



**Position Title:** Head Coach, University of Delaware Women's Club Ice Hockey

**Position Summary:** The University of Delaware Women's Club Ice Hockey Team (ACHA D2) is seeking a dedicated and experienced Head Coach to lead and support the continued development and success of its competitive, student-run program. This role involves coaching, recruiting, team development, administrative duties, and fostering a strong team culture in collaboration with student leadership and university officials.

**Salary:** Depends on experience.

**Primary Duties:**

- Responsible for the development of players, game day rosters, and if needed, travel roster.
- Create practice plans for two weekly practices focused on individual and team development at a high level of efficiency and skill.
- Active involvement in recruiting prospective student athletes for the continued success and development of the program.
- Work with the leadership board to schedule all practices, home and away games, and coordinate officiating needs.
- Work with the leadership board on a master budget and making payments.
- Work with the leadership board and coaching staff to develop and execute expectations and accountability plans for the upcoming season.
- Communicate with University of Delaware club sports officials, the ACHA, the DVCHC, coaching staff, leadership board, captains, and team members.
- Attend bi-yearly club sports coaches meetings
- Other responsibilities as needed.

**Time Commitment:**

- The season runs from Late August-Mid March (nationals), with a six-week break beginning mid-December and ending early February.
- Two, 90-minute weeknight practices.
- 1-3 games on weekends within a 1-hour drive.
- Two overnight trips throughout the year.
- Five-day National Tournament in St. Louis, MO- if the team qualifies.

**Preferred Knowledge, Skills, Abilities, and Certifications:**

- Prior coaching experience at AA level or higher.
  - Past playing experience is a bonus.
- Per ACHA: All coaches must have USA Hockey CEP level.
- Ability to pass University background check
- CPR certification or completion of course within 30 days of start date.
- Desire to work in a club hockey program alongside student leadership.
- Reliable transportation to and from practices and home games.
- Establish a positive and competitive team culture built on accountability.
- Strong communication, management, and administrative skills.

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