



JOB DESCRIPTION

JOB INFORMATION	
Job Title:	Academy Physiotherapist/Sports Therapist (casual)
Department:	Academy
Contract type	Casual Contract
Site:	SWFC Training Ground plus travel (e.g. away games)
Working Hours:	Zero Hours "as and when required"
POSITION IN THE ORGANISATION	
Reports to:	U9-U16 Physio/Sports Therapist
Responsible for:	U9-U16 players
OVERALL PURPOSE OF JOB	
<p>The successful candidate will form part of our team of casual staff who are responsible for providing medical cover for schoolboy training, rehabilitation and matches for the under 9's-16's age groups.</p> <p>Providing injury assessments, rehabilitation, and return to play of injured schoolboy players at the Academy. Working closely with the U9-16 Physiotherapist / Sport Therapist and Schoolboys Sports Scientist to deliver an injury prevention programme</p>	
GENERAL DESCRIPTION – TASK RELATED	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To be a reliable and hardworking member of our casual physiotherapy / sport therapy team who provide medical cover for U9-16 training sessions and games.• Provide assessment of injuries, rehabilitation and return to play for schoolboy players. This will involve communication with full time physiotherapy, schoolboy sports scientists, coaches and parents. Support will be offered with regular supervision from the U9-16 physiotherapist / sport therapist as well as the Under 18's Physiotherapist.• Communicate closely with full time physiotherapy / sport therapy staff, phase managers, and where possible age group coaches with regard to injured players and the health of the teams• Provide medical cover for training sessions – these normally take place late afternoon / evenings on weekdays, and in the mornings on weekends.• Provide medical cover for FDP and YDP games – normally on Sundays, although sometimes this can change and flexibility is required. Midweek fixtures are more often during half term and pre-season.• Maintain accurate documentation of SOAP notes and rehabilitation sessions on a daily basis.• Communicate with and assist the development of the Academy Physiotherapy interns• Adhere to Safeguarding policies and procedures, including the reporting of safeguarding concerns to the Academy Safeguarding Officer.• Keep CPD up to date	

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- To deliver a diverse culture that supports fairness in line with the Clubs Vales and behaviours and best practice
- Adhere to SWFC policies and procedures.
- Any other reasonable instructions as requested by your Line Manager and or Academy Manager

• **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- BSc Sports Therapy/BSc Physiotherapy Hons (essential)
- FA Level 4 Intermediate Trauma Medical Management in Football (ITMMiF)
- Member of the Chartered Society of Physiotherapy/Society of Sports Therapists
- Member of the HCPC/SST

• **SKILLS & EXPERIENCE:**

- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Good team player
- Excellent written skills
- Proactive attitude within the role
- Highly organised and able to manage multiple tasks
- Quality focus – takes responsibility for ensuring high quality of work
- Drive and energy – demonstrates enthusiasm and is personally committed to achieving objectives set
- Self-development – is receptive to feedback about own behaviour, strengths and areas for improvement
- Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint literate
- Able to develop and maintain strong working relationships
- Previous experience in a football/sporting environment is desirable

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