Become a Member

The Michigan Center for Human Athletic Medicine and Performance (MCHAMP) is a multidisciplinary program dedicated to the comprehensive wellness, injury prevention and recovery of active individuals. UM faculty are encouraged to join this growing community and benefit from its many opportunities for collaboration, support and development. Membership criteria, high-level summary of benefits and step-by-step application instructions are outlined below.

MEMBERSHIP CRITERIA

- **Membership status** is reserved for University of Michigan faculty with
  - An active appointment in a UM department*;
  - A track record of independent, first-author research in sports medicine; and,
  - A record of extramural research support in sports medicine.

- **Early career membership status** is also available to sports medicine researchers with an active faculty appointment in a UM department.

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

- Participation in a campus-wide collaborative of professionals studying sports medicine
- Access to services and resources aimed at facilitating your research
- Access to the center’s administrative, communications and external relations infrastructure
- Eligibility to submit proposals for the center’s multidisciplinary funding awards
- Professional development opportunities and mentorship for faculty at all levels

...Just to name a few!

HOW TO APPLY

- **Prepare the following materials:**
  - Updated curriculum vitae
  - Brief statement (1-2 pages) describing your-
    - Specific sports medicine areas of interest
    - Plans for engagement in the center

- **Send your packet to:**
  - Joshua Rupert ([jdrupert@med.umich.edu](mailto:jdrupert@med.umich.edu))
  - Senior Administrator, MCHAMP

- **We review applications on a rolling basis.**
  - Center leadership typically issues a decision within 30-45 days of submission.

*Center members maintain their academic appointments in their home departments, not within the center.*