Richie Poblacion is an Athletic Trainer who graduated from the University of North Florida with a Bachelors Degree in Health Science/Sports Medicine, certified and licensed to practice in 1998. For 17 years, Richie has covered several local high school sporting events. He has been a part of our Pro Step Team since 2005 as an Outpatient Clinician and landed our Head Athletic Trainer position at Ridgeview High School in 2007. Being involved with athletics himself and having gone through some of the struggles with sports injuries helps him relate to younger athletes today with managing their injuries. Seeing athletes go through their personal struggles in over-coming injuries is a personal challenge that he takes to help athletes persevere and attain their goals in returning to the sport they love to play. Richie is married with two children, ages 14 and 10. Richie enjoys spending time with his family, appreciating the simple things that life has to offer. He also enjoys playing basketball and running.