John Powell [powellj4@ath.msu.edu](mailto:powellj4@ath.msu.edu) 517-432-5018 or Dave Carrier 517-353-4564 [carrier@ath.msu.edu](mailto:carrier@ath.msu.edu)

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**Michigan State University**

**There are numerous accommodations on or near the MSU campus. You can go to the following website to find details regarding rates and availability.**

[http://www.ctrl.msu.edu/travel/msu\\_hotel.htm](http://www.ctrl.msu.edu/travel/msu_hotel.htm)

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