

VMMNA Position Description - Coach

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| **Policy Title** | **Position Description** |
| **Reports to** | Tour Manager, Head Coach, VMMNA Committee |
| **Date Written** | 25/6/2020 |

## About the Role

The primary purpose of this position is to provide and deliver a high quality netball coaching program to athletes within the VMMNA state program. The coach of each state representative team is responsible for all matters pertaining to the following: selection of players for the respective team, fitness sessions, training program development and individual skill development.

## Key responsibilities

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| **Selections** | * Participate in State Team Selections |
| **Team Training** | * Liaise with the Team Manager to ensure all activities are carried out in preparation for the training program * Attend all team training sessions or ensure an alternative arrangement is in place for a suitable coaching substitute (this alternative must be confirmed with the Tour Manager) * Bring to the attention of the Team Manager any matter which may inhibit the team’s performance (including enquiries from players * Perform the functions of the Team Manager when they are not present at training sessions * Provide guidance to Team Manager when they are not present at training sessions |
| **Match Play** | * Implementing and making decisions regarding match tactics during a game |
| **VMMNA Squad** | * Where requested participate in the development of Men’s and Mixed Netball via clinics or other channels as advised by the VMMNA Committee * Adhere to the codes of conduct for VMMNA and AMMNA * Ensure at all times, the team behaviour is appropriate in accordance with the VMMNA and AMMNA Codes of Conduct and meets all dress code requirements * Participate in all VMMNA arranged specialised training/fitness sessions * Submit a written report at the completion of the championship to the VMMNA Committee |
| **AMMNA Championships** | * Manage players * Be aware of any medical requirements of players * Escalate any issues which may arise during the commencement of the training period through to the completion of the championship * Maintain an appropriate relationship with the team manager, working together to support the teams needs * Assist the manager when needed |

## Personnel Specification

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| **Qualifications** | **Essential**   * Hold a Foundation Coaching Course * Demonstrated commitment to professional development as a coach |
| **Experience** | **Essential**   * A minimum of 2 year sports coaching experience in a paid or voluntary capacity   **Desirable**   * 5 years or more netball coaching experience in a paid or voluntary capacity * Coaching experiencing at higher level than local club |
| **Skills & Competencies** | **Essential**   * Demonstrate strong leadership qualities and have the ability to delegate effectively * Excellent communication and interpersonal skills * Strong planning ability with excellent organisational skills * Ability to manage a group of participants effectively |
| **Other** | * All candidates applying for this position must hold a current driver’s license * Evidence of a valid Working With Children Check clearance must be provided prior to commencement of role |

## Enquires

Please contact Sonya Febbo (Tour Manager) via email with any queries

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Applications close at 5PM on 1st September 2021