

# Job Description and Person Specification

## Position Details

<b>Position:</b> Casual Physiotherapist	<b>Department:</b> Academy	<b>Reporting to:</b> Senior Academy Physiotherapist
<b>Salary:</b> £ 8.30 per hour	<b>Contract:</b> Fixed Term – Zero Hours.	<b>Hours per week:</b> Variable (mostly Sunday's & Evenings).

### Overall Objective:

- Provide pitch-side emergency first aid at training sessions and fixtures for schoolboy players on a casual basis (evenings and weekends).
- Assist the Senior Academy Physiotherapist & Academy Sports Therapist with the assessment and management of injuries sustained across the schoolboy age groups.

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<p><b><u>Main Objectives</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide emergency pitch-side first aid to academy teams on match days and evening training sessions as required in-line with current FA ITMiF guidelines.</li> <li>• Maintain up to date &amp; accurate medical records of assessments, treatments &amp; rehabilitations in line with guidance set out by HCPC/SST.</li> <li>• Liaise &amp; work alongside the Senior Physiotherapist/Academy Sports Therapist, coordinating medical care for schoolboy players as required.</li> <li>• Assist with the schoolboy medical screening process as required.</li> <li>• Be a full &amp; active member of the Academy Sports Science &amp; Medicine team, contributing to team meetings &amp; in house CPD events.</li> <li>• Communicate effectively with the multidisciplinary team.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Summary of Duties</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This role will involve liaising effectively with the academy medical and coaching teams; reporting all injuries to the Senior Academy Physiotherapist/ Academy Sports Therapist.</li> <li>• In service training will also be provided to aid the successful candidate's personal and professional development.</li> <li>• Flexible working in order to cover academy training and matches, this includes unsociable hours.</li> <li>• This role will be primarily based at the MK Dons training ground, and will involve regular travel to away games on Sunday mornings.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Essential</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum BSc. Physiotherapy (registered with HCPC)/BSc Sports Therapy (member of the Society of Sports Therapists).</li> <li>• Candidates must be passionate about working in football and looking to gain valuable experience working with elite and developing athletes.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Desirable</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Previous experience of working in a football environment (as a student or qualified sports therapist).</li> <li>• Previous experience with adolescent athletes.</li> <li>• Previous pitch side / trauma management experience.</li> <li>• Pitch side first aid qualification (ITMiF/IFAS).</li> </ul>