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Liability Protection in Concussion Care

## 1. Course Description

Learn how you can protect yourself and your organization against liability from concussion lawsuits. Most importantly, learn the tools, procedures, and best practice guidelines you need to ensure you're meeting or exceeding the current standard of care.

## 2. Speaker

Mike Palm, ATC

## 3. Contact Hours

1.0

## 4. Cost

\$39

## 5. Registration Link

[ConcussionCareTraining.com](https://ConcussionCareTraining.com)

## 6. Target Audience

Physicians, Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants, Psychologists, Athletic Trainers, Physical Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Registered Nurses

## 7. Location/Format

Pre-recorded lecture (Internet enduring material, Distance learning: independent, E-learning course, self-paced program, home study,)

## 8. Learning Objectives

(Achievement assessed through post-course evaluation/quiz)

At the end of this course, the learner will be able to:

- Identify the standard of care for concussion management;
- Restate the recommended components of a comprehensive concussion evaluation;
- Reiterate documentation procedures to ensure liability protection for concussion lawsuits.

**Summary of Evidence:** Organizations and providers may be held liable for mismanagement of concussions. There are ways organizations may help shield themselves from potential liability including using clinically proven, objective concussion assessment tools, thorough documentation, and having a comprehensive concussion protocol. No matter the provider's role in concussion management, it's important they review their local and state guidelines for concussion care.

## 9. Educational Level

Beginner / Introductory / Essential

## 10. Course Outline

- **Importance of liability protection**
- **Zach Lystedt laws**
- **Vulnerabilities for clinicians**
- **Liability protection**
  - Tools
  - Policies and protocols
  - Documentation
- **Case studies**



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### CE Credits Offered:

#### Athletic Trainers

ImPACT Applications, Inc. (BOC AP# P3429) is approved by the Board of Certification, Inc. to provide continuing education to Athletic Trainers. This program is eligible for a maximum of 1 Category A hours/CEUs. ATs should claim only those hours actually spent in the educational program.

#### Physicians

ImPACT Applications, Inc. is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

#### AMA Credit Designation Statement

ImPACT Applications, Inc. designates this internet activity enduring material for a maximum of 1.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit ses in some states. Check your state laws to determine if you can claim credits.





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### Course Completion Requirements

Learners must do the following to receive a valid statement of credit or certificate:

Watch the prerecorded presentation

Complete the course quiz (80% minimum passing score) and satisfaction survey

### Attendance Requirements

Variable credit is not awarded for video on demand courses. ATs should claim only those hours actually spent in the educational program.

### Prerequisites

None

### Healthcare Provider Applicability

Available upon request. Please email [training@impacttest.com](mailto:training@impacttest.com) to request.

### Special Needs Requests

Participants who have special needs are encouraged to contact program organizers so that all reasonable efforts to accommodate these needs can be made.

### Included with Registration

Access to video on-demand course for 6 months after purchase

Printable course slides

Technical support for training dashboard

Presenter contact information available on request

### Required Materials

ImPACT Applications training dashboard login

### Speaker Standards

Statements and opinions contained in this presentation are solely those of the presenter.

Treatments and tools presented today are some of many that are available.

Presenters have agreed to demonstrate high standards of professional conduct and will not discriminate against learners on the basis of gender, age, socioeconomic or ethnic background, sexual orientation, or disability.

ImPACT Applications owns the slides presented. Attendees may not use any materials presented without written permission from ImPACT Applications.



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#### Cancellation Policy

**By the Learner:** You may not cancel a video on-demand purchase. The course is available for 6 months after purchase and the individual may watch it at any time. If you are unsatisfied with the course, please contact [training@impacttest.com](mailto:training@impacttest.com) to receive credit towards another course of equal or lesser value.

**By ImPACT Applications:** If ImPACT Applications removes a course from its video on-demand library, they will first offer the individual a credit toward another course of equal value. If the individual does not want another course, the provider will refund the registration fee for the course.

#### Complaint Policy

When a participant, either verbally or in written format, files a grievance and expects action on the complaint, the following actions will be taken.

If the grievance concerns a speaker, the content presented by the speaker, or the style of presentation, the individual filing the grievance will be asked to put his/her comments in written format. The planning committee will then pass on the comments to the speaker, assuring confidentiality.

If the grievance concerns a workshop, its content, level of presentation, or the facilities in which the workshop was offered, the planning committee will mediate and will be the final arbitrators. If the participant requests action, the final arbitrator will follow the standard cancellation and refund policies.

If the grievance requires a resolution, a member of the planning committee will take necessary action.

Please contact ImPACT Applications at [training@impacttest.com](mailto:training@impacttest.com), (877) 646-7991 ext. 908, or +1 (412) 567-8400 to submit a complaint, or if you have additional questions.

#### Commercial Support

Currently, ImPACT Applications does not accept commercial support for any continuing education programs.

#### Conflict of Interest Policy

Available upon request

All individuals in control of content disclosed **no relevant financial relationships**.

The planning committee identified **no conflicts of interest** for this course.

#### Commercial Bias

The intent of this course is to promote improvements in the management of concussion. Attendees are encouraged to inform the course planning committee through the course evaluation if any commercial bias is detected.



### Mike Palm, ATC

Practice Manager

NorthShore University Health System

- Bachelors of Science in Athletic Training at Western Illinois University; Masters of Science in Sports Medicine; Masters of Business Administration in Health Service Management: Keller School of Management
- Certified Athletic Trainer since 2002 with experience at high school, professional, and national levels
- Currently manages operations at an orthopedic practice of approximately 45 physicians
- Co-authored NATA Position Statement on Concussion in Sport
- In free time, enjoys playing golf, grilling, and watching sports