Hamilton Bulls Rugby Club – Lead Physiotherapist Vacancy

Hamilton Bulls Rugby Club would like to recruit a club wide Lead Physiotherapist.

Hamilton Bulls are an amateur club with strong community foundations. We have 3 senior men's teams, a senior women's team and a full youth section with over 250 players. The health and welfare of our players is top of our priorities, supported by the committee and coaching team. This role is pivotal in helping us ensure we develop appropriate and forward thinking processes for ensuring the welfare of our players.

Please find the job description and personal specifications below.

To apply for the position, please send a CV with a short (max 300 words) cover letter to alexedmonstone@hamiltonrugbyclub.co.uk.

The role will be a self-employed position (contract for services) with remuneration negotiated, dependent on qualifications and experience.

Applications Close: Monday 20th July 2020

Club Lead Physiotherapist Job Specification

Hamilton Rugby Club

We are striving to be the best Community Centred Rugby Club in Scotland. We believe this can be achieved by focusing our efforts on the following goals;

- 1. Coaches and players performing in a manner that aspires to achieve individual and club potential
- 2. Providing sporting and social opportunities for the community we serve
- 3. Create a consistent message always reflecting our brand
- 4. Always be financially aware and sustainable

Here is how your role will help Hamilton Rugby Club achieve these goals.

COACHES AND PLAYERS PERFORMING IN A MANNER THAT ASPIRES TO ACHIEVE INDIVIDUAL AND CLUB POTENTIAL

- Oversee and assist with assessment, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation of Senior Men, Women and Midi players.
- Liaise with all medical staff, coaches and management at all levels of the club on a regular basis.
- Plan, develop and implement treatment and rehabilitation plans for injured and rehabilitating players.
- Maintain own CPD requirements, keeping up-to-date with current evidence-based physiotherapy and rehabilitation modalities
- Ensure all documentation regarding injury management is kept in accordance with the standards set by HCPC and CSP.
- Implement injury recording and auditing at the club.
- Provide remote support to medical staff on clinical issues and player management
- Work with coaching and management to ensure clear return to play pathways.
- Ensure concussion management and protocol is adhered to by all medical staff, players, coaches and management.
- Manage clinic staffing and player appointment times
- Provide pitch-side cover for all required games
- Arrange appropriate medical cover for all teams
- Assist players in pre-match preparation as required and provide pitch side injury assessment and immediate care
- Provide specific individual warm-up exercises for players returning from injury

CREATE A CONSISTENT MESSAGE ALWAYS REFLECTING OUT BRAND

- Work with committee to put in place club medical policies and protocols, ensuring all medical staff undertake these.
- Implement and develop Physiotherapy CPD at the club (involving medical staff and coaching where appropriate)

Always be financially aware and sustainable

 Ensure all necessary medical supplies have been ordered, audited, remain in date and are in working order.

WHAT YOU'LL BRING

Essential

- Degree in Physiotherapy
- Member of the CSP
- Registration with HCPC
- Extensive clinical assessment and treatment skills, with a sound understanding of injury rehabilitation
- Excellent communication skills with ability to liaise with players, coaches, management and medical staff
- Minimum of 3 years working in sport
- NSFA Pitch-Side Certificate

Highly Desirable

• SCRUMCAPS Certification