



Glamorgan County Cricket Club Physiotherapist

Job Title: Physiotherapist

Location: Glamorgan County Cricket Club, Sophia Gardens, Cardiff, CF11 9XR.
Requires regular domestic travel in summer, occasional international in winter.

Salary: £28 - 34k.

Contract Type: Permanent (full-time). Includes weekends, evenings and unsociable hours.

Closing Date: 8th January 2025

Interview Date: Week commencing 13th January 2025

Overview

An exciting opportunity has arisen at Glamorgan County Cricket for a highly motivated and enthusiastic physiotherapist to join our Science and Medicine Department. The role will primarily involve providing physiotherapy services to our second XI and senior academy men's squads. However, duties will extend into the men's first XI and women's tier 2 senior team and tier 1 academy when required, dependent on primary role commitments.

Therefore, the position will provide excellent experience and exposure into managing athletes of varying demographics and environments. We aim to develop interchangeability between physiotherapy practitioners within the department, improving the skill sets of individuals, in addition to improving the services provided to our athletes'.

This role comes at an exciting time at Glamorgan CCC, where we have a new Women and Girls programme launching alongside our established Men's teams. Cricket continues to expand at an incredible speed. Therefore, we are committed to continue developing our Science and Medicine Department with like-minded, committed, hardworking individuals. If this is you, please ensure to apply.

Main Duties

- Lead on the boy's senior academy and pathway physiotherapy provision, with support from the head physiotherapist.
- Provide first-aid and physiotherapy provision during match-days and practice sessions, mainly with the men's cricket squads. Although, this may extend into the women's squads when required. These responsibilities will require working outside of normal office hours including, at times, weekends and bank holidays, in addition to significant domestic travel between March and September.
- Effective assessment, treatment and delivery of physiotherapy specific interventions.
- Maintain accurate, detailed and up to date medical notes on the ECB note software, SmartaBase. These shall follow the professional guidelines stated by the CSP and HCPC.
- Design and implement evidence-based screening and monitoring for academy squad players.
- Deliver industry leading injury prevention and management strategies for younger athletes, enabling them to fulfil their cricketing potential.
- Participate in annual ECB CPD seminars and contribute to Glamorgan Sports Science and Medicine in-house CPD programme.
- Strive to always achieve best practice, by working together to continually improve the department and service provision.
- Excellent communication with the head physiotherapist regarding assessment outcomes and treatment objectives for athletes.
- Create, manage and supervise rehabilitation programmes for athletes who have suffered injury
- Co-ordinate return to play and performance programmes with head physiotherapist, wider science and medicine staff and all key stakeholders.
- Create and maintain good, strong working relationships with key stakeholders at the club.
- Assist head physiotherapist with annual ECB science and medicine audit.
- To carry out any other duties that may be required by management and that are within the successful candidate's capabilities.

Key Working Relationships

- Head Physiotherapist
- Glamorgan Women's Physiotherapist
- Pathway and Academy Strength and Conditioning coach
- Lead Strength and Conditioning Coach
- Head of Talent Pathway
- Head Coach of second XI
- Senior Glamorgan Coaches
- Director of Cricket

Requirements

Personal Attributes

- Motivated and enthusiastic
- Hardworking and committed
- Flexible and adaptable
- Ability to work autonomously as well as within a team
- Excellent inter-personal skills
- Humility, honesty and integrity

Knowledge and Expertise

A- Essential

- BSc or MSc (pre-reg) in Physiotherapy with current HCPC registration
- CSP membership
- Full UK driving license
- Own transport
- ECB Enhanced DBS
- 3 years of musculoskeletal physiotherapy experience
- Right to Work in the UK
- Current Advanced Pitch-Side Trauma Management Qualification (or ability to complete prior to starting employment)

B- Desirable

- Postgraduate degree in Sport Physiotherapy/Sport and Exercise Medicine or equivalent topic

- 2 years' experience within sports physiotherapy
- Experience of using electronic notes systems
- Knowledge or experience working within a professional sport environment

Benefits

- Free on-site parking
- 4 free tickets to every Glamorgan game
- Pension, with employer contribution
- Private healthcare
- Working and living in Cardiff, with regular access to international sport and a flourishing city centre
- Be involved in a thriving and developing Science and Medicine Department at Glamorgan CCC

Glamorgan County Cricket Club is an equal opportunities employer. Therefore, we would welcome expressions of interest for the role of physiotherapist from a fully diverse range of candidates, regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, pregnancy or maternity, sexual orientation, faith or disability.

Glamorgan County Cricket Club is committed to safeguarding and protecting children, young people and vulnerable adults. To this end, all appointments are subject to a process of vetting with the need for up-to-date DBS checks and the seeking of relevant references.

Applicants must have the Right to Work in the UK.

This job description is only a summary of the role as it currently exists and is not exhaustive or comprehensive. The responsibilities and accountabilities might differ from those outlined and other duties, as assigned, might be part of the job

To Apply

Please send your CV and a single sided A4 covering letter, explaining why you would be a great candidate for this role, to vacancies@glamorgancricket.co.uk.

