



Job Title: Grounds Tech

Location: Atlanta, GA

Department: Finance

Reporting To: Director, Turf and Grounds

U.S. Soccer Overview

The U.S. Soccer Federation exists in service to soccer. Our aim is to ignite a national passion for the game. Because we believe that soccer is more than a sport; it is a force for good.

We understand the importance and the power of teamwork, on and off the pitch. That is why we work closely with our Federation partners and members, to inspire, support and guide every level of the game: from the grassroots to the National Teams. We want to bring soccer into every home and every community, right across America. Because we believe that soccer can transform lives like no other sport. Soccer can represent the best of U.S.

U.S. Soccer is in a period of significant growth, with ambitious plans for U.S. Soccer in the near and far future. We are, therefore, looking for dynamic servant leaders to join us on this journey: in service to soccer. Applicants must be able to demonstrate visionary leadership, analytical decision-making, professional flexibility, and an empathic management style that builds bold teams and delivers globally significant results.

Position Description

US Soccer is seeking an experienced and motivated Grounds Tech to assist in the maintenance and presentation of the Arthur M. Blank US Soccer National Training Center; a premier training facility located outside of Atlanta, Georgia. This position will play a crucial role in producing and maintaining world-class Bermuda grass and overseeded ryegrass playing surfaces that are safe, consistent, and aesthetically exceptional for professional trainings.

Primary Responsibilities

Field Maintenance

- Perform routine maintenance of training fields, including mowing, trimming, fertilizing, and other duties assigned.
- Provides daily support and implements scheduled maintenance of all training fields
- Maintain natural grass and synthetic athletic fields to ensure safety and playability.
- Operate and maintain grounds equipment such as mowers, tractors, utility vehicles, blowers, line trimmers, and other maintenance tools.
- Maintaining a clean work environment and field equipment.



- Support setup and breakdown for trainings and events.
- Follow safety protocols and ensure proper use of equipment and materials.
- Assist with field layout and painting.

Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree or two-year certificate in Turfgrass Management, Agronomy, Horticulture, or a related field (or equivalent professional experience).
- Minimum of 1 year of professional turf management experience, preferably in a sports facility or golf course setting.
- Basic understanding of turfgrass principles and field maintenance practices.
- Excellent communication skills.
- High attention to detail and commitment to producing elite playing surfaces.
- Ability to obtain necessary pesticide and fertilizer certifications.

Physical Demands

- Ability to lift 50 lbs. and perform physically demanding tasks.
- Ability to work outdoors in adverse weather conditions, including extreme heat, cold, rain, and snow.
- Ability to stand, kneel, and work in a variety of physical positions for extended periods.
- Flexibility to work long hours, nights, weekends, and holidays as required by training and event schedules.

U.S. Soccer offers a comprehensive compensation package, casual work environment, an inclusive culture, and an atmosphere for professional development.

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