Lead Physiotherapist



Job purpose:

To lead, co-ordinate and provide pitch side and event medical cover during the domestic season.

Experience:

- Experience of providing match day/competition cover
- Experience of working in sport
- Experience of leading others

Qualifications:

- Physiotherapist with 5 years + of MSK practice
- Registration with the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC)
- Member of the Chartered Society of Physiotherapy (CSP)
- Recognised sports first aid/trauma management certificate

Hours required: Varied

Reports to: Head of Medical and Sport Sciences

Locations: Work from home/event cover

Contract type: Fixed term – annual review (January)

Salary: £50/day (during events), travel expenses.

All game day equipment and supplies are provided.

Skills and Qualities:

Person specification	E	D
Experience of providing match day/event cover	E	
Efficient and organised	E	
Willingness to accept and encourage constructive challenges	E	
Self-motivated and able to work independently as well as part of a team	Е	
Demonstrated success in managing individual differences and group dynamics	E	
Working Knowledge of the sport of Touch		D
Excellent interpersonal and professional communication skills	E	
Highly motivated and energetic with a passion for high performance in sport	Е	
Ability to gain confidence and respect of others	Е	
Innovative and self-assured	Е	

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Scope of job/key elements:

Main duties and Job Accountabilities	Measures and input required	
Management of ETA touch series events	 To appoint and ensure suitable physiotherapy and sports therapy services allocated to appointed touch series events To liaise with Head of Medical services regarding budgetary allocation for events 	
Management of players	 To provide on-pitch and pitch-side Physiotherapy and Advanced Trauma/First Aid care for ETA Players during relevant matches, within the rules of the Tournament in which the match occurs, to advise of suitability to continue to play or need for removal from play in the most appropriate manner whilst facilitating either/both. To ensure confidentiality of medical information in accordance with Professional Standards for Data Protection and Confidentiality by the CSP and HCPC. 	
Education of coaches, managers and players	 To liaise with Head of Medical and Sport Science regarding the delivery of medical management and injury prevention. 	

How to apply:

Please send your C and a covering letter to

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