



## SENIOR GROUP WORKER (Sports)

	ESSENTIAL CRITERIA	DESIRABLE CRITERIA
<b>SKILLS &amp; ABILITIES</b>	1. Clear and concise verbal and written communication  2. Adaptable, creative, sensitive showing traits of empathy and understanding	
<b>EXPERIENCE</b>	1. Experience of running group activities  2. Experience of organising and running sports activities  3. Managing, supporting and motivating staff/volunteers	1. Experience of working in the 3 <sup>rd</sup> sector 2. Experience of working with children and Young People with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and their families
<b>KNOWLEDGE</b>	1. Knowledge of ASD 2. Knowledge of running Sports for young people with a disability 3. HNC or equivalent in Sport 4. UKCC Level 1 Qualifications	1. Understanding the policy and legislative context around ASD and working with children  2. Knowledge of the ASL Act  3. ASD specific qualifications e.g. Modules  4. A sport's related degree (UKCC Level 2)  5. First Aid & Child Protection  6. Sports Coach UK Course Modules  7. Partnership working
<b>PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES &amp; OTHER REQUIREMENTS</b>	1. Willing to travel 2. Willing to work evenings and weekends 3. Car driver 4. Commitment to the Mission, Values and Objectives of HOPE	

*HOPE makes a positive difference to the lives of people affected by autism.*