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| **POSITION DESCRIPTION – Association Apprentice Coach** |
| **Organisation** |  |
| **Job Title** | Apprentice Coach |
| **Position Type** | Voluntary/Paid |
| **Reports to** | Team CoachAssociation Development Officer |
| **Currently filled by** |  |
| **Commencement date** |  |
| **End date** |  |
| **Time Commitment** | *Approximately XXXX hours total time commitment* |
| **POSITION DETAILS** |
| **Purpose*** To observe and assist the team coach in the development and implementation of an effective training program and game management for the *(Association name)* Team, in preparation for representative competitions.
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| **Knowledge/Skills*** Foundation Coaching Accreditation
* Basic understanding of player development and maturation
* Ability to work as part of a team, liaising with Coaching staff and other officials as required
* Ability to receive and provide feedback in a positive manner
* Ability to take direction and feedback
* Understanding of Child Safeguarding and the WA Working with Children compliance requirements
* Understanding of the relevant Association Policies and Procedures
* Effective communication and good interpersonal skills
* Act with integrity, confidentiality, and objectivity
* Good organisational skills
* Positive and enthusiastic attitude
* Ability to work with others
* Current Senior First Aid Certificate (desirable)
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| **Typical time commitment*** *Representative training sessions and competitions*
* *Approximately XXXX Hrs in total*
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| **Responsibilities and Duties*** Abide by Association Policies and Procedures as well as the Coaches’ Code of Conduct
* Support the coach, assistant coach and team manager as directed
* Assist with team selections as directed
* As directed assist the Coach and Assistant Coach in the development and implementation of the training sessions
* As directed assist the Coach in providing feedback to players during training sessions and competition
* Coach at all times in a responsible and professional manner
* Willingness to further your Coaching knowledge

**ESSENTIAL*** At all times ensure a Child Safe environment
* Comply with the Netball Australia Member Protection Policy and Child Safeguarding Policy
* Comply with the WA Working with Children Check (WWCC) Legislation which means:
	+ If your usual duties involve, or are likely to involve, contact with a child under 18 you will be required to obtain a WWCC
	+ If you fall into an WWCC exemption category, a Volunteer National Police Clearance Certificate is required.
* Promote and display the Associations/Clubs values and behaviours
* Promote netball in a positive manner
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| **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** |
| **Volunteering in this position gives you the opportunity to:*** Work as part of a team dedicated to the growth and development of *(Association name)*
* Meet and network with other volunteers and industry professionals.
* Have input into the goals and objectives of *(Association name)*
* Use your skills in a positive and engaging way.
* Develop a greater understanding of sports management structures.

For further information regarding this position please contact *(Association name and contact details)* |

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