



ROYSTON TOWN FC

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WE ARE HIRING!

HEAD PHYSIOTHERAPIST

REPORTS TO: FIRST TEAM MANAGER
HOURS: TUES/THURS EVENINGS, SATURDAY DAY TIME (HOURS VARY)
SALARY: BASED ON EXPERIENCE
ROLES REPORTING TO THE JOB HOLDER: VOLUNTEERS, STUDENTS

PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTABILITIES/RESPONSIBILITIES:

MANAGEMENT OF INJURIES

- To provide accurate assessment, diagnosis, and injury management to all players, ensuring best evidence-based practice is followed at all times.
- Work alongside other members of the playing department to design and implement effective, age and maturation specific screening and injury prevention strategies.
- To arrange external investigations and treatment as required.

MEDICAL PROVISION AT MATCHES & TRAINING

- To provide match day/training medical cover as required, both home and away.
- To maintain and implement an evidence based, best practice emergency action plan.
- To assist in the checking and maintenance of all emergency medical equipment.

COMMUNICATION

- To maintain timely, accurate medical records.
- Communicate effectively with management regarding player availability/injury updates, as necessary.
- To develop and maintain relationships with external contacts.

OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES

- To assist with warm ups, cool downs and individual/squad conditioning sessions as required.
- Other relevant duties as determined by the Manager.
- To co-ordinate and contribute to any medical in-service training at the Club.
- To lead in the education of all players and parents as required (i.e., injury prevention, recovery etc.)

ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE/EXPERIENCE/SKILLS:

- Physiotherapy/Osteopathy/Sports Rehabilitation or Sports Therapy Degree
- Previous experience of working in a sporting environment.
- Ability to communicate effectively with internal and external parties (i.e., coaches, players, parents, external medical contacts etc.)
- Ability to work well as part of a multidisciplinary team.
- Display a high level of professionalism at all times.
- Highly motivated, with a passion for working within a football setting.
- Utmost confidentiality at all times.
- Enhanced DBS Check.

PREFERRED KNOWLEDGE/EXPERIENCE/SKILLS:

- Pitchside Trauma Qualification, such as such as the FA Level 3 in First Aid or equivalent
- Experience of working in football, or full-time sport environment

SALARY

This is a paid role and salary will be based on experience.

PLEASE NOTE

As this role involves direct access to young persons under the age of eighteen, within the context of the job or any subsequently related activities or responsibilities, the successful candidate will undergo a thorough screening process, which will include a Criminal Records Bureau Disclosure, to ensure their suitability for the role.

**PLEASE SEND ALL APPLICATIONS AND/OR QUESTIONS TO
RECRUITMENT@ROYSTONTOWNFC.CO.UK**

The closing date for this position will remain open until 31st May 2024; however, we reserve the right to close the vacancy early if a suitable candidate is found prior to this date.

ABOUT ROYSTON TOWN FC

Royston Town FC, nicknamed "The Crows", was formed in 1875 and are the third oldest club in Hertfordshire. Our Men's First Team plays in the Pitching In Southern Football League Premier Central Division - Step 3 of the non-league football pyramid. We also have an Under 23's side and an Under 18's side. Our successful Women's team play in the Eastern Region Women's Football League Premier Division - Step 5 of the Women's football pyramid.

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