

**Gerard J. Bowen Jr., MHA, ATC**  
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Education:

**Master of Healthcare Administration** – Health Systems Management Major  
**Tulane University** – May 2005

**Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology** – Athletic Training Major  
**Washington State University** – July 1999

Administrative experience:

**Ochsner Clinic Foundation** (April 04-December 2004)

Administrative Resident, New Orleans, Louisiana

- Worked closely with Business Services and Analytical Support
- Projects included extensive use of Microsoft Excel and Oracle
- Specific projects included:
  - Performed cost–benefit analysis of switching coders from coding manuals to Encoder Pro Software
  - Performed multiple analyses comparing age, unique patient, and total work RVU trends of all payors in both BR and NO.
  - Created a marketing template to track clinic visits resulting from a particular DRG and used statistical analyses to project expected clinic visits in an area
  - Assisted with analysis of overtime costs and trends
  - Assisted with analysis of employee phone usage

Clinical Experience:

**Christus Schumpert Health System** (Nov 2005 –present)

Staff Athletic Trainer, Shreveport, LA

- Provide Athletic Training coverage for all sports at 4 area high schools.
- Primary ATC for minor league Shreveport Sports Baseball Club(American Association)
- Occasionally fill in for coworkers at 2 area colleges(LSU-Shreveport, Centenary).
- Coordinate visits for athletes with Physicians.
- Communicate athlete status with parents and coaches
- Market outreach program to community

**Bossier Parish Community College** (Aug 2006-present)

Adjunct Faculty, Bossier City, LA

- Teach 1-2 courses per semester as needed.
- Allied Health 109. Health Systems/Safety. Designed to provide a foundation for students entering health care fields. Topics include organization and financing of health care, accreditation, professionalism, licensure/certification, regulation, patient and personal safety issues, infection control, OSHA, body mechanics, stress reduction, and current standards for CPR for health care providers.

**Kenner Regional Medical Center** (July 2005-August 2005)

PRN Athletic Trainer, Kenner Louisiana

- On an as needed basis, provided athletic training coverage for events that were hosted in the New Orleans area. Specific events hosted included a 6-on-6 soccer tournament and the 2005 AAU Junior Olympics.

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**Prison Health Services/Idaho Maximum Security Institute (July 01-July 03)**

Correctional Medical Specialist, Boise, Idaho

- Inmate population of 500
- General patient care, administered medication, performed emergency response, sick call, venipuncture, IV therapy, sutured, triage, injections, and administrative duties.

**Boise School District/Capital High School (July 01-Dec 01)**

Assistant Athletic Trainer, Boise, Idaho

- Assisted with all sports teams, practices and games
- Injury evaluation, rehab, physician referrals
- Supervised approx. 15 Sports Medicine students

**Vicksburg High School/River Region Health System (July 00-May 01)**

Head Athletic Trainer, Vicksburg, Mississippi

- Performed radio interviews, newspaper interviews, and created Public Relations packets to promote new sports medicine outreach program
- Responsible for coordinating with the Mayor to sign and read a proclamation at the City Council meeting and had it aired throughout the month on the local public access TV station
- Recorded a Public Service Announcement and directed weekly 5-minute spots on WBBV 101.3FM and 1450 WQBC.
- Responsible for 11 Varsity teams, 6 JV teams, 4 9th grade teams, and 3 Jr. High teams
- Responsible for injury evaluation, treatment, and rehab of all athletes
- Collected and maintained medical histories and insurance forms, performed athlete pre-participation physicals and scheduled appointments

**Northwestern State University of La. (1999-2000)**

Graduate Assistant Athletic Trainer, Natchitoches, Louisiana

- Adjunct faculty, taught freshmen level First Aid/CPR Course
- Developed Policy Manual for Employee Evaluation System
- Athletic Training responsibilities included Men's basketball, assisted with football during basketball off-season and down-time
- Performed injury evaluation, treatment, and rehab
- Scheduled appointments, medical coverage of games and practices

**Washington State University (1995-1999)**

Full Time Undergraduate Student/Student Athletic Trainer, Pullman, Washington

- Primary responsibilities included Crew, Track/Field/Cross Country, and Soccer
- Assisted ATCs with evaluations, treatments, and implementing rehabilitation of injuries, scheduled appointments, coverage of games and practices, and extensive travel.

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Military Service:

**U.S. Navy Reserves** (1999-2001, 2003-2004)

Hospital Corpsman

- Assisted with monthly physicals, performing audiograms, venipuncture, immunizations, and documentation.
- Created and manned Athletic Training booth for Reserve Center Health Fair providing information on hydration, soft tissue injury prevention and lightning safety.
- Supply liaison for Marine Corps Toys for Tots Mud Run.
- Performed computer updates for 170 medical records.
- Served with a Marine Corps Infantry Unit as a Field Medical Technician. Duties included daily sick call evaluation, and treatment of field injuries.

**U.S. Navy** (1989-1995, 2002)

Hospital Corpsman

- Recalled to active duty for 12 months in 2002 with Marine Corps Infantry Battalion in support of Operations Enduring Freedom/Noble Eagle. Unit was assigned to East coast homeland defense operations. Duties included:
  - Medical support for approx. 1,000 marines
  - Medical Record maintenance
  - Maintained medical readiness, through administering required audiograms, and vaccinations
  - Performed clinical evaluations
  - Emergency response
- U.S.S. Kearsarge-Implemented and supervised the Hearing Conservation Program for 1500 crew members, performed safety & health inspections of ship's barber, store, galley, berthing areas, water treatment facilities, administered immunizations and tracked the ship's immunization program and all related administrative duties. I worked "sick call", performing evaluations, diagnosing, and treating patients with varying health conditions. I served as an EMT on the ship's 4-man Medical Emergency Response Team. I was the ship's Certified CPR Instructor in charge of teaching and maintaining CPR certifications of 170 critical personnel. Assisted with lab and pharmacy procedures.
- 2nd Combat Engineer Battalion of the 2nd Marine Division-Served in the Persian Gulf War. Duties included manning the Battalion Aid Station for "sick call" and performing all medical duties necessary while out in the field for various operations.
- National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda MD-Worked on inpatient wards (Neuro-Surgery Step-down & Oncology) performing nursing duties such as assisting patients with activities of daily living (ADL), monitoring vital signs, performing neurological checks, emptying J-P tubes, starting and monitoring Intravenous therapy, doing blood draws, administering internal intermittent and indwelling catheter procedures, and administering sutures. Assisted Physicians with Lumbar Puncture procedures.

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Credentials:

**BOC Certified** - Certification #020002077

**La. Lisc.** – ATH.200045

**CPR**-1989-present

**CPR Instructor** 1992-2000, 2006-present

Professional Development:

- NATA member since 1997
- Frequent participant in National, District, and State Association meetings
- Examiner for National Athletic Trainer Board of Certification Exam
- Other non-degree Graduate Level Coursework Completed: Budget & Planning, Facility Design & Event Management, Sports Marketing, Human Resource Management, Research Statistics, Research Design

Published Work:

**Did You Have Enough To Drink**, Referee Magazine, Dec 2004, p 58.

Community Involvement:

- High School, College, and Semi-pro Football official (1994-present)
- Have held a variety of church callings including Nursery and Primary teacher, and on the Presidency of the Elders' Quorum (1992-present)
- Recipient of the Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal for service at various nursing homes (2003)
- Amateur Softball Association certified umpire (1998-2003)
- Volunteer Income Tax Assistant (1995)
- Volunteered as the Head Coach of the girls' 14-under Albion Devils (Albion, WA) softball team. (Summer 1999)

Academic Honors:

**Mike Utley Athletic Training Scholarship**

**Golden Key National Honor Society**-member since 1996

**President's Honor Roll**-Spring 96, Summer 96, Fall 96

**Louisiana Boy's State**-1988 participant