



Position: On-ice Head Instructor

Job Description

The head instructor operates on-ice hockey skill development programs for various levels of athletes. The objective is to ensure quality programs are planned, developed, and presented to the customer on a continual basis providing the optimal opportunity for development and enjoyment.

Employees within this job classification must possess strong interpersonal skills. Communication with participants and customers is required to ensure the program meets and exceeds client standards. The Head Instructor position is differentiated from that of the Assistant Instructor through the level of skill, experience, preparedness, and responsibility required for supervising, assisting, planning, and evaluating. The Head Instructor must take responsibility for all happenings within a session.

Typical Duties and Responsibilities

- Develop practice plans and drills that relate to the skill-specific program(s).
- Run on-ice skills sessions for up to 17 participants at a time.
- Produce a safe environment for participants by ensuring The Zone Training safety regulations are being met.
- Review and have thorough knowledge of Zone programs and hockey in general.
- Supervise, allocate, and participate in the work of assistant instructors.
- Communicate with participants and the customer (parents) to ensure satisfaction.
- Review work of assistants and ensure standards are maintained.

Qualifications

- Experience instructing hockey programs and camps as a Head Instructor.
- Must have experience playing hockey at a competitive level
- Must have extensive knowledge of hockey fundamentals and development tactics
- Able to present themselves professionally and communicate effectively
- Strong planning and time management skills
- Must be physically able to skate for 50 minutes continuously multiple times in a day and up to 6 hours in a row.

Possible Shift Times: 3:30pm – 9:30pm on Weekdays
5:30pm – 9:30pm on Weekdays
12:30pm – 5:30pm on Saturdays
1:30pm – 6:30pm on Sundays

Note: These are general shift times, however they can vary.

Starting Wage: \$20 - \$25 per hour

To Apply: Email resume to derek.obermeyer@thezonetraining.ca