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# UND SMHS Strategic Plan Individual Unit Report for 2021

## GOAL 6 for **Sports Medicine**

### LEARNING

**One UND Strategic Plan Goal 6: Meet educational needs of active duty and reserve personnel, veterans, and their families. Goal by 2022, A 25% increase in credit hours earned by active duty military personnel, veterans, and their families.**

**UND SMHS Strategic Plan Goal 6: The SMHS will determine how we may better meet the educational needs of active duty and reserve personnel, veterans, and their families.**

#### 1. Describe if/how your unit has addressed this goal.

Carrying out a professional program with clinical education curriculum is difficult to adapt the curriculum to full time military personnel. The Department of Sports Medicine has worked to adapt its curriculum for reserve personnel to adjust schedules of clinical education to continue to meet the educational standards and the needs of the military personnel. If problems arise with deployment or scheduling, faculty and preceptors work with the student to remedy the situation. This has been done with the preceptor and student working together to schedule appropriately for both areas. Through this method, we have had multiple reservists complete our program and become a Certified Athletic Trainer.

#### 2. Describe how your efforts are being assessed.

As military personnel enter the program, the faculty discuss the unique needs of each individual in the military. Feedback is also sought from the students as to how the program can accommodate their unique needs further.

#### 3. Describe how your unit analyzed these data and what assessments were determined.

Feedback from military students has been sought and then discussed among faculty. Time commitment to both clinicals and their military duties has been brought forth by the students and this issue continues to be approached by the program.

#### 4. Describe how your unit will implement any further changes and what barriers may exist.

As the program moves to the Masters in the summer of 2022, we do not know if/when we will encounter military personnel in our program. We are implementing more on-line coursework which should accommodate the schedule of the military student better. Clinical education requirements of the student will continue to be a barrier for military students. Progress on this goal is on track.

**PROVIDE A RATING OF YOUR PROGRESS ON THIS GOAL:** ● On Track; ● Delayed; ● Behind

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**Additional Information on Goal 6 (optional):**

Insert any additional information here.