

## **Development Physiotherapist Full-Time Permanent Position**

Penrith Panthers National Rugby League Club are seeking a Development Physiotherapist for its Elite Development Program. Reporting to the General Manager and Head Physiotherapist, the role will lead, direct and deliver the treatment, rehabilitation and injury prevention programs for the Junior Development Pathway and assist the Senior physiotherapists in delivering high quality services across all senior levels. Based at Pepper Stadium in the physiotherapy department, the role has a prime focus on clinical practice, match day coverage and administration functions within Penrith Panthers Rugby League.

## Key Duties and Responsibilities include:

- Game day physiotherapy and injury management including trial games (NSW Cup) including pre game preparation such as taping and treatment and co-ordinate injury management in conjunction with NSW Cup Doctor;
- Ability to run on-field trainer duties which includes acute injury assessment and management as well as delivering messages to players when necessary as directed by coaching staff;
- Produce match day medical report for the Club Doctor and Head Physiotherapist;
- Administer pre-game physiotherapy and game preparation;
- Regular consultations/meetings with the physical performance unit (PPU) regarding injury management;
- Liaise with Junior League management and coaching staff regarding player injuries or illness;
- Design and Administer appropriate rehabilitation programs in close consultation with key strength and conditioning staff and rehab co-ordinator;
- Co-ordinate and run on-field or gym based alternative training sessions for injured players;
- Drive injury prevention and athletic development programs for Junior Representative squads in-line with the NRL standard;
- Manage physiotherapy supplies in collaboration with other medical staff members including senior physiotherapists and head trainers and;
- Maintain databases of medical records and injury listings.

## To be successful in this role, you will possess:

- Relevant Tertiary Qualification;
- Current AHPRA Registration;
- Current Spinal Care and/or Necksafe Qualification and;
- Post-Graduate Qualifications in Sports Physiotherapy and experience working in Rugby League is desirable but not essential.

If this sounds like the position for you then please apply today!

Want to Apply?

Please also send your Cover Letter & Resume to: - Kieren Morgan

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Applications close: 5pm Friday 9 October 2015