

SPORTS MEDICINE FELLOW

This is a tremendous opportunity for continued development for professionals with less than 5 years of experience in the fields of Athletic Training, Chiropractic, and Physical Therapy. Dual credentialed individuals are encouraged to apply.

The United States Olympic Committee offers a one-year fellowship position which affords the unique opportunity to join the medical staff at one of the Colorado Springs Olympic Training Center and provide service to America's Olympic athletes and hopefuls. The one-year Sports Medicine fellowship position is a full-time, entry-level position for recent Athletic Training graduates who have received their Master's Degree and are NATABOC certified, with preference given to those applicants with graduate assistantship experience; Chiropractors who must have their CCSP and Physical Therapists who must have their SCS. Essentially, the Sports Medicine Fellow functions as one of our medical staff; however, a greater emphasis is placed upon developing sports medicine and rehabilitation skills. The position is a one year assignment, and is available immediately.

SUMMARY:

Under Clinic Manager's direction and physician supervision, provide for the evaluation, treatment, and rehabilitation of medical problems concerning athletes and support personnel registered at a USOC facility or event. Provide administrative services concerning athletes and support personnel registered at a USOC facility or event.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

1. Perform as a professional in their designated field for the health care of registered and/or assigned athletes and support personnel. Health care includes emergency care, evaluation of injuries and illnesses, developing and applying treatment and rehabilitation programs through the use of therapeutic modalities, exercise, and manual treatments including massage, and assisting in making referrals to outside medical sources as warranted. Perform additional allied medical duties as permitted by state law and supervising physician.
2. Assist with assigning on-call and on-site duties to volunteer medical personnel. Provide input in the evaluation process of volunteer and NGB medical personnel.
3. Record and enter athlete medical data for computer processing and maintenance of athlete medical records.
4. Assist in the distribution of supplies and equipment to USOC medical facilities and USOC supported events.
5. Keep the USOC Medical Clinic safe, clean organized and compliant with local, state and federal health and safety standards.

6. Provide transportation for athletes to outside medical referrals.
7. Initiate insurance claims for qualified athletes.
8. Perform one or more of the following responsibilities where applicable and/or permitted by local law:
 - a) Assist in maintaining computerized supply inventory and pharmaceutical supply needs for USOC medical facilities
 - b) Assist in coordinating the Vision Care Program
 - c) Assist in the implementation of the Elite Athlete Health Profile to resident team and national team athletes
 - d) Assist in coordinating the Dental Mouthpiece Program, including fabrication of mouthpieces
 - e) Assist in coordinating the Automatic External Defibrillation (AED) Program
 - f) Perform phlebotomy skills
9. Assist in compiling monthly, yearly, and quadrennial reports.
10. Provide educational sessions and materials to NGB, community, and USOC on requested Sports Medicine topics.
11. Perform other responsibilities as assigned or required.

TOOLS/EQUIPMENT:

- Medical, treatment and rehabilitation equipment
- Telecommunications equipment, fax machine and copier
- Personal computer, peripherals, and related software
- Motor vehicles/motorized carts

CONDITIONS:

- Health care facility
- Domestic and/or international travel

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- Athletic Trainers must have their NATABOC Athletic Training Certification; Chiropractors must have their CCSP; Physical Therapists must have their SCS
- Eligible for State Licensure as required by employment location
- Position requires flexibility in work schedule to meet the requirements of the USOC medical facility and ability to work with a transient population

POSITION REPORTS TO: Clinic Manager

If interested, please submit a letter of application, including certification and/or licensure number, as well as a resume and a list of references to www.teamusa.org. If awaiting certification/licensure please list expected date.