



Job Description

Job Title : First Team Physiotherapist (F/T)
Reporting to : Head of Medical

The position of First Team Physiotherapist is expected to be responsible for delivering a high-quality physiotherapy service to members of Kilmarnock Football Club's First Team Squad, in addition to working across the Reserves and Academy departments.

Main Responsibilities and Activities

- To provide accurate assessment, diagnosis, and physiotherapy management to all players, ensuring best practice is always followed.
- Work alongside the head physiotherapist to design and implement effective management and injury prevention strategies.
- To arrange external investigations and treatment as required.
- To provide match day / training physiotherapy cover as required, both home and away.
- To maintain timely, accurate physiotherapy medical record keeping in line with CSP standards.
- Communicate effectively with relevant personnel within the club regarding player availability/injury updates, as required.
- To develop and maintain relationships with external contacts and medical partners.
- To Ensure all policies and procedures are up to date.
- To always maintain a professional appearance and attitude.
- To maintain a thorough, up to date CPD portfolio as per CSP/HCPC requirements.
- To coordinate and contribute to the physiotherapy in-club training programme.
- To assist in the education of all players and parents as required. E.g., injury prevention, recovery, and anti-doping etc.
- To assist with warmups and cool downs and individual squad conditioning sessions in partnership with the Sports Science department when required.
- Other relevant duties as determined by the head physiotherapist.

Essential Knowledge & Experience

- Chartered physiotherapist with registration to the HCPC.
- Minimum of 5-years post graduate experience.
- Minimum 2-years' experience in football or an elite sporting environment.
- Extensive musculoskeletal assessment skills.
- Extensive skills in manual therapy and exercise prescription.
- Strong communication skills with internal and external partners.
- Other relevant duties as determined by the First Team Manager.
- Ability to work well as part of a multidisciplinary team.
- IT Literate
- Highly motivated, with a passion for working within an elite football setting.
- MSc or equivalent post-graduate qualification.
- Knowledge of S&C principles.