



**USA National Karate-do Federation
National Coaching Staff**

Job Descriptions, Duties, Requirements and Selection

National Sports Performance Coach

Reports to: Director of Sport
Selected by: Director of Sport with CEO concurrence
Term: Two years, option to renew, subject to annual review process
Direct reports: National sports performance coaches

- **Responsibilities**
 - Responsible for the overall Sports Performance Program of the US National Teams
 - Responsible for creating and implementing a Serial Assessment Protocol for the US National Teams
 - Responsible for defining objectives and priorities of the Sports Performance Training Sessions on the National and Regional levels.
 - Responsible for communication with Regional Sports Performance Coaches
- **Duties**
 - Develop and implement the Serial Assessment Protocol across all regions in the US.
 - Communicate objectives and priorities of the Sports Performance Program and Trainings to National Coaches, US Team Athletes, personal coaches and Regional Sports Performance Coaches.
 - Teach Regional Sports Performance Coaches how to administer the Serial Assessment and monitor the results across the regions.
 - Conduct or facilitate the instruction of Sports Performance Training Sessions at US Team Camps
 - Seek resources to benefit the US Team across the US.
 - Be fully informed of all rules for competition, including when changes are made and published
 - Attend all National Coaching Staff meetings, trainings, and US Team camps as directed by the Director of Sport.
 - All other duties assigned by the Director of Sport
- **Requirements**
 - Must have demonstrated knowledge and background in the area of Sports Performance
 - Must be a member of USA NKF in good standing, including Safe Sport and background check, USA NKF Dan certification, CPR/First Aid
 - Have a good working relationship with the National Coach(es) in the region
 - Have a good working relationship with the US Team athletes in the region
 - Demonstrated leadership, communication and organizational management skills
- **Selection Process**
 - Coaches will be eligible form the National Coaches Pool
 - Submit letter of interest and resume to Director of Sport