

Title:	FFT Women's Development Officer
Department:	Technical
Location:	Hobart
Reports to:	FFT Technical Director
Start Date:	TBC
Status	Fulltime

Purpose of Role

The Women Development Officer role has been created to assist Football Federation Tasmania in conjunction with Football Federation Australia to achieve key female football participation objectives. The position will play a crucial role in assisting clubs to be better engaged with females to attract and keep more female participants in the game. The role is a fulltime position and will report to the FFT Technical Director as well as working cooperatively with FFA's Women's Football Development Manager.

Key Areas of Responsibility

- Work with Regional Associations to gather information on best practice female engagement strategies
- Develop retention programs to sustain and grow the female player base
- Support and build links between females playing in schools and clubs
- Support the inclusion of females at all levels of the game (players, coaches, officials and administrators)
- Assist the MiniRoos Development Officer to lead the implementation of the MiniRoos for Girls (identifying sites with potential to deliver MiniRoos for Girls)
- Assist with the efficient delivery of programs, initiatives & events as required by FFA and FFT. e.g. Female Football Week, Female Football Festivals
- Conduct regular workshops for female coaches and male coaches in female football
- To provide input and recommendations to the FFT TD in both planning and conducting of development programs within FFT
- Conduct football clinics on a regular basis to provide development opportunities for female players
- Assist with Junior programs / tournaments and state team training
- Develop and present reports
 - Contribute to monthly teleconference calls with the FFA Women's Development Manager
 - Prepare reports for FFT as and when required (e.g. FFT Technical Dept meetings, Board reports)

Key Outcomes (What will this role achieve? What are the measures of success?)

- Club's better educated and supported with regards to female engagement
- Increase awareness for MiniRoos for Girls
- Improve retention rates with regards to female participation
- Conduct programs which lead to an improvement in standard of female players

Knowledge, skills and behaviours required (Competency)

- FFA Youth C Licence – minimum (preferable)
- Working with Vulnerable People accreditation
- Current Driving Licence
- Understanding of the FFA National Football Curriculum & National Building Blocks
- Demonstrated communication, organization and leadership skills
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team.
- Experience within the game of football (player, coach, administrator)
- Experience working with children and parents
- Proficient communication skills – confidence speaking in public and delivering information
- Ability to demonstrate collaborative and inclusive approach to problem solving
- Customer service/sales experience
- Passion to develop the game of football

Major interactions

- FFT CEO
- FFT TD
- FFA Women's Football Development Manager
- Club representatives (Presidents, administrators, volunteers)
- Female football participants (players, coaches, officials, parents)