***Content that state presidents can send to hospitals and health care systems***

Subject: Athletic trainers can address medical staff shortage

We are living in unprecedented times with the COVID-19 pandemic. As we hear about understaffed hospitals and the stressed health care systems, we want government entities and health systems to know that the 45,000+ athletic trainers that we represent are prepared to help during these uncertain times.

The National Athletic Trainers’ Association and Go4Ellis, a mobile per-diem job platform, have joined forces to connect thousands of athletic trainers with understaffed hospitals and health care systems throughout the United States during the COVID-19 pandemic. Athletic Trainers are health care professionals trained in a variety of medical competencies such as triage, intake, patient care, assessment and sterilization.

Athletic trainers are skilled in the full continuum of care, from prevention and diagnosis to rehabilitation, and work alongside physicians in a host of settings – such as sports, higher education, military, industrial, performing arts and clinical. Many athletic trainers that traditionally work in the sports settings have already joined their peers in the clinical/hospital setting to support with testing, transport and documentation.

If you are a health care system or government health department needing to staff athletic trainers for medical settings or COVID-19 testing sites please call us. We are immediately reachable at http://www.Go4Ellis.com or 1-833-464-2827. This number is staffed 24/7 to provide support and quickly connect health administrators to athletic trainers to address staffing needs.

Thank you,

[President’s name]