



RECRUITMENT PACK

Sport Welfare Coordinator

Fixed term contract (until March 2027)

37 hours per week

£29,400 – £32,414 per annum

Closing date: 27th November 2023 (9am)

Interview date: 6th December 2023



ABOUT US

County Durham Sport is part of a network of 43 Active Partnerships across England funded by Sport England and supported by the Active Partnership National Team. We recognise that patterns of physical activity in County Durham are affected by inequality – in health, wealth & access to services. We aim to increase participation in sport and physical activity at a local level and make a healthy lifestyle an easy choice for everyone. As a system partner to Sport England, we work with a range of partners to achieve our aims. These organisations include Durham County Council, health partners, local schools, clubs and community and voluntary organisations.

Our approach

Taking an evidence based approach, we work in partnership to ensure that a healthy lifestyle is an easy choice for everyone. By learning together, we believe we can shift understanding and promote action that raises ambition and reduces inequality. We want to create a happier, healthy county by learning, sharing and collaborating with partners to raise ambitions and inspire change that enables more people to live more active lives.

Our vision

A healthy lifestyle is an easy choice for everyone.

Our mission

Challenging inequalities and changing lives through sport and physical activity.



ABOUT US

Our values



AMBITIOUS – Setting our standards high and being an employer of choice with high levels of staff satisfaction.



COLLABORATIVE – Working in effective partnerships to challenge barriers to an active lifestyle.



CURIOUS – Creating a learning organisation that is responsive to local need and works with local communities.



EQUALITY – Promoting equality through high performing staff and an effective Board.



PASSIONATE – Sharing our passion for change, our knowledge and skills.

Our priorities



CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE – Positive experiences and physical literacy to shape healthy and active futures.



BUILDING CAPACITY – Upskilling local communities to develop the local physical activity workforce.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT – Working with local people to co-produce and co-design projects.



HEALTH & WELLBEING – Using sport and physical activity as a means to improve health and wellbeing.



ACTIVE TRAVEL – Promoting active travel as healthy and green.



ACTIVE ENVIROMENT – Creating an environment where being active is an easy and accessible choice.

JOIN US

You will be part of a collaborative team that is passionate about challenging the barriers to an active lifestyle. We are ambitious about using evidence to influence the development of new approaches to support people to live more active lives and you will be a part of making a difference in County Durham.

We are committed to personal and professional development and cherish diversity. Your unique perspective will be valued by our supportive team.



Our benefits include:



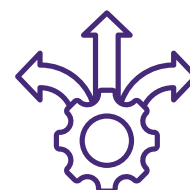
31 Days Holiday
+ bank holidays
+ office closure between
Christmas and New Year



Hybrid working
and work life balance



Learning culture
and development
opportunities



Flexibility
in work area and role

THE ROLE

County Durham Sport (CDS) is looking for a well organised, flexible and personable individual to join the team.

Within the role, funded by Sport England, you will be responsible for working with National Governing Bodies (NGBs) to help improve safeguarding standards and culture in local sports clubs by promoting good practice and safe sport for children, young people and adults in County Durham. The role will add capacity and expertise to the existing safeguarding work of NGBs and the Active Partnership (County Durham Sport).

The Sport Welfare Coordinator will help further understand safeguarding in local clubs e.g. how policies and procedures are implemented and cascaded and will help share good practice to help strengthen the welfare culture within local clubs.

The post holder will work closely with other Sport Welfare Officers across the national network, National Governing Bodies and wider organisations; to connect people working on welfare and safeguarding, both inside and outside sport. The successful candidate will be passionate about the impact sport and physical activity can have.

Go to countydurhamsport.com/vacancies/ to download the full job description and personal specification.

READY TO APPLY?

To apply please go to countydurhamsport.com/vacancies and download an application form.

If you would like an informal discussion about the role please contact Becks Lippe (Director of Operations) on hello@countydurhamsport.com

The closing date for applications is Monday 27th November 2023 (9am).

It is anticipated that interviews will take place on Wednesday 6th December.

