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**Bishop Shanahan Athletic Trainer Position**

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**Position Summary**

The Head Athletic Trainer at Bishop Shanahan High School will play a chief role in developing and maintaining training protocols and procedures reflective of a Catholic school, while focusing on the health and safety of the student-athletes in all areas of the athletic program. The individual will work closely with the Athletic Director to ensure a culture of good sportsmanship, integrity and professionalism among the athletes and coaching staff. In addition, the Head Athletic Trainer will act in accordance with NFHS, PIAA, and Ches Mont League rules, policies, and regulations in the areas of athletic training, safety and wellness. This role is a 10-Month Position.

**Qualifications**

- Passionate about athletics and the positive impact they can have on the broader educational experience
- Strong values and ethics
- Initiative
- Strong communication skills
- Deeply committed to student-athlete well-being and success, on and off the field
- Excellent organizational and multitasking skills
- Team orientation: willing and able to work flexible hours, including a consistent expectation to regular supervision of evenings and weekend activities, to support our athletic programs
- Valid state license to practice as a certified athletic trainer within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 1-3 years of experience at the high school or college level
- Bachelor's Degree from an accredited Athletic Training Program
- Valid certification from the National Athletic Trainers Association Board of Certification (NATABOC)
- Valid CPR certification

- Maintaining continuing education units as required by the National Athletic Trainers Association
- Board of Certification (NATABOC)

**Responsibilities**

- Athletic training encompasses the prevention, diagnosis, and intervention of emergency, acute, and chronic medical conditions involving impairment, functional limitations, and disabilities
- Consistently maintains high standards for his or her own work and motivates others to achieve the same standard of excellence
- Work closely with all members of the athletic department to provide resources for our students and community to support their growth and well-being in athletics including strength and conditioning training, nutrition, wellness and rehab
- Provide daily care and prevention to all members of our community within athletics and provide rehabilitation plans for recovery
- Attend athletic contests directed by Athletic Director to provide sufficient support to the athletic program

**Description**

The school athletic trainer collaborates with coaches, nurses, athletic administrators, and physicians to optimize the health and activity of student-athletes. Athletic training encompasses the prevention, diagnosis, and intervention of emergency, acute, and chronic medical conditions involving impairment, functional limitations, and disabilities. The athletic trainer's responsibilities include injury/illness prevention and wellness protection; clinical evaluation and diagnosis; providing immediate and emergency care, treatment and rehabilitation; and ensuring organizational and professional health. Our tradition of excellence in athletics is a well-established and important element of our school culture, and our athletic trainer is important in maintaining our standard of excellence. The athletic trainers work should promote a student-centered culture of growth and support the school's mission. This position reports to the Athletic Director.

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**About You**

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In our review of applications, we will prioritize candidates who demonstrate the following

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