#### **Application Information**

#### **Graduate Studies**

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Phone: 409-880-8229 Fax: 409-880-1723

Email: breauxci@my.lamar.edu

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#### **Health and Kinesiology Department**

Application forms available at Lamar University, Health and Kinesiology Department, P.O. Box

10039, Beaumont, TX 77710

Health Coordinator: Dr. Barbara Hernandez Email: barbara.hernandez@lamar.edu

Phone: 409-880-7725

Department Chair: Dr. Charles Nix Email: clnix@mv.lamar.edu

Phone: 409-880-8724, 409-880-2226 Website: http://dept.lamar.edu/healthkin/

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Beaumont, Texas 77710. Phone: 409-880-8356 Fax: 409-880-8414

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