

**BRITISH
BASKETBALL**



British Basketball Federation

Expression of Interest

GB Youth Team Physiotherapist/ Sports Therapist

Fixed-Term Contract

Candidate Information Pack

Closing Date: 01 January 2025



About Us

The British Basketball Federation (British Basketball) is the National Governing Body (NGB) responsible for basketball in Britain and took on the International Federation (FIBA) membership role from the Home Country Associations in October 2016.

The BBF runs GB Basketball in a federated model, under a board of management comprising of an Independent Chair, Independent Directors and representatives of the three member Home Country Associations (HCAs) of Basketball England, Basketball Scotland and Basketball Wales.

The goal of British Basketball is to create a world class elite basketball programme in Great Britain and to lead the overarching strategy for the growth of basketball in England, Scotland and Wales, working in close collaboration with the HCA's .

The BBF is at a critical juncture in its development, focused on ensuring gold standard governance, creating opportunity for all, and capitalising on the momentum that the game currently has in the UK to ensure basketball is a leading high-performance sport for the nation to be increasingly proud of.



The Opportunities

The British Basketball Federation wishes to appoint the following role:

- U16 Women - Physiotherapist/ Sports Therapist

Service Details

Time Commitment

Team facing role, with a flexible attitude to working needed. Available to attend all GB U16 Women Youth Team activity across the year. This will include the following:

- Preparation Camp: End of July to start of European Championship (exact dates to be confirmed).
- European Championships: 15-23 August 2025

A flexible attitude to working needed, with willing to work evenings, weekends, school holidays and public holidays. This will include irregular hours and extensive travel both within the UK and overseas. Some work between camps will be needed.

Remuneration

£2,000 (£1,000 end June and £1,000 end August) + All reasonable expenses. Food, accommodation, uniform & laundry will be provided while on National Team duty.

Location

Camp and tournament based – with travel to domestic training venues, and time at overseas training camps and tournaments

Term

This is a fixed-term contract role until end September 2025



Culture, Process and minimum standards

- The objectives of the GB Youth teams are to deliver inspiring performances on the court, representing the British Basketball community and ensuring a positive, developmental experience for all players and staff
- Due to the number of roles available, staff who held the above roles within GB Youth Teams in 2024 are invited to apply through this expression of interest process, along with those who were not involved but would like to be considered
- The Head Coach from each team may be involved in the decision making around these roles, where cohesion and effectiveness is considered.
- Following the close of the expression of interest, GB Youth Team Sports Science & Medicine Lead will contact potential candidates, with unsuccessful candidates receiving an email from the BBF.

Person Specification

- Commitment to ensuring diversity, inclusion and equity within the sport of Basketball
- Ensures a positive environment for players and staff where all team members feel valued. Centred around performance but also protecting enjoyment and love for the game
- Shows integrity and is fair, equitable and ethical in approach
- Able to adhere to policies and procedures as outlined by the BBF

Physiotherapist/ Sports Therapist

Key Responsibilities

- Deliver a high level of Physiotherapy/ Sports Therapy service to the GB U16 Youth Team
- Lead on treatment, assessment, rehab and 'prehab' to players in camp and competition and guiding decisions around such treatment (the latter may be extended outside of camps and in the lead up to competition)
- Lead on the organisation of player physical screening and assessments for the relevant GB Youth team, in line with the GB Way, and in liaison with the Head of Sport Science and Medicine
- Liaise with the BBF Chief Medical Officer (CMO) and Head of Sport Science and Medicine to optimise rehabilitation strategies and treatment
- Co-ordinate the ordering of consumables and their appropriate distribution in liaison with the Head of Sport Science and Medicine
- Utilise the online medical notes system appropriately
- Engage with physiotherapy providers in player teams/clubs where required
- Engage with Head of Sport Science and Medicine and Home Country Association medical teams to develop ways of best practise in-line with the "GB Way"

Qualifications and Experience

- A degree in Physiotherapy/Sports Therapy (SST)/ British Association of Sports Rehabilitators and Trainers (BASRaT) (*Essential*)
- A Master's degree in related area (*Desirable*)
- Pitch side trauma management qualification (*Essential*)
- To be fully insured to carry out this role (*Essential*)
- Minimum 12 months post graduate experience (*Essential*)
- Experience of delivering all relevant therapy modalities including taping, joint mobilisations, massage (*Essential*)
- Experience of working in a multi-disciplinary team sports environment (*Essential*)
- Basic disclosure checks will be performed for all successful applicants



Recruitment Timeline



How to apply

We are keen to secure the interest of individuals from a wide range of backgrounds with varied professional and lived experience. We warmly welcome applications from all sections of the community, regardless of age, race, colour, sex, marital status, religion, ethnic origin, nationality, disability or sexual orientation.

To apply, please complete the form at following link and send your CV to recruitment@gb.basketball

Link to express an interest – <https://forms.office.com/e/raKVVSpnNk>

Please direct any questions to: recruitment@gb.basketball

Please note the closing date for applications is midnight **01 January 2025**.

**THANK
YOU**

