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| **Job title:** | Academy Physiotherapist |
| **Employer:** | Carlisle United Football Club |
| **Location:** | Carlise United Football Club, Brunton Park, Warwick Road, CA1 1LL |
| **Contract:** | Casual/Sessional |
| **Salary:** | Competitive salary based on relevant experience |
| **Department:** | Academy |
| **Reporting to:** | Senior Academy Physiotherapist |

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| **Job purpose** |
| To support the vision of Carlisle United Academy by contributing to the medical provision across the programme. With energy and enthusiasm, you will contribute as part of a multi-disciplinary team to be an effective practitioner across all aspects of the Academy, supporting player development and progression from U9s to U16’s. |

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| **Main duties** |
| * Provide pitch-side emergency aid and acute injury management at training and fixtures for players aged 8-16 years. * Uphold and demonstrate the values, standards and behaviours expected by Carlise United Football Club both inside & outside the Club. * Liaising with the Senior Academy Physiotherapist optimise assessment and treatment of academy schoolboy players. * Provide pitch side trauma cover during evening training sessions (potential cover Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday). * Provide pitch site trauma cover during U9 – U16 fixtures on Sunday. * Attend Academy CPD events and specific Medical CPD. * Upload SOAP notes on Kitman Labs * To support the sport science and medicine programme. * Comply with all legislation, company policies and procedures and always maintain the highest standards and confidentiality. * Ensure compliance with all up-to-date health and safety regulations and procedures maintaining safe working practices and conditions. * Leading by example to deliver excellence across all areas of the company. * Be an integral part of Carlisle United’s Academy medical team. * Promote and implement good practice and positive engagement with colleagues. |

**Person Specification**

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|  | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| **Qualifications** | * BSc (Hons) degree in   Physiotherapy   * A member of the CSP   HCPC registration   * CSP/SST/BASRAT membership if Sports Therapist (Essential) * Driving Licence | * An ITMMIF or equivalent sports trauma qualification |
| **Experience** | - Experience of working in a sporting environment  - Managing or assessing sports injuries  - Experience working in a multidisciplinary team | * Experience and knowledge of   the football  environment |
| **Knowledge** | - Organised in planning,  preparation and execution of advanced treatment and rehabilitation programs    - Demonstrable  competency in  administration, analysis,  and evaluation    - Ability to deliver information  to players and staff through  a variety of means on and off  the field | * Functional IT skills in relevant software (Microsoft Office,   PMA, GPS Software) |
| **Skills** | -Adaptability to be effective in a dynamic, fast-paced environment    -Strong communication skills in a variety of settings    -Ability to work as part of a  broader multidisciplinary team    - Open-minded approach to adopting best-practice and current evidence-based approaches | -Self-awareness and reflective skills as part of a professional development process |
| **Attitude** | -Passionate and hard working    -Proactive ‘can-do’ approach to  work and those around them    -Self-motivated within a team and capable of motivating those around them |  |

**Safeguarding**

Carlisle United Football Club is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of   
children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.   
This role may involve working with U18’s and as such is subject to Enhanced Criminal   
Records Bureau (CRB) checks. Clearance through the FACRB system is required before any   
employee may commence employment. As such this post is exempt from the Rehabilitation   
of Offenders Act (1974) and the postholder applicant must disclose all previous convictions   
including spent convictions.

**Equal Opportunities**

The Club is committed to applying its Equality Policy at all stages of recruitment and selection, and adverts will contain an equal opportunities statement.

Shortlisting, interviewing and selection will always be carried out without regard to age, disability, gender, gender reassignment, marital / civil partnership status, pregnancy / being on maternity leave, race, religion/belief, sexual orientation, or any other legally protected characteristic.

Any candidate with a disability will not be excluded unless the candidate is unable to perform a duty that is intrinsic to the role, having taken into account reasonable adjustments. Reasonable adjustments to the selection process will be made to ensure that no applicant is disadvantaged because of his/her disability.

**How to apply –**

Please download and complete the application form and email to [Sarah.McKnight@carlisleunited.co.uk](mailto:Sarah.McKnight@carlisleunited.co.uk)